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DHS Highlights of 2023-2024

- The students of the class of 2024 earned approximately \$561,570 in scholarships. This included 47 students earning the millennium scholarship and 12 students earning the Nevada Promise Scholarship.
- We had a total of 34 students in the WNC JumpStart program with 10 students from the class of 2024 earning their AA or AS degree.
- Fourteen Seniors were awarded Career and Technical Education seals on their diplomas for the 2023- 24 school year.
- DHS had nine students earn the seal of biliteracy.
- DHS Theatre Troupe 5373 won Silver Honor Troupe at the State Conference. The theatre troupe also put on their first full length musical, OZ!. Two theatre students qualified for and attended the International Thespian Festival in Bloomington, Indiana.
- The DHS athletics program qualified one cross country athlete, two track athletes, and one boy's golf team member for state.
- The DHS choir earned superior ratings at the choir festival. The music program also qualified six students for the Northern Zone honor choir, one student for the Northern Zone honor band, two students for the Nevada All-State Choir and five students for the Nevada Small Schools All-State Band.
- The DHS Cheerleading team competed at JAMZ Nationals in Las Vegas.
- The DHS FBLA (Future Business Leaders of America) chapter had its first state champions (in Digital Animation). Eleven students competed at Nationals in Orlando, FL with one student placing in the top 15 in the nation in Client Services.
- All seven of our DHS nursing students passed the state exam for licensure and now hold CNA licenses. One of our nursing students won the Bronze award at the state Skills USA competition.
- DHS was awarded a Bronze Level award for our work with PBIS and MTSS.
- DHS had five student athletes who committed to play at the college level in their respective sports.
- DHS students were awarded 13 Scholastic Art awards and all four AP art students passed the AP Art Portfolio scoring at a 3 or higher.

DHS Areas of Focus for 2024-2025

- DHS will continue to strive for improved graduation rates while providing students with a positive learning experience that lives up to the Student Bill of Rights. We will continue to provide and improve upon alternative paths to College and Career Readiness, such as our Career and Technical Education (CTE) programs and our Advanced Placement (AP), Dual Enrollment and JumpStart Programs. We will also continue to identify and support students that are deemed as at risk for high school graduation through utilization of our advisory classes and our College and Career Readiness Interventionists. By the end of the 2024-25 school year, Dayton High School will have 88% of its students on track to graduate. (Freshman will have at least 5 credits. Sophomores will have at least 11 credits. Juniors will have at least 17 credits. Seniors will have at least 23 credits).
- DHS will reduce chronic absenteeism by 10% (currently 38.9%) by the end of the current academic year (June 2025). We will focus on identifying and supporting at-risk students, enhancing student engagement, and improving communication with families.

Preparing Responsible Individuals through Diverse Educational opportunities