Marriotts Ridge High School is a comprehensive high school that has established a reputation of academic excellence and become one of the highest performing high schools in Maryland. Nestled in a rural and suburban community along the Baltimore-Washington corridor, Marriotts Ridge draws students from varied neighborhoods who bring diverse interests to the school. To meet the needs and interests of all students, MRHS offers many special programs. Students and staff work together to create an environment that is built on the core values of academic achievement, honesty, integrity, and personal responsibility. The exceptional staff at Marriotts Ridge teach a wide variety of core courses and electives in English, mathematics, physical education, science, social studies, technology education and world languages. These courses offer opportunities for students to engage in problem-solving skills and career preparation. Student participation and performance on the High School Assessments, SAT, ACT and Advanced Placement tests place Marriotts Ridge among the highest in the state. Teachers, students and parents work together to create a safe and nurturing environment in which all students can reach their potential. Parents are involved in their child’s learning and support the school in groups such as the PTSA, Music Foundation, Boosters, Korean Parent Organization, Chinese Parent Organization and the Mustang African-American Awareness Club.

In addition to the academic curriculum, MRHS provides many co-curricular and extracurricular activities, including its award-winning art, band, choir, dance and drama programs, Student Government Association, Class Boards and Leadership Council, It’s Academic, Math Team, World Language Clubs, Honor Societies and much more.

Marriotts Ridge High is working to improve all relationships among staff and students during break time called “Ridge Time” that allows every student to be known very well by at least one adult in the building. The R.I.D.G.E. focus stands for Relationships, Integrity, Dynamic, Growth, and Empowerment. Students meet with their Ridge Time teacher for 30 minutes every other week.

Fast Facts

Facility opened: 2005
Additions/Renovations
2002 (R/A), 2011 (A)
School Capacity: 1,615
Total Enrollment: 1,597
Official count 9/30/20

Ethnicity FY21
American Indian/Alaskan ≤5.0%
Asian 39.2%
Black/African American 10.0%
Hawaiian/Pacific Islander ≤5.0%
Hispanic/Latino ≤5.0%
White 42.3%
Two or more races ≤5.0%

Students Receiving Special Services FY20
Free/Reduced Meals 5.1%
English Learners ≤5.0%
Special Education ≤5.0%

2019 Graduation Rate: ≥95%*
*4-year adjusted cohort

Administrators:
Tammy Goldeisen, Principal
Shawn Hastings-Hauf, Asst. Principal
Tammy Jones-Foyles, Asst. Principal
Martin Vandenberge, Asst. Principal

Educational Partnerships: Alpha Phi Fraternity, Kappa Phi Lambda Chapter; Anthony Corrao Team of Long and Foster Real Estate, Inc.; Columbia (MD) Alumnae Chapter, Delta Sigma Theta Sorority Inc.; Glenwood Lions Club; Howard County Library, Glenwood Branch; Kiwanis Club of Ellicott City; Sport Clips, Turf Valley; The Council of Elders of the Black Community of Howard County; Trout Unlimited, Trout in the Classroom; West Friendship Volunteer Fire Dept.

Updated January 2021
Achievement Data

### MRHS Performance on State Tests*

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*State tests were not administered in FY20 due to the pandemic.

### Accomplishments

- ESSA 18 Team State Championships
- 18 Individual State Championships
- 55 County Championships
- 25 Regional Championships
- 7 consecutive Golf State Championships between 2012–18
- Named NIAAA Exemplary Athletic Program
- Athletic Director Chris Reagle, named "40 under 40 in High School Athletics" by Coach and AD magazine, 2019
- Ravens Football coach of the week, Marcus Lewis, 2019
- Mark Dubbs named Maryland Golf coach of the year by MPSSAA and NFHS Maryland Golf Coach of the Year, 2018
- Recent State Champions – Field Hockey, Cheer, Golf, Boys lacrosse (2018), Tennis
- Recent County Champions – Golf, Cheer, Boys Lacrosse, Girls Lacrosse, Baseball, Softball, Girls Soccer, Tennis, Football
- Honorable mention–MD State Wrestling Association–All academic team, 2018
- 50+ students at All State Music Festival
- 4 time State Championship Marching Band
- Multiple students selected for NafME All-Eastern and All-National Ensembles
- Multiple Students selected for National Youth Orchestra
- 2 students selected for All County Dance Ensemble, 2019
- ESSA (Every Student Succeeds Act) ranked #2 in county; #4 in state. Earned a 5 star rating, 2018
- U.S. News and World Report – ranked #6 high school in state, 2018
- National Merit Scholarship: 7 semifinalists and 18 commended, 2018
- Howard County Solo & Ensemble Festival – 52 superior ratings, 2018
- Prudential Spirit of Community Award, 2018
- Science Olympiad – 5th place overall at regionals, 2018
- National medals in Scholastic Art and Writing Competition, 2018
- Winner of American Association of Teachers of German Award, 2018
- Winner of the Elijah Cummings Congressional App Challenge, 2018
- Maryland Foreign Language Association Visual Arts Contest winner, 2018

### SAT Scores and Participation†

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† Senior class only

State accountability information can be accessed at [http://reportcard.msde.maryland.gov/](http://reportcard.msde.maryland.gov/)

### Special Programs

- Academic Life Skills
- Active Minds
- Alpha Achievers
- Best Buddies
- Black Student Union
- Bollywood Dance Team
- Brains and Bodies at Work
- Career Research and Development
- Child Development Academy
- Delta Scholars
- ESOL
- Future Business Leaders of America
- Future Educators Assoc.
- Girl Up Club
- GT/Intern Mentor/Independent Research
- It's Academic Team
- Mustangs in Conversation
- Ninth, Tenth, and Eleventh Grade Teams
- Peer Tutoring
- Ridge Time
- She++ Club
- United Voices Club

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