

Tallmadge High School

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Profile of the Graduating Class of 2019

Tallmadge is an attractive suburban community situated on the northeastern edge of Akron in Summit County. The U.S. Census Bureau reported the population of Tallmadge in 2010 at 17,537.

Tallmadge High School is a four-year comprehensive high school. This year there were 734 students in grades 9-12, and a total of 2,379 students in all grades in the district. The first class graduated from Tallmadge High School in 1879 with eight students. Tallmadge High School is accredited by the Ohio Department of Education.

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On Tuesday, May 21, 2019, 186 seniors received their diplomas. Ceremonies were held at 7 p.m. at E. J. Thomas Hall on the University of Akron campus.

The school day consists of 4 blocks each semester, 80 minutes in length. Each class meets five days per week with laboratory experience offered within.

A minimum of 26 credits are required for graduation.

The Class of 2019 minimum credit requirements include: 4 English, 4 Social Studies, 4 Math, 3 Science, Health/PE, fine art, and financial literacy.

The recommended college preparatory curriculum from the State of Ohio includes: 4 English, 4 Math (including Alg. 2), 3 Social Studies, 3 Science, 2 Foreign Language, 1 Visual or Performing Art.

Grading Scale

The Tallmadge High School grading policy is based on a 4.33 unweighted scale, 4.83 weighted for Honors level courses and a 5.33 weighted scale for AP courses. Tallmadge High School adopted the following grading scale that began for all grades earned during the 2014-15 school year:

A+	98-100%
A	93-97.99%
A-	90-92.99%
B+	87-89.99%
В	83-86.99%
В-	80-82.99%
C+	77-79.99%
C	73-76.99%
C-	70-72.99%
D+	67-69.99%
D	63-66.99%
D-	60-62.99%

Extra Curricular Activities

Athletics, Cheerleading, Letter Winners' Club, Marching Band, Concert Band, Jazz Band, Choir, A Cappella Choir, Annual (Yearbook), Newspaper, BPA, DECA, Fellowship of Christian Athletes, French Club, Spanish Club, FCCLA, Leaders In Action, National Honor Society, Improv Club, Student Senate, Academic Challenge, RESPECT, Stage and Drama Productions, Interact Club, Art Club, Biology/Ecology Club, Biomimicry Club, Pep Club, Li'l Sis Club, Robotics Club, Start Talking Senior/Freshmen Mentorship Program, Too Good for Drugs, Speech & Debate, Freshman Class, Sophomore Class, Junior Class and Senior Class executive committees.

2018-2019 Faculty

The Tallmadge High School faculty consists of 67 certified faculty members. 48 hold Masters Degrees (72%) and one is Nationally Board Certified.

2018-2019 Curriculum

Business

Business Foundations
Finance Foundations
Finance Foundations
Management Principles
Business Capstone
Marketing Applications
Marketing Communications
Marketing Capstone
Fund of Business & Admin Srvs
Strategic Entrepreneurship
Financial Accounting
Legal Envir of Busines
Senior Project

English

English 9-12 Honors English 9-11 A.P. English Lit/Comp Annual Staff I & II Speech Newswriting Journalism

Fine Arts Department

Basic Art
Studio Art
A.P. Art (2D or Drawing)
Honors Studio Art
Art & Technology
Drama
Marching Band & Auxiliary
Concert Band
Chorus

Foreign Language Spanish I, II, III, IV, AP

Spanish I, II, III, IV, AF French I, II, III, IV

Family & Consumer Science

Transitions
Child Development
Principles of Foods
Global Foods
Career & College Readiness
Nutrition & Wellness

THS Career Programs

Business Pathways Marketing Pathway Early Childhood Professions Theater Arts Career Academy

Project Lead the Way

Intro to Engineering Principles of Engineering Digital Electronics

Industrial Technology

Metals, Basic & Advanced

Mathematics

Math Readiness Algebra I Algebra II Adv Algebra w/Trig Geometry Pre-Calculus Honors Geom, Alg II, Adv Alg w/Trig, Pre-Calc Stats & Probability A.P. Stats & Probability A.P. Calculus AB. BC Integrated Algebra I Integrated Geometry Integrated Statistics Integrated Algebra II Aleks

Health & Physical Ed.

Physical Education Health Adv. Health/Health Careers Weight Training Wellness Training

Science

Physical Science Fund, of Biology Topics in Biology I, II A.P. Biology Anatomy & Physiology Environmental Science Geology Chemistry Honors Chemistry Physics

Social Studies

World Studies Honors US History A.P. US History A.P. US History Participation Government A.P. Government & Politics Criminal Justice & Law Human Behavior A.P. Psychology Economics

Special Education

Full range of ED, SLD and CD curriculum available, including Work Transition

College Credit Plus (in-house)

College Writing I College Algebra Physics

Senior Class Data

186 Graduates, May 21, 2019

Academic Data for the Class of 2019:

College Preparatory Curriculum: 144 Students (77%)
Career-Technical Curriculum: 59 Students (32%)
(44 of these students also prepared for college and included in the college preparatory number above)

General Curriculum: 27 Students (16%)

College Credit Plus participant 46 Students (25%)

Received Honors Diplomas71 StudentsReceived the Presidential Award31 StudentsNational Merit Commended1 student

Future Plans of the Class of 2019(self-reported):

Attend a Four-Year College		72%
Ohio Public	83%	
Ohio Private	11%	
Out of State	6%	
Attend a Two-Year or Trade Colleg	ge	10%
Enter the Military (active duty or re	eserves)	6%
Enter the Labor Market		10%
Taking a Gap Year		2%

Test Results for the Class of 2019:

Tallmadge Scores from the graduating Class of 2019. National and Ohio Scores from the graduating Class of 2018.

SAT (Scholastic Aptitude Test) - 7 Students tested			
Using only the highest score	National	Ohio	Tallmadge
	Mean	Mean	Mean
Evidenced Based Reading/ Writing (average	536	552	443
Math	531	547	453

ACT (American College Test) – 180 Students tested			
Using only the highest score	National	Ohio	Tallmadge
	Mean	Mean	Mean
English	20.2	19.3	20.5
Mathematics	20.5	20.3	21.6
Reading	21.3	20.8	21.2
Science	20.7	20.4	21.1
Composite	20.8	20.3	20.9

PSAT –32 Students tested as juniors in the fall of 2017			
	National	State	Tallmadge
	Mean	Mean	Mean
Evidence Based Reading/	512	523	562
Math	502	520	573

A.P. Exams -102 students took 232 exams*

2D Art-3	Psychology-51
Calculus AB-18	English Lang & Comp-1
Calculus BC-15	Statistics-36
Chemistry-1	U.S. Government & Politics-57
Drawing-5	U.S. History-29
English Lit & Composition-5	Spanish-7
Biology-4	

* A.P. exams for T.H.S. Class of 2019 only.

2018-2019 Athletic Accomplishments:

Sport	Record	League Finish
Baseball	<i>17-7</i>	2^{nd}
Basketball (Boys)	13-13	$\mathcal{3}^{rd}$
Basketball (Girls)	<i>8-15</i>	\mathcal{S}^{th}
Bowling (Boys)	8-3	2^{nd}
Bowling (Girls)	9-1	1 st
Cross Country (Boys)		\mathcal{A}^{th}
Cross Country (Girls)		$\mathcal{3}^{rd}$
Football	6-4	A^{th}
Golf (Boys)	<i>7-3</i>	$\mathcal{5}^{th}$
Golf (Girls)	<i>7-6</i>	\mathcal{A}^{th}
Soccer (Boys)	8-7-1	$\mathcal{5}^{th}$
Soccer (Girls)	<i>7-9-1</i>	\mathcal{I}^{th}
Softball	<i>16-11</i>	\mathcal{J}^{rd}
Swimming (Boys)		$\boldsymbol{6}^{th}$
Swimming (Girls)		$\boldsymbol{6}^{th}$
Tennis (Boys)	8-9	\mathcal{T}^{th}
Tennis (Girls)	1-15	\mathcal{T}^{th}
Track (Boys)		\mathcal{J}^{rd}
Track (Girls)	·	2^{nd}
Volleyball	<i>17-7</i>	2^{nd}
Wrestling		6^{th}

Thirty athletes were named to the first team all-conference.

Marching Band: This year, the 40-member marching band began its year with Band Camp at Malone University. They went on to perform at 10 home and away football games, multiple pep assemblies, and 4 basketball games. They also performed at the Circle of Lights Parade, the Homecoming Parade, the Veterans Day Parade, and the Memorial Day Parade. In addition, they presented their competition program "The Outcast," at competitions in Lexington, Cambridge, Copley, and Brunswick, earning overall ratings of Excellent (2).

Concert Band: The Tallmadge High School Concert Band performed in their annual spring concert in May. They were also proud to participate in graduation exercises, and members joined in with the marching band for Memorial Day as well.

Fine Arts: THS Students earned 1 Honorable Mention Award at the Regional Scholastics competition as well as 2^{nd} place at the None for Under 21 poster competition.

Drama Productions: Productions of 2018-19 were Almost Maine and Little Shop of Horrors.

College, University & Trade School Matriculation information T.H.S. Classes 2016-2019

Ashland University, Arizona State University (AZ), Azuza Pacific University (CA), Baldwin-Wallace University, Bowling Green State University, Brigham Young University (UT), Bryn Athyn College (PA), Calvin College (MI), Case Western Reserve University, Cazenovia College (NY), Cincinnati Christian College, Cleveland Institute of Art, Cleveland State University, Columbus College of Art & Design, Cleveland State University, Columbus State College, Cosmix School of Makeup Art, Cuyahoga Community College, Duke University (NC), Edinboro University (PA), Fortis College, Franciscan University, George Washington University (DC), Great Lakes Maritime Academy, Hampton University (VA), Heidelberg University, Hillsdale College (MI), Hiram College, Hocking College, John Carroll University, Johns Hopkins University (MD) Kent State University, Kent State University-Stark, King's College (NY), Lake Erie College, LaRoche College (PA), Malone University, Marietta College, Middle Tennessee State (TN), Moody Bible Institute (IL), Morehead State University (KY), Mt. Carmel College of Nursing, North Park University (IL), Notre Dame College, Ohio State University, Ohio State University-Mansfield, Ohio State University-Newark, Ohio University, Ohio Technical College, Ohio Wesleyan University, Otterbein University, Owens Community College, Parsons/The New School (NY), Pennsylvania State University (PA), Penn State University-Behrend, Power Sports Institute, Purdue University (IN), Sonoma State University (CA), Stark State College, Stautzenberger College, Tarleton State University (TX), Tennessee State University (TN), Texas Tech University (TX), University of Akron, University of Cincinnati, University of Dayton, University of Denver (CO), University of Findlay, University of Mount Union, University of Northwestern Ohio, University of Toledo, U.S. Military Academy (NY), Ursuline College, Valencia College (FL), Walsh University, Wichita State University (KS), Youngstown State