

NOW ENROLLING

CLASS OF 2031



HMSA is a small, vibrant high school in the heart of Hawthorne where curiosity, collaboration, and innovation thrive. Our students dive into a challenging college-prep curriculum while discovering their passions through hands-on science, interactive technology, and community engagement. With dedicated teachers, supportive peers, and a strong sense of belonging, HMSA empowers students to grow as thinkers, leaders, and changemakers. At HMSA, high school isn't just preparation for the future, it's a place where every student's potential comes to life.

Clubs

ASB
Animation Club
Audio & Visual Club
AVID
Black Student Union
Dance Club
Debate Club
Great Neighbors
Instrument Music Club
Key Club
Link Crew
MESA
Multicultural Club
Muslim Student Assoc.
Newspaper
Public Speaking Club
Theater & Film
Wellness Club

Sports

Baseball
Basketball
Cross Country
Soccer
Softball
Volleyball
Track & Field

Electives

College Prep
Entrepreneurship
Intro to Computers
Lifeskills
Yearbook

Dual Enrollment

We partner with El Camino College to enroll qualified HMSA students by dual enrolling in college classes while still in high school. Enrollment fees are waived for HMSA students.

eSports Lab

Our state-of-the-art eSports Lab combines gaming, technology, teamwork, and innovation.

Awards & Recognitions

- Ranked in the top 2% in the country of Best High Schools
- California Distinguished School
- National Blue Ribbon School
- AP Platinum Recognition

Aviator-Toro Alliance w/ CSUDH

A transformative partnership guaranteeing admission for all HMSA graduates into their first-choice major at CSUDH.

Unique Scholarship Opportunities for Aviators

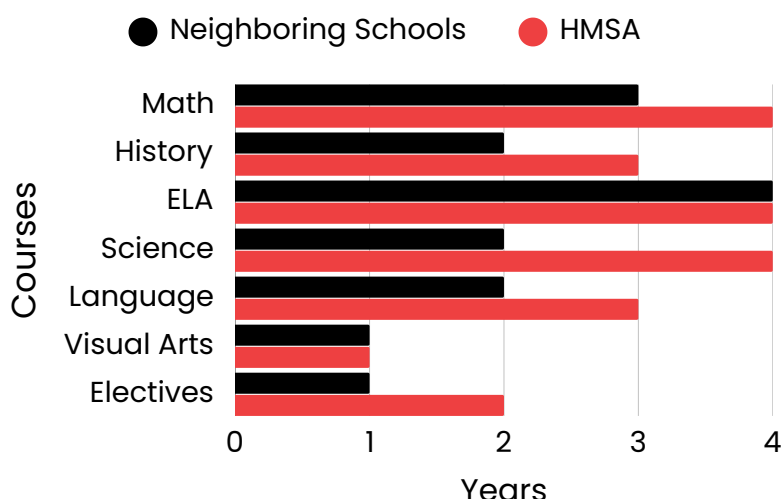
- The Gates Scholarship
- POSSE Scholarship
- QuestBridge
- THRIVE Scholars Program

Aviators at Top Universities

From Ivy League universities to leading UC, CSU & private and public universities, our graduates have been accepted to:

Harvard • Columbia • UPenn

UCLA • USC • UC Riverside • CSUDH • Tulane • & more



PREPARE FOR TAKEOFF – DEC. 10, 2026 AND JAN. 14, 2027
HMSA INFO NIGHTS! 5:00 – 6:00PM HMSA CAFETERIA



ADMISSIONS TIMELINE

FOR 2027-2028 SCHOOL YEAR

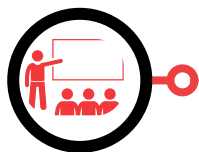


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JOIN MAILING LIST

ONGOING

Sign up for our mailing list to receive updates and reminders about the 2027-28 application process.



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ATTEND AN HMSA INFORMATION NIGHT

THURS, DEC. 10, 2026 5:00-6:00PM (IN-PERSON)

THURS, JAN. 14, 2027 5:00-6:00PM (IN-PERSON)

Learn about the application process and next steps.



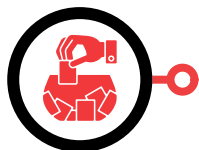
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COMPLETE HMSA APPLICATION

OPENS: MONDAY, NOVEMBER 9, 2026

CLOSES: FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 12, 2027

Applications submitted after closing date and time are automatically placed on the waitlist

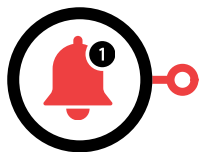


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LOTTERY (IF NEEDED)

WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 17, 2027

If a lottery is needed, information will be emailed about its location and time.



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NOTIFICATION OF ADMISSION OFFER

FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 19, 2027

Notification will be emailed with instructions for next steps.



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DEADLINE TO ACCEPT/DECLINE ADMISSION OFFER AND DEADLINE TO COMPLETE REGISTRATION FORMS

FRIDAY, MARCH 12, 2027

Students will be dropped if there is no response and admission will be offered to students on waitlist.

Registration forms must be completed on PowerSchool.

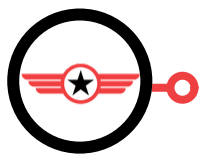


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MATH, ENGLISH AND SPANISH COURSE PLACEMENT TESTING, FAMILY ORIENTATION AND CAMPUS TOURS

SATURDAY, MARCH 20, 2027

Testing results will determine the student's course schedule.



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SUMMER BRIDGE

AUG. 9-11, 2027 MONDAY-WEDNESDAY

8:30AM - 12:30PM

Orientation to prepare students as they transition to high school and learn how to be an HMSA Aviator.

Transfer applications are accepted year-round. Incoming 10th, 11th, or 12th graders applying for the 2027-2028 school year will be placed on the appropriate waitlist. Applicants will be contacted if enrollment openings become available.



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