



SCHOOL PROFILE

HIGHLAND HIGH SCHOOL | SALT LAKE CITY SCHOOL DISTRICT

ENROLLMENT: 1,982 (+160 Salt Lake Performing Arts students)
FACULTY: 90 Faculty Members (83 FULL-TIME, 7 PART-TIME)

Salt Lake City is Utah's state capitol city with a population of over 200,000 residents. Highland High School is one of the four high schools in the Salt Lake City School District, located in Salt Lake's 'second downtown' Sugar House Area and close to the picturesque Wasatch Mountains. Highland High partners with several local businesses in the area and is within proximity to Westminster College and The University of Utah, including many of their faculty and staff among its supportive patrons.

As a unique urban high school that blends the feeling of a strong community base with a diverse student body our demographics show growth, as has our socio-economic profile. Highland's boundaries extend across the Salt Lake valley from 3200 East to 7500 West.

Highland high school exists to ensure that all students learn essential skills to become successful adults. These skills encompass academic, social, emotional and career proficiencies. At highland high, educators work interdependently to improve their professional practice through analyzing student performance, aligning curriculum, and engaging in quality professional development. Exceptional instruction is complemented with timely interventions to ensure that all students learn. Highland high school exists as an affirmation that student success is the only option.

WE'RE HERE TO HELP,
IT'S THE HIGHLAND WAY.

PRINCIPAL

Jeremy Chatterton

ASSISTANT PRINCIPALS

Linda Lesue
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Benjamin Jones

COUNSELORS

Lia Martinez
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ATHLETIC DIRECTORS

Dan Shwam
Swede Robinson

MINIMUM GRADUATION REQUIREMENTS

*SLCSD schools require
24 credits to graduate.*

Language Arts	4.0
Social Studies	3.0
Mathematics	3.0
Science	3.0
Fine Arts	1.5
Physical Education	1.5
Career & Tech Ed	1.0
Digital Studies	0.5
Financial Literacy	0.5
Health Education	0.5
Electives	5.5

2024 - 2025

Highland's Ethnicity

- 1 % Native: USA/Alaska
- 3 % Native: Hawaii/Pacific Islander
- 3 % Asian
- 4 % Black/African American
- 5 % Two or More Categories
- 23 % Hispanic/Latino
- 61 % White

Accreditation

Highland exceeds rigorous standards of educational quality and effectiveness; fully accredited by Cognia and the State of Utah.

Class of 2024: 525 graduates

Highland High is a public college preparatory school that values a comprehensive education, offering a wide range of academic, vocational, technical, family science, and fine arts courses. Highland has multiple National Board Certified Teachers, Advanced Placement (AP) course offerings (987 tests given in the spring of 2024), an International Baccalaureate (IB) diploma program (with diverse course offerings), a Freshman Success Program that serves 450 ninth-grade students, Youth Advocates for each grade, an award winning Fine Arts program, and Concurrent Enrollment courses offered through the Salt Lake Community College (for college course credits), in addition to access to many other courses offered through the district's Career and Technical Center.



Interscholastic

Athletics & Activities

Instrumental, Choir, Debate, Cheer, Theatre, Baseball, Basketball: Boys & Girls, Cross Country: Boys & Girls, Football, Golf: Boys & Girls, Soccer: Boys & Girls, Softball, Swimming: Boys & Girls, Tennis: Boys & Girls, Track & Field, Volleyball: Boys & Girls, Lacrosse: Boys & Girls, & Wrestling.

College Recruitment

Reps from colleges and universities across the nation visit throughout each school year, many duringUCAW and FAFSA Night.

Class Ranking & School Year

The grade point average is computed using the following values: A = 4.0, B = 3.0, C = 2.0, D = 1.0, F = 0, I (incomplete) = 0. GPA for all grades starting with the 9th grade and course selection for all 4 years determine class rank.

ADVANCED COURSES OFFERED

ADVANCED PLACEMENT (AP)

- AP Art History
- AP Biology
- AP Calculus AB
- AP Calculus BC
- AP Chemistry
- AP English Language
- AP English Literature
- AP Environmental Science
- AP European History
- AP French
- AP German
- AP Human Geography
- AP Music Theory
- AP Physics 1
- AP Psychology
- AP Spanish Lang
- AP Statistics
- AP Studio Art
- AP United States History
- AP World History

INTERNATIONAL BACCALAUREATE (IB)

- IB Biology HL 1
- IB Biology HL 2
- IB Chemistry SL 2
- IB English A Lit HL 1
- IB English A Lit HL 2
- IB Film Studies SL 2
- IB French B SL 1
- IB French B SL 2
- IB German B SL 1
- IB German B SL 2
- IB History Americas HL 1
- IB History Americas HL 2
- IB Math AA SL 1
- IB Math AA SL 2
- IB Music Theory SL 2
- IB Physics HL 1
- IB Physics HL 2
- IB Spanish B SL 1
- IB Spanish B SL 2
- IB Theory of Knowledge SL 1
- IB Visual Arts HL 1
- IB Visual Arts HL 2
- IB Visual Arts SL 2

CONCURRENT ENROLLMENT (CE)

- CHEF 1110 (ProStart)
- CJ 1010 (Law Enforcement CE)
- CULINARY 1
- ELEM. PHYSICS
- ENG 1010
- ENG 2010
- FLM 1045 (Video Prod. II)
- HS 1100 (Medical Terminology)
- INDESIGN SOFTWARE
- MATH 1030
- MATH 1050
- PSYCH 1010
- WLD 1005 (Adv. Welding)
- WLD 1110 (Adv. Welding)
- WLD 1111 (Adv. Welding Lab)

HONORS COURSES

- Biology Honors
- Chemistry Honors
- Language Arts 9 Hnr
- Language Arts 10 Hnr
- Language Arts 11 Hnr
- College Prep Lang Arts 12 Hnrs
- Secondary Math I Hrs
- Secondary Math II Hrs
- Secondary Math III Hrs
- College Prep Math
- World Language:
 - French III and IV
 - German III and IV
 - Spanish III and IV

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