



Tallmadge High School

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Profile of the Graduating Class of 2018

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 758 students in grades 9-12, and a total of 2,216 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](#).

Superintendent of Schools

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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%
B	83-86.99%
B-	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%

2017-2018 Curriculum

Business

Business Foundations
Finance Foundations
Management Principles
Business Capstone
Marketing Applications
Marketing Communications
Marketing Capstone
Fund of Business & Admin Svcs
Strategic Entrepreneurship
Financial Accounting
Senior Project

English

CP English 9-12
Honors English 9-11
A.P. English 12
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
French I, II, III, IV

Family & Consumer Science

Transitions/Intro to FCS
Child Dev/Human Growth
Princ of Foods/Global Foods
Food Sci/Culinary Fund
Consumer Econ/Personal
Financial Mgmt
Career & College Readiness/
Leadership & Comm
Engagement
Nutrition & Wellness
Interior Design, Furnishings &
Mgmt

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
Bio Technical Engineering

Industrial Technology

Metals, Basic & Advanced
Engineering Graphics

Mathematics

Math Readiness
CP Algebra I
CP Algebra II
Adv Algebra w/Trig
CP 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
A.P. Chemistry
Physics

Social Studies

World Studies
Honors US History
A.P. US History
American Studies 1877-pres
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 offerings

Composition I
College Algebra
Physics

On Thursday, May 17, 2018, 185 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 2018 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.

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, Food Revolution, RESPECT, Stage and Drama Productions, Interact Club, Art Club, Biology/Ecology Club, Biomimicry Club, Pep Club, Li'l Sis Club, Robotics Club, Start Talking Tallmadge, Senior/Freshmen Mentorship Program, Freshman Class, Sophomore Class, Junior Class and Senior Class executive committees.

2017-2018 Faculty

The Tallmadge High School faculty consists of 65 certified faculty members. 48 hold Masters Degrees (74%) and one is Nationally Board Certified.

Senior Class Data

185 Graduates, May 17, 2018

Academic Data for the Class of 2018:

College Preparatory Curriculum:	126 Students (68%)
Career-Technical Curriculum:	50 Students (27%)
(24 of these students also prepared for college and included in the college preparatory number above)	
General Curriculum:	35 Students (5%)
Received Honors Diplomas	58 Students
Received the Presidential Award	23 Students
National Merit Commended	1 student

Future Plans of the Class of 2018:

Attend a Four-Year College	68%
Ohio Public	86%
Ohio Private	8%
Out of State	6%
Attend a Two-Year or Trade College	16%
Enter the Military	3%
Enter the Labor Market	12%
Taking a Gap Year	1%

Test Results for the Class of 2018:

Tallmadge Scores from the graduating Class of 2018.

National and Ohio Scores from the graduating Class of 2017.

SAT (Scholastic Aptitude Test) – 6 Students tested

<i>Using only the highest score</i>	National Mean	Ohio Mean	Tallmadge Mean*
Evidenced Based Reading/Writing	533	578	588
Math	527	570	606

ACT (American College Test) – 173 Students tested

<i>Using only the highest score</i>	National Mean	Ohio Mean	Tallmadge Mean
English	20.3	21.2	20.2
Mathematics	20.7	21.6	22.5
Reading	21.4	22.5	22.2
Science	21.0	22.0	21.8
Composite	21.0	22.0	21.5

PSAT –24 Students tested as juniors in the fall of 2016

	National Mean	State Mean	Tallmadge Mean
Evidence Based Reading/	513	528	578
Math	505	523	583

A.P. Exams -104 students took 263 exams**

2D Art-2	Psychology-50
Calculus AB-14	English Lang & Comp-2
Calculus BC-16	Statistics-57
Chemistry-1	U.S. Government & Politics-67
Drawing-4	U.S. History-32
English Lit & Composition-9	Spanish-6
Biology-2	World History-1

*THS mean based on new SAT format starting 03/2016.

** A.P. exams for T.H.S. Class of 2018 only.

2017-2018 Athletic Accomplishments:

Sport	Record	League Finish
Baseball	17-11	1 st
Basketball (Boys)	14-9	4 th
Basketball (Girls)	14-11	3 rd
Bowling (Boys)	8-3	3 rd
Bowling (Girls)	8-2	2 nd
Cross Country (Boys)	3-2	3 rd
Cross Country (Girls)	3-2	3 rd
Football	8-4	4 th
Golf (Boys)		6 th
Golf (Girls)		6 th
Soccer (Boys)	9-7-3	6 th
Soccer (Girls)	7-8-3	3 rd
Softball	17-6	1 st
Swimming (Boys)	3-4	4 th
Swimming (Girls)	2-5	6 th
Tennis (Boys)		7 th
Tennis (Girls)		7 th
Track (Boys)	2-4	4 th
Track (Girls)	4-2	3 rd
Volleyball	17-7	3 rd
Wrestling	6-11	5 th

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

Marching Band: The 40 members of the Tallmadge Blue Devil Marching Band performed their competition show titled "We Interrupt This Broadcast". The band performed at all football games as well as the Kent Roosevelt Premier of Bands, Circle Festival Parade, THS Marching Concert and Awards and the Veteran's Day Ceremony. The band was rated Excellent (2) at the University of Akron and Lexington competitions while also earning a rating of Superior (1) at the New Philadelphia and Meadowbrook competitions. This year marked the band's 14th consecutive trip to the Ohio Music Education Association's state marching band competition. Completing the marching season was an Excellent Rated performance at the State Competition at Brunswick High School. The band also performed its annual winter concert in December.

Concert Band: The 30 member concert band continued to perform its annual March Concert with the HS Choir and Jazz Bands. The band also played at the Spring concert, Graduation and the Memorial Day Parade. The band earned an Excellent Rating at the Showcase Music Festival at Cedar Point.

Fine Arts: THS Students earned 1 Gold Keys and 7 Honorable Mention Awards at the Regional Scholastics competition.

Drama Productions: Productions of 2017-18 were *Steel Magnolias* and *Legally Blonde*.

College, University & Trade School Matriculation information T.H.S. Classes 2016-2018

Ashland University, Arizona State University (AZ), 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, Columbus College of Art & Design, Cleveland State University, Columbus State College, Cosmix School of Makeup Art, Cuyahoga Community College, Duke University (NC), Fortis College, Franciscan University, 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), LaRoche College (PA), Malone University, Marietta College, Middle Tennessee State (TN), Moody Bible Institute (IL), Morehead State University (KY), Mt. Carmel College of Nursing, 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), Power Sports Institute, Purdue University (IN), Sonoma State University (CA), Stark State College, Stautzenberger College, Tarleton State University (TX), Tennessee State University (TN), 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 University