# **Ashland High School**

The mission of Ashland High School is to create a high performing community of responsible learners and citizens in a safe, supportive, and challenging environment.

## Superintendent

Mr. Steve Paramore

### **Principal**

Mr. Josh Packard

### **Assistant Principals**

Mr. Jon Walter Mrs. Kate Bartlett

# **Assistant Principal & Athletic Director**

Mr. Jason Goings

# **School Contact** Information

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# 2023-2024 Profile

City: Ashland, Ohio is located approximately 60 miles south of Cleveland and 80 miles north of Columbus along I-71. A 2020 census estimated the population of Ashland City as 19225. For residents, ages 25 and over, 89.6% earned a high school diploma. In addition, 25.9% of the residents ages 25 and over hold a bachelor's or higher-level degree. The median income is \$48,663.00. The unemployment rate was 2.8% as of May 2020, according to the 2020 census.

District (IRN #043505): Ashland City School District is comprised of two elementary schools, one intermediate school, one middle school, and one high school. Ashland City Schools is employing the Ohio Improvement Process as a framework to analyze data, set goals, and execute aligned action steps at the building and district levels for student improvement. We have set the following goals: Leadership, Access to Grade Level & Beyond, Reading, and Mathematics.

High School (IRN #001081): Ashland High School is a four-year comprehensive senior high school offering enrollment in grades nine through twelve. AHS is a school that is rich in tradition and centered in high student achievement, a safe and secure environment, and efficient and effective operations. It is important to the community that all students experience high quality programming at all levels. The students, staff, and parents of AHS pride themselves in achieving high success at all levels of extra-curricular and co-curricular activities. Achieving Higher Success is more than our vision; it is our purpose. AHS has also had multiple state level competitors in the academic and athletic realms of competition.

# 2023-2024 Enrollment

Total:	1055
Seniors:	230
Juniors:	278
Sophomores:	268
Freshmen:	279

# Class of 2023 Profile

Highest GPA:	4.
Top 10 Students AVG GPA:	4.
Top 10% AVG GPA:	3.9
Honors Diploma:	6

President's Award of Educational Excellence:

# **School Counseling Department**

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Number in Graduating Class:	223	Students A-F Mrs. Juliet Thomas juthomas@goarrows.org
Highest GPA:	4.0	Students G-M
Top 10 Students AVG GPA:	4.0	Mr. Heath Grissinger hegrissi@goarrow.org
Top 10% AVG GPA:	3.98	Students N-Z
Honors Diploma:	64	Mrs. Linda Hodapp lihodapp@goarrows.org
National Merit Finalists:	0	<u>Secretary</u> Mrs. Ruth Anne Deppen

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# Student Organizations and Activities

Academic Team Acapella Choir

Art Club

Community Service Club

Concert Choir

Concert/Symphonic Band

Drama Club

**Dungeons & Dragons Club** 

E-Sports

Foreign Language Club

French Honor Society

Ashland F.F.A Chapter

Guide (Yearbook)

Jazz Band

Junior Class Prom Committee

Marching Band

Math League

**Mock Trial Team** 

**National Honor Society** 

Orchestra

Pride Club

Sing-n-Swing

Ski Club

**Spanish Honor Society** 

Student Council

**Sweet Sixteen** 

Symphonic Choir

Video Production

Young Life

# **Varsity Athletics**

Men's Teams	Women's Teams
Basketball	Basketball
Baseball	Bowling
Bowling	Cheerleading
Cross Country	Cross Country
Football	Golf
Golf	Soccer
Soccer	Softball
Swimming	Swimming
Tennis	Tennis
Track	Track
Wrestling	Volleyball

# **Graduation Requirements**

In addition to meeting all state testing requirements, class of 2023 graduates must earn 21 credits in the subjects listed below:

English	4.0
Math	4.0
Science	3.0
Social Studies	3.0
Health	0.5
Physical Ed	0.5
Electives	6.0

### **Advanced Classes**

Ashland High School offers students the opportunity to take the Advanced Placement courses listed below. It is important to note that while we do not limit the number of courses a student can take, scheduling conflicts can prevent students from taking all that they request.

AP Chemistry	
AP Calculus	
AP English	
AP U.S Government	
AP Environmental Science	

In addition, courses designated as honors, advanced, or accelerated are offered in the following areas:

Art

Social Studies

**AP Biology** 

English

World Languages

Mathematics

Science

Ashland High School also offers students the chance to participate in College Credit Plus opportunities through partnerships with several institutions of higher learning.

# **Grading System**

Ashland City Schools has a uniform grading scale. All courses are included in the grade point average computation each semester, with the exception of courses graded as "S, P, or U". GPA's and class rank are calculated on a 4.0 un-weighted scale.

A+	=97-100	(4.0)
Α	=93-96	(4.0)
A-	=90-92	(4.0)
B+	=87-89	(3.0)
В	=83-86	(3.0)
B-	=80-82	(3.0)
C+	=77-79	(2.0)
С	=73-76	(2.0)
C-	=70-72	(2.0)
D+	=67-69	(1.0)
D	=63-66	(1.0)
D-	=60-62	(1.0)
F	=0-59	(0.0)

4-year college	54.6%
2-year/Community college	11.3%
Military Service	3.0%
Entering Workforce	31.1%

#### 2022-2023 ACT Score Reports

Seniors taking ACT:	225
State Avg Composite:	19.9
AHS Avg Composite:	19.3
AHS Avg English Score:	18.3
AHS Avg Math Score:	20.1
AHS Avg Reading Score:	20.7
AHS Avg Science Score:	20.5

#### Student and Staff Statistics from 2022-2023

4-year Graduation Rate:	94.4%
5-year Graduation Rate:	94.5%
College Credit Plus Students:	131
Total Credit Hours Earned:	1,115
AP Passage rate (3 or higher):	69.3%
AP Enrollment:	153
Career Center Enrollment:	127
Student/Teacher Ratio:	16/1