

REDMOND HIGH SCHOOL

2023-2024 Profile

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Community

Redmond 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. One of the fastest growing areas in the state, the city of Redmond is largely a middle to upper class community, well known as a center of technology and the location for a number of nationally known high-tech and biomedical companies.

Curriculum

Redmond High School is a four-year high school with an approximate total enrollment of 2,400 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. While most AP classes are offered every year, several others are typically offered every other year.

Graduation Requirements

Students must have a minimum of 24 credits, which must include the following required courses for the class of 2023:

Subject	Credits Required
English	4
Math	3
Science	3
Social Studies	3
Health	.5
P.E.	1.5
Occupational	1
Fine Arts	2
World Language	2
Electives	4

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).

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.

Advanced Placement Classes

Art History
Biology
Calculus AB
Calculus BC
Chemistry
Computer Science Principles
Computer Science A
Microeconomics
Macroeconomics
English Lit/Comp
English Lang/Comp
Environmental Science
French
Gov't & Politics US
Japanese
Music Theory
Physics C
Psychology
Spanish Lang.
Statistics
2D Art and Design
3D Art and Design
US History
World History

Honors Classes

Algebra 2
Art 1
Drawing & Painting
Biology
Drawing and Painting
English 9
English 10
English 12
Pre-Calculus
World History 1
Biology

Class Size & Rank

The Class of 2024 includes 593 students. Redmond High School does not run rank.

Scholastic Achievement 2022-2023

- The class of 2023 had 19 National Merit Finalists and 50 National Merit Commended Students.
- In 2023, RHS Students took 2,014 AP exams in 31 subject areas with 88% earning a score of 3 or higher. The average student score on an AP exam was 4.0. In addition, RHS had 139 AP Scholars, 69 AP Scholars with Honors, and 203 AP Scholars with Distinction.
- Of the 288 Students in the class of 2023 who took the SAT, 85% met benchmark in both ERW and Math. The average mean total score was 1303.
- 90% of 2022 graduates indicated they would be continuing their education after graduation.
 - 4 Year Universities/ Colleges - 77%
 - 2 Year Colleges - 10%

Grade Points for GPA Calculation

GPA is unweighted.

A	4.0	C+	2.3	D+	1.3
B+	3.3	C	2.0	D	1.0
B	3.0	C-	1.7	N	-
B-	2.7				

College Visitations

We invite representatives of colleges and universities to visit our school and meet with interested students. College & University Admission Representatives can email RWU@lwsd.org to schedule a visit.