



Northwestern High

School Year: 2026 MD School Report Card Star Rating: 2 Grades: 9 - 12

Principal: NKenge Barker

School Operations

Phone: 301-985-1820

Start/End Time: 8:30 - 3:15

Mascot: Wildcats

BOE District: 3



To find detailed insights for a specific school, visit the PGCPS District Dashboard below:

microstrategy.pgcps.org/pgcps-dashboard

Educational Programs & Pathways

- Advanced Placement
- Community School
- Career and Technical Education (CTE): Business Management and Finance
- Dual in the School (College Enrollment)
- High School Athletics
- Maryland Green School
- Junior Reserve Officers' Training Corps (JROTC) - Navy
- Special Education - Social-Emotional Academic Development (SEAD)
- Visual & Performing Arts

School Demographics

Total Enrollment 2255

% Asian 1%

% Black/African American 22%

% Hispanic/Latino 72%

% White 4%

% Students with Disabilities 9%

% Multilingual Learners 36%

% Free & Reduced Meals 50%

Beyond the Classroom

- National Arts Honors Society (NAHS)
- Student Government Association



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Students Not
Chronically Absent

58%

Graduation
Rate

66%

MCAP Data (School MCAP results compared to statewide peers, by student and service group.)

Overall
Schoolwide ELA

39%

Overall
Statewide ELA

60%

Overall
Schoolwide MATH

14%

Overall
Statewide MATH

25%

School vs. State by Demographics

	Schoolwide ELA	Statewide ELA	Schoolwide Math	Statewide Math
Asian	*	81%	*	56%
Black/African American	56%	49%	13%	12%
Hispanic/ Latino	33%	44%	14%	13%
White	*	77%	22%	36%
Students with Disabilities	≤ 5%	22%	16%	6%
Multilingual Learners	10%	12%	14%	≤ 5%

To protect students' privacy, data are suppressed using an asterisk () when a group has 20 or fewer students, or using '≤5%' when a percentage is 5% or lower. N/A indicates the data do not exist or are not available.*

Growth Report - To view the school's growth report (if available), click the link below:

<https://microstrategy.pgcps.org/pgcps-dashboard/school-performance?schoollid=17308>