



The Tenney School School Profile

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Community and school information

- Mission Statement: Provide students with an individualized educational experience that promotes ownership of their learning while preparing them to be successful, productive, and adaptable in an ever-changing world.
- Tenney School is located in west Houston. Due to the unique nature of the program, Tenney School serves students from the entire Houston metropolitan area.
- A division of The Tenney School, called Tenney School Live, is operated for students needing online education. Tenney School Live students are included in The Tenney School enrollment and class ranking.
- Tenney School has maintained accreditation through the Southern Association of Colleges and Schools (SACS) since its inception in 1979. SACS has since merged with other accrediting bodies to form Cognia.



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Curriculum

- Tenney School works with students with diverse academic abilities. Students are placed in courses based on how they perform on the Stanford Achievement Test. Students performing below grade level will be placed in courses labeled as Mod (Modified) or ELL (English Language Learner). Students performing above grade level will be in courses labeled H (for Honors).
- The following courses are currently available at the Advanced Placement level:
 - AP English III
 - AP English IV
 - AP Environmental Science
 - AP Precalculus
 - AP Calculus
 - AP Statistics
 - AP Human Geography
 - AP World History
- Approximately 30% of juniors and seniors are enrolled in one or more AP classes.
- Students at Tenney complete the Texas Education Agency Distinguished Level of Achievement (26 credits or more) program.

Minimum Diploma		Regular Diploma		Distinguished Achievement Diploma	
English	4.0	English	4.0	English	4.0
Mathematics	4.0	Mathematics	4.0	Mathematics	4.0
Science	4.0	Science	4.0	Science	4.0
Social Studies/Econ	4.0	Social Studies/Econ	4.0	Social Studies/Econ	4.0
Physical Education	1.0	Physical Education	1.0	Physical Education	1.0
Foreign Language	0.0	Foreign Language	2.0	Foreign Language	3.0
Fine Art	1.0	Fine Art	1.0	Fine Art	1.0
Speech	0.5	Speech	0.5	Speech	0.5
Electives	6.5	Electives	6.5	Electives	6.5
Total	22.0	Total	26.0	Total	26.0



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Grading and ranking procedures

- Graduating classes are not ranked based on GPAs.
- An additional GPA point is added for Honors & AP level courses. A GPA point is subtracted for Mod & ELL designated courses.
- For the class of 2024 (23 graduating seniors), the GPA range is 2.36-4.44.

Grade	GPA
A	4.0
B	3.0
C	2.0
D	1.0
F	0.0

College attendance history

- Tenney School graduates enroll in colleges and universities all over the world.
- In the last two graduating classes 96% of graduates have enrolled in four-year colleges and universities and 4% of graduates have enrolled in two-year colleges or are taking a semester off and beginning University in spring semester.

The attached sheet contains a listing of universities attended by the most recent Tenney School classes:

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| Arizona State University | Sam Houston State University |
| Austin College | Saint Edwards University |
| Baylor University | Schreiner University |
| Belmont University | Southwestern University |
| Colorado School of Mines | Texas A & M University, College Station |
| Colorado State University | Texas A&M University, Commerce |
| Dallas Baptist University | Texas A&M University, Galveston |
| Dammam University, Saudi Arabia | Texas Christian University |
| Embry-Riddle Aeronautical University, Prescott, AZ | Texas State University |
| Hampden-Sydney University | Texas Southern University |
| Houston Baptist University | Texas Tech University |
| Houston Community College | Trinity University |
| Imam Abdulrahman Bin Faisal University | University of Arizona |
| Lamar University | University of California at San Diego |
| Lewis & Clark University | University of Colorado |
| Los Angeles Film School | University of Glasgow |
| McGill University | University of Houston |
| Mitchell College | University of Houston, Downtown |
| Navarro College | University of Madrid, Spain |
| Nova Southeastern University | University of Massachusetts, Lowell |
| Oberlin College | University of Mississippi |
| Penn State University | |
| Prince Mohammed Bin Fahd University | |



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Princess Nourah Bint Abdulrahman University
Rochester Institute of Technology
Rose Hulman Institute of Technology
Rice University
Ringling College
Saint Mary's University, San Antonio
Savannah College of Art and Design
Pepperdine University
Purdue University
Rensselaer Polytechnic Institute

University of Minnesota, Twin
Cities
University of New Haven
University of North Texas
University of Notre Dame
University of Oregon
University of St. Thomas
University of Texas, Austin
University of Texas, Dallas
University of the Ozarks