



Philosophy



The mission of Hanford High School is to become the Falcon Family. Our Falcon Family consists of staff, students, families and community. We build this family by focusing on our fundamentals.

A Strong Foundation of Relationships: These relationships encompass all members of our family and go in multiple directions. Making sure our students, families, and community feel safe and welcome is our number one priority. We care for one another and treat others as we ourselves like to be treated.

Building Blocks of Excellence, Equality, and Equity: As we continue to engage students at high levels of rigor, we expect all our students to excel. For all students to excel, we make sure we provide an equal chance to learn and express that learning. Students learn in multiple ways and need variety. We provide equity by supplying our students with what they need to be successful.

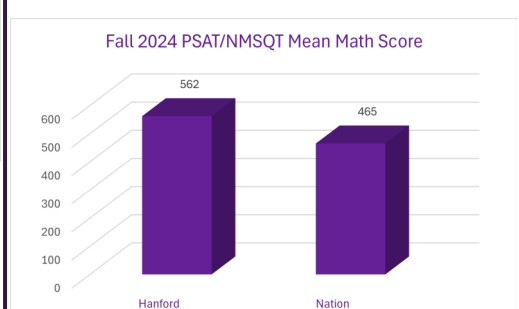
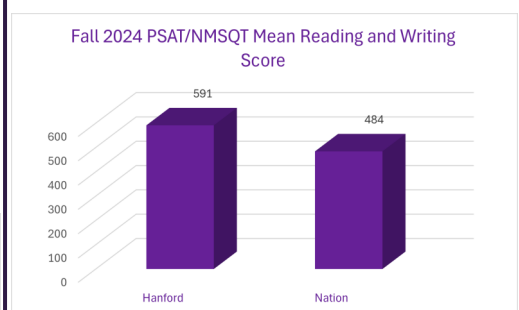
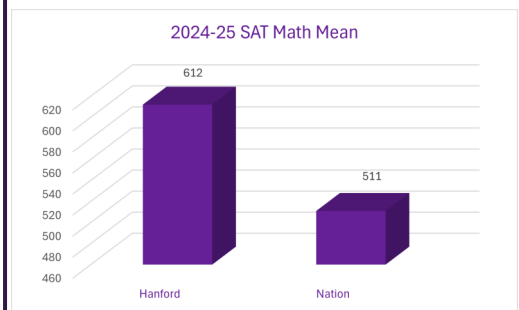
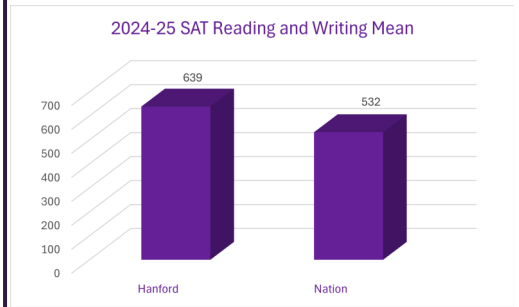
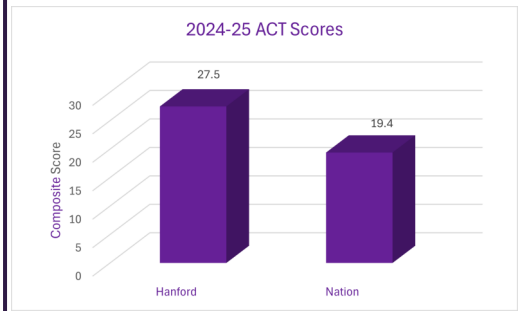
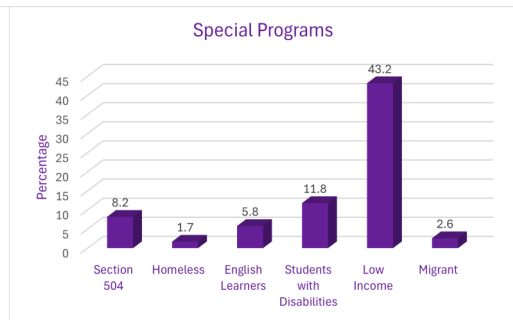
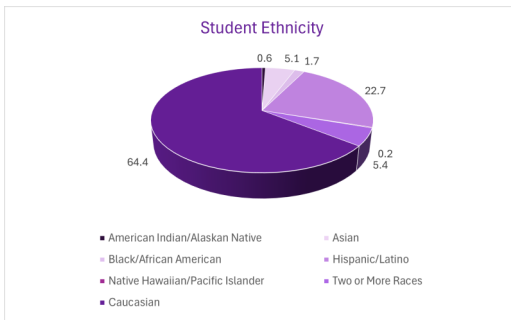
History

Hanford High School is a four-year comprehensive High School located in Richland, Washington, near Pacific Northwest National Laboratory and WSU Tri-Cities. Hanford serves 2,000 students in grades 9-12. Originally built as a K-12 school in 1972, a remodel was completed in 2006 with expansive facilities including three gyms, library, auditorium and small theater. Sports facilities include lighted tennis, track, football, baseball, soccer and softball fields.

Curriculum

Students graduating from Hanford High School must accumulate a minimum of 24 credits, complete Washington State History, complete a High School & Beyond Plan, and meet a Graduation Pathway. One half-credit validates successful completion of one semester class. Required subjects are as follows: English (4); Mathematics (3); Science (3); Social Studies (3); Arts (2); Health and Fitness (2); Career and Technical Education (1); Electives (3.5); Careers and Financial Literacy (.5); World Language or Personalized Pathway (2).

Hanford Students



Hanford High School

2025 School Profile

CEEB# 481002



Advanced Placement and Honors Course Options

Honors Language Arts 9	Honors Language Arts 10
Honors Algebra 2	Pre-Calculus Honors
Honors Human Anatomy & Physiology	Calculus III
AP English Language Composition	AP English Literature Composition
AP US History	AP World History
AP US Government and Politics	AP Human Geography
AP Biology	AP Chemistry
AP Physics 1	AP Physics C
AP Environmental Science	AP Computer Science A
AP Psychology	AP Statistics
AP Calculus AB	AP Calculus BC
AP Spanish Language	AP Spanish Literature
AP Seminar	AP Studio Art
AP Research	AP Computer Science Principles
AP Capstone Diploma offered	
Running Start in partnership with Columbia Basin College, Pasco WA	
Running Start in partnership with Washington State University Tri-Cities, Richland WA	
Hands-on Employment Education in partnership with Tri-Tech Skills Center, Kennewick WA	
Dual-credit courses in partnership with Central or Eastern Washington University:	
-Pre-Calculus Honors-Physics-French 3/4-Robotics-Senior Writing-Algebra2/Trigonometry	
-American Literature-Kinesiology & Exercise Science 2 & 3-Sports Medicine	

Involvement

Students at Hanford have access to over 50 clubs (and counting) as well as world-class sports programs. Key Club and National Honor Society chapters at Hanford are especially active, conducting service projects throughout the summer and school year. With multiple state appearances, recent Cheerleading National champions and nearly 100 athletes voted All-Conference, our students find success in extracurriculars as well as in the classroom. Hanford marching band is consistently in the running for the coveted state title, while our concert bands have received renown from professionals and educators throughout the Northwest. Hanford Drama stages four or more productions every year to sold-out crowds from around the region.

Administrators

Principal	Mike Johnson
Assistant Principal	Mike Gaddis
Assistant Principal	Jon Lobdell
Assistant Principal	Alysia Arsanto
Athletic Director	Gary Winston

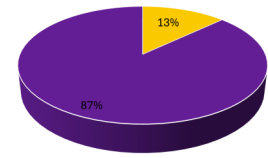
School

Students	1975
Certificated Classroom Teachers	91
National Board Certified Teachers	11
Administrators	5
Counselors	5
Pupil: Teacher Ratio	22:1
2025 National Merit Semi-Finalists	1

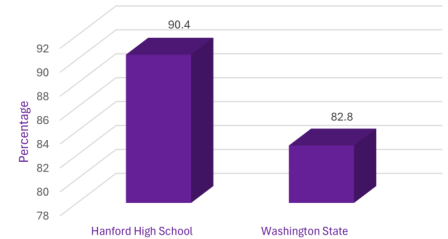
Grading (unweighted)

A : 4.0	C : 2.0
A - : 3.7	C- : 1.7
B+ : 3.3	D+ : 1.3
B : 3.0	D : 1.0
B - : 2.7	F : 0.0
C+ : 2.3	

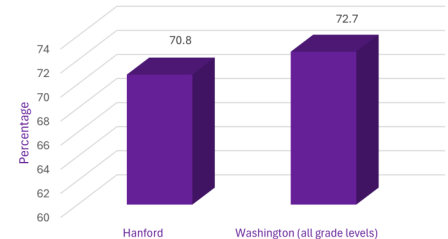
AP Test Score Distribution
Total Tests: 749 Test



Class of 2024 Graduation Rate

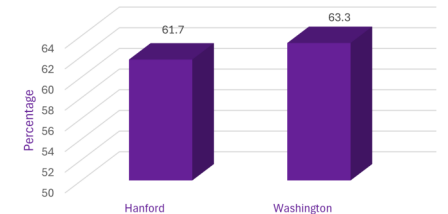


2024-25 Attendance Rates



Washington State Tests

State Test (SBA) Math Proficiency
Spring 2025



State Test (SBA) English Language Arts Proficiency
Spring 2025

