

Andover Central High School Profile 2017-18

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ACHS Profile

Type of School	Public
Total Enrollment	778
Grades	9, 10, 11, 12
Number of Teaching Faculty	51
Senior Class	203
Junior Class	156
Sophomore Class	207
Freshman Class	212
Teacher/Pupil Ratio	1/15

Andover Community

Andover is a rapidly growing suburb east of Wichita with a population of approximately 11,791 people. The Andover Public School system has grown to meet the needs of district patrons. Community support for the school system is evidenced by maintaining smaller learning environments with two high schools, two middle schools, and six elementary schools.

Ms. Cheryl Hochhalter Principal
Mr. Doug Carr Asst. Principal
Mr. Brian Gregoire Asst. Principal
Mrs. Barbara Minton Office Manager
Mrs. Jenise Hurley Attendance/Athletics
Mrs. Jenn Klein Administrative Asst.
Mrs. Vicki Goertzen Registrar
Counselors
Mrs. Erin Eilert
Mrs. Laura Scaglione
Mrs. Lisa Stinson

ACHS Community: ACHS has a traditional 7 period day. Each school day consists of 7 periods, 50 minutes in length, and each student takes 7 classes. ACHS is accredited by the Kansas State Department of Education. ACHS is a comprehensive high school which offers a full range of athletic and extra-curricular activities. ACHS currently has 24 different sports and 37 different clubs and activities in which students are encouraged to participate.

Curriculum: A comprehensive curriculum is available ranging from Advanced Placement Courses and Dual Credit Courses through Butler Community College to remedial courses and special education programs. Students may plan their academic program to prepare themselves for the college or work world. ACHS is accredited by the Kansas State Department of Education.

Honors, Advanced Placement and Dual Credit Courses

Andover Central High School has 7 honors classes: biology, chemistry, English 1A and 2A, modern world history, geometry, stats, trig, and Algebra 2. Students sign up for these based on test scores and faculty recommendation.

There are 11 Advanced Placement courses, which are accelerated and enriched, limited in enrollment, offered to the more able students and selected on the basis of faculty recommendation and test scores. ACHS currently offers Advanced Placement Biology, Chemistry, Physics 1 and 2, Government, US History, Computer Science, Calculus, Environmental Science and both English Language and Literature.

ACHS also has a partnership with Butler Community College in which students are able to take dual and concurrent credit college courses offered on ACHS or Butler campus' as well as on line. We offer 7 concurrent classes on our campus: English Composition 1 and 2, College Algebra, Public Speaking/Speech, Applied Statistics, Government, and CATIA. Butler also offers Academies that immerse students in career fields such as business, health science, engineering technology, and cyber security.

Finally, we do work with Wichita Area Technical College, who offers dual credit options for students in the technical career fields such as welding, carpentry, autos, and health care.

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Grade Classification

Letter grades of A, B, C, D, F, I are given in all subjects. A "Pass" (P), "Fail" (F) grade will be used for student aides and community service courses. Only semester grades are reflected on a transcript. In general, the grading system follows the numerical system listed below, but grading is done at the discretion of the individual teacher. Achievement at the D level is required for credit.

90-100 A; 80-89 B; 70-79 C; 60-69 D; Below 60 is F

P=Pass; Promotion for work consistent with ability

I=Incomplete; Work must be made up

Continuing Education and Training

Percentages of Students	2017	2016	2015	2014
Attending 4 yr college or university	65%	68%	63%	63%
Attending 2 yr college	27%	27%	30%	21%
Other; military, trade school, employment	8%	5%	7%	10%
Total in further education	92%	95%	93%	89%
Total not returning survey	0%	1%	0%	6%
*These statistics are self-reported				

Graduation Requirements– 25 Credits

4 credits Language Arts

3 Credits Math

3 Credits Science

3 Credits Social Science

1 Credit Fine Arts

1/2 Credit Speech

1/2 Credit Computer Studies

1 Credit Health/PE

9 Credits Electives

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ACT	English	Math	Read	Science	Comp	Number Tested	% of Class Tested
2016-7 ACHS Mean	24.5	24.3	24.8	23.9	24.5	165	89%
KS Mean	21.1	21.3	22.3	21.7	21.7	24,741	
National Mean	20.3	20.7	21.4	21	21	2,030,038	
2015-6 ACHS Mean	24.8	24.7	25.1	24.4	24.8	144	85%
KS Mean	21.3	21.5	22.5	21.8	21.9	24,488	
National Mean	20.1	20.6	21.3	20.8	20.8	2,090,342	
2014-5 ACHS Mean	24.2	24	24.6	23.8	24.3	151	94%
KS Mean	21.3	21.6	22.4	21.8	21.9	23,708	
National Mean	20.4	20.8	21.4	20.9	21	1,924,436	
2013-4 ACHS Mean	23.4	23.4	23.8	23.1	23.6	151	85%
KS Mean	21.4	21.7	22.5	21.8	22	23,924	
National Mean	20.3	20.9	21.3	20.8	21	1,845,787	
2012-3 ACHS Mean	22.7	23.4	23.1	22.9	23.2	155	81%
KS Mean	21.2	21.7	22.3	26.7	21.8	24,268	
National Mean	20.2	20.9	21.1	20.7	20.9	1,799,243	
SAT/PSAT-ACHS does not test enough students in the SAT and PSAT to provide mean scores.							