

BARBERS HILL HIGH SCHOOL

2011-2012 SCHOOL PROFILE

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HISTORY

Founded in 1960, Barbers Hill Independent School District is a district encompassing over 192 square miles in Chambers County, Texas. Barbers Hill High School has approximately 1240 students in grades 9-12. The Mission of Barbers Hill High School is dedicated to educate students to be motivated learners, to be college bound and/or career ready, and to having coping skills for success in a competitive world.

CURRICULUM

Courses are offered in the following disciplines: English, Mathematics, Science, Social Science, Career and Technology Applications, Foreign Language, Fine Arts, Health/Physical Education, Business, Career and Technical Education.

ADVANCED PLACEMENT

Advanced placement (AP) courses and examinations are offered in the following disciplines: AP Art, AP Biology, AP Calculus, AP Chemistry, AP English/Language, AP Environmental Science, AP Government, AP English/Literature, AP Psychology, AP Statistics, AP U.S. History, and AP World History.

PRE-ADVANCED

Pre-Advanced Placement and College Preparatory classes are also available in the following areas: Pre-AP English I, Pre-AP English II, Pre-AP Geometry, Pre-AP Algebra II, Pre-AP Pre-Calculus, Pre-AP Biology, Pre-AP Chemistry, Pre-AP Physics, and Pre-AP Geography.

DUAL CREDIT COURSES

The following dual credit courses are offered in junction with Lee Community College to earn college credit upon graduation: Dual Credit World History, Dual Credit U.S. History, Dual Credit Psychology, Dual Credit Sociology, Dual Credit Economics and Dual Credit English IV. The following dual credit courses are offered in junction with Central Texas Community College: Dual Credit Agricultural Construction/Power Technology, Dual Credit Animal Science, and Dual Credit Horticulture.

CTE COURSES

The following advanced CTE courses will receive weighted credit and are articulated with Lee College to earn college credit upon graduation: Agricultural Facilities Design and Fabrication, Advanced Animal Science, Animation I, Accounting II, Law Enforcement I, Forensic Science, Principles of Technology, and Business Information Management.

CLASS RANK

The policy of Barbers Hill High School is to numerically rank classified junior and senior level students based on the student's previous seven semesters of coursework. Advanced Placement, Pre-Advanced Placement, College Preparatory and Advanced CTE courses are weighted when the grade point average is computed.

GRADUATION REQUIREMENTS

Barbers Hill High School requires students to enroll in the courses necessary to complete the curriculum requirements for the *Recommended High School Program* or the *Distinguished Achievement High School Program*, for successful completion of a minimum of 26 credits including:

English	4 credits
Mathematics	4 credits
Science	4 credits
Social Sciences:	4 credits
Physical Education:	1 credit
Communication Applications:	.5 credit
Foreign Language:	2 credits
Fine Arts:	1 credit
Electives:	5.5 credits

- In addition to minimum course requirements for graduation, students who wish to complete the *Distinguished Achievement High School Program* must earn a third year of foreign language, and four additional advanced measures demonstrated by student performance at the college level.

STUDENT DEMOGRAPHICS

The ethnic background of our students is as follows:

White/Caucasian	84%
Hispanic	12%
African American	3%
Asian/Pacific Islander	<1%
Native American	<1%

STANDARDIZED TESTING

The Texas Education Agency named Barbers Hill ISD a Texas *Recognized* District based on the performance of students on statewide assessments administered during the 2010-2011 school year. Campus rating for Barbers Hill High School was rated *Recognized*. Barbers Hill received the following Gold Performance Acknowledgements: AP Results, College Ready Graduates, Texas Success Initiative, and Commended on Social Studies. The average ACT Composite Score is 21, and average SAT Score Distribution is 1029.

COLLEGE MATRICULATION

Members of the class of 2010-2011 are attending the following colleges: The Art Institute, Auburn University, Austin College, Baylor University, Colorado School of Mines, Houston Baptist University, Incarnate Word, Kansas-Wesleyan, Lamar University, LeTourneau University, Louisiana State University, McNeese State University, Ranger College, Rose-Hulman, Sam Houston State University, Stephen F. Austin University, Southwestern University, Southwestern Assembly of God University, Saint Edwards University, Saint Mary's University, Saint Thomas University, Texas A&M University, Texas State University, Texas Tech University, Trinity University, University of Evansville, University of Houston, University of Incarnate Word, University of North Texas, and The University of Texas.