



Juanita High School

Profile 2023-2024



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Ryan Malone - Associate Principal
Breck Ivy – Dean of Students

JHS COUNSELORS

Stefa Chow - (A-Ba + ML students)
Taylor Reuhl - (Be-Ci)
Hannah Sessions - (Cl-Ha)
Michelle Bainter - (He-Ma)
Christina Hunsberger – Dept Chair, (Mb-Sa)
Ines Bergman - (Sb-Z)

SUPPORT STAFF

Michelle Ruan - Registrar
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COMMUNITY

Juanita High School is located in a northeastern suburb of Seattle, Washington and is one of four comprehensive high schools in the Lake Washington School District (LWSD), encompassing suburbs of Redmond, Kirkland, and Sammamish. LWSD is proud to serve a growing and diverse community. With more than 30,500 students in 57 schools, LWSD moved from the sixth-largest school district in the state to the second largest in a period of just five years.

SCHOOL MISSION & VISION

Each student will graduate prepared to lead a rewarding and responsible life as a contributing member of our community and greater society. Every Student Future Ready.

CURRICULUM

Juanita High School is a four-year high school with an approximate total enrollment of 1,765 students. A class size limit of 32 exists for most class sections. Students have a number of courses levels from which to choose. Students can take advantage of Honors, Advanced Placement, Dual Credit (where a class has been accredited by a local college for both high school and college credit), full or part-time enrollment in Running Start (a dual enrollment program where college courses are taken at local community colleges), and the WANIC Skill Center (which offers year-long, advanced-level Career and Technical Education programs based on rigorous academic and industry standards). Students may enroll in as many AP/Honors classes as their high school schedule will accommodate. Juanita High School also houses the internationally recognized Cambridge program.

CLASS SIZE & RANK

The Class of 2024 includes 429 students. Juanita High School does not run rank.

GRADUATION REQUIREMENTS

Students must have a minimum of 24 credits, which must include the following required courses for the class of 2024:

Language Arts	4.0	World Language	2.0
Science	3.0	Physical Education	1.5
Mathematics	3.0	Health	0.5
Social Studies	3.0	CTE	1.0
Fine Arts	2.0	Electives	4.0
		Total	24.0

GRADING

During a typical school year, one-half credit is granted for satisfactory completion of each semester course that meets three periods per week for 50 minutes per period and one period per week for 78 minutes, for 18 weeks. A passing grade is a “D.” Beginning in the year 2020 to current, students who do not pass their class are assigned an “N” (No Credit). The letter grades A+, A- and D- are not grading options within the LWSD.

Due to COVID-19 schools closed during the second semester of the 2019-20 school year. Students learned asynchronously and LWSD adopted an A or Incomplete grading policy.

This is indicated on the transcript with an asterisk (*). During the 2020-21 school year, classes were held virtually. During virtual learning our current grading system was used. Grade Point Average is computed using semester grades for all high school level classes. N (No credit), S (Satisfactory), and P (Pass) marks are excluded from calculation of GPA. W (Withdraw) indicates the student did not complete the class.

Grade Points for GPA Calculation: (GPA is unweighted)

A	4.0	B-	2.7	C-	1.7
B+	3.3	C+	2.3	D	1.3
B	3.0	C	2.0	N	---

ADVANCED PLACEMENT COURSES (20)

Art
Art 2D
Biology
Calc AB
Calc BC
Chemistry
Computer Sci A
Computer Sci Principles
English Language
English Literature
Environmental Sci
Government
Japanese

Physics 1
Physics 2
Psychology
Spanish
Statistics
World History
US History

HONORS COURSES (3)

English 9
English 10
World History

CAMBRIDGE PROGRAM

In September 2010, Juanita High School became the second school on the West Coast to be approved to offer the Cambridge Assessment International Education Program. Cambridge enrollment is based on a district lottery. Students submit their names for the lottery in 8th grade and are randomly selected for this 4-year intensive course of study. The core curriculum, developed by Cambridge International, follows the syllabi of the IGCSE, AS and A level subject areas with the goal of attaining the internationally recognized AICE (Advanced International Certificate of Education) diploma. Students who complete four years of the program have the opportunity to earn British A Level credit for the following subjects: Biology, Chemistry, English Literature, History, and Mathematics. Over 90% of Juanita High Schools Cambridge students earn credit in AS or A Level exams and close to 100% earn IGCSE credit. More than 90% of our graduates have earned the AICE diploma. Our students have been recognized with the Top in the World (AS Global Perspectives and AS Mathematics) and Top in the USA (IGCSE-Biology, English, Physics, and A Mathematics) awards. Cambridge International A/AS Levels are accepted in universities throughout the world.

SCHOLASTIC ACHIEVEMENT 2022-2023

- ❖ 75% of 2023 graduates indicated they would be continuing their education after graduation.
 - 4 Year Universities/ Colleges - 58%
 - 2 Year Colleges - 11%
- ❖ JHS average SAT score for 2023:
 - Evidence-Based Reading & Writing – 654
 - Math – 657
- ❖ JHS mean composite ACT score for 2023: 28.4