



Slidell High School

St. Tammany Parish Public Schools

CEEB/ACT Code: 192-750

INFORMATION

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ACCREDITATION

Slidell High School is accredited by the Southern Association of Colleges and Schools Council on Accreditation and School Improvement (SACS CASI), an accreditation division of AdvancED, and the Louisiana Department of Education

DISTRICT

St. Tammany Parish (county) has ranked as one of the fastest growing counties in the United States during the past decade. St. Tammany Parish Public School System serves over 35,500 students in 53 schools, all of which are accredited by the Southern Association of Colleges and Schools Council on Accreditation and School Improvement (SACS CASI). The St. Tammany Parish Public School System has earned the distinction of District-Wide accreditation. St. Tammany Parish Public School System was named one of the top 100 school districts within the Nation's major metropolitan areas by Money magazine. St. Tammany Parish Public School System is the first and only School District in the State of Louisiana and one of only 42 school districts in the entire nation to receive the EPA's Energy Star-Leader Award for its leadership in improving its average energy performance rating and reducing greenhouse gas emissions through superior energy management.

Slidell High
Home of the Tigers

THE COMMUNITY: Slidell High School, one of eight public high schools in St. Tammany Parish, is located in Slidell, Louisiana. Slidell is a suburban community approximately thirty miles northeast of the metropolitan area of New Orleans, LA.

CHARACTERISTICS: Slidell High School is a comprehensive high school providing for learners of all abilities, talents, and exceptionalities. This co-ed, public high school has a current enrollment of approximately 1544 students in grades 9-12. Approximately 84% of our graduates continue their education, 81% to two-year colleges or four-year colleges or universities. There are over 311 students in the Senior Class of 2015.

FACULTY: There are over 115 members on the professional staff. Fifty of the 115 faculty members have a Master's degree and 2 members have a PhD.

Weighted Grade/Credit Courses		
Honors/DE	Gifted	Advanced Placement
English I English II English III English IV	English I English II	English Language and Composition (English III) English Language and Literature (English IV) Advanced Composition
Algebra I Algebra II Geometry Pre-Calculus	Algebra II Geometry Pre-Calculus	Calculus AB/BC
Physical Science Biology Biology II Chemistry Chemistry II Physics Anatomy & Physiology		
Civics American History World Geography World History	Civics World Geography	

Additional ADVANCED PLACEMENT (AP) courses available through distance learning.
DUAL ENROLLMENT (DE) courses offered vary based on student interest and enrollment.

NATIONAL MERIT SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM	
Class of 2013	1 Finalist
Class of 2012	1 Finalist

Grading Scale Effective August 2011					
A=93-100 B=85-92 C=75-84 D=67-74 F= ≤ 66					
Grading Scale Effective Through July 2011					
A=92-100 B=83-91 C=74-82 D=65-73 F= ≤ 64					
GPA Calculation: A student's overall GPA is based on semester grades. All high school courses attempted shall be used to make this determination, with weight being added to academic core gifted, honors, and AP classes.					
Quality Points Awarded for Academic Core					
On-Level, Talented (T):	A	4.0	Honors (H), Gifted (G), and Adv Placement (AP):	A	5.0
	B	3.0		B	4.0
	C	2.0		C	3.0
	D	1.0		D	1.0
Rank in Class is only determined upon graduation and will be based on the quality points a student earns in grades 9-12. Rank in class is calculated on a maximum of 28 credits, of which a maximum of 16 credits may be weighted. The student(s) who earns the most quality points will be ranked number one in the graduating class.					

Minimum LA Core 4 Graduation Requirements	
English	4
Mathematics	4
Science	4
Social Studies	4
Foreign Lang./Speech	2
Art	1
Health Ed	.5
Physical Ed	1.5
Electives	3
Total	24

AP	# Tested	# Scores ≥ 3
2014	40	18
2013	41	17
2012	39	15
2011	34	20

ACT		
2014		
	# Tested	Composite
SHS	351	19.7
LOCAL	N/A	N/A
STATE	49,178	19.2
2013		
	# Tested	Composite
SHS	369	19.6
LOCAL	N/A	N/A
STATE	45,305	19.5
2012		
	# Tested	Composite
SHS	275	20.2
LOCAL	1791	21.9
STATE	28,115	20.3
2011		
	# Tested	Composite
SHS	266	20.5
LOCAL	1868	21.8
STATE	35,870	20.2
2010		
	# Tested	Composite
SHS	299	20.9
LOCAL	1822	21.8
STATE	35,601	20.1