



# ARGYLE HIGH SCHOOL

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## ADMINISTRATION / STAFF

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## COMMUNITY

Argyle, Texas is a suburban community of approximately 3,000 residents located north of the Dallas/Fort Worth Metroplex. Argyle Independent School District is comprised of Hilltop Elementary (PreK-4), Argyle Intermediate School (5-6), Argyle Middle School (7-8), and Argyle High School (9-12). Dual credit courses are provided through North Central Texas College.

## SCHOOL DESCRIPTION

Public High School Grades 9-12  
7 periods, 2 Semesters

Accreditation ..... *Texas Education Agency*  
Member of ..... *The College Board*  
Member of ..... *National Association of College Admission Counseling*  
Member of ..... *The Texas Association of College Admission Counseling*

## Enrollment 2011-12

Seniors (Class of 2012) ..... 162  
Juniors (Class of 2013) ..... 156  
Sophomores (Class of 2014) ..... 180  
Freshman (Class of 2015) ..... 170  
*AHS Faculty/Staff* ..... 65  
Argyle High School Total Enrollment ..... 668

## GRADING SYSTEM

All grades are recorded numerically. Transfer grades are recorded using the numerical equivalent on the grade of the sending school. The final grade for full-year courses is determined by the average of both semesters. The overall average must be 70 or above to obtain credit. Grade reporting is reflected as follows:

A+ 97-100	B+ 87-89	C+ 78-79
A 94-97	B 84-86	C 76-77
A- 90-93	B- 80-83	C- 70-75

## GRADE POINT SYSTEM

The grade point average (GPA) is determined by averaging semester grades (0-100) as reflected on a student's transcript --- the State of Texas Academic Achievement Record (AAR). **Local credits, credits taken via correspondence, summer school, and credits earned in middle school are excluded from the GPA.**

## WEIGHTED COURSES AND RANK IN CLASS

Pre-Advanced Placement (Q), Advanced Placement (P), and Dual Credit (D) courses are weighted per semester.

\*All of the courses listed above are weighted by adding 10% of each semester grade. **Numerical grades on the transcript do not reflect the weighting but are computed in overall grade point average which determines rank in class.**

Students are ranked using a 100+ point system. Class rank and GPA are calculated at the end of each semester.

## DISTRIBUTION OF GRADES

Distribution of cumulative GPAs per quartile for Class of 2012:

Quartile	Grade Average
1 <sup>st</sup>	105.65 - 96.35
2 <sup>nd</sup>	96.57 - 92.20
3 <sup>rd</sup>	92.00 - 87.28
4 <sup>th</sup>	87.25 - 70.57

## GRADUATING CLASS FOLLOW UP

WHERE ARE THEY NOW?	Class of 2011
Attending College	92%
4 Year College or University	72%
2 Year College	20%
Military Academies	0%

## ARGYLE HIGH SCHOOL CURRICULUM

### Advanced Placement/Dual Credit Courses:

English III & IV	Calculus AB & BC
Physics B & C	Chemistry
US History	

### Advanced Placement Courses:

World History	Statistics
Macroeconomics	Government
French IV	Spanish IV
Studio Art: Portfolio	Studio Art: 2D Design

### Dual Credit

Visual Media	Technical Writing
College Algebra	Trigonometry

**Electives are offered in:** English, Math, Science, Social Studies, Business, Fine Arts, Journalism, Technology, and Physical Education.

Special Education needs are met through inclusion. Resource classes are offered on an individual, as-needed basis.

### AISD Graduation Requirements For Class of 2012

Courses	Recommended	Distinguished
English I,II,III,IV	4	4
Math	4 Algebra I, Geometry, Algebra II	4
Science	4 Biology, Chem. and Phys.	4
S. Studies	3 U.S. Hist., W. Geog., and W. Hist.	3
U.S. Govt	.5	.5
Economics	.5	.5
P.E.	1.0	1.0
Comm. App. (Speech)	.5	.5
Foreign Language	2 same language	3 same language
Technology	1	1
Fine Arts	1	1
Electives	4.5	3.5
<b>Total Credits</b>	<b>26 Units</b>	<b>26 Units</b>

### RECORDS REQUEST

To request a transcript or student records, call the Student Data Analyst: Tena Calhoun 940-262-7777 ext. 2007  
tcalhoun@argyleisd.com

## DISTINGUISHED ACHIEVEMENT PROGRAM

The Distinguished Achievement Program is the most rigorous "Graduation Plan" in the State of Texas.

### Standards for Approval of Requirements

Measures must focus on demonstrated student performance at the college or professional level. Student performance on advanced measures must be assessed through an external review process.

### Argyle High School DAP Requirements

A student must achieve a combination of four of the following:

- Score(s) of 3 or above on the College Board Advanced Placement examination;
- An approved original research project;
- Grade of 3.0 or higher on a college course or articulated course
- PSAT/National Merit Semi-Finalist, Finalist, Commended Scholar, National Hispanic Scholar, or National Achievement Scholar

### SAT / ACT TESTING PROFILE 2011

	<b>ACT</b>	<b>SAT</b>			
	Composite	Verbal	Math	Average	Writing
<b>AHS</b>	24.6	530	567	1097	509
<b>State</b>	20.8	479	502	981	465
<b>Nat'l</b>	21.1	497	514	1011	489

### PSAT / NATIONAL MERITSCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM

	2011
National Merit Semi-Finalists & Finalists	0
Commended Scholars	5
Hispanic Recognition	2
National Achievement	0