

Glendale High School has existed since 1963 on forty acres in southeast Springfield, Missouri, a city of 151,000 located on I-44. We enjoy a diverse academic program, which meets the needs of the entire student population including gifted students and special education students. A large percentage of Glendale graduates go on to post-secondary education. It is our goal to provide our students with many opportunities to realize their success. We believe all of our students have the opportunity to learn and succeed, and it is our goal to strive to that end.

- ◆ August-May school year
- ◆ Four 9-week terms
- ◆ Four-block system: One-credit class ends after 18 weeks, one half credit granted for each class each term, independently of any other term
- ◆ Summer school program offered



*\*This publication is a student created product of the 2009-2010 Marketing I classes.*

### Quick Stats:

- ◆ Enrollment: 1,350
- ◆ Graduation Rate: 89.7%
- ◆ National Merit Scholars
- ◆ Graduates Continuing Education: 86.7%
- ◆ Student to Teacher Ratio: 24:1
- ◆ Years of Experience (Prof. Staff): 13.9
- ◆ Professional Staff w/ Advanced Degrees: 69.8%
- ◆ Percent of Graduates Taking ACT: 68.9%



\*Glendale High School Freshman Activities Fair 2009

### GLENDALE HIGH SCHOOL

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#### MISSION:

TO PROMOTE EXCELLENCE IN ACADEMICS AND CHARACTER.

#### VISION:

STUDENTS WILL BE CHALLENGED TO REACH THEIR HIGHEST POTENTIAL.

## Southeast Springfield Community

### GLENDALE HIGH SCHOOL

*Home of the Falcons*

AND COMMUNITY OF SCHOOLS



*Principal: Dr. Matt Pearce*

- ◆ **Students earn college credit while in High School**
- ◆ **2008 - 2009 Glendale seniors earned \$4 MILLION in scholarships**
- ◆ **State and National recognition and qualifying for:**
  - Yearbook/Newspaper
  - Marketing & DECA
  - Speech & Debate
  - Swimming
  - Orchestra
  - Volleyball
  - Tennis
  - Golf
  - Choir
  - FBLA
  - Soccer
  - Bowling
  - Theater

## FEEDER ELEMENTARY SCHOOLS



*Bingham Elementary:* A place where we will work together for ALL students to learn and be the best they can be. Principal: Adam Meador  
Phone: 417-523-3400 <http://sps.k12.mo.us/ingham/>



*Cowden Elementary:* Our students to learn essential skills for their current and future success and to exhibit growth in academics and social behaviors. Principal: Cherie Newman  
Phone: 417-523-3500 <http://sps.k12.mo.us/cowden/>



*Field Elementary:* Developing creative, balanced inquirers who share a love of learning, a commitment to global responsibility, a respect for others, and a desire to take positive action in the world. Principal: Nancy Colbaugh  
Phone: 417-523-4800 <http://sps.k12.mo.us/field/>



*Hickory Hills Elementary:* The Hickory Hills community believes in high standards of teaching and high expectations for learning. Principal: Kelly Allison  
Phone: 417-523-7100  
<http://sps.k12.mo.us/hhills/about.htm>



*Pershing Elementary:* To provide instructional strategies to improve the academic achievement of our students in a caring environment. Principal: Natalie Cauldwell  
Phone: 417-523-2400  
<http://springfieldpublicschools.org/pershing/elementary/welcome.htm>



*Pittman Elementary:* The Pittman community is committed to excellence. We show what we know by being the best we can be. Principal: Laura Batson  
Phone: 417-523-4700  
<http://sps.k12.mo.us/pittman/>



*Sequoiata Elementary:* The Sequiata Community works together to empower self-regulated lifelong learners. Principal: Kristi Johnson  
Phone: 417-523-5400  
<http://sps.k12.mo.us/sequiata/#>



*Wilder Elementary:* Working together to provide a supportive learning environment. Principal: Jason Steingraber  
Phone: 417-523-5300  
<http://sps.k12.mo.us/wilder/aboutwilder.htm>

## GLENDALE HIGHLIGHTS

- ◆ BRAND NEW Science Classrooms & Labs
- ◆ Highest attendance rate in the district.
- ◆ Highest graduation rate in the district.
- ◆ A+ Program
- ◆ Rigorous Academic Curriculum:
  - Honor courses
  - Weighted classes
  - College Prep
  - Six levels of Foreign Language
  - Advanced Placement
  - Dual Credit
  - Engineering
- ◆ 24 Extra-Curricular Activities
- ◆ Industrial Tech: Project LEAD the Way
- ◆ National Award Winning Programs:
  - Quill, Glendale's School News Magazine
  - Theater
  - Speech and Debate
  - DECA (Association of Marketing Students)
  - Music Department: Choir and Orchestra
- ◆ 14 Different Sports
- ◆ State Qualifying Sports Teams:
  - Boys & Girls Swimming
  - Boys & Girls Soccer
  - Girls Volleyball
  - Bowling
- ◆ Feeder School Partnerships with:
  - Foreign Language
  - Orchestra
  - Marketing & DECA
  - Reading
- ◆ Community Partnerships:
  - Medical Explorers
  - Internships
  - Activity Sponsorships
  - Noteworthy PTA Organization

## FEEDER MIDDLE SCHOOLS

### *Hickory Hills Middle School:*

At Hickory Hills, the staff, students, and community prepare students to be productive citizens, promote life-long learning, collaborate in a cooperative and supportive manner, and strive to develop and maintain mutual standards that are consistent with high academic achievement.

Principal: Mr. Kelly Allison  
Phone: 417.523.7100  
<http://sps.k12.mo.us/hhills/>



- ◆ Recognized as a Top 10 Missouri school in both communication arts and math.
- ◆ Relocated in 2010 to a new \$20-million facility, which will be the first LEED-certified "green" school in southwest Missouri.

### *Pershing Middle School:* The mission of Pershing



School is to improve student achievement by using instructional strategies that promote critical thinking, cooperation, and personal awareness. Our challenge is "self-development through guided self improvement".

Principal: Dr. Natalie Cauldwell  
Phone: 417.523.2400

<http://springfieldpublicschools.org/pershing/middle/index.htm>

- ◆ "Pershing Middle School...is among the few public middle schools in Missouri to receive a distinguished GreatSchools Rating of 10 out of 10." ([www.greatschools.com](http://www.greatschools.com))

