

Bloom High School

School Profile





The School and Community

Bloom High School is a recognized National Historic Landmark that has been serving various communities in South Cook County for over 100 years. Currently Bloom serves 1675 students from Chicago Heights, Glenwood, Lynwood and South Chicago Heights.

The Faculty

Our faculty is comprised of 116 Teachers, Counselors, Deans and other certified staff with over 70% holding a master's degree or higher. Our pupil-teacher ratio is 20 to 1.

School Schedule

Classes are based on a traditional 6 period a day schedule. Bloom High School awards one Carnegie unit of credit for each class successfully completed. Semester grades are awarded in December and May. A student with a final grade of D or better is awarded 1/2 credit per semester.

Students are enrolled in classes for a total of 300 minutes per day. There are 176 school days per school year.

Graduation Requirements

Students must earn 20 credits from the approved list of courses and students must meet the following minimum requirements:

English	4.0 credits				
Mathematics	3.0 credits				
Science	2.0 credits				
Social Studies Electives	1.5 credits				
United States History	1.0 credit				
Civics	0.5 credit				
Econ/Consumer Ed	0.5 credit				
Physical Education	2.0 credits				
Fine Arts/World Language/Career and					
Technical Education	2.0 credits				

Students must also pass the Constitution

Bloom Trojans

Hispanic 56.8%

Black 36.8%

White 2.6%

Two or More Races 3.5%

American Indian 0.2%

Asian 0.01%

Class of 2024

98% applied to college or technical school

2.5% enlisted in military

11 State Scholars

866 Average SAT Score

Collectively awarded close to \$12,000,000

in scholarships.

Jerry Lee Anderson Principal

Marcus Lyke

Assistant Principal

Elizabeth Santiago

Assistant Principal

TaMia West

Special Ed Coordinator

Diane Oliver

English, Social Studies and **Reading Division Coordinator**

Ismael Zamora

Math, Science and PE Division Coordinator

Dr. Gregory Horak

CTE District Coordinator

Counselors

Elizabeth Fushi -Peterson, Last name A-C

Imelda Gonzalez. Last Name D-G

Maritza Yanez Last Name H-Mb

Pamela Pugh, Last name Mc-R

Shellie Winters. Last Name S-Z

Julie Largen, Special Education Counselor

Monica Miller, Post Secondary Planning Counselor

Deans

Kimberly Bateast, A-Esp

Kendrick Hall, Esq-Lee

Kimberly Stout, Li-Ring

Debbie Robustelli, Rio-Z

Social Workers

Michael Turner, A-Gr

Amanda Lambie-Gu-M

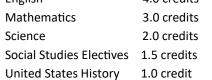
Dante Maddox, N-Z

Rhandi Whooten **Graduation Coach**

Mariba Woods -Student Assistance Coordinator

Sherman White— Behavior Interventionist

Kasseem Sinceno- Freshman Success Coach



Test and take one semester of Health.

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Honors and Advanced Placement Courses

Honors courses are reflected on the transcript with an "H" following the course title.

English I Honors	Junior PE Leadership Honors		
English II Honors	Senior PE Leadership Honors		
Humanities I Honors	Biology Honors		
Humanities II Honors	Chemistry Honors		
AP Language & Composition	Physics Honors		
AP Literature & Composition	AP Biology		
Algebra I Honors	AP Chemistry		
Algebra II Honors	AP Physics		
Geometry Honors	US History Honors		
Pre Calculus Honors	AP Human Geography		

AP Statistics AP US History AP Calculus **AP Economics**

AP Environmental Science AP Spanish Language and Culture

Weighted Courses and Assigned Weights

The academic grade in each course carries a specific weight, which is used in calculating class rank, grade point average, and honor roll.

The weight designations are listed in the following chart:

<u>Regular</u>	<u>Honors</u>	Advanced Placement		
A = 4.0	A = 5.0	A = 6.0		
B = 3.0	B = 4.0	B = 5.0		
C = 2.0	C = 3.0	C = 4.0		
D = 1.0	D = 2.0	D = 3.0		
F = 0.0	F = 0.0	F = 0.0		

Trojans Preparing for College AP Program

Bloom High School offers 17 AP Courses

AP Enrollment	'20	'21	'22	'23
Total AP	366	372	242	188
Number of				
Exams	265	222	293	265

Early College Initiative (ECI)

We partner with **Prairie State College** to enroll qualifying seniors in college courses for a part of their day.

ECI– Senior students attend PSC for two classes each semester and earn up to 12 college credits.

CNA- Students take courses and participate in an internship to earn their CNA certificate.

HVAC– Students take courses at PSC during junior and senior year to earn their HVAC technician certification.

Additional School Information

Honor Roll is awarded to any student who attains a quarterly average of 3.0 to 3.5. High Honor Roll is awarded to those students who have a grade point average of 3.6 or higher.

NJROTC (Naval Junior Reserve Officers Training Corps) I-IV, a secondary school citizenship and leadership program, is offered to students in place of Physical Education'

Bloom offers over 30 different clubs and activities, from Drama to Literature Magazine, from Latino Club to Anime, there is something for every student to get involved.

During the junior and senior year, students who attain a cumulative grade point average of 3.6 or higher qualify for membership in the **National Honor Society**.

Seal of Biliteracy

The Seal is awarded to students who demonstrate high levels of proficiency in English and another language. If students are close to the threshold for the Seal, they may be able to earn a commendation.

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