



# MITCHELL Jr/Sr HIGH SCHOOL PROFILE



Mitchell Jr/Sr High School  
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## School and Community

Mitchell is a class C1 school located in the Western Panhandle of Nebraska. Mitchell has a population of 1,702 and is located 11 miles west of Scottsbluff and 14 miles east of the Wyoming border. Mitchell High School is a comprehensive high school with college prep, liberal arts, and vocational prep programs of study. Student enrollment includes 210 students in grades 9-12.

## School Ethnic Population

Caucasian – 76.4% Hispanic – 20.6%  
Native American – 1% African American – 2%

## Post High School Intentions - Class of 2013

18.8% - Four-year College/University  
58.4% - Community College/Trade-Tech School  
26.4% - Military, Work Force, Other

## Accreditation

Mitchell High School is accredited by the Nebraska Department of Education and the North Central Association of Colleges and High Schools.

## Administration

Kent Halley .....Superintendent  
Heath Peters..... Principal  
Chad Kenworthy..... Athletic Director

## Graduation Requirements (Grades 9 - 12)

Minimum credits - A total of 260 credits.

Course Requirements:

1. English – 40 Credits (4 years-includes Speech requirement)
2. Social Studies – 40 credits (4 years-includes Geography, World History, American History and American Government requirement)
3. Mathematics – 40 Credits (4 Years)
4. Science – 30 Credits (3 Years- includes Earth Science and Biology requirement)
5. Fine Arts – 20 Credits (2 years of Art, Chorus, Band, or Foreign Language)
6. Physical Education – 20 Credits (2 Years-includes 9<sup>th</sup> PE/Health requirement)
7. Business – 20 Credits (2 years-includes Business Information Technology Applications I and Personal Finance requirement)

Mitchell High School offers a 4½ day week with 9-periods each day lasting 45 minutes each period, except on Fridays. Friday classes last 30 minutes. There are 18 weeks in a semester and 36 weeks in the school year. Selected classes are offered during summer school.

Semester grades are figured on a 9- and 18-week cumulative progress report. Final grades are recorded on the 18-week report card (end of a semester).

## Grading Scale

This system is to be used by the teachers in the evaluation of student achievement.

		Conversion Table for New Transfer Students	
94-100	A	A+ = 98	C+ = 84
86-93	B	A = 96	C = 82
78-85	C	A- = 94	C- = 78
70-77	D	B+ = 92	D+ = 76
69	F	B = 90	D = 70
TF	Technical Failure	B- = 86	F = 69

## Determination of Valedictorian/Salutatorian

The Valedictorian and Salutatorian at Mitchell High School will be determined by overall GPA of a student over the course of eight semesters from grades 9-12. The students overall percentage grade is broken down to the hundredth to determine the Valedictorian and the Salutatorian each year.

## Counseling Office

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