



# LOVEJOY HIGH SCHOOL

## 2017-2018

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### SCHOOL AND COMMUNITY

Lovejoy Independent School District is currently responsible for the education of over 4,000 students. The district consists of 1 high school, 1 middle school, 1 intermediate school and 3 elementary schools.

Lovejoy High School is a four-year public high school enrolling 1,487 students in grades 9 through 12. This includes 361 seniors, 350 juniors, 395 sophomores, and 374 freshmen. The high school opened in the fall of 2006 and graduated its first senior class in the spring of 2010. Lovejoy High School provides a stimulating, comprehensive educational experience grounded in a rigorous liberal arts, college preparatory curriculum. The aim of teaching and learning at Lovejoy High School is to ensure academic success for each individual. The graduating senior is intellectually equipped, open to the challenges of learning, well rounded, engaged in a healthy lifestyle, fair and respectful of others and works for justice through community service.

### CURRICULUM

Lovejoy ISD secondary programs are all established in a Pre-AP/AP base-line curriculum with the option for dual-enrollment courses. Lovejoy High School students are prepared at a level of academic success that meets and exceeds both state and national standards.

### TESTING PROFILE

#### SAT COMPOSITE SCORES

	Critical Reading		Math		Writing	
	LHS	Nat'l	LHS	Nat'l	LHS	Nat'l
2016-2017	602	538	604	533	538	533
2015-2016	560	494	577	508	533	482
2014-2015	552	495	584	511	524	484

### SCHOOL RECOGNITION

LHS students are encouraged to participate in extra-curricular activities and to seek out leadership opportunities. Lovejoy High School is the two time winner of the UIL Lone Star Cup and has 9 team and 5 individual state championships since its opening in 2006. US News ranked LHS 34th within Texas and 222nd in the nation for 2016.

### ACT COMPOSITE SCORES

English	Math		Reading		Science Reasoning		Composite		
	LHS	Nat'l	LHS	Nat'l	LHS	Nat'l	LHS	Nat'l	
<b>2016-2017</b>									
25.7	20.3	25.6	20.7	26.2	21.4	25.0	21.0	25.7	21.0
<b>2015-2016</b>									
25.1	20.1	25.7	20.6	25.9	21.3	25.1	20.8	25.6	20.8
<b>2014-2015</b>									
24.5	20.4	25.9	20.8	25.3	21.4	25.1	20.9	25.3	21.0

### SCHOOL DAY AND GRADUATION REQUIREMENTS

Graduates are required to earn a minimum of 26 credits. Each semester course passed with a 70 or better earns .5 credits. Seniors are required to take math during their final year even if the graduation requirement is met. Graduation expectations include:

English - 4.0 credits	Health - 0.5 credits
Math - 4.0 credits	Communication - 0.5 credit
Science- 4.0 credits	Physical Education -1.0 credit
Social	
Studies - 3.5 credits	Fine Arts - 1.0 credit
Economics - 0.5 credit	Technology - 1.0 credit
Foreign	
Language - 2.0 credits	Electives - 3.0 credits

### ADVANCED PLACEMENT SCORES

	# of students taking at least 1 exam	Exams Taken	% of test takers scoring 3, 4, or 5	AP Scholars
2016-2017	838	1,606	63%	274
2015-2016	826	1,699	66%	254
2014-2015	705	1,438	74%	212
2013-2014	596	1,226	77%	181

### NATIONAL MERIT

	Finalist	Semi-Finalist	Commended
2017-2018	TBD	5	18
2016-2017	5	5	22
2015-2016	3	3	13
2014-2015	3	3	12

### ADMINISTRATION

<b>Chris Mayfield</b>	High School Principal
<b>Teresa Dodson</b>	Associate Principal
<b>Bruce Coachman</b>	Assistant Principal
<b>Julie Hirsh</b>	Assistant Principal
<b>Jeff Roberts</b>	Assistant Principal

### COUNSELORS

<b>Mary Shaw</b>	College and Career Counselor (A-K)
<b>Randy Trevino</b>	College and Career Counselor (L-Z)
<b>Amanda Breeden</b>	Academic Counselor (A-GO)
<b>Lissa Testa</b>	Academic Counselor (GP-O)
<b>Nancy Schweikhard</b>	Academic Counselor (P-Z)



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### GRADE WEIGHTING AND REPORTING

Lovejoy High School reports a weighted grade point average. Students' grade point averages and class rank are computed using a weighted 4.0 scale. The below scale is used to discern the grades obtained in courses of varying levels of difficulty. In order to encourage each Lovejoy student to select a rigorous and diverse curriculum above and beyond graduation requirements, students are allowed to exclude up to 8 semester grades from his or her GPA calculations. Additionally, seniors may be concurrently enrolled at Collin College for both college and high school credit. These courses may be used to satisfy graduation requirements; however, they are not included in the student's GPA. Traditional high school courses taken in middle school are also not computed as part of the cumulative GPA, although they are relevant in evaluating a student's preparedness for college.

Class rank is established by a numerical average of all completed courses taken during previous semesters. All members of the senior class are included in the rank.

Numeric Grade	A P	Pre-AP	State Approved Courses
100	5.00	4.50	4.00
99	4.95	4.45	3.95
98	4.90	4.40	3.90
97	4.85	4.35	3.85
96	4.80	4.30	3.80
95	4.75	4.25	3.75
94	4.70	4.20	3.70
93	4.65	4.15	3.65
92	4.60	4.10	3.60
91	4.55	4.05	3.55
90	4.50	4.00	3.50
89	4.45	3.95	3.45
88	4.40	3.90	3.40
87	4.35	3.85	3.35
86	4.30	3.80	3.30
85	4.25	3.75	3.25
<b>A= 100-90</b>	<b>B= 89-80</b>	<b>C= 79-70</b>	<b>F= 69-0</b>

### COURSE OFFERINGS

#### AP COURSES

Calculus AB	European History	Spanish Language
Calculus BC	US Government	Spanish Literature
Statistics	US History	Art History
Computer Science A	World History	Seminar
Biology	Human Geography	Research
Chemistry	Macroeconomics	Studio Art 2D
Physics I	Psychology	Studio Art 3D
Physics II	English Language	Studio Drawing
Physics C	English Literature	Music Theory
Environmental Science		

#### PRE-AP COURSES

Algebra I	US History	Chinese III
Algebra II	World Geography	French I
Geometry	World History	French II
Pre-Calculus	English I	French III
Computer Science	English II	Spanish I
Biology	English III	Spanish II
Chemistry	Chinese I	Spanish II
Physics	Chinese II	

### COLLEGE REPRESENTATIVE QUESTIONS AND CAMPUS VISITS

College representative visits are welcome throughout the school day. Campus visit requests may be directed to Randy Trevino, Director of College and Career Counseling.

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### COLLEGE ACCEPTANCES OF RECENT LHS GRADUATES

Abilene Christian Univ.	Penn State Univ., Univ. Park	University of Dallas
Angelo State Univ.	Pepperdine Univ.	Univ. of Dayton
Arizona State Univ.	Philadelphia Univ.	Univ. of Denver
Auburn Univ.	Prairie View A&M Univ.	Univ. of Houston
Austin College	Purdue Univ.	Univ. of Kansas
Baylor Univ.	Rhodes College	Univ. of Mary
Belmont Univ.	Rice Univ.	Hardin-Baylor
Boise State Univ.	Sam Houston State Univ.	Univ. of Massachusetts,
Boston College	San Diego State Univ.	Amherst
Brigham Young Univ.	Schreiner Univ.	Univ. of Massachusetts,
Brown Univ.	Sewanee: The Univ.	Boston
Clemson Univ.	of the South	Univ. of Michigan
College of Charleston	Southern Methodist Univ.	Univ. of Mississippi
Colorado School of Mines	Southwestern Univ.	Univ. of Missouri
Colorado State Univ.	St. Edward's Univ.	Columbia
Columbia Univ.	Stanford Univ.	Univ. of Nebraska
Concordia Univ. at Austin	Stephen F. Austin Univ.	at Lincoln
Connecticut College	Syracuse Univ.	Univ. of New Mexico
Cornell Univ.	Tarleton State Univ.	Univ. of North Texas
Creighton Univ.	Texas A&M Univ.	Univ. of Notre Dame
Dallas Baptist Univ.	Texas A&M Univ.,	Univ. of Oklahoma
Dartmouth College	Commerce	Univ. of Pennsylvania
DePaul Univ.	Texas A&M Univ.,	Univ. of Pittsburgh
Drexel Univ.	Corpus Christi	Univ. of Richmond
Duke Univ.	Texas A&M Univ.,	Univ. of South Carolina
East Texas Baptist Univ.	Galveston	Univ. of Southern
Elon Univ.	Texas Christian Univ.	California
Florida State Univ.	Texas State Univ.,	Univ. of Southern
Georgia Institute of	San Marcos	Mississippi
Technology	Texas Tech Univ.	Univ. of Tennessee,
Gonzaga Univ.	Texas Wesleyan Univ.	Knoxville
Grambling State Univ.	Texas Women's Univ.	Univ. of the Incarnate
Hardin-Simmons Univ.	The George Washington	Word
Hendrix College	Univ.	Univ. of Tulsa
Houston Baptist Univ.	The Ohio State Univ.	Univ. of Virginia
Howard Payne Univ.	The Univ. of Alabama	Univ. of Washington
Indiana Univ. at	The Univ. of Georgia	Villanova Univ.
Bloomington	The Univ. of Iowa	Virginia Commonwealth
Iowa State Univ.	The Univ. of North	Univ.
James Madison Univ.	Carolina at Chapel Hill	Virginia Polytechnic
Johns Hopkins Univ.	The Univ. Texas, Arlington	Institute and State Univ.
Kansas State Univ.	The Univ. Texas, Austin	Wake Forest Univ.
Louisiana State Univ.	The Univ. of Texas, Dallas	Washington State Univ.
Louisiana Tech Univ.	The Univ. of Texas, El Paso	Washington State Univ.
Loyola Marymount Univ.	The Univ. of Texas,	in St. Louis
Loyola Univ. Chicago	Permian Basin	Wesleyan Univ.
Loyola Univ. New Orleans	The Univ. of Texas,	Western State
Massachusetts Institute	San Antonio	Colorado Univ.
of Technology	The Univ. of Texas, Tyler	Wichita State Univ.
McMurry Univ.	Trinity Univ.	
Michigan State Univ.	Tulane Univ.	
Midwestern State Univ.	United States Military	
Mississippi State Univ.	Academy	
New Mexico State Univ.	Univ. of Arkansas	
Northeastern Univ.	Univ. of California at Los	
Northwestern Univ.	Angeles	
Oklahoma State Univ.	Univ. of Central Oklahoma	
Oral Roberts Univ.	Univ. of Chicago	
Ouachita Baptist Univ.	University of Colorado	
Our Lady of the Lake Univ.	at Boulder	
of San Antonio		