

**School District:** Jayton-Girard ISD

**Superintendent:** Trig Overbo

**Region:** 17

**Location:**

Jayton-Girard ISD is located in Jayton, population 504, which is located in Kent County, population, 763. Kent County is located in west Texas between Lubbock and Abilene.



**Student Enrollment:** We serve 171 students Pre-K through 12<sup>th</sup> grade.

**School Campus Configuration:** We serve all grades under one roof.

**What are your district's points of pride?**

- We are tight knit community that reflects our student body
- Strong community support for all student activities
- UIL Academic District Champions 10 years in a row
- Student trips to New York, Hawaii, and Washington D.C.
- 2-time State Football Champions
- 2-time State Marching Band Champions

**What makes your school district/community unique?**

- Many of our staff and board members are alumni
- "Big Event" is an annual all school community service project
- School swimming pool where JGISD students swim for free
- Gym and Fitness Center open to students and public 24/7

**What challenges does your district face?**

- Since we are an isolated district, it is difficult attracting certified teachers
- Uncertainty of values with oil and gas
- Chapter 49 legislation