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School Profile 2008-2009

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ADMINISTRATION

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DESCRIPTION OF SCHOOL

Founded in 1980 under the auspices of the Lutheran Church-Missouri Synod, Lutheran High North is an accredited, private, coeducational, college preparatory school located in a residential community just outside of downtown Houston.

Lutheran High North accepts students with a broad range of academic ability. Students with learning difficulties are provided with some accommodations (extra time for exams and tests, tutorial assistance), however, the college preparatory curriculum is not modified.

ACCREDITATION

Southern Association of Colleges and Schools (SACS)
Recognized by the Texas Education Agency through the Texas
Private Schools Accreditation Commission (TEPSAC)

National and Texas District Lutheran School
Accreditation Commissions

MEMBERSHIPS

Houston Area Independent School Association
National Association for College Admissions Counseling
Texas Association of Private and Parochial Schools
Association of Lutheran Secondary Schools
National Honor Society

FACULTY

13 men and 12 women, average of 18 years experience.

SCHOOL YEAR

Two semesters divided into three grading periods each.

STUDENT BODY

280 students, Grades 9-12

12% African-American/African 6% Asian-American/Asian
19% Hispanic 59% Caucasian 4% Other

GRADING SCALE

A= 90-100 B= 80-89 C= 75-79 D= 70-74

GRADUATION REQUIREMENTS

Recommended Program - 11th & 12 graders

English 1, 2, 3, 4	4
Mathematics (as specified by T.E.A.)	3*
Science (as specified by T.E.A.)	3*
Social Studies	3½
World geography World history, U.S. history, U.S. government	
Economics	½
Health	½
Physical Education	1½
Foreign Language (in the same language)	2
Computer/Technology	1
Fine arts	1
Communication applications	½
Theology	4
Electives	3½

Electives are additional courses other than P.E. beyond those listed. Fourth year of math and science are encouraged.

Minimum total credits: 24 credits
+ theology every semester at LHN = 28 credits

Students who transfer to LHN do not need to meet theology requirements for the semesters during which they attended another school.

* Students who enter high school in 2007 or later

Mathematics (as specified by T.E.A.)	4
Science (as specified by T.E.A.)	4
Minimum total credits:	26 credits
+ theology every semester at LHN =	30 credits

Distinguished Achievement Program

All courses for Recommended Program with these changes:

Foreign Language - 3 credits in same language
Electives - 2½ credits
5 Credits Honors work
4 semesters of approved college courses with A or B

Students may graduate with a Minimum Program if the foreign language requirement or the level of mathematics or science is not met, if the fine arts requirement is not met, or if summer school credits are used to meet minimum requirements. Total credits required is one less.

RANKING

Lutheran High North weights its Grade Point Averages. Averages are computed on the basis of ALL classes using a four point system. Premium courses earn an additional 25%. Honors credit earns an additional 12.5%.

COLLEGE COURSES - DUAL CREDIT

In conjunction with Concordia University in Austin, Texas, Lutheran High North offers qualified juniors and seniors the opportunity to enroll in college courses. Current courses offered are: Introduction to Literature, Freshmen English - Composition, U.S. History to 1877, U.S. History from 1877, and Introduction to Statistics.

LEADERSHIP PROGRAM

Students selected for the Exemplary Schola Leadership Program (ESLP) participate in a variety of activities that sharpen their personalities and talents over a three year period. These activities provide the school, student body and community at large with a potential leadership core. Candidates are selected by a review of academic records. Faculty members screen the list of candidates for personal qualities of leadership, motivation and attitude. Students are then invited to apply.

STANDARDIZED TESTS

	2006	2007	2008
ACT			
Composite Score Range	13-34	13-35	15-29
Average Composite Score	21	23	21
Average Score Top Quarter	25	26	23
Average Writing Score		22	21
Average Top Qtr Writing		26	22

	2006	2007	2008
SAT			
CR + Math Score Range	560-1410	600-1400	740-1280
Average CR + Math Score	1011	1038	976
Average Score Top Quarter	1117	1157	1073
Average Writing Score		517	477
Average Top Qtr Writing		596	530

COLLEGE SCHOLARSHIPS

Class of 2007	Class of 2008
73 Graduates	55 Graduates
\$1,600,000 offered	\$845,000 offered



Lutheran High North offers students and families
QUALITY ACADEMICS
and
MEANINGFUL MINISTRY

that prepare students for the next level and to be leaders in their schools, churches and communities.

CURRICULUM

English

English 1 - World Lit. (R/H)
English 2 - World Lit. (R/H)
English 3 - American Lit. (R.H)
English 4 - British Lit. (R)
College/AP English (H)
Creative Writing
Communication Applications

Mathematics

Algebra 1 (R)
Geometry (R/H)
Mathematical Models
Algebra 2 (R/H)
Pre-Calculus (R/H)
AP Calculus (R/H)
College statistics (H)

Science

Biology 1 (R/H)
Integrated Physics & Chemistry
Chemistry (R/H)
Anatomy & Physiology (R/H)
Physics (R/H)
Physics 2 (H)

Social Studies

World Geography (R/H)
World History (R/H)
United States History (R)
College U.S. History (H)
American Government (R/H)
Economics (R/H)
Psychology

Foreign Language

Spanish 1, 2, 3 and 4 (R/H)
Latin 1,2,3 (R/H)

Fine Arts

Art 1-4
Photography
Marching Band
Concert Band
Concert Choir
Glory Givers Select Choir

Physical Education & Health

Personal fitness
Weight Training & Conditioning
Aerobics
Health

Computer/Technology

Multimedia
Business Computer Information
Systems 1 & 2
Computer Science
Desktop Publishing
Web Mastering 1 & 2
Robotics

Other courses

Keyboarding
Drafting
Woodworking

Theology

Community of Faith
Old Testament History
New Testament
Eschatology
Apologetics
Gospel and the World View

(R = regular college preparatory)
(H = honors)

RECENT COLLEGE ACCEPTANCES

American University, D.C.
Art Institute of Houston
Austin College
Baylor University
Blinn College
California Lutheran, CA
Columbia University, NY
Concordia Univ.- Austin, TX
Concordia Univ. - Chicago, IL
Concordia Univ. - Irvine, CA
Concordia Univ. - Mequon, WI
Concordia Univ. - Seward, NE
Duke University, NC
Hillsdale College, MI
Houston Baptist University
Louisiana State University
Maryland Institute of Art, MD
Oklahoma State University, OK
Ohio State, OH
Penn State University, PA
Presbyterian College, SC
Rice University

Ringling College of Art & Design, FL
Sam Houston State University
Southwestern University
Stephen F. Austin
St. Edwards University
St. Mary's University
Texas A & M - College Station
Texas A&M - Corpus Christi
Texas A&M - Galveston
Texas Christian University
Texas Lutheran University
Texas State University
Texas Tech University
Trinity University
University of Dallas
University of Evansville, IN
University of Georgia, GA
University of Houston
University of the Incarnate Word
University of Kansas, KS

University of Mary Hardin-Baylor
University of Nebraska, NE
University of North Texas
University of St. Thomas
University of San Francisco, CA
University of Texas - Austin
University of Texas - Dallas

University of Texas - San Antonio
University of Tulsa, OK
The United States Military Academy at West Point
Valparaiso University, IN
Washington University at St. Louis, MO

