



HILLSBORO HIGH SCHOOL



Hillsboro High School Board Report – June 2018

Hillsboro High School recently concluded our 2017-2018 school year with the Class of 2018 Graduation Ceremony on Friday, June 1st @ Baylor University's Ferrell Center. We want to thank the HISD Board of Trustees, HISD Superintendent, HISD Central Office, HHS Teachers & Staff, and other HISD campus Teachers & Staff for celebrating in this special moment for our Seniors.

Hillsboro High School had numerous accomplishments and success in the classroom and with our extra-curricular activities outside of the classroom. I have highlighted just a few below...

- During the 2017-2018 school year, we experienced an increase in our students enrolled in Dual Credit courses with Hill College. This is a positive for our continuing partnership with Hill College but more importantly, it is very beneficial to our students and parents. Our students have the opportunity to earn actual college credit hours which gives them some experience in taking college level classes here at HHS before they step onto a college campus and our parents benefit financially by having their child earn free college credits while still at HHS.

- During the 2017-2018 school year, we experienced an increase in our students enrolled in our HHS CTE courses. HHS is proud to boast that 97% of our students are enrolled in and participate in at least one CTE course. The state average for most high schools is well below the 80% for student enrollment in CTE courses. We are also proud that the HHS student enrollment in our CTE courses is well represented by all student sub-populations and academic levels – gender, race, ethnicity, and regular ed / special ed students. This is beneficial for our students as they are learning and acquiring skills on a daily basis that help prepare them for continuing education after high school and if they choose, entry directly into the workforce after graduation. This is beneficial to the District in that student enrollment brings in additional funding for the District and HHS.
- During the 2017-2018 school year, our students achieved great success at various levels (local, state, and national) in numerous departments including FFA (AG Animal and AG Mech), FCCLA, Skills USA, UIL Academics, Fine Arts (Band and Theatre), FCA, and Student Council.
- During the 2017-2018 school year, our students achieved great success on the athletic playing fields. HHS had several teams earn post-season berths and athletes were recognized on various post season awards lists – MVP's, 1st Team, 2nd Team, Honorable Mention, and All Academic Teams. HHS had athletes from a variety of sports sign Letter of Intents to further their academic and athletic careers at the collegiate level.
- Hillsboro High School Math Teacher, Mrs. Molly Hale, was awarded as HISD Secondary teacher of the Year. Mrs. Hale will now be considered for Region 12 Secondary Teacher of the Year. HHS is so thankful to have Mrs. Hale teaching our students and being a leader of leaders in regards to her role as HHS Math Department Leader.

Hillsboro High School would like to thank all those involved in the educational process throughout HISD for a successful 2017-2018 school year.