

ELBERTA HIGH SCHOOL

SCHOOL PROFILE

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Student Demographics:
Enrollment: 782
Class of 2023: 173
Ethnicity:
White: 88%
African American: 2%
Hispanic: 10%
Asian: 0.01%
Other: 0%

OTHER STUDENT SERVICES

Free/Reduced Lunch: 50% Special Education: 18% Limited English Proficiency: 4%

GRADING SCALE:

A = 90 - 100%

B = 80 - 89%

C = 70 - 79%

D + 60 - 69 %

F = 59% AND BELOW

Elberta High School Follows a 7 Period Day

MISSION

At Elberta High School, we will inspire students to recognize and reach their individual potential.

THE SCHOOL AND COMMUNITY

Through a great deal of support from the community, Elberta High School was established in 2017 as a middle/high school with grades 7-9. The 2020-21 school year welcomed the seniors of the first graduating class of Elberta High School. The community of Elberta works closely with the school to provide resources and support that create a learning environment that not only meets the needs of our students but challenges them to be prepared for their futures in colleges and in their careers. Elberta is, indeed, proud to be the Home of the Warriors!

THE ACADEMIC PROGRAM

Designed to motivate and challenge all students, the academic program at Elberta High School is driven by equity and the highest possible learning expectations for students. During their high school career, students have access to a wide range of learning experiences including Advanced Placement, Honors and Dual Enrollment courses (taught on campus). Students also have the opportunity to participate in distance learning through ACCESS (Alabama connecting Classrooms, Educators, and Students Statewide).

ACCREDITATION

Elberta High School is fully accredited by AdvanceEd. AdvancEd is the unified organization of the North Central Association Commission on Accreditation and School Improvement (NCACASI), and commission on International and Transregional Accreditation (CITA). AdvancEd is dedicated to advancing excellence in education worldwide through accreditation, research, and professional services.

GRADUATION REQUIREMENTS

There is one diploma offered, requiring four units each of English, History, Science, and Math (to include at least Algebra, Geometry, and Algebra 2 or its equivalent). Students must meet additional requirements of one career preparedness credit, one PE credit, one-half credit of health, and three credits of any combination of career tech, fine art or foreign language courses.

Alabama High School Standard Diploma

24 credits

Recognition of College Preparatory Distinction

- 5.5 credits in Advanced Placement Courses
- Minimum weighted cumulative GPA of 4.0 in all classes with no D's or F's



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Official grade point average is based on eight semesters of work in all classes and is computed on a 4.0 scale. At the end of the sixth semester, and unofficial, weighted class rank is computed for college admissions purposes. All advanced courses are weighted according to the following scale:

AP Courses: weighted 1.0 points
Honors Courses: weighted 0.5 points
Dual Enrollment: weighted 0.5 points

ADVANCED COURSES OFFERED

Students are not limited to enrolling in a specific number of AP or Honors level courses. Students are recommended to take advanced level courses based on their prior grades and with teacher approval. Students are allowed to take courses without a recommendation if parent approves and the student signs that he/she understands the expectations. Dual Enrollment courses may be taken through Coastal Alabama, the University of Alabama, and the University of South Alabama.

AP Courses:

- *English Language and Composition
- * English Literature and Composition
- * Computer Science Principles
- * Biology
- * Chemistry
- * Physics
- * Music Theory

- * World History
- * United States History
- * Government
- * Calculus
- * Statistics
- * Art

Honors Courses:

- * Biology
- * Chemistry
- * English 9
- * English 10
- * Geometry
- * Algebra I
- * Algebra II w/Stats
- * Pre-Calculus
- * US History I
- * Spanish I-III

ACADEMIC HONORS

Latin Honors are used to recognize and distinguish high academic performance. SUMMA CUM LAUDE – HIGHEST HONORS 4.0 AND HIGHER MAGNA CUM LAUDE WITH GREAT HONORS 3.75 – 3.99 CUM LAUDE WITH HONORS 3.5-3.749