

## **Issaquah HS**

### **Academic Highlights:**

We have rigorous curriculum in traditional core areas as well as Advanced Placement programs in Math, Science, Social Studies, Language Arts, Computer Science and World Languages. We are proud to have been listed among US News top high schools. We also offer a variety of technical and vocational courses. We have a diverse set of academically rigorous courses for students to be challenged in a variety of areas of interest.

Fine Arts is a large part of our school which is reflected in our instrumental and choral music programs as well as visual arts and theatre arts. IHS students consistently rank among the state's best musical groups. We also offer a strong visual arts program with drawing, painting, photography, and ceramics. Our theater arts program puts on four fabulous, major productions each year.

Science Technology Engineering and Math programs continue to grow and provide opportunities for students and mentors to meet and extend their learning. Robotics is a great example, this is a program where students have 6 weeks to design, build, and program a robot to compete against other high school teams.

### **Improving student achievement:**

IHS has numerous programs to support and intervene in order to improve student achievement for all students. Whether it's our valuable after-school tutorial program funded by the Issaquah Schools Foundation and staffed by building teachers which serve most content areas, curricular technology in many academic areas with components for home use to aid student learning or other support classes based on student needs, Issaquah High School implements numerous programs to continuously improve student achievement for all students.

### **Extra-curricular Activities:**

We have a vast selection of activities for students to get involved in and connect with school outside the classroom. Some of our most active clubs include: Student magazine, Yearbook, DECA, Honor society, Gay/Straight Alliance, Junior Statesman of America, Robotics, Ping Pong, and more! The best part about Issaquah High School is, if there isn't a club that suits your needs, we always assist students in generating new clubs.

Athletics is another area Issaquah students pursue - we consistently field competitive teams throughout the school year and over 1,000 student athletes participate throughout the year in football, golf, cross country, volleyball, tennis, soccer, swim and dive, gymnastics, wrestling, basketball, track, baseball, softball, cheer, dance and drill. We also have an active Special Olympics program that fields teams in track, bowling, and basketball.

### **What's New:**

Issaquah High School continues to enjoy and appreciate being in our state-of-the-art facility, we truly are lucky to be in this gorgeous building. We continue to grow in size and be proud of a strong sense of pride, culture with unwavering Eagle spirit.