



2023-2024

COMMUNITY-BASED ACCOUNTABILITY REPORT CENTRAL HIGH SCHOOL

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SURVEY DATA HIGHLIGHTS

87% of students report that their teachers at Central High School are respectful toward them.

94% of teachers at Central High School report that work is important to them.

94% of families at Central High School report that the school communicates well with them.

Based on 2023-2024 School Survey Data

CAMPUS INFO

Built: 1958

Renovated: 2008 Bond

Enrollment: 2,972

CAMPUS VISION

In pursuit of excellence

CAMPUS MISSION

The mission of Central High School is to engage all students in a relevant and inspiring education that produces future-ready graduates.

CAMPUS GOALS

- Central High School will develop campus support structures that positively impact student engagement and outcomes for all students.
- Central High School will cultivate trusting partnerships to support the hopes and dreams of our students and staff.
- Central High School will provide efficient safe and innovative learning spaces that promote student achievement



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ABOUT US

Mascots: Bobcats and Lady Cats

School Colors: Orange and Blue

Central High School originally opened in the fall of the 1958 school year. The open campus currently includes 18 different buildings to support the instruction of almost 3,000 students in grades nine through twelve. Students also participate in classroom activities on two satellite campuses which include the Oakes campus, formerly known as Edison Junior High, and the Central Freshman Campus (CFC), and the West Texas Training Center.

The campus has a rich learning environment. Career Technical Education (CTE) students can obtain technical dual credit through Howard College. SAISD currently offers 20 technical dual credit courses taught by Howard College instructors or SAISD employees who are certified adjunct faculty. Upon the successful completion of the CTE course, students will receive the technical dual credit designation on their high school transcript as well as their Howard College transcript. Some course sequences are designed for students to obtain their Certificate Level 1 through Howard College at the completion of the sequence. State-approved Industry Based Certifications are offered through our CTE Programs of Study. Students currently have the opportunity to become certified in many different areas, including Certified Nurse Assistant, Phlebotomy Certification, Adobe, Microsoft Office, Comp TIA, the American Welding Society, the Texas State Floral Association Knowledge-Based, and Level One Certification.

SAISD also offers advanced courses through both Advanced Placement courses and dual credit college courses to Central students who are ready to engage in college-level course content and rigorous academics. Courses are available in English, social studies, computer science, mathematics, science, languages other than English, and art. The advanced academics program offers college-level instruction to the academically successful high school student with the option of taking an Advanced Placement examination and possibly qualifying for college credit. AP students are expected to work at an accelerated pace and to engage in outside reading and independent learning. These courses focus on providing students with rigorous college-level academic instruction while preparing them for the AP exam associated with the course. Through partnerships with both Angelo State University and Howard College, San Angelo Central students have an opportunity to take college courses while still in high school and earn both college credit and high school credit simultaneously. Upon successful completion of the college course(s), Central will award credit for the appropriate high school course(s).

CLUBS & ORGANIZATIONS

Tex-Anns, FCCLA, DECA, FCA, Student Council, Cheerleading, Athletic Trainers, JROTC, The Mighty Bobcat Marching Band, Choir, Orchestra, Theatre, Speech and Debate, Texas Future Music Educators, UIL Academics, National Honor Society, Spanish Club, Key Club, Powerlifting, Health Science, Newspaper, Auto Mechanics, Metal Trades, FFA, OSET, Culinary Arts, Texas Association of Future Educators TAFE, Business Professionals of America BPA, Art Club, Floral Design



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AWARDS, RECOGNITIONS, HIGHLIGHTS

- Central Speech and Debate is the home to a nationally recognized speech and debate program.
- Bobcat Boys' Soccer team was the District 2-6A runner-up.
- Bobcat Girls' Soccer were Bi-District Champions.
- Bobcat Boys' Basketball team advanced to the playoffs for the first time in 13 years during the 2024 season.
- Bobcat Girls' Volleyball team were Bi-District Champions giving them their first playoff victory since the 2018-2019 season.
- Central High School is the home to a Texas Girls' Powerlifting state champion.
- Central High School Marching Band won a 1st Division in UIL Marching for the 13th year in a row.
- One student was named to the Texas All-State Band from the Mighty Bobcat Band.
- One student was named to the Texas All-State Choir from Central High School.
- The Central High School Choir included 30 All-State UIL qualifiers for the 2023-2024 school year.
- Sixty-nine students from the Central High School Band earned First Division in both Solo and Ensemble contests.
- The Central High School Boys' Gymnastics team placed 6th place at State.
- The Central High School Girls' Gymnastics team were District and Regional Champions and clinched their 14th state title.
- The Central High School Tennis team was the District 2-6A runner-up and Bi-District Champions in Fall team tennis. They went on to win Bi-District and Area before falling in the Regional Quarterfinal round.
- The Central High School Tennis won District Champions and Regional Quarterfinalists in Mixed Doubles in the Spring and sent one team to Regionals.
- Members of the class of 2024 from Central High School were awarded over \$1.5 million in scholarships.
- Seven artists from Central High School were awarded state accolades in the VASE competition.
- Eight Central High School Bobcat Band students were awarded All-State solo accolades. Six ensembles from the Bobcat Band participated in the All-State level.
- Thirty Central High School Choir students participated in the All-State Choir Solo Competition.
- Seven students from the Central High School Orchestra participated at the state-level solo and ensemble contest.
- Four students from the Central High School Theatre qualified for national awards during the 2023-2024 school year.
- Three Central High School students placed at the state level in academic contests which included Poetry, Ready Writing, and Spelling.
- Three students placed at the state level in the UIL Congressional Debate.

PARENT INVOLVEMENT OPPORTUNITIES

- PTO
- Central High School Booster Club
- Band Booster Club
- Tex-Ann Booster Club
- Orchestra Booster Club
- Speech and Debate Booster Club