



# Hastings

# Senior High School

Home of the Tigers  
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## 2023-2024 School Profile

**Type**  
Public, four-year (9-12)  
comprehensive

**Size**  
Freshmen: 248  
Sophomores: 268  
Juniors: 199  
Seniors: 315  
**Total: 1030**

**Demographics**  
SES:.....47%  
EL:.....5%  
SPED:.....20%

## Administration

**Principal:**  
Mr. Jeff Linden

**Assistant Principals:**  
Mr. Brian Laux  
Mr. Damen Kugel

**Activities Director:**  
Mrs. Tracy Douglas

**Counselors:**  
A-Fi: Jeff Bittfield  
Fl-Lh: Lisa Boucher  
Li-Rn: Courtney Benschoter  
Ro-Z: Nicole Adams

**CEEB ACT Code:**  
281-055

**Accreditation:**  
AdvancEd

**Our Community:**  
Hastings Senior High School is in Hastings, Nebraska. Hastings is located in a rural setting close to the Platte River in south-central Nebraska.

The area economy is based on healthcare, manufacturing, agriculture, and tourism. Hastings is the birthplace of Kool-Aid and legendary Husker football coach and former Congressman Tom Osborne. Home to Hastings College and Central Community College, Hastings values a heritage of pioneer spirit and old-fashioned integrity.

## School Calendar

Each school day runs from 7:15 am-3:30 pm and consists of a modified block schedule with four 85-minute periods and four 40-minute intervention periods a week. The school year consists of two 18-week grading periods.

## Class Rank

Rank in Class is determined by grade points in all classes. Honors and advanced classes are weighted.

Grades	Honors Courses	Regular Courses
A	5.00	4.00
B	4.00	3.00
C	3.00	2.00
D	1.00	1.00
F	.00	.00

Ethnicity Profile	
American Indian or Alaska Native	<1%
Asian	<1%
Black or African American	1%
Hispanic	30%
White	63%
Two or More Races	4%

## GPA Distribution

GPA is computed by the school management software, Synergy. All graded courses are included in the GPA. Pass/Fail courses do not compute.

Class of	2023	2022	2021	2020
Top 10%	4.2	4.36	4.38	4.23
Top 25%	3.7	3.958	3.98	3.75
Top 50%	3.1	3.487	3.37	3.12
Top 75%	2.4	2.887	2.68	2.26

## ACT Mean Composite

The state of Nebraska uses the ACT as our state assessment.

Class	2023	2022	2021	2020
Local	18.2	18.4	18.3	18.7
% Tested	98%	98%	98%	98%
Nebraska	19.2	19.8	20	19.9
National	19.5	19.8	20.3	20.6

## Post High School Plans

Class of	2023	2022	2021	2020
4-year college	31%	35%	37%	38%
2-year college	33%	30%	37%	38%
Military	<1%	<1%	<1%	<1%
Employment	30%	20%	23%	18%
Other	5%	14%	4%	5%

## Grading Scale

A --90-100%  
B --80-89%  
C -- 70-79%  
D -- 60-69%  
F -- Below 60% (Fail)  
P -- Non-graded (Pass)

## Core Curriculum and Transcript Codes

(AP)-Advanced Placement  
(H)-Honors

## Language Arts

- English 9, 10, 11, 12
- English 9 (H)
- English 10 (H)
- English 11 (H)
- English 12 (H)
- Practical English
- World Literature (AP) (H)

## World Languages

- Spanish (4 years)
- German (4 years)
- French (4 years)

## Mathematics

- Algebra I
- Geometry Standards
- Geometry
- Geometry (H)
- Algebra II
- Algebra-Trigonometry (H)
- Pre Calculus (H)
- Calculus (AP) (H)
- Statistics (AP) (H)
- Trigonometry
- Probability & Statistics

## Social Studies

- World History
- World History (H)
- American History
- American History (AP) (H)
- Nebraska History
- Contemporary Issues
- Hist. of Architecture & Tech
- American Gov. & Politics
- European History (AP) (H)
- World Cultures

## Science

- Physical Science
- Physical Science (H)
- Biology
- Biology (H) (AP)
- Physics
- Physics (H)
- Chemistry
- Chemistry (H) (AP)
- Human Anatomy & Phys.
- Human Anatomy & Phys. (H)
- Science in Society

## Grad Requirements

English	45
Mathematics	30
Science	30
Social Studies	30
Information Tech	5
Personal Finance	5
Electives	70
<b>Total Credits</b>	<b>225</b>

## Curriculum

Hastings Senior High School's extended curriculum includes a wide variety of courses in business, music, art, skills and technical sciences, family and consumer sciences, drama, physical education, and special education.

## Advanced Placement, Honors Courses, and Dual Credit

- AP Classes: 6
- Honors courses: 18
- Central Community College: 7
- UN Kearney: 1
- Nebraska Wesleyan: 6

## Career Pathways

Career Pathways consists of a number of career education tracks students can take to earn dual credit and/or professional certifications.

- Advanced Manufacturing Design Technology
- Automotive Technology
- Drafting & Design Technology

## Learning Center

This off-site educational setting serves students in grades 9-12 by offering a personalized alternative to traditional classrooms.

