



ATRISCO HERITAGE ACADEMY HIGH SCHOOL

SCHOOL PROFILE 2024 - 2025



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COMMUNITY

Atrisco Heritage Academy High School is one of the largest of 13 comprehensive public high schools in Albuquerque Public Schools (APS), the 34th largest school district in the United States. The school is located in the rapidly growing Southwest Mesa on 65 acres of land and is currently home to approximately 2,200 students. Visitors coming into Atrisco enter a 21st Century architectural design for learning and community engagement.

SCHOOL HISTORY

Atrisco Heritage is the newest high school in APS. Atrisco Heritage Academy opened its doors in 2008 with approximately 650 students. Each year another 9th grade class was added with 2012 being the year that we graduated our first senior class.

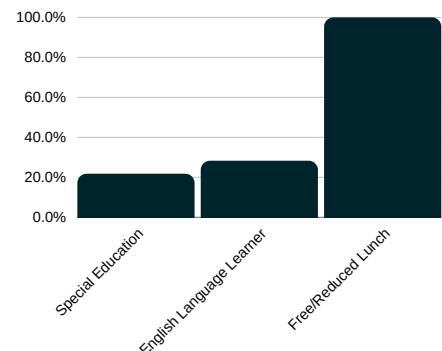
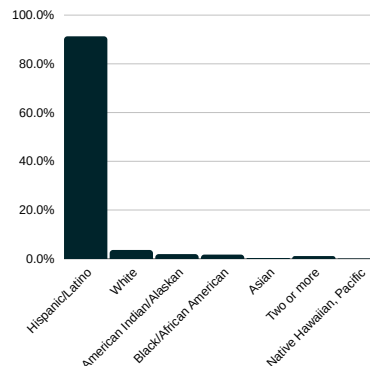
WEIGHTED CREDIT

All honors and AP courses are weighted by .025 per .5 credit earned. Weight is added to the flat GPA. There is no limit to the number of AP or honors classes a student may take.

CLASS RANK & GRADE POINT AVERAGE

Calculated on a 4.0 scale, based on course work completed in grades 9 - 12. Official ranking and final GPA are calculated at the end of the 8th semester.

DEMOGRAPHICS & SPECIAL PROGRAMS (2023 - 24)



Grading Scale:

A: 90% - 100% (4)

B: 80% - 89% (3)

C: 70% - 79% (2)

D: 60% - 69% (1)

F: 59% - or below

Lowest passing grade is 60%

Students earn 0.5 for each

semester passing grade



Graduation

Requirements: 25 credits

English: 4 credits

Math: 4 credits

Laboratory Science: 3 credits

Social Studies: 3.5 credits

Health: .5 credit

Physical Education: 1 credit

Electives: 9+ credits

CURRICULUM & PROGRAMS

Atrisco Heritage Academy High School offers rigorous college preparatory coursework, including thirteen Advanced Placement courses. Atrisco Heritage Academy is committed to maximizing student academic achievement.

DUAL CREDIT

Dual enrollment is available to students in grades 10 - 12, though the University of New Mexico (UNM) & Central NM Community College (CNM). Students can earn dual credit by taking these courses offered on our campus: Teacher Cadet/Educators Rising, Mexican American Studies, and AP Human Geography. Students may also take classes at Career Enrichment Center, which offers courses unavailable at traditional public high schools (e.g., additional AP courses, dual credit courses, nursing, pre-vet/pre-med science).

DUAL LANGUAGE & BILINGUAL

The goals for Atrisco Heritage Academy Bilingual Multicultural Education program is to provide opportunities for students to become biliterate, have grade level academic achievement and attain socio-cultural competence. A critical standard of Bilingual Multicultural Education programs is to ensure an equal educational opportunity for all students. Atrisco offers two Spanish Pathways to meet students need and interests as well as a French & Navajo Pathway. In addition to Language courses, Atrisco offers several content courses in Spanish, including Honors and AP options.

HONOR SOCIETY & AWARD REQUIREMENTS

To qualify for National Honor Society, students must maintain a 3.5 or higher GPA for at least three semesters. Academic Letters are awarded to students who have earned a 3.5 or higher GPA per semester for at least four semesters.

Advanced Placement Course Offerings

Art Studio

Calculus AB*

Computer Science Principals

English Literature & Composition

English Language & Composition

Government & American Politics*

Human Geography

Pre Calculus*

Seminar

Spanish Language & Culture

Spanish Literature & Culture

United States History*

World History*

*AP class is also available in Spanish

Interscholastic Athletic Programs:

Fall: Cross Country, Football, Golf, Soccer, Volleyball

Winter: Basketball, Cheerleading, Dance, Golf, Powerlifting, Swimming & Diving, Wrestling

Spring - Baseball, Softball, Tennis, Track & Field