

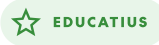


Urbandale High School

Urbandale, Iowa



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Public school

Day school only

Coeducational

1347 total students

No Religious Affiliation

About

Urbandale High School: Nurturing Excellence in Iowa's Heartland

Nestled in the vibrant community of Urbandale, Iowa, Urbandale High School (UHS) stands as a beacon of academic excellence and holistic development. As the sole high school in the Urbandale Community School District, UHS serves approximately 1,347 students from grades 9 through 12, fostering a diverse and inclusive environment that mirrors the community's rich tapestry.

Academic Excellence and Diverse Opportunities

UHS offers a comprehensive curriculum with over 100 semester courses across various disciplines. Students have access to accelerated classes, Advanced Placement (AP) courses, and dual enrollment opportunities with Des Moines Area Community College. This robust academic framework ensures that learners are well-prepared for higher education and future careers.

State-of-the-Art Facilities

The school's modern campus, completed in 2007, provides students with state-of-the-art facilities designed to enhance the learning experience. Equipped with advanced classrooms, science laboratories, and dedicated spaces for arts and athletics, UHS creates an environment where students can explore their interests and talents fully.

Thriving in Sports and the Arts

UHS boasts a dynamic athletics program, offering sports such as football, basketball, soccer, and track and field. The school's teams, known as the J-Hawks, compete in the Central Iowa Metro League, fostering school spirit and teamwork. In the arts, UHS provides programs in music, theater, and visual arts, encouraging creative expression and cultural appreciation among students.

Innovative Special Programs

Beyond traditional academics, UHS offers special programs that cater to diverse student interests and needs. These include vocational training, technology integration initiatives, and partnerships with local businesses for internships, providing students with practical skills and real-world experiences.

Recognitions and Achievements

Academic

Admission requirements

Ages accepted: **14-18**
Accepting grade: **Grade 10 to Grade 11**
ELTIS 2: **670**
TOEFL: **90**
Duolingo: **70**
Interview: **None**
Accepts graduate students: **No**
Host family requirements: **No School HF Req**

Academic stats

Diploma year offered: **No**
English as Second Language (ESL) support: **No**
1+1 School: **Yes**
Total Student Roll: **1347**

School Features

Subjects

English Literature and Composition	Microeconomics
German	Japanese
Spanish	Calculus AB
Statistics	Biology
Chemistry	Environmental Science
Psychology	European History
Human Geography	US Government and Politics
US History	Computer Science A

Arts

Art	Ceramics	Drawing
Film Television	Theater	Theater - Design and Production

Music

Band	Choir	Music Theory
Orchestra		

Sports

American Football	Baseball	Basketball
Bowling	Cheerleading	Cross Country Running
Golf	Soccer	Swimming
Tennis	Track and Field	Volleyball
Wrestling		

Extracurricular

Art Club	Music Appreciation
National Honor Society	Speech and Debate
Theater Club	Thespian Society

Gallery



