Eagle River High School 2026-2027 School Profile

Staff Profile

34 Teachers

57% of certified staff have a master's degree and/or are National Board Certified

Administration

Principal - Timothy Helvey

AP, Curriculum - Natalie Foley

AP, Activities - Jacklyn Larson

Graduation Requirements

Language Arts	4 credits
Social Studies	4 credits
Science	3 credits
Mathematics	3 credits
Physical Education	1.5 credits
Electives	7 credits
Total Credits Required	22.5 credits

Grading System

A (90-100)	Superior 4.0
B (80-89)	Above Average 3.0
C (70-79)	Average 2.0
D (60-69)	Below Average 1.0
F (≤59)	Failing 0.0
P	Pass
WF	Withdrawn Failing
Waiver	Waiver of PE Credit

*AP courses are weighted on a 5.0 scale.

Class rank and grade point average are computed at the end of each semester. All courses on a transcript are used to determine rank and GPA.

School Motto

Community, Excellence, & Respect

Accreditation

Accrediting Institution: AdvancED

Overview

Eagle River High School is a four-year public high school that opened in 2005 with grades 9-12. ERHS is located in the Chugiak/Eagle River area which is a suburban, predominantly residential community of approximately 35,000 people. Families whose students attend Eagle River High School primarily live in the Eagle River Valley and on the nearby Joint Base Elmendorf - Richardson military installation. ERHS has been recognized as a Purple Star School for its support of military connected students. At over 90%, ERHS consistently has the highest rate of attendance when compared to the other high schools in the Anchorage School District.

Specialized Programs

Air Force Junior Reserve Officer Training Corp, Dual Enrollment UAF Business Academy, English Language Learner Support, Fine Arts (visual and performance), Gifted Mentorship, Migrant & Indian Education Support, Peer Tutoring, Project Lead the Way Academy

Student Enrollment & Demographics

Overall Enrollment	744
Military Population	40%
AK Native/American Indian	4%
Black	4%
Hispanic	11%
Asian/Pacific Islander	3%
Multi-Ethnic	10%
White	68%

Student Athletics (4A), Clubs & Organizations

Art Club
Battle of the Books
Campus Life
Ed Rising
Frisbee Club
Gardening Club
Green Club
HOSA: Future Health Care Professionals,
Model UN
National Honor Society
National Ocean Science Bowl
Partners Club
Spanish Club

Baseball
Basketball
Basketball Cheer
Bowling
Cross Country Running
Drama, Debate, & Forensics
Flag Football
Football
Football Cheer
Hockey
Nordic Ski
Soccer
Softball
Swim & Dive
Tennis
Track & Field
Wrestling
Volleyball

Calendar

The school calendar consists of 175 days, divided into two 18-week semesters with a weekly modified block schedule. There are six periods on Mondays and Fridays, and four periods on Tuesdays, Wednesdays, and Thursdays.

Student Academic Achievements

34% of the Class of 2026 graduated with a 3.5 GPA or higher. Out of 411 AP exams taken by ERHS students in 2026, **79%** scored 3 or higher. **65%** of the Class of 2026 were eligible for the Alaska Performance Scholarship. In 25-26, **89%** of ERHS students were on track to graduate on time.

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SAT/ACT 2025

	ERHS Avg.	AK Avg.	Nat'l Avg.
ACT	26	19.9	19.4
SAT Reading/Writing	610	567	521
SAT Math	610	530	508

National Merit Scholarship

1 Finalist (2025-26)
1 Semi-finalist (2026-27)

AP Scholars 2025-26

31 Scholars w/Distinction
25 Scholars w/Honor
26 AP Scholars

Seal of Biliteracy

42 students earned a Seal of Biliteracy in 2026

AP Courses Offered

Art Studio
Biology
Calculus AB
Calculus BC
Chemistry (online)
Computer Science
English Literature & Composition
English Language & Composition
Economics, Micro
Economics, Macro (online)
Environmental Science (online)
Physics 1
Pre-Calculus w/Trig
Psychology (online)
US Government
US History
World History
Seminar
Statistics
World Languages (Spanish & German)

Honors & Advanced Courses Offered

Advanced Algebra Stats/Trig
Algebra II
Honors English I
German IV & V
Spanish IV & V