

Streamwood High School

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CEEB Code: 144038

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School and Community Profile for the 2022-2023 School Year

Streamwood High School is one of five high schools in Elgin School District U-46, the second largest school district in the state of Illinois. U-46 encompasses ninety square miles in Kane, Cook, and DuPage counties. Located 35 miles northwest of Chicago, Streamwood High School serves a diverse community. Streamwood High School students reside primarily in Streamwood, but we pull from small corners of Bartlett, Elgin, Hanover Park, and Schaumburg. Student enrollment for the 2022-2023 school year is 1744 students. The ethnic composition of our student body is 66% Hispanic, 16% White, 8% African-American, 6% Asian, 3% Multi-Racial, and 1% American Indian. 68% of our students are low income (free or reduced lunch). Streamwood High School opened in 1978, and established ourselves as The Sabres. The school is accredited by Illinois State Board of Education and AdvancedED's Higher Learning Commission.

Vision and Mission

Our **Vision** at Streamwood High School is to forge learning opportunities to promote academic, cultural, social, and emotional growth, unlocking each individual's potential to STRIVE, HONOR and SUCCEED in an ever-changing world.

The **Mission** at Streamwood High School is for parents, staff and community members to be actively involved in students' experiences, so all graduates embody the ideals to **Strive, Honor and Succeed**.

We Strive:

- To provide intentional instruction that promotes curiosity, creativity, and productivity
- To equip our students with the skills to persevere through challenges
- To engage students in fostering ownership of their own learning

We Honor:

- Each student as a diverse individual, acknowledging potential
- Meaningful relationships for effective communication
- Respect and rapport through creating a collaborative community

We Succeed:

- By empowering students to be life-long learners
- By cultivating resilient problem solvers who readily adapt to adversity
- By developing socially-responsible citizens





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Counseling Staff

Counselor caseloads are divided by students' last name. Counselors work with their assigned students from spring semester of 8th grade through graduation.

To reach staff 630-213-5500 and dial their extension

A-Castrejon	Ms. Maria Rodriguez	Ext. 4936	MariaDelRefugioRodriguez@u-46.org
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Secretary	Mrs. Delia AlbaGallegos	Ext. 4932	DeliaAlbaGallegos@u-46.org
Registrar	Ms. Michelle Petschow	Ext. 5504	MichellePetschow@u-46.org

Streamwood High School Counselors website <http://www.u-46.org/shscounselors>

Graduation Requirements

English	4 years	8 credits
Mathematics	3 years	6 credits <i>(includes Algebra 1, Geometry, and Algebra 2)</i>
Science	2 years	4 credits <i>(includes Biology and 1 additional year of lab science)</i>
Social Studies	2 years	4 credits <i>(includes year of US History, semester of Civics with Constitution test, and semester of Economics)</i>
Health	1 semester	1 credit
Physical Education	7 semesters	7 credits
Art, Music, Career Tech, or World Language	1 year	2 credits
Electives	8 semesters	8 credits

A minimum of 40 credits are required for graduation

Transcripts

- Credits are awarded at a rate of one credit per semester for each class successfully completed.
- SAT scores from state mandated schoolwide SAT sitting in April of Junior year are listed on transcript. Additional SAT or ACT scores are not included and are the students' responsibility to send.
- Transcripts show weighted class GPA. Class rank is based on weighted GPA.
- Students who begin ninth grade in Geometry are recognized as having completed Algebra 1 in eighth grade, but no high school credit is awarded.
- Some students may have taken Honors Geometry in Middle School, which was developed as a high school course and does provide high school credit.

Home of the Sabres



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Grading System

Letter grades of A, B, C, D, and E are given in all areas. See the chart below for grade index points received in honors and regular courses. An "E" reflects a failing grade.

Class rank is cumulative, computed after every semester, and includes all courses and transfer grades. School District U-46 uses a Standards Based Grading system in assigning class grades, where a 1 is considered passing.

Weight	Grade		
	AP	Honors	Regular
5	A	A	
4	B	B	A
3	C		B
2		C	C
1	D	D	D
0	E	E	E

Seven Guiding Principles of Standards Based Learning and Assessment

Our teachers are committed to implementing U-46's Seven Guiding Principles in each course offered at Streamwood High School. The principles are:

1. Grades should reflect proficiency on well-defined standards-based learning targets that are clear to all stakeholders.
2. Grades should be based on academic performance using summative assessments.
3. Grade scales should be devised to give equal incremental value to each letter grade.
4. Students should be expected to complete work for credit.
5. Students should be given multiple ways to demonstrate their knowledge.
6. Feedback should be timely, specific, and related to learning targets.
7. Students should be given multiple opportunities to reach mastery on specific, standards-based concepts and skills.

Curriculum

Classes may be one semester or one year in length. Courses run on a semester system and are offered at varying levels, including 20 Honors and 19 Advanced Placement courses. Credits are awarded as one credit per semester completed. The standard instructional day is eight fifty minute periods, with a full period for lunch. All students must have a lunch.

Advanced Placement

Streamwood High School supports an open access policy for AP courses and offers: Biology, Calculus AB, Chemistry, Chinese Language & Culture, Comparative Government & Politics, US Government & Politics, English Language & Composition, English Literature & Composition, Environmental Science, Human Geography, Japanese Language & Culture, Macroeconomics, Physics, Psychology, Spanish Language and Composition, Spanish Literature & Composition, Statistics, US History, and World History.

2021 AP Testing: 258 Exam Takers and 357 Exams Administered

World Languages and International Studies Academy

Streamwood High School's World Languages and International Studies Academy (WLISA) is a four year program open to all district students. The program specializes in World Language (Japanese, Mandarin, or Spanish), International Relations, and Business. The WLISA curriculum represents Streamwood's most rigorous path and requires four years of enrollment in the students' selection of Foreign Language, cumulating in an AP Level course in that language. In addition to the business and language focus, the WLISA curriculum requires two years of student enrollment in Honors English and Social Studies, then two years enrollment in AP English and Social Studies courses.

Dual Credit

District U-46 partners with Elgin Community College and offers Dual Credit classes at Streamwood to qualified Seniors in English, Mathematics, and Spanish. Qualified juniors in our Dual Language program may also be enrolled in Dual Credit Spanish. A limited number of students also take a full Dual Credit course-load at Elgin Community College. All Dual Credit classes will be marked DC on transcripts.



Seal of Biliteracy

Beginning with the class of 2019, high school graduates who have attained a high level of proficiency in English and in one or more other world languages may have they State Seal of Biliteracy



recognized on their transcript. Proficiency is demonstrated via a standardized assessment that addresses the four domains of speaking, writing, listening, and reading in the targeted world language in accordance with State of Illinois regulations.

Dual Language Program

Beginning with the class of 2022, students may be enrolled in a four year program where half of instruction is provided in Spanish and half of instruction is provided in English. Classes taught in Spanish will be marked as DL on transcripts.

Extra Curricular Activities

Streamwood offers a comprehensive interscholastic athletic program consisting of 30 sports for both boys and girls with multiple levels of competition. Streamwood also offers multiple clubs and organizations for student participation and has strong and active participation in IHSA competitive programs and vocational competitions.

COVID-19 Impact

Environment: COVID shifted U-46 to all online from March 2020 to March 2021. From March to May 2021, instruction was delivered concurrently in Zoom with approximately 40% of students who elected to be in person.

Grading: Spring 2020, NC (no credit) was issued for incomplete coursework. Students were provided multiple opportunities to recover the grade. Fall 2020 - incomplete coursework was changed to a passing mark as students earning passing grades in Spring 2021.

Streamwood High School Class of 2022

Highest GPA	4.723
Top 10 Percent	3.872
Top 25 Percent	3.244
Top 50 Percent	2.612

Class of 2022—13 Illinois State Scholars

As reported by final transcript requests:

29% Four year college
35% Two year college
36% Work, trade, military, or other

The class of 2022 had final transcripts sent to 44 different institutions around the country. The most frequently attended schools are:

1. Elgin Community College
2. Aurora University
3. Northern Illinois University
4. University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign
5. University of Illinois Chicago (UIC)
6. William Rainey Harper Community College
7. Roosevelt University
8. Illinois State University
9. College of DuPage
10. Elmhurst University



Naviance and Rep Visits

Streamwood High School uses Naviance to assist students with college exploration and to send electronic transcripts. Colleges — please use the Hobsons Counselor Community to schedule visits.