



Plano West Senior High  
School



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ABOUT OUR COMMUNITY AND DISTRICT

Plano is a suburban city of approximately 288,943 residents located just north of Dallas. The Plano Independent School District is comprised of three early childhood schools, 48 elementary schools (K-5), thirteen middle schools (6-8), six high schools (9-10), three senior High schools (11 -12), three Academies and a Special Programs Center. PISD serves over 52,000 students.

RANK IN CLASS

Plano ISD no longer ranks ALL students. Only students who have earned the distinction of being in the top 10% of the class will receive a rank listed on their transcript along with the cumulative GPA. The rank listed is based on the ranking GPA. This GPA includes core classes only. All other students will have cumulative GPA listed.

COURSE CATEGORIES & GRADE POINT ASSIGNMENT

Numerical Grade	AP / IB*	Dual Credit/ IH / Honors*	Regular	Modified	Applied/ Fundamental
97 & above	5	4.5	4	3.5	2.5
93- 96	4.8	4.3	3.8	3.3	2.3
90- 92	4.6	4.1	3.6	3.1	2.1
87- 89	4.4	3.9	3.4	2.9	1.9
83- 86	4.2	3.7	3.2	2.7	1.7
80- 82	4	3.5	3	2.5	1.5
77- 79	3.8	3.3	2.8	2.3	1.3
73- 76	3.6	3.1	2.6	2.1	1.1
71- 72	3.4	2.9	2.4	1.9	1
70	3	2.5	2	1.5	1

*The mission of Plano West Senior High School is to prepare students to strive for excellence and contribute to a diverse society with compassion and integrity.*

ABOUT OUR SCHOOL

Plano West Senior High School was established over twenty years ago and is well established in the tradition of excellence in Plano ISD. 2023-2024 school year marked 25 years for the establishment of Plano West Senior High School. The campus serves 11<sup>th</sup> and 12<sup>th</sup> grade students. Each graduating class has distinguished itself with numerous awards in the academic, athletic, and fine arts arenas. Plano West students are dedicated to academic excellence and are accepted to the top colleges and universities throughout the United States and abroad. Approximately, thirty-eight percent of the staff members at Plano West hold advanced degrees in education. Our staff continually enhances the educational experience for all students.

Top 5 Colleges Plano West Students Attend

University of Texas at Dallas  
Texas A & M College Station  
University of Texas Austin  
University of North Texas  
University of Oklahoma

FOUNDATION ENDORSEMENT GRADUATION REQUIREMENTS

English	4 credits
Mathematics	4 credits
Science	4 credits
Social Studies	4 credits
Health	.5 credit
Fine Arts	1 credit
Speech	.5 credit
P.E.	1 credit
Language other than English	2 credits
Electives	5 credits

The five endorsements include: STEM, Arts & Humanities, Business & Industry, Multidisciplinary, and Public Service

In addition to 26 credits, graduates must pass five (5) End of Course exams. No community service is required.

Dual Credit

Students are able to earn high school and college credit in US History, English 3, English 4, Pre-calculus, Statistics, US Government, Economics, Biology, Multivariable Calculus and Speech through dual enrollment in Collin College

<b>National Merit (NM IQT) 2024</b>	
Finalists	43
Semifinalists	44
National Recognition Scholars	31

<b><i>Class of 2024</i></b>	
SAT Mean Score (2024)	1150
ACT Mean Score (2024)	26

**Over 4,000 AP Exams are administered at Plano West each year.**

### AP Courses

Art History	Computer Science	Environmental Science	Music Theory	Spanish Language
Biology	Computer Science Principles	European History	Physics 1	Spanish Literature
Calculus AB	Economics-Macro	French Language	Physics 2	Statistics
Calculus BC	Economics-Micro	Government-Comparative	Physics C Mechanics	Studio Art
Chemistry	English Language	Government-US	Physics C Elec & Magnetism	US History
Chinese IV	English Literature	Human Geography	Psychology	World History

### Courses Taught at Plano West

#### English/Language Arts

English III & IV (on-level/honors/AP)  
Creative Writing  
Academic Literacy  
Bible Literacy  
World of Ideas  
ESOL

#### Languages Other Than English (LOTE)

American Sign Language I, II, III  
Chinese III Honors, IV  
French III & V Honors  
Spanish I & II  
Spanish III (on-level/honors)  
Spanish IV

#### Mathematics

Geometry  
Math Models with Applications  
Algebra II  
Algebra II Honors  
Pre-calculus  
Pre-calculus Honors  
Math Independent Studies  
Statistics  
Advanced Quantitative Reasoning  
Computer Science I  
Computer Science II  
Computer Science III Honors

#### Science

Chemistry  
Physics  
Physics Honors  
Anatomy & Physiology  
Earth & Space Science  
Environmental Systems

#### Social Studies

World Geography  
World History  
US History  
US Government  
Economics  
Sociology (on-level/honors)  
Psychology

#### Fine Arts

Art I & II Design & Drawing  
Art III  
Art I 3D Design & Sculpture  
Dance I, II, III, IV  
Band III & IV (on-level/honors)  
Choir III & IV (on-level/honors)  
Orchestra III & IV (on-level/honors)  
Theater I, II, III, IV  
Technical Theater I, II, III, IV  
Music Studies  
Musical Theater I & II  
Theater Production I & II Honors

#### Health & Physical Education

Adventure/Outdoor Education  
Aerobic Activities  
Foundations of Personal Fitness  
Individual Sports  
Partners Physical Education  
Team Sports  
Weight Training

#### Electives

Academic Decathlon  
Accounting I  
Aerospace Engineering  
Architecture Design I & II  
Audio/Video Production I & II  
AVID III & IV  
Business Info Management  
Business Law  
Career Preparation I & II  
Child Development  
Digital Media  
Dollars & Sense  
Engineering Design & Presentation  
Engineering Science  
Entrepreneurship  
Fashion Design I & II  
Fashion Marketing  
Floral Design  
Global Business  
Graphic Design & Illustration I & II  
Health Science Theory  
Introduction to Culinary Arts

#### Electives continued

Instructional Practices in Education  
Interior Design  
Journalism  
JROTC I, II, III, IV World of Ideas  
Library Aide  
Lifetime Nutrition & Wellness  
Medical Terminology  
Newspaper I & II  
Office Aide  
Peer Asst for Students w/Disabilities I, II, III, IV  
Hope Squad  
Photojournalism  
Practicum in Health Science  
Principles of Health Science  
Principles of Technology  
Social Media Marketing  
Sports & Entertainment Marketing  
Student Senate  
Student Senate (Government & Leadership)  
Veterinary Medical Applications  
Video Game Design  
Virtual Business  
Web Design  
Yearbook I, II, III

#### Speech/Debate

Professional Communications  
Debate I & II  
Debate III Honors  
Oral Interpretation I & II  
Oral Interpretation III Honors  
Independent Study/Speech Honors

#### UIL Sports

Baseball (Men)  
Basketball (Men/Women)  
Cross Country (Men/Women)  
Diving (Men/Women)  
Football (Men)  
Golf (Men/Women)  
Soccer (Men/Women)  
Softball (Women)  
Swimming (Men/Women)  
Tennis (Men/Women)  
Track (Men/Women)  
Volleyball (Women)  
Wrestling (Men/Women)