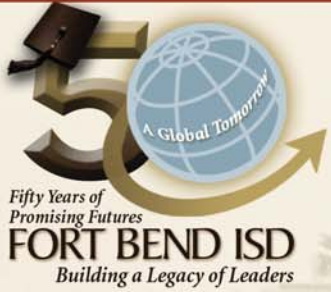


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The Missouri City Independent School District and Sugar Land Independent School District were consolidated by election on April 18, 1959, forming the Fort Bend Independent School District

1959

First year students attended newly formed Fort Bend ISD. There were seven schools including the current Lakeview Elementary

1960

Fort Bend has its first graduating class in 1960

Hawaii becomes 50th state

1961

John F. Dulles High School opens

Alan Shepard first American in space

1962

E.A. Jones Elementary opens



1963

Beatles American debut

President Kennedy assassinated

Dr. Martin Luther King march on Washington

1964

Briaridge Elementary & Edward Mercer Stadium open

1965

Dulles Elementary opens

1966

Quail Valley Elementary, Sugar Land & Missouri City Junior Highs open

1967

3M Post it Notes are invented

1968

Meadows & Ridgemont Elementaries open

1969

Blue Ridge Elementary & Louis P. Rodgers Memorial Auditorium open

1970

The first Earth Day

1971

The Fort Bend Area Career School is constructed (Tech. Ed. Center)

1972

Billie Jean King defeats Bobby Riggs in a tennis "Battle of the Sexes"

1973

Mission Glen & Highlands Elementaries & Christa McAuliffe Junior High open

1974

First Colony Junior High, Palmer & Hunters Glen Elementaries & Administration Building open

1975

Sugar Mill & Settlers Way Elementaries open

1976

William P. Clements High School opens

1977

John Lennon dies

1978

CNN debuts as first 24 hour news channel

1979

Ridgegate, Mission Bend & Colony Bend Elementaries open

1980

Michael Jackson's album Thriller is released

1981

Austin Parkway Elementary opens

1982

Barrington Place Elementary opens

1983

Colony Meadows & Mission West Elementaries & Teacher Media Center opens

1984

Fort Bend ISD Police Department formed

1985

Ronald E. McNair Auditorium, Walker Station Elementary, Lake Olympia Middle School & Lawrence E. Elkins High School open

1986

M.R. Wood School re-named to M.R. Wood Alternative Education Center & Fort Bend Career School re-named Technical Education Center

1987

Fort Bend ISD Education Foundation Founded

1988

Juan Seguin Elementary opens

1989

Lynn Armstrong & Jan Schiff Elementaries open

1990

Mary Austin Holley, Cornerstone & Rosa Parks Elementaries & David Crockett Middle School open

1991

William B. Travis High School, Billy Baines Middle School & Oakland Elementary open

1992

Hodges Bend Annex opens

1993

Scanlan Oaks Elementary, Buddy Hopson Field House & Kenneth Hall Stadium open

1994

Survivor debuts on television & the world survives Y2K

1995

9/11 attacks

1996

Barbara Jordan Elementary & Thurgood Marshall High School open

1997

Barack Obama becomes first African American President of US

1998

Swimmer Michael Phelps wins 8 gold medals in the Olympics

1999

Hurricane Katrina & Rita hit Gulf Coast

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YouTube debuts

2001

Hurricane Ike hits Gulf Coast

2002

Fort Bend ISD Celebrates 50th Anniversary

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70's

60's

80's

90's

2000's