

EDINA HIGH SCHOOL

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2022-2023

Four-year public high school, Grades 9-12

Enrollment: 2,745

Size of Senior Class: 695

School year: Two semesters

Memberships: College Board and
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CURRICULUM

A comprehensive curriculum of 140+ courses emphasizes preparation for college. Besides extensive offerings in English, mathematics, social studies and sciences, study in four languages is offered: six years of French and Spanish, five in Latin, five years in Chinese and three years in American Sign Language (ASL). One notable exception: approximately 40 French students in ninth grade have been part of our Immersion program since kindergarten; as sophomores, they will take Diverse Francophone World. As juniors, they'll take AP French Language & Culture. As seniors, they all have an opportunity to take French Culture in the Modern World.

For complete descriptions of all courses:

ehs.edinaschools.org/learning/course-registration

Edina students have numerous opportunities for enriched (accelerated/honors) or AP courses.

AP COURSES (25 total)

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| ♦Biology | ♦Latin V |
| ♦Calculus AB | ♦Physics |
| ♦Calculus BC | ♦Psychology |
| ♦Chemistry | ♦Spanish Language and Culture |
| ♦Chinese Language and Culture | ♦Statistics & Trigonometry |
| ♦Comparative Government | ♦Studio Art 2D |
| ♦Computer Science | ♦Studio Art 3D |
| ♦Computer Science Principles | ♦United States Government |
| ♦Economics (Micro/Macro) | ♦United States History |
| ♦Environmental Science | ♦United States Literature and Language |
| ♦European History | ♦World History |
| ♦French Language & Culture | ♦World Literature and Language |
| ♦Human Geography | |

ENRICHED (ENR) COURSES (10 total)

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| ♦Biology | ♦Pre-AP French Language & Culture |
| ♦Chemistry | ♦French IV |
| ♦College Algebra | ♦Physics |
| ♦Pre-AP English 9 | ♦Sociology |
| ♦Pre-AP English 10 | ♦Spanish IV |

CONCURRENT ENROLLMENT

College credit-bearing courses taught at Edina High School

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| ♦College Algebra | ♦Latin IV |
| ♦Trigonometry | |

POST SECONDARY ENROLLMENT OPTION

In addition, 11th and 12th grade students may also complete graduation requirements by taking course work, funded by the state, at Minnesota public and private colleges. Seventy-five plus students designated as PSEO on their transcript, are enrolled in this program on a full or part-time basis for the 2022-2023 school year.

COMMUNITY

Edina is both a small city, population 52,215 and a suburban, residential community on the southwest edge of Minneapolis. With a high percentage of college graduates, most parents are employed in professional and managerial positions.

FACULTY

Of the 170 certified faculty members, 90 percent have earned master's, specialist or doctoral degrees - 20% of are National Board Certified.

GRADUATION REQUIREMENTS

The Board of Education requires a minimum of 43 credits in grades 9-12. Requirements for the class of 2023 are:

- ♦**English**-Four years, including one year of literature
- ♦**Health**-One semester; **Physical Education**-Two semesters
- ♦**Math**-Three years, at least through Algebra 2
- ♦**Science**-Three years, including Biology and at least two additional credits in Physics or Chemistry
- ♦**Social Studies**-One year of U.S. History, one year of Government, one semester of Economics, and one year of either World History or European History. The state geography requirement is satisfied through a year of U.S. History and either a year of World History or European History.

EXTRACURRICULAR ACTIVITIES

Besides the formal curriculum, Edina students are engaged in many co-curricular activities at our school. Surveys show approximately 85% of our high school students take part in these activities. One in three takes one or more leadership roles. Edina offers a wide array of opportunities including athletics, debate, music, publications, student government, theater, and clubs ranging from art to foreign language to math. The Community Service Letter is an award earned by students who go above and beyond when it comes to serving others. In 2022, 109 students earned a letter in community service.

DECILE RANK

By Board policy, Edina High School High School will not rank students, but will provide a grade distribution chart by deciles. Decile rank is determined by deciles, that is, groups of ten percent of the senior class. With a senior class of 655 students, or example, the first decile includes approximately the top 65 student GPA's. The second decile contains the next ten percent and so forth.

GRADING SYSTEM

A = 4	C+ = 2.3	D- = .67
A- = 3.67	C = 2	F = 0
B+ = 3.3	C- = 1.67	P = Pass
B = 3	D+ = 1.3	NG = No Grade
B- = 2.67	D = 1	NC = No Credit

*AP Courses are weighted 1.2

RECENT TEST SCORES

ACT - AMERICAN COLLEGE TEST (CLASS OF 2021)

Number of seniors taking the test: 515

Percent of the class: 78%

ACT	English %	Math %	Reading %	Science Reasoning %
33-36	21	12	26	16
28-32	19	18	23	17
24-27	23	32	16	28
20-23	21	18	24	27
16-19	11	17	7	10
13-15	5	2	3	1
0-12	1	0	1	0
Mean Scores	25.9	24.9	27.0	25.7

The average ACT score was 26.0

Note: According to ACT, the percentage of Edina students ready for college level course work was twice as high as the typical Minnesota High School graduate.

SAT REASONING TEST (2021-2022)

Number of seniors taking the test: 63

Percent of the class: 9.7%

SAT Reasoning	Mean
Evidence Based Reading & Writing	646
Math	645
Total Score	1291

ADVANCED PLACEMENT PROGRAM

School Year	Students	Tests	% of Scores 3+
2021-22	987	1,908	83.08%
2020-21	1,141	2,248	76.69%
2019-20	1,179	2,218	86.68%
2018-19	1,268	2,488	86.12%
2017-18	1,259	2,466	87.61%

ADVANCED PLACEMENT SCHOLARS

Number of Scholars: 445 Average Score: 3.94

2022 School Year	# of Students	Average Score
AP Scholars	145	3.32
AP Scholar with Honor	91	3.73
AP Scholars with Distinction	209	4.23

NATIONAL MERIT SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM

	2023	2022	2021	2020	2019
Semifinalists	12	10	25	19	17
Commended Students	20	24	22	20	30
Percent of Entire Class	4.60%	5.23%	7.18%	5.57%	6.71%

POST-SECONDARY PLANS CLASS OF 2022

Four-year Colleges/Universities 85%

• 61.5% Public, 38.5% Private

• 38.5% Minnesota, 61.5% Out-of-State

Community Colleges/Technical Colleges 10.5%

Gap Year 1.5%

Military5%

Other/Employment 2.5%

Graduates will attend 180 different Colleges and Universities in 2022-2023

HONORS AND AWARDS

- ♦ U.S. Department of Education National School of Excellence.
- ♦ Five Star School (highest rating possible) designated by the Minnesota Department of Education.
- ♦ U.S. News ranked EHS in Top 5 Minnesota public, non-charter schools
- ♦ #1 Best College prep high school in Minnesota (Niche)
- ♦ 2020 EHS in top 500 of America's Best STEM High Schools by Newsweek
- ♦ #1 in Minnesota for sending students to elite colleges (Polaris list)
- ♦ Student publications include *Images*, our literary arts magazine, *Zephyrus*, our student newspaper, and *Whigreen*, our yearbook. Each of these publications has won state and national awards from organizations such as Columbia Scholastic Press Association, Journalism Educators of Minnesota, National Scholastic Press Association and the Minnesota High School Press Association. Students are selected for *Whigreen* and *Zephyrus* through a competitive process.
- ♦ Comprehensive music program features Concert, Symphonic, Varsity, Marching and Pep Bands; Symphonic, Chamber and Philharmonic orchestras; Concert Choir, Varsity, Men's and Bel Canto Choir. Small groups include jazz ensembles, chamber choirs, solo and ensemble contest participation. The Concert Choir, Concert Band and Orchestra have earned superior ratings from the Minnesota State High School League for decades. The Minnesota String and Orchestra Teachers Association (MNSOTA) recognized Edina Public Schools' (EPS) orchestra program with the 2017 Meritorious Orchestra Program Award.
- ♦ 196 state athletic championships - #1 among 500 members of the Minnesota State High School League.
- ♦ Over 50 sports, activities and academic teams
- ♦ Edina's athletic program is ranked 8th in the nation by Sports Illustrated Magazine. The ranking is done once a decade and recognizes all-around achievement over a 10-year period
- ♦ The Green Machine, Edina's robotics team, received the highest award in competition at the national FIRST Robotics Competition in 2019.
- ♦ Award winning Model United Nations and DECA teams
- ♦ Leadership Opportunities: Student Council, Student Senate, 212 Leadership, Mosaic and Hornet Mentors
- ♦ Unified Options include Physical Education, sports and theater.
- ♦ Over 50 student led clubs. Examples: Project Earth, Interact Club, Computational Linguistics Club, Say Hey Hornet Boosters

COUNSELING OFFICE CONTACTS

Assignment of students to counselors is done by team in 9th grade and alphabetically in grades 10-12 as indicated on the top corner of the reverse side. Besides the counselors listed on the front page, two administrative assistants serve the department. Mrs. Nancy Knutson (952) 848-3131 works with Nicole Plafcan, Susan Phetsamone, Erica Landers and Dylan Hackbarth. Ms. Allison Du Chateau (952) 848-3146 works with Lisa Burnham, Julie Block, Sandy Schmidt and Bradley Reichmuth. College representative visits may be scheduled in [RepVisits](#) at least two weeks in advance of the desired time.

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CLASSES OF 2018-2022 POST-SECONDARY PLANS

Alexandria Community & Technical College (1)	College of Saint Scholastica (8)	Gustavus Adolphus College (27)
American University (7)	College of the Desert (1)	Hamilton College (2)
Anoka Ramsey Community College (1)	College of the Holy Cross (1)	Hamline University (14)
Argosy University-Twin Cities (1)	College of William and Mary (1)	Hampshire College (1)
Arizona State University-Phoenix (1)	College of Wooster (3)	Harvard University (6)
Arizona State University-Tempe (26)	Colorado Christian University (1)	Harvey Mudd College (1)
ArtCenter College of Design (1)	Colorado College (6)	Hawaii Pacific University (2)
Auburn University (5)	Colorado Mountain College (1)	Hennepin Technical College (16)
Augsburg University (24)	Colorado School of Mines (2)	High Point University (3)
Augustana University, SD (5)	Colorado State University, Fort Collins (22)	Hillsdale College (1)
Aveda Institute Minneapolis (6)	Columbia College Chicago (4)	Hobart William Smith Colleges (1)
Bard College Berlin (1)	Columbia University in the City of New York City (6)	Hope College (1)
Barnard College (2)	Concordia College, Moorhead (5)	Howard University (1)
Bates College (1)	Concordia University - Seward (1)	Illinois Institute of Technology (1)
Baylor University (13)	Concordia University-Saint Paul (8)	Indiana University at Bloomington (36)
Beacon College (1)	Concordia University-Montreal (2)	Inver Hills Community College (1)
Belmont University (5)	Connecticut College (1)	Iowa State University (84)
Bemidji State University (5)	Cornell College, IA (5)	IPR College of Creative Arts (1)
Benedictine College (2)	Cornell University (6)	Irvine Valley College (1)
Bentley University (1)	Creighton University (42)	Itasca Community College (2)
Bethany Lutheran College (3)	Crown College (1)	Ithaca College (5)
Bethel University (23)	Dakota County Technical College (2)	Johnson & Wales University (1)
Bloomsburg University of Pennsylvania (1)	Dartmouth College (7)	Kalamazoo College (3)
Boise State University (2)	Davidson College (2)	Kent State University (1)
Boston College (19)	Denison University (5)	Kenyon College (2)
Boston University (8)	DePaul University (12)	Knox College (1)
Bowdoin College (6)	DePauw University (2)	Lafayette College (1)
Bradley University (1)	Dixie State University (1)	Lake Forest College (1)
Brandeis University (1)	Dougherty Family College at the University of Saint Thomas (13)	Lake Region State College (1)
Brigham Young University, Hawaii (1)	Drake University (11)	Lawrence University (8)
Brigham Young University, Idaho (2)	Duke University (10)	Lehigh University (1)
Brigham Young University, Utah (3)	Dunwoody College of Technology (11)	Lewis & Clark College (6)
Brown University (6)	Durham University, UK (1)	Liberty University (1)
Bryn Mawr College (3)	Eastern Gateway Community College (1)	Long Island University-Brooklyn (1)
Butler University (9)	Eastern Michigan University (1)	Lorenzo Walker Technical College (1)
California Polytechnic State University-San Luis Obispo (9)	Edgewood College (1)	Louisiana State University (2)
California Baptist University (1)	Elon University (5)	Loyola Marymount University (2)
California Institute of Technology (3)	Embry-Riddle Aeronautical University (1)	Loyola University Chicago (31)
Calvin College (1)	Emerson College (2)	Loyola University New Orleans (1)
Cape Fear Community College (1)	Emory University (8)	Luther College (16)
Carleton College (19)	Empire Cosmetology (1)	Lynn University (1)
Carleton University (1)	Fairfield University (1)	Macalester College (19)
Carnegie Mellon University (3)	Fashion Institute of Design & Merchandising (2)	Marist College (2)
Carroll University (1)	Ferris State University (1)	Marquette University (19)
Carthage College (2)	Flagler College (1)	Marshall University (1)
Case Western Reserve University (3)	Florida Agricultural and Mechanical University (1)	Marymount Manhattan College (1)
Cedarville University (1)	Florida Atlantic University (2)	Massachusetts Institute of Technology (5)
Central College, IA (1)	Florida Gulf Coast University (1)	McGill University, Canada (5)
Century College (7)	Florida Institute of Technology (1)	Merrimack College (1)
Chapman University (5)	Florida Southern College (1)	Mesa Community College (2)
Chicago State University (1)	Florida State University (2)	Metropolitan State University (4)
City University of New York Queens College (1)	Fordham University (5)	Metropolitan State University of Denver (1)
Clark University (1)	Furman University (1)	Miami University, Oxford (39)
Clemson University (4)	George Washington University (5)	Michigan State University (9)
Cleveland State University (1)	Georgetown University (4)	Michigan Technological University (5)
Colburn Music Academy (1)	Georgia Institute of Technology (2)	Middlebury College (6)
Colby College (1)	Gonzaga University (8)	Milwaukee School of Engineering (3)
Colgate University (2)	Grand Canyon University (18)	Minneapolis College (23)
College of Charleston (1)	Grinnell College (2)	Minneapolis College of Art & Design (3)
College of Saint Benedict (19)		Minnesota State Community & Technical College-Fergus Falls (2)

CLASSES OF 2018-2022

POST-SECONDARY PLANS (CONTINUED)

Minnesota State Community & Technical College-Moorhead (1)	Saint Mary's University of Minnesota (2)	University of Houston (1)
Minnesota State University Mankato (18)	Saint Norbert College (2)	University of Illinois Chicago (2)
Moorhead (1)	Saint Olaf College (51)	University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign (3)
Montana State University, Billings (1)	Saint Paul College (3)	University of Iowa (31)
Montana State University (41)	San Diego State University (4)	University of Jamestown (2)
Mount Holyoke College (1)	San Francisco Conservatory of Music (1)	University of Kansas (30)
National University of Ireland Galway (1)	San Francisco State University (1)	University of Kentucky (2)
New England Conservatory of Music (1)	Santa Clara University (9)	University of Louisville (1)
New York Film Academy, FL (1)	Savannah College of Art & Design (2)	University of Maine (1)
New York University (9)	School of the Art Institute of Chicago (1)	University of Manitoba (1)
Normandale Community College (197)	Scottsdale Community College (1)	University of Maryland-College Park (2)
North Central University (3)	Scripps College (2)	University of Massachusetts-Amherst (2)
North Dakota State College of Science (1)	Seattle University (3)	University of Miami (4)
North Dakota State University (19)	Seton Hall University (1)	University of Michigan-Ann Arbor (20)
North Hennepin Community College (5)	Simon Fraser University (1)	University of Minnesota
North Iowa Area Community College (4)	Smith College (1)	Crookston (2)
North Park University (1)	South Dakota School of Mines and Technology (2)	Duluth (44)
Northeastern University (9)	South Dakota State University (1)	Morris (1)
Northern Arizona University (2)	Southern Methodist University (9)	Rochester (2)
Northern Michigan University (4)	Staffordshire University, England (1)	Twin Cities (441)
Northwestern Health Sciences University (1)	Stanford University (7)	University of Mississippi (3)
Northwestern Michigan College - Great Lakes Maritime Academy (1)	State University of New York at Albany (1)	University of Missouri
Northwestern University (18)	Stony Brook University (1)	Columbia (13)
Norwich University (1)	Swarthmore College (1)	Kansas City (1)
Oberlin College (3)	Syracuse University (5)	University of Montana (1)
Oberlin Conservatory of Music (1)	Tennessee State University (1)	University of Nebraska-Lincoln (26)
Occidental College (3)	Texas A&M University, Galveston (1)	University of Nebraska at Omaha (2)
Ohio University (1)	Texas Christian University (33)	University of New Hampshire at Durham (1)
Ohio Wesleyan University (1)	The Citadel (2)	University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill (3)
Oklahoma State University (1)	The King's College (4)	University of North Dakota (24)
Oregon State University (2)	The Ohio State University (3)	University of North Texas (1)
Pace University, New York City (1)	Trinity College (1)	University of Northern Iowa (2)
Parsons The New School of Design (1)	Trinity University (2)	University of Northwestern, MN (1)
Pennsylvania State University-Main Campus (6)	Tulane University of Louisiana (7)	University of Notre Dame (12)
Pepperdine University (1)	Union College (1)	University of Oregon (15)
Pitzer College (1)	United States Air Force Academy (3)	University of Pennsylvania (3)
Point Loma Nazarene University (2)	United States Military Academy, West Point (2)	University of Pittsburgh-Pittsburgh Campus (6)
Pomona College (1)	United States Naval Academy (2)	University of Puget Sound (10)
Post University (1)	Universal Technical Institute-Arizona (1)	University of Redlands (1)
Princeton University (4)	Universal Technical Institute-Orlando (1)	University of Richmond (3)
Providence College (2)	University College Dublin (1)	University of Saint Andrews, Scotland (3)
Purdue University-Main Campus (23)	University College London (1)	University of Saint Thomas (137)
Reed College (1)	University of Alabama (5)	University of San Diego (11)
Rensselaer Polytechnic Institute (3)	University of Arizona (13)	University of San Francisco (3)
Rhodes College (1)	University of British Columbia (1)	University of Sioux Falls (1)
Rice University (2)	University of California	University of South Carolina-Columbia (2)
Riverland Community College (1)	Berkeley (6)	University of South Florida-Main Campus (3)
Rochester Community & Technical College (2)	Davis (4)	University of Southern California (13)
Rochester Institute of Technology (1)	Los Angeles (8)	University of Southern Mississippi (1)
Rocky Mountain College (2)	Riverside (1)	University of Tampa (1)
Roger Williams University (1)	San Diego (5)	University of Tennessee-Knoxville (2)
Roosevelt University (2)	Santa Barbara (6)	University of Texas, Austin (2)
Rose-Hulman Institute of Technology (4)	Santa Cruz (5)	University of Toronto (5)
Rutgers University-New Brunswick (1)	University of Chicago (1)	University of Tulsa (1)
Saint Catherine University (12)	University of Cincinnati-Main Campus (2)	University of Utah (9)
Saint Cloud State University (6)	University of Colorado Boulder (30)	University of Vermont (7)
Saint Cloud Technical & Community College (1)	University of Connecticut (1)	University of Virginia-Main Campus (3)
Saint Johns University (30)	University of Dayton (4)	University of Washington-Seattle Campus (8)
Saint Lawrence University (1)	University of Denver (27)	University of Winnipeg (1)
Saint Louis University (3)	University of Dubuque (2)	University of Wisconsin
Saint Mary's College (1)	University of Florida (2)	Eau Claire (34)
	University of Georgia (4)	La Crosse (12)
	University of Greenwich (2)	Madison (136)
	University of Hawaii at Manoa (3)	Milwaukee (3)

CLASSES OF 2018-2022 POST-SECONDARY PLANS (CONTINUED)

University of Wisconsin (continued)	Wake Forest University (9)	Willamette University (1)
Oshkosh (1)	Washington & Lee University (1)	Williams College (3)
Platteville (1)	Washington State University (1)	Winona State University (15)
River Falls (11)	Washington University in Saint Louis (10)	Wichita State University (1)
Stevens Point (2)	Wellesley College (3)	Wofford College (1)
Stout (23)	Wentworth Institute of Technology (1)	Wyotech Institute (1)
University of Wyoming (2)	Wesleyan University (2)	Xavier University (4)
Ursinus College (1)	Western Illinois University (1)	Yale University (4)
Utah State University (1)	Western Michigan University (1)	Zaytuna College (1)
Utah Valley University (1)	Western Washington University (2)	
Vanderbilt University (3)	Westmont College (2)	As of July 1 of the graduation year.
Vassar College (1)	Wheaton College, Illinois (8)	
Vermilion Community College (1)	Wheaton College, Massachusetts (1)	
Villanova University (8)	Whitman College (4)	
Virginia Polytechnic Institute and State University (2)	Whittier College (1)	
	William & Mary (1)	

COVID-19 IMPACT OF LEARNING ADDENDUM

SPRING 2020

Distance Learning at Edina High School took place during the time period of March 16th through June 30, 2020, resulting from the COVID-19 pandemic. This is also noted on all student transcripts.

The Edina School Board passed a resolution to allow students the opportunity to change any passing grade from Semester 2, 2020 to a P ("Pass") on their transcript. Non-passing grades for Semester 2, 2020 are noted as NG ("No Grade").

2020-2021 SCHOOL YEAR

Edina High School offered two learning models for students, part-time live instruction via a hybrid learning model and a full-time online learning model.

- A hybrid model of learning is a weekly blend of in-school learning following strict safety guidelines, and at-home learning via technology.
- Full-time distance learning in the newly designed Edina Virtual Academy. This includes synchronous and asynchronous school days.

Again, the Edina School Board passed resolutions at the end of each semester to allow students the opportunity to change any passing grade to a P ("Pass") on their transcript. Non-passing grades for both semesters are noted as NG ("No Grade").

2021-2022 SCHOOL YEAR

Edina High School returned to full face-to-face, five-day-a-week instruction with COVID mitigation protocols in place including mandated masking.