

GAINESVILLE HIGH SCHOOL

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Gainesville High School is a comprehensive four-year high school located in Gainesville, Georgia, a community of 200,000 residents located 50 miles northeast of Atlanta. The school opened in 1892 and graduated its first senior class in 1894. GHS is part of an independent school district within Hall County with over 2350+ students enrolled in grades 9-12. It is deeply rooted in tradition and has flourished in its reputation as the flagship school of Gainesville and the surrounding Hall County area. The GHS academic program is organized on a yearlong schedule where students are able to earn 7 credits over the course of 2 semesters. Known for excellence in academics, athletics, and fine arts, Gainesville High School continues to build upon its legacy through rigorous AP, Dual Enrollment, and Work Based Learning courses along with 16 CTAE pathway programs. With more than 26 countries represented and 30 languages spoken, 22% of our student population is considered to be Multilingual Learners. Gainesville High School counts its diversity as one of its most notable strengths.

2,400 ENROLLED

63% Hispanic | 17.5% African American | 12.5% White
 4% Asian | 3% Other

HOME OF THE RED ELEPHANTS

Gainesville City School System

Superintendent: Dr. Jeremy Williams

Principal: Jamie P. Green

Assistant Principals: Pharalynn Brown, David Covington

Adrian Cromwell, Stacia Dillin, Adam Lindsey, Roberto Rivera, CJ Wilder

CEEB Code: 111385

1 of 20 City School Districts in GA

69% of Students Free/Reduced Lunch Eligible

Title I School

Accreditation: SACS

CLASS OF 2022 EST. PROFILE

507 Graduates
 50% Four Year Institutions
 22% Two Year Institutions
 1% Military
 10% Workforce
 11% Undecided

Top 10% of Class
 Average GPA: 4.04
 Total Hope Scholarship
 Recipients: 204

53 AP Scholar Designations
 17 AP Scholars w/ Distinction
 17 AP Scholars with Honor
 15 AP Capstone Diplomas
 9 AP Capstone Certificates

GRADUATION REQUIREMENTS

MINIMUM 23 CREDITS
 FOUR ENGLISH
 FOUR MATH
 FOUR SCIENCE
 THREE SOCIAL STUDIES
 THREE CTAE/WORLD LANG/FINE ARTS
 1 HEALTH/PERSONAL FITNESS
 FOUR ELECTIVES

9th-12th School Counselors

- Angela.Williams@gcssk12.net - 9th Grade
- Wendy.Teo@gcssk12.net - Last Names A-C
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GRADING AND GPA

| | A | B | C | F |
|---|---------------|--------------|--------------|-----------|
| COLLEGE PREP/UNWEIGHTED | 100-90 4.0 | 89-80 3.0 | 79-70 2.0 | 69-0 0 |
| ADVANCED PLACEMENT/DUAL ENROLLMENT/WEIGHTED | 4.5 | 3.5 | 2.5 | 0 |

Gainesville HS Rigorous Curriculum

Advanced Placement (24)

Biology
Calculus AB
Calculus BC
Chemistry
Computer Science Principles
Computer Science A
Macro Economics
English Lang & Comp
Environmental Science
Human Geography
Physics
Psychology
Research
Music Theory
Seminar
Spanish Lang & Culture
Spanish Literature
Studio Art
Drawing, 2D & 3D
Statistics
US Government
US History
World History

Honors Courses(21)

9th Grade Lit & Comp
American Lit and Comp
Biology
Chemistry
Chinese III
Chinese IV
Economics
Environmental Science
French III
French IV
GSE Algebra I
GSE Algebra II
GSE Geometry
Physics
Pre-Calculus
Spanish I
Spanish III
Spanish IV
US History
World Geography
World History

Dual Enrollment

There are approximately 275 students taking 338 Dual Enrollment segments through the University of North Georgia, Brenau University, Lanier Technical College, Toccoa Falls College, and Georgia Institute of Technology. GHS offers the following dual enrollment courses on campus: ENG 1101, ENG 1102, Math 1111, Political Science, Introduction to Public Speaking, Economics 1101, Intro to Medical Professions, Medical Terminology, and US History. During the 2021-2022 school year, a total of 510 dual enrollment credits were earned.

College Acceptances

Harvard University
Stanford University
University of Notre Dame

Alabama A&M University
Albany State University
Airforce Academy
Arizona State University
Art Institute of Atlanta
Art Institute of Houston
Augusta University
Auburn University
Aurora University
Benedict College
Berry College
Brenau University
Carson Newman University
Clark Atlanta University
Clayton State University
Clemson University
College of the Florida Keys
College of St. Benedict
Columbia College
Columbia College Chicago
Columbus State University
Concordia University
Converse College
Covenant College
East Tennessee State University
East State Georgia College
Eastern Kentucky University
Emmanuel College
Emory University
Florida Southern College
Florida State University
Fort Valley University
Full Sail University
Furman University
Garden City Community College
Georgia College & State University
Georgia Gwinnett College
Georgia Southern University

University of Pennsylvania
University of Southern California

Georgia Southwestern University
Georgia State University
Gwinnett Technical College
Hamilton College
Harris-Stowe State University
Howard University
Illinois College
Jackson State University
Keiser University
Kennessaw State University
Kentucky University
Lagrange College
Lanier Technical College
Lenoir-Rhyne University
Limestone University
Livingston College
Louisiana State University
Loyola University Louisiana
Mars Hill University
Medical Institute of North Georgia
Mercer University
Miles College
Montclair State University
Middle Georgia State University
Mississippi State University
North Carolina A&T University
North East Georgia Prep
North Georgia Tech
North Greenville University
Northeastern University
Oglethorpe University
Payne University
Piedmont University
Philander Smith College
Point University
Queens University of Charlotte
Radford University
Rochester Institute of Technology
Savannah College of Art and Design
Savannah State University

University of Georgia
Georgia Institute of Technology
Emory University

Sewanee: The University of the South
South Carolina State University
South Georgia State College
Spelman College
St. Johns University
Stetson University
Tennessee State University
Trinity Washington University
Truett McConnell University
University of Alabama- Tuscaloosa
University of Central Florida
University of Colorado
University of Georgia
University of Miami
University of Mississippi
University of North Georgia
University of South Alabama
University of South Carolina- Columbia
University of South Florida
University of Virginia
University of West Georgia
Valdosta State University
Valparaiso University
Voorhees College
Wake Forest University
Washington & Jefferson College
Washington State University
Western Carolina University
West Georgia State University
Wingate University
Xavier University
Young Harris College

