

Olathe North High School
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ONHS School Profile
"You're in high school once...
but you're an Eagle forever!"

SCHOOL Profile



COMMUNITY

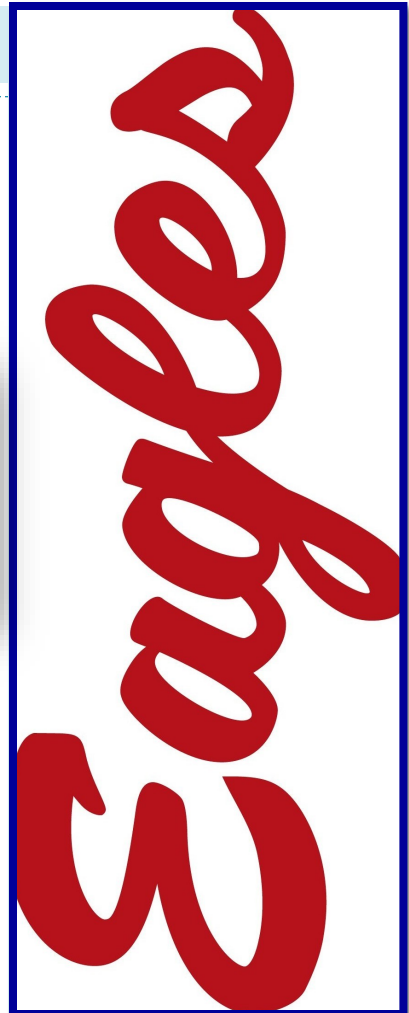
Olathe (o lay' tha), Shawnee Indian word for "beautiful" has a population of approximately 133,000 (2014). Olathe is the County Seat to Johnson County. There are 35 Elementary schools (Grades K-5), 9 Middle schools (Grades 6-8), 5 High schools (Grades 9-12), Claire Learning Center, Harmony and Heartland Early Childhood Centers for children with special needs, Head Start program for preschool-age children, Olathe Advanced Technical Center & Prairie Learning Center for children with special needs. Demographers estimate that our population will continue to grow at approximately 6% per year over the next ten years.

STUDENT PROGRAM

Extensive academic programs are offered at ONHS in all subject areas necessary for rating in Kansas as a comprehensive high school. Special education programs are available in most areas of exceptionality including gifted, educable handicapped, behavioral disorders and learning disabilities.

ACTIVITIES

Olathe North has a comprehensive program including all of the major sports. Student Council, AVID, service clubs, interest groups, National Honor Society, performing groups and publications.



ON COUNSELORS

SUSAN BARR.....(A-D)

CARRIE PARAZIN (R-Z)

NICOLE ETHERTON.....(E-K)

TAMMIE MILKE(L-Q)

SETH SCHWIETERMAN ... ALL IEP'S

JEAN SHERRADEN REGISTRAR

SPECIAL POINTS OF INTEREST

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GRADUATION REQUIREMENTS

English 4 Credits

Including English I, II, III and IV

Social Science 3 Credits

Including one credit of American History, 1/2 credit of American Government

Mathematics 3 Credits

Science 3 Credits

Physical Education 1 Credit

During grades 10-12, includes 1/4 credit of Health Education

Technology 1 Credit

Fine Arts 1 Credit

Practical Arts 1 Credit

Applied Communications 1 Credit

Electives Remainder

Students must have a total of 24 credits in grades 9-12

CAREER & TECHNICAL TRAINING

Facilities are shared in a cooperative with several other area schools. Courses are offered in Automotive Technology, Automotive Collision Technology, Construction Trades, Welding Technology, Culinary Arts. And Early childhood Education.

QUICK STEP

Students who have completed 15 high school units may take classes at Johnson County Community College for college credit while they are enrolled at ONHS.



ACCREDITATION

Kansas State Department of Education

PROFESSIONAL STAFF

- 100% have bachelor level degrees
- 80% have advanced level degrees

CLASS OF 2017

- 50% planned on attending a four-year college
- 40% planned on attending a two-year college
- 5% planned on attending a vocational/technical college
- 3% planned entering the military

GRADE AVERAGE/RANK

Of the classes offered at Olathe North, 29 courses carry a weighted grade factor. Rank is cumulative and based on weighted GPA.

GRADING SYSTEM—Highest to Lowest-A,B,C,D,F, Incomplete, Pass

ENROLLMENT

2015 (Grades 9-12)-2,165

ADMINISTRATION/COUNSELING

Principal | 4 Assistant Principals with master level degrees | 5 Counselors with master level degrees

ACADEMIC ACHIEVEMENT

Mean ACT scores for 347 students in the Class of 2016 are as follows...

2017—English 21.5 | Math 22.2 | Reading 22.7 | Science 22.4 | Composite 22.3

College Now/AP Courses—Students enrolled in the sections of:

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| * Adv. Health Careers | * AP Calculus AB | * Horticulture I/II |
| * AP/Honors English: Literature and Composition | * AP Calculus BC | * German III |
| * AP European History | * AP Statistics | * German IV |
| * AP United States History | * AP Chemistry | * French IV |
| * AP United States Gov't. | * College Chemistry | * AP French V |
| AP Psychology | * College Biology | * Spanish IV |
| * Pre-Calculus | AP Biology | * AP Spanish V |
| AP Studio Art | * AP/College Physics I | AP Honors English Language & Composition |
| | * AP/College Physics II | |
| | * AP/Music Theory | |

Are allowed and encouraged to take these classes for dual credit at Olathe North and Johnson County Community College. Students may choose to take AP exams at the end of the course.

*Indicates College Now Course

21st Century Academies

In 2003, the Olathe Public Schools launched the 21st Century High School Academies and Olathe North became an integral part of that program. All senior high students in the district are eligible to make application for the five transfer programs including: Animal Health | Geosciences | Medical Professions | Sports Medicine and Exercise Science.

With the 2004-2005 school year, the Olathe Public Schools inaugurated as an accelerated program for academically talented students called 'The Distinguished Scholars Academy'. This unique transfer program offers talented students an opportunity to focus their studies in one of five distinct areas: Chemistry/Physics | English/Language Arts | Mathematics | Political Science, | and Visual Arts. Students accepted into the academy study under the direction of mentor teachers who provide highly challenging academic experiences not currently available. They participate in unique observations, internships, and travel experiences, all of which enhance the students' opportunities for academic scholarships. Enrollment is limited and is based upon acceptance through application.

In addition, students may participate on a non-transfer basis in another 21st Century two-year Program, Culinary Arts.