

Discover DECATUR



Fast Facts

County: Wise County
Population: Approx. 8,266 (2025)
Median Age: 38
Average Household Income: 73K
Housing: 74.6% own / 25.4% rent
Average Home Price: \$425K (2026)

Decatur, Texas is a vibrant Wise County community known for its rich history, friendly small-town atmosphere, and strong sense of local pride. Centered around its iconic 1896 Wise County Courthouse, the city blends historic charm with modern amenities, offering residents and visitors a thriving downtown square, diverse dining options, and numerous parks and recreation opportunities. With its deep agricultural roots, active community events, and convenient location along major highways, Decatur continues to grow while preserving the character and warmth that define this North Texas town.



Independence
Title

IndependenceTitle.com

Government/City

City of Decatur
 201 E. Walnut St.
 (940) 627-2741
 decaturtx.org

Alarm Permits
 decaturtx.org

Garbage & Recycling
 decaturtx.org

Municipal Court
 201 E. Walnut St.
 (940) 627-6256
 decaturtx.org

Voter Registration
 co.wise.tx.us

Vehicle Registration
 txdmv.gov

Texas DPS
 txdps.state.tx.us

Attractions

Decatur Conference Center
 2010 US-380, Decatur
 (940) 393-0280
 decaturconferencecenter.com

Caddo-LBJ National Grasslands
 1400 North U.S. 81/287
 fs.usda.gov/r08/texas/recreation/caddo-lbj-national-grasslands

Petrified Wood Gas Station
 904 South US-287
 decaturtx.com/life-in-decaturthe-petrified-wood-gas-station

Parks & Rec

decaturtx.org/177/Parks-Recreation

Harmon Park
 The park is an elaborate park with a massive play ground and 2 little league baseball fields. On the outside of the park is a small skate park.
 351 East Mill Street

Hollis & Sue Jones Park

A versatile sports complex that offers a wide range of amenities, including a basketball court, baseball fields, three covered and lighted pickleball courts, a concession stand, a disc golf course, a playground, public restrooms, a soccer/football field, a softball field, and a walking trail measuring 2,427 feet (0.46 miles).
 300 Decatur Country Club Road

Kenny Renshaw Park

Sitting just off South FM 51, Kenny Renshaw Park is the second largest park in Decatur and is designed with adult sports activities in mind, offering a variety of facilities including two concession stands, two soccer fields, two softball fields, a pavilion, a playground, a 3,263-foot (0.62-mile) walking trail, and an outdoor fitness court.
 2705 South FM 51

Louida "Big Mama" Willis Park

The park is a quiet $\frac{3}{4}$ -acre neighborhood space featuring a playground, sandbox, swing set, picnic tables, and benches—an ideal spot for kids to play and families to enjoy a picnic. The park honors Louida "Big Mama" Willis, a loving Christian woman and dedicated advocate for equality and children, who raised six kids, helped organize the first all-female baseball team in 1961.
 400 North Arthur Street

Melba Doyle Park

The park is a sprawling park with shade trees and picnic tables. With the addition of a six basket Disc Golf Course, this park is perfect for picnics and family gatherings.
 1551 Melba Doyle Park Road

Wise County Veterans Memorial Park

The park is lined with brick pavers that hold the names of 1,500 veterans and allowing up to 7,000 names to be permanently honored. In the center of the park is an eternal flame that signifies the price that must be paid for our freedoms.
 405 N. Trinity St.

Schools

Decatur ISD
 307 S Cates St, Decatur
 940-393-7100
 decaturisd.us