



NORTHTRIDGE TUSCALOOSA

SCHOOL PROFILE 2022-2023

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STUDENT POPULATION

Grade 9	314
Grade 10	286
Grade 11	284
Grade 12	249

STUDENT DEMOGRAPHICS

Of the total school population of 1142 students enrolled at Northridge High School 55.6% are Caucasian, 35.9% are African American, 3.9% are Hispanic, and 3.1% are Asian. The percentage of students identified as living below the poverty index is 29.4%.

GRADING SCALE

	Grade	Unweighted	Weighted
A	100-90	4.0	4.5-5.0
B	89-80	3.0	3.5-4.0
C	79-70	2.0	2.5-3.0
D	69-60	1.0	1.5-2.0
F	59-0	0.0	

MISSION STATEMENT

Northridge High School is committed to providing all students with opportunities to reach their potential as confident, self-directed, and life-long learners. Students are encouraged to meet the expected standards of conduct and to treat peers, adults and themselves with fairness, dignity, respect, and tolerance.

HISTORY

Northridge High School opened as a new high school in the Tuscaloosa City School System in the fall of 2003.

SCHOOL AND COMMUNITY

Northridge High School is one of three high schools in the Tuscaloosa City School System. It is a comprehensive high school grades 9-12. The school draws students from various ethnic, socioeconomic, and demographic backgrounds. Northridge is on a modified block system. Students may participate in ACCESS distance learning, classes at the Tuscaloosa Career & Technology Academy, Dual-Enrollment/ Accelerated High School programs at Shelton State Community College and The University of Alabama. Northridge High students earned over 1,200 dual enrollment hours in 2022.

CURRICULUM

Standard Courses:

All core content areas in grades 9-12

Honors/Pre-AP Courses:

All core content areas in grades 9-12

Advanced Placement Courses:

Art History, Biology, Calculus AB, Calculus BC, Chemistry, English Literature, English Composition, Environmental, European History, French, Human Geography, Macroeconomics, Physics A, Psychology, Spanish, Statistics, Studio Art, United States Government, United States History, and World History

2018 GRADUATION STATISTICS

Graduate Profile	
Four Year College	55.2%
Two Year College	14.4%
World of Work/Military	30.4%
Total Diplomas Awarded	
Academic Distinction Diploma	111
High School Diploma	175

Distribution of Cumulative Grade Point Average	
The range of senior students' GPAs show below is based on 8 semesters of high school credits calculated following completion of the senior year.	
4.0 and above	82
3.99-3.50	79
3.49-3.00	35
2.99-2.50	31
2.49-2.00	19
1.99-1.00	14

AWARDS AND DISTINCTIONS

-Class of 2022: Over \$3.4 Million in Scholarships
-One National Merit Finalists
-Five National Merit Semifinalist

-Thirty-six AP Scholars
-Ten AP Scholars with Honors
-Twelve AP Scholars with Distinction

STANDARDIZED TEST RESULTS

ACT

Average Composite: 21.6
In the 2021-2022 academic year, we had **32** seniors who earned a 30 or above on the ACT.

Advanced Placement Results

In 2022, 316 students participated in AP examinations.
A total of 370 exams were taken in 19 subjects.
59% of the AP exams received scores of 3 or higher.