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# School Profile 2023-2024 KOKOMO HIGH SCHOOL

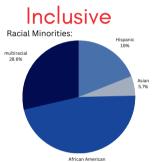
# LEGACY MATTERS

The mission of Kokomo High School is to enable our students to become lifelong learners as the result of a safe and positive learning environment, where legacy matters. Each student is challenged in a culture of excellence and achievement, which enables students to develop thinking and learning skills to achieve personal growth and maximum potential.

# **CULTURALLY DIVERSE**

Kokomo High School takes pride in its culturally-rich student population of close to 1,500 students, 35% of which are in racial minority groups, in grades 9-12. Approximately 55% of the students participate in the free/reduced lunch program. Each academic year, around 50 students from various corners of the globe choose to study at Kokomo High School. Since 2012, KHS has welcomed over 700 international students from over 50 countries.

KHS students learn from each other while experiencing a rigorous and engaging curriculum through a variety of academic programs, as well as co-curricular and extra-curricular activities offered at Kokomo High School.







Representing >50 countries

### **CURRICULUM**

The school year consists of 180 days divided into two semesters. The school day has 7 periods each lasting 50 minutes. KHS students have an incredible number of challenging academic programs from which to choose.

Kokomo High School is authorized as a World School in the International Baccalaureate (IB) Middle Years Program (MYP), IB Diploma Program (DP), and IB Career-Related Program (CP).

Career and Technical Education (CTE) courses are offered at the Kokomo Area Career Center, which is conveniently located within the campus of Kokomo High School.

Kokomo High School's 24 Advanced Placement (AP) courses rival any high school in Indiana.

#### ADVANCED PLACEMENT OFFERINGS

Biology
Calculus AB
Calculus BC
Chemistry
Computer Science
Economics

Environmental Science European History\* English Lang. & Comp. English Lit. & Comp French Lang. & Culture\*

German Lang. & Culture\*

Human Geography\*
United States History
Music Theory
Physics I
Physics II\*
Psychology\*

Spanish Lang. & Culture Spanish Lit.\* Statistics Studio Art US Government World History

AP courses prepare students for AP exams, which can earn them college credit and/or exempt them from freshman-level college courses. AP courses are weighted, adding 1.0 to the grade earned on a 4.0 GPA scale. Last year, Kokomo High School administered 395 AP tests. Available courses at KHS are listed above. Courses with (\*) were not offered in 2022-2023 or 2023-2024 due to enrollment or staffing issues.



# COLLEGE DESINATIONS FOR RECENT CLASSES

Alfred University

Ball State University

Butler University Cedarville University DePaul University **Duke University** Franklin College Georgetown University Grace College Grand Valley State University Hobart Institute of Welding Holy Cross College Houston Community College Indiana State University Indiana Tech Indiana University Indiana Wesleyan University Iowa Central **IUPUI** Ivy Tech Community College Kentucky University Lewis University Lone Star College Loyola University Chicago Memorial University of Newfoundland Miami University Michigan State University Murry State University Northern Kentucky University Penn State University Purdue University Rhodes College Southeastern Illinois St. Elizabeth University SUNY Plattsburgh Taylor University University of Adelaide University of Buffalo University of Evansville

Warsaw University (Poland)

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University of Indianapolis
University of Saint Francis
University of Notre Dame
University of San Francisco
University of Southern Indiana
University of Texas at San Antonio

University of Vermont

University of Washington - Madison Valor Christian College

Vincennes University

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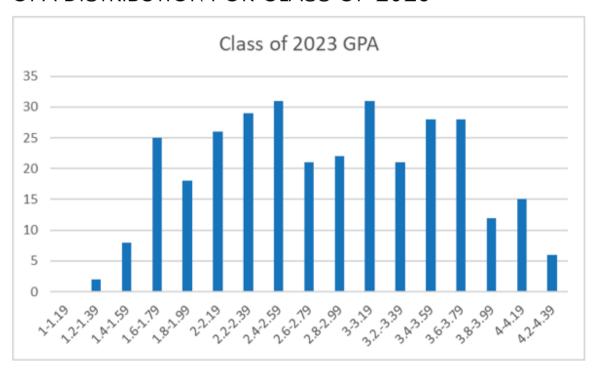
## **GRADING SCALE & CLASS RANK**

Kokomo High School determines GPA by dividing total points by the total number of credits attempted. Grades are weighted for AP and IB DP courses. During the 2022–2023 school year, KHS commenced weighting dual credit classes in core areas. Weighted grades add an additional 1.0 grade point to a 4-point scale. **Kokomo High School does not rank students.** 

#### GRADING SCALE

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100	92	89	86	82	79	76	72	69	66	62	50

# GPA DISTRIBUTION FOR CLASS OF 2023 (323 Students, Mean GPA=2.83)



#### Graduates - Class of 2023

- Kokomo High School does not report discipline information to universities or provide ratings on school reports.
- As many schools move toward test-optional or test-free admissions, KHS will not be providing historical data on SAT or ACT scores.

### DIPLOMA REQUIREMENTS

KHS students are able to earn a **General Diploma** or:

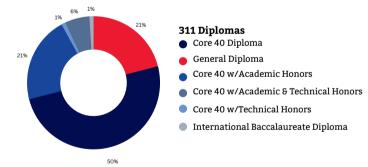
- Core 40 diploma: Earn 40 total credits including: 8 in Language Arts, 6 in Mathematics (including Algebra I, Algebra II, and Geometry), 6 in Science, 6 in Social Studies, 2 in Physical Education, and 1 in Health. Additionally, the state requires graduates earn a graduation pathway.
- Core 40 with Academic Honors diploma: Fulfill all of the Core 40 requirements, take additional college preparatory coursework (advanced math, foreign language, and fine arts) for a total of 47 credits, and have a minimum GPA of 3.0. Students must also demonstrate college readiness through AP, IB, and/or dual credit courses and exams.
- Core 40 with Technical Honors diploma: Fulfill all of the Core 40 requirements, earn 47 total credits including 6 credits in a career-technical program, and have a minimum GPA of 3.0. Students must also demonstrate college and career readiness through dual credits, assessments, certifications, and coursework.
- International Baccalaureate diploma: Meet the DP requirements set forth by IB.

#### IB DIPLOMA COURSE OFFERINGS

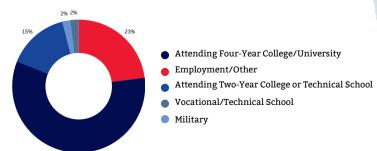
Personal & Prof. Skills Biology SL & HL Chemistry SL & HL Dance SL\* German ab initio Sl History of Americas HL Language & Lit. HL Math App & Int SL Math Anyl & Appr SL Music SL Physics SL & HL\*
Psychology SL & HL
Spanish SL & HL
Sports, Ex. & Health Sci. SL
Theatre Arts SL\*

Theory of Knowledge Visual Arts SL & HL World Religions SL

#### **DIPLOMAS AWARDED:**



#### **POST-GRADUATE PLANS:**



#### **ADDTIONAL INFORMATION:**

#### KHS STUDENTS...

- took 395 AP exams in
   20 subjects in 2022-2023.
- were awarded nearly
   2,500 dual credit hours through
   partnering universities:
   Ivy Tech Community College, Indiana
   University, Vincennes University, and
   the University of Southern Indiana
  - received more than
     \$10 million in scholarships
- earned the following distinctions:
   QuestBridge recipient, Gates
   Scholarship, AP Scholar, and
   National Merit Finalist