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2017-2018 School Profile

Mission Statement: The mission of Bingham High School, where excellence is a rich tradition and diversity a strength, is to empower each student to function effectively in an ever-changing society as a competent, creative, productive, and responsible citizen by providing a nurturing staff who embrace change within a clean, safe, individualized community-centered learning environment.

Grades: 10-12 **Enrollment:** 2566 **Control:** Public **Accreditation:** Northwest Accreditation 2016-2017

Location and Description: Bingham High School is located in the southwest quadrant of Salt Lake County. The community is one of professional, semi-professional, managerial, and skilled labor. Our ethnic composition is Caucasian 81%, Hispanic 8%, Pacific Islander 3%, Asian 4%, African American 1%, American Indian/Alaskan Native .01%, Multi-Racial 3%.

Graduation Requirements: 27 credits, English (4), Social Studies (3.5), Math (3), Science (3), Physical Education (1.5), Health (.5), Fine Arts (1.5), Career Technical Education (1), Financial Literacy (.5), Computer Technology (.5), and 8 electives.

Advanced Placement Courses (22 offered): **ARTS:** AP classes include: 3-D Studio Art, 2-D Studio Art, Drawing and Music Theory; **ENGLISH:** English Literature and Composition; English Language and Composition, **FOREIGN LANGUAGE:** Spanish, French; **MATH:** Calculus AB, Calculus BC; Statistics; **SCIENCE:** Biology, Chemistry, Physics C; **SOCIAL STUDIES:** U.S. History, European History, World History, Government and Politics (American and Comparative), Art History, Psychology, Human Geography, and Economics. In 2017, 743 AP exams were given.

Honors Courses: Language Arts 10 and 11, French 3, French 4, German 3, German 4, Spanish 3, Spanish 4, Mandarin Chinese 3, American Sign Language 3, Secondary Math 1, 2 and 3 and Physics. In addition, honors classes in Language Arts, Social Studies and Biology are offered at the feeder middle schools.

Concurrent Enrollment Courses (30 offered): Concurrent Enrollment courses include: Mathematics, Language Arts, Marketing, World Languages, Science, Family and Consumer Science, Health, Theater, Music, Fine Arts, Financial Literature, and Social Studies.

Special Programs: Advanced Placement and Honors courses with examinations, concurrent university enrollment, early graduation, early university admissions, career specific programs at the Jordan Academy of Technology, Majors for Miners, Online High School courses, peer tutoring for disabled students, a student-run school store, student-staffed pre-school and day care, Pro-Start Café, summer enrichment programs at local universities, specialized vocational training, internships and work study programs. The performing arts program includes thirty-one different performing groups. Numerous students are involved in twenty-eight clubs including National Honor Society. Bingham also offers twenty-one different sports with a total of forty-eight individual teams. An active Alumni Foundation supports many activities at Bingham High.

Achievements: For the 2016-2017 school-year, Bingham's graduation rate was 96.8%. Seventy five seniors graduated with a 3.98 GPA or higher and 54% had a 3.5 GPA or higher. Senior students were awarded over 5 million dollars in scholarships. Concurrent enrollment students completed over 4,000 college credits. The Drill Team and Academic Decathlon took National Titles. Boys Basketball, Debate, Soccer, Track, Girls Tennis, Wrestling and Volleyball received State Titles. Football, Volleyball, Boys Cross Country, Drill, Boys Basketball, Baseball, Track, Golf, Softball and Soccer received 1st place in Region. Band, Orchestra, Choir and Theatre received superior ratings and Director's Awards.

Grading Scale: A=4.0 B=3.0 C=2.0 D=1.0 F=0.0

GPA/Class Rank: The GPA is un-weighted and is based upon all credit courses. Class Rank is based upon the highest GPA being number 1 in the class. Several students may share the same numerical rank.

Class Profile: The size of the 2018 graduating class is 797 students.

Post-High School Plans: For the 2017 graduating class; approximately 72% will attend a four-year institution, 23% will attend a two-year college, 2% will attend technical schools, and 3% plan to go directly into the workforce or do other things.

ACT Composite Score: Bingham 21.7 Utah 20.3 Nation 21.0



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