



Hawthorne Middle/High School

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School and Community

Hawthorne is a rapidly growing community of over 2,000 permanent residents. Hawthorne Middle/High School is one of seven public high schools in Alachua County and the most rural school. Currently, enrollment is over 470 and growing. Over 65% of Hawthorne's graduating classes consistently attend a postsecondary institution, with 30% attending a four year university. This post-secondary readiness is highlighted by Hawthorne's Advanced Placement program, which offers nine AP courses to over 250 students, providing over 400 exams annually. Hawthorne also offers Cambridge (AICE) classes.

Hawthorne has also partnered with area community colleges and universities to offer dual enrollment courses to further diversify student learning. Career and technical education opportunities are also available off campus through the Santa Fe College's co-op program, which offers over twenty-six areas of study.

Faculty

Hawthorne's faculty includes over 26 teachers, 1 guidance counselor, and a media specialist. Over 60% of our faculty has six years of teaching experience or more, with 50% of the faculty having obtained a master's degree or higher in their field.

Curriculum

Hawthorne's Advanced Placement (AP) program offers nine courses, including Biology, Calculus, English Language, English Literature, Environmental Science, World History, Psychology, and Computer Science US History. All teachers are trained by College Board consultants, and all AP students are required to take the exam. Hawthorne's AICE program currently consists of AICE English General Paper, with plans to add three additional classes next year.

Hawthorne Middle/High School offers Honors courses in all major disciplines, designated with an "H" as a course flag on the student's transcript.

Not only are dual enrollment courses accessible on the campuses of University of Florida and Santa Fe College, but also on Hawthorne's campus for students who want to pursue collegiate academic opportunities. Career and Technical opportunities are available on and off campus through Santa Fe College.

Hawthorne Middle High School offers the following vocational programs on campus: Business Entrepreneurship, Agriculture Sciences, Culinary Arts, Digital Design. Hawthorne Middle/ High School operates on a block schedule, with four grading periods per semester. Students are registered for up to eight courses each year. Students can earn a full credit per semester block, per course, with a grade of "D" or better in that course. Class rank is determined utilizing weighted grade point averages, based on all credits attempted and/or earned, and is representative of the entire class population.

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2021-2022 School Year

State of Florida Graduation Requirements

Scale	Grade	General	Honors	AP
90-100	A	4.0	4.5	5.0
80-89	B	3.0	3.5	4.0
70-79	C	2.0	2.5	3.0
60-69	D	1.0	1.0	1.0
0-59	F	0.0	0.0	0.0

Alachua County Schools Grading Scale

English	4 Credits
Math	4 Credits - - including Algebra 1 and Geometry or equivalent (s)
Science	3 Credits- including Biology and 2 lab components
Social Science	3 Credits- World, American, Gov./Econ
PE	1 Credit - HOPE, Health and PE
Arts	1 Credit- Fine or Eligible Practical Arts
Electives	8 electives for a total of 24 credits

School Demographics

42% White
 27% African American
 17% Hispanic
 4% Asian
 11% Multiracial
 100% Free/Reduced Lunch

Top 5 Post-Secondary Institutions

Santa Fe College
 Florida State University
 Florida A&M University
 University of Florida
 University of Central Florida

Academic Scholarships

1 Questbridge Scholar
 1 National African American Scholar
 100% of seniors enrolled in at least one AP course prior to graduation