



ALAMO HEIGHTS HIGH SCHOOL

2023-2024 SCHOOL PROFILE

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ACCOLADES

* Unified Champion School

* 2021 Promising Practice Winner

* 2017 Best Small School District in Texas Award

* AHHS has earned numerous local and state accolades with athletics, fine arts, and UIL competitions.

THE COMMUNITY

AHISD serves the communities of Alamo Heights, Olmos Park, Terrell Hills, and a portion of north San Antonio. The district was founded in 1909 as a rural school district and became an independent school district in 1923.

Approximately 30,000 people currently live in the district, which covers an area of 9.4 square miles. One early childhood center, two elementary schools, one junior high school, and one senior high school accommodate the district's current enrollment of 4,965 students. The district has a diverse economic base, with much of the student body coming from upper-middle class homes, while approximately 25 percent of the students are economically disadvantaged.

THE SCHOOL

AHHS is a traditional four-year public high school that is known for its commitment to academic excellence with a curriculum that is primarily college preparatory.

ACADEMIC SCHEDULE

AHHS operates on block format where most classes (except Athletics and some electives) meet every other day. The school year is comprised of four 9-week terms.

Enrollment: 1635

12th: 420	11th: 396
10th: 398	9th: 421

Demographics

Am. Indian 2%	Asian 4%
Black 3%	Hawaiian/Pacific 0.5%
White 54%	Hispanic 40%
Eco Dis 17%	

CURRICULUM

AHHS features a multi-level curriculum options for students.

Advanced Placement and Advanced (Honors) courses are offered in English, Math, Science, Social Studies, Computer Programming, World Languages, and Fine Arts. Dual Credit is offered in English and Spanish through Alamo Community Colleges. OnRamps, another dual enrollment option through UT-Austin is offered in Physics.

GRADING SYSTEM

Grade Point Average (GPA) is calculated on a 100-point scale with additional points (1.1 multiplier) awarded to passing Advanced (Honors), Advanced Placement, and Dual Enrollment semester grades. Failing grades do not receive the multiplier. All courses are calculated into GPA except courses taken prior to 9th grade, courses taken abroad (with the exception of DoD schools), correspondence /online courses, pass/fail grades, summer courses taken outside AHHS, night classes, and credit by exams. Only weighted GPAs are reported on transcripts. AHHS will accept all grades from transfer students and include the weighted points for any honors level class offered at AHHS. Transfer grades are recorded using the numerical equivalent from the AHHS grading guidelines.

ENDORSEMENTS, ELECTIVES, & CLUBS

All AHHS students begin with a Multidisciplinary endorsement that requires students to take four years in each of the four core content areas. In addition to a 4x4 core course selections, students may opt into other endorsement areas such as Arts & Humanities, Public Service, STEM, or Business & Industry. AHHS is growing with elective options for students. Some more of the popular programs include Business Incubator, Rocketry, Culinary Arts, Peer tutoring, and Fashion Design. School clubs range from JSA, FBLA, Interact, NHS, STUCO, Unified/Special Olympics Club, Young Republican/Democrats to the more diverse Biking, Bowling, Girls Who Code, Be the Change, Ping Pong, Social Justice and Me, LGBTQ, & Multicultural clubs.

COLLEGE ATTENDANCE

Below is an abbreviated list of colleges attended over the past 5 years

Ablene Christian University-TX	School of the Art Institute of Chicago-IL
American University of Paris-FRA	Sewanee The Univ of the South-TN
American University-DC	Southern Methodist University-TX
Arizona State University	Southwestern University-TX
Auburn University-AL	St. Mary's University-TX
Augustana College-IL	Swarthmore University-PA
Augustana University-SD	Syracuse University-NY
Austin College-TX	Texas A&M University
Baylor University-TX	Texas Christian University
Belmont University-TN	Texas Lutheran University
Claremont McKenna College-CA	Texas Tech University
College of Charleston-SC	Trinity University-TX
Colorado College	Tulane University-LA
Colorado State University	U.S. Military Academy-NY
Cornell University-NY	University of Alabama
Dartmouth College-NH	University of California Los Angeles
Davidson College-NC	University of Chicago-IL
DePaul University-IL	University of Colorado Boulder
Drake University-IA	University of Georgia
Duke University-NC	University of Houston-TX
Eckerd College-FL	University of Kansas
Embry Riddle Aero. Univ-AZ/FL	University of Mississippi
Emerson College-MA	University of Nebraska
Fashion Institute of Tech-NY	University of Nevada Las Vegas
The George Washington Univ-DC	University of North Carolina
Georgetown University-DC	University of North Texas
Georgia Institute of Tech-GA	University of Oklahoma
Grinnell College-IA	University of Pennsylvania
Indiana University	University of San Francisco-CA
Lewis & Clark College-OR	University of South Carolina
Louisiana State University	University of South Dakota
Loyola Marymount University-CA	University of Southern California
Marquette University-WI	University of Tampa-FL
Massachusetts Institute of Tech.	University of Texas-Arlington
Middlebury College-VT	University of Texas-Austin
Millsaps College-MS	University of Texas-Dallas
Montana State University	University of Texas-San Antonio
New York University	University of the Incarnate Word-TX
Northeastern University-MA	
Northern Arizona University	
Occidental College-CA	
Oklahoma State University	
Olin College of Engineering-MA	
Pennsylvania State University	
Pepperdine University-CA	
Pratt Institute-NY	
Princeton University-NJ	
Rhodes College-TN	
Rice University-TX	
Savannah College of Art & Design-GA	

ADVANCED PLACEMENT COURSES

English Language	English Literature
Environmental Sci	Comp Sci Princ
Studio Art/2D/3D	Biology
European History	Chemistry
Physics C	Calculus AB /BC
French Language	Latin
Psychology	World History
Human Geography	US History
Spanish Language	Spanish Literature
US Government	Macroeconomics
Statistics	Music Theory

ADVANCED (HONORS) COURSES

English I/II	Human Geography
Biology	World History
Chemistry	US History
Physics	Latin
Algebra I/II	Computer Prog
Geometry	French I/II/III
Pre-calculus	Spanish I/II/III

GRADUATION PROFILE

Curriculum	Distinguished Req
English	4 credits
Math*	4 credits
Science	4 credits
Social Studies	4 credits
World Lang	2 credits
Fine Art	1 credit
Physical Educ	1 credit
Health	0.5 credit
Speech	0.5 credit
Electives	5 credits

* Advance math course must include Algebra 2 or higher

GRADING SCALE

A= 90-100 | B= 80-89 | C= 70-79 | F= Below 70

Class of 2023 GPA Breakdown

Top 10%- 102.12	1st Quarter - 98.30
2nd Quarter - 93.89	3rd Quarter- 89.27

2023 TESTING PROFILE

SAT AVERAGES

	AHHS	TX	Natl
TOTAL	1173	1060	1060
EBRW	587	533	533
MATH	586	535	525

ACT AVERAGES

	AHHS	TX	Natl
Comp	24.8	20.1	20.1
English	24.1	19.5	19.6
Reading	25.7	21.1	20.9
Math	24.2	20.4	19.9
Science	24.6	20.6	20.4

PSAT AVERAGES

	AHHS	TX
TOTAL	1057	1010
EBRW	538	468
MATH	520	461

NATIONAL MERIT RECOGNITION

	2022
Finalist	2
Semifinalist	2
Commended	9
Hispanic Scholars	32
African American	3
Indigenous	2

ADVANCED PLACEMENT

	2022
AP Scholars	90
AP Scholars/Honors	42
AP Scholars/Distinction	79

POST-SECONDARY ENROLLMENT

	2023
Class Size	389
Four Year	73%
Two Year	22%
Trade	1%
Military	2%



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