Childcare and Preschool:

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SMU Child Care - [https://www.smu.edu/businessfinance/campusservices/childcare](https://www.smu.edu/businessfinance/campusservices/childcare)
Highland Park United Methodist Church Day School - [http://hpumcdayschool.weebly.com/](http://hpumcdayschool.weebly.com/)
The Community School of Park Cities - [https://www.community-school.org/](https://www.community-school.org/)
Merit Children’s Academy - [https://www.meritdallas.com/](https://www.meritdallas.com/)
Skillman Child Development Center - [https://skillmanchilddevelopmentcenter.org/](https://skillmanchilddevelopmentcenter.org/)
Christ Lutheran Preschool - [https://www.clpreschool.org/](https://www.clpreschool.org/)
Saint Christopher’s Montessori School - [https://www.scmsdallas.org/home](https://www.scmsdallas.org/home)
Moody Child Care Center - [https://moodychildcarecenter.org/](https://moodychildcarecenter.org/)
White Rock North School - [https://www.whiterocknorthschool.com/](https://www.whiterocknorthschool.com/)
Northaven Co-Operative Preschool - [https://northavencoop.com/](https://northavencoop.com/)
St. Andrew’s Presbyterian Church Children’s Center - [https://www.standrewsdallas.org/education/childrens-center/](https://www.standrewsdallas.org/education/childrens-center/)
Saint Rita Catholic School - [https://www.strita.net/](https://www.strita.net/)

**Grades K-4 (ages 5 through 9-10)** - Elementary Schools

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Saint Christopher’s Montessori School - [https://www.scmsdallas.org/](https://www.scmsdallas.org/)
St. Thomas Aquinas Catholic School - [https://www.staschool.org/](https://www.staschool.org/)
Christ the King Catholic School - [https://www.cks.org/](https://www.cks.org/)
Saint Rita Catholic School - [https://www.strita.net/](https://www.strita.net/)

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University Park Elementary - [https://up.hpisd.org/](https://up.hpisd.org/)
Lakewood Elementary - [https://www.dallasisd.org/lakewood](https://www.dallasisd.org/lakewood)
Grades 5-6 (ages 10-11 through 11-12)

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St. Thomas Aquinas Catholic School - [https://www.staschool.org/](https://www.staschool.org/)
Saint Rita Catholic School - [https://www.strita.net/](https://www.strita.net/)

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University Park Elementary - [https://up.hpisd.org/](https://up.hpisd.org/)
McCulloch Intermediate School - [https://mishpms.hpisd.org/](https://mishpms.hpisd.org/)
Mockingbird Elementary - [https://www.dallasisd.org/Page/2326](https://www.dallasisd.org/Page/2326)
Lakewood Elementary - [https://www.dallasisd.org/lakewood](https://www.dallasisd.org/lakewood)
Geneva Heights Elementary - [https://www.dallasisd.org/genevaheights](https://www.dallasisd.org/genevaheights)
McCulloch Intermediate School - [https://mishpms.hpisd.org/](https://mishpms.hpisd.org/)
Sam Tasby Middle School - [https://www.dallasisd.org/tasby](https://www.dallasisd.org/tasby)

Grades 7-8 (ages 11-12 through 13-14) Middle School

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Highland Park Middle School - https://www.hpisd.org/
Benjamin Franklin International Exploratory Academy - https://www.dallasisd.org/franklin
Sam Tasby Middle School - https://www.dallasisd.org/tasby

Grades 9-12 (ages 14-15 through 17-18) High School

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Highland Park High School - https://hs.hpisd.org/

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Emmett J. Conrad High School - https://www.dallasisd.org/Page/1944
Hillcrest High School - https://www.dallasisd.org/hillcrest