

South High School

South High School is Waukesha's oldest high school, long known for its outstanding educational programming.

When South High School opened its doors December 2, 1957, it was known as Waukesha High School's South Campus. From 1957 to 1974 it housed all the district's juniors and seniors, while freshman and sophomores attended Central Campus, now Les Paul Middle School. With the completion of North High School in 1975, South Campus became a 10-12 high school and was officially named South High School. It is now home to 9th through 12th graders.

South High School was built on a 35 acre hillside location at 401 E. Roberta Ave. In addition to the original structure, additions were built in 1967, 1978, 1983, and the pool expansion completed in 2005.

The 1,460 students are served by 131 well-qualified staff members whose talents and abilities provide a good balance of structured discipline and adventurous learning experiences.

The comprehensive curriculum provides opportunities for all students to succeed. Offered are 10 cooperative/internship education programs and nearly 200 course selections with advanced courses in art, business, foreign language, family and consumer economics, industrial education, language arts, mathematics, music, science, social studies, and information technologies. A bilingual program serves nearly 275 students.

There are exceptional student service supports including school counselors, a school social worker and school psychologist.

Opportunities for school involvement are great with 22 sports and 24 extracurricular groups offered to South students.

Over 60 percent of South's graduates go on to a four-year college and 20 percent go on to a two-year college. About 15 percent attend trade or proprietary schools

and the remaining enlist in military service or directly enter the work world.

As a group, South students consistently score above national and state averages in college admissions tests.

Waukesha South is also home to the Waukesha Academy of Health Professions which began in the fall of 2004 and the Waukesha Engineering Preparatory Academy which started in the fall of 2007.



The Waukesha Academy of Health Professions is

intended for students who are interested in allied health and medical careers and has 169 students currently enrolled. This charter school offers exclusive educational opportunities for students in Waukesha and the surrounding counties who wish to pursue an education that will prepare them specifically for post-secondary opportunities in health-related fields, whether at a four-year college or two-year technical school. The academy provides a rigorous curriculum, focusing on academic skills in health occupations and in science and math courses required for health and medical professions.



The Waukesha Engineering Preparatory Academy currently has 152 students. The engineering students

take some classes with the rest of their peers at South in addition to specialized courses exclusive to their academy, including physics, geometry, technical writing and computer courses focused on engineering skills. They also have more opportunities to participate in mentoring and internship activities.

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GRADUATION REQUIREMENTS

A total of 25 credits are required for graduation.

- 4.0 credits of English
- 3.5 credits of Social Studies
- 3.0 credits of Science
- 3.0 credits of Math
- 1.5 credits of Physical Ed
- .5 credit of Health
- 9.5 credits of electives
- .5 credit of Online Class for the graduating class of 2017 forward

Weighted Courses

AP Art History	AP Calculus I	AP Psychology
AP Art Portfolio	AP Calculus II	AP U.S. History
AP English 11 & 12	AP Statistics	AP Economics
AP Music Theory	AP World History	AP Government & Policies
AP French V	AP Biology	AP Physics
AP German V	AP Chemistry	AP Spanish V

Guidelines

<u>Numeric Values</u>	<u>Grade Point Values</u>	<u>Weighted Grade Point Values</u>
A+=99-100	A+=4.3	A+=5.33
A =95-98	A =4.0	A =5.0
A- =93-94	A- =3.67	A- =4.67
B+=91-92	B+=3.33	B+=4.33
B =87-90	B =3.0	B =4.0
B- =85-86	B- =2.67	B- =3.67
C+=83-84	C+=2.33	C+=3.33
C =79-82	C =2.0	C =3.0
C- =77-78	C- =1.67	C- =2.67
D+=75-76	D+=1.33	D+=1.33
D =72-74	D =1.0	D =1.0
D- =70-71	D- =0.67	D- =0.67
F =0-69	F =0	F =0