

# Whitmer High School

## 2020-2021 School Profile

### SCHOOL OFFICIALS

#### Superintendent

Dr. Kadee Anstadt

#### Principal

Mrs. Kristine Martin

#### Associate Principals

Mr. Thomas Snook

Ms. Cassie Studnicha-Kusic

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#### Technical Center

Mrs. Debra Heban

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Mrs. April McNamara

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### COMMUNITY

Washington Local Schools are located in the northwest section of the city of Toledo, Ohio. Washington Local Schools is a public school district serving students from kindergarten through 12th grade. At Washington Local Schools, we strive to provide an excellent education and individual attention. The school system is composed of eight elementary schools, two junior high schools and one high school.

### SCHOOL

Whitmer High School is a four-year public comprehensive high school that offers a challenging college preparatory program with an enrollment of 2,188 students in grades 9 through 12 with approximately 500 juniors and seniors enrolled in our Career Technical Center. Whitmer also offers a virtual learning opportunity through the NOVA platform in our Panther Virtual Academy (PVA) that students complete coursework independently. Developed during the 19/20 school year, The Portrait of a Panther identifies empathy, communication, adaptability, integrity, critical thinking, and a learner's mindset as the important 21st century skills that the graduates of Washington Local Schools should embody and exemplify by the time of graduation. These competencies will empower our students to be college, career, and life ready.

### CURRICULUM

Whitmer High School operates on a seven period day. There are two semesters, each with two terms, the first from August to January, and the second from January to June. Credit is granted each semester.

### ADVANCED PLACEMENT AND HONORS PROGRAM

Selected 11th and 12th grade students engage in college-level coursework through Advanced Placement (AP). Whitmer offers the following AP courses: Calculus AB, Chemistry, German Language & Culture, English Literature and Composition, Spanish Language & Culture, Statistics, European History, U.S. History and U.S. Government and Politics.

Whitmer offers the following Honors level courses:

English 9, English 10, Algebra I, Geometry, Algebra II, Pre-Calculus, Physical Science, Biology, Chemistry, Anatomy Physiology, Physics, World History, American History, Sociology, Psychology, and Music. Many of the programs Whitmer's Career Technology Center offer honors credit as well.

### COLLEGE CREDIT PLUS

Students may take classes at local universities or colleges through the College Credit Plus Program. Whitmer partners with the University of Toledo, Lourdes University, and Owens Community College. Many of the Career Technology Center's programs also offer dual enrollment courses where students earn both high school and college credit.

**GRADING SYSTEM**

Whitmer does not identify a valedictorian or a salutatorian. GPA is calculated on a weighted 4.0 scale and includes all high school courses taken at Whitmer.

**GRADING SCALE**

Grade	Point	Honor Pts.	AP Pts.	Grading Scale %
A	4	4.5	5	93-100
A-	3.7	4.2	4.7	90-92
B+	3.3	3.8	4.3	87-89
B	3	3.5	4	83-86
B-	2.7	3.2	3.7	80-82
C+	2.3	2.8	3.3	77-79
C	2	2.5	3	73-76
C-	1.7	2.2	2.7	70-72
D+	1.3	1.8	2.3	67-69
D	1	1.5	2	63-66
D-	0.7	1.2	1.7	60-62
F	0	0	0	0-67

Honors are computed at the end of each term and for graduation:

**Summa Cum Laude** - a student must achieve a 4.0 or higher grade point average on a weighted 4.0 scale.

**Magna Cum Laude** - a student must achieve a 3.750-3.999 grade point average on a weighted 4.0 scale.

**Cum Laude** - a student must achieve a 3.500-3.749 grade point average on a weighted 4.0 scale.

**FACULTY**

Whitmer High School as 170 professionally certified staff members. Approximately 73% have Masters degrees with two thirds having additional post graduate work beyond the masters level.

**WHITMER CAREER TECHNICAL CENTER**

Whitmer offers 15 college tech-prep programs for juniors and seniors that provide students with college level academics and advanced technology. The following Career Technical programs are offered:

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|------------------------|---------------------------|
| Advanced Manufacturing | Culinary Arts             |
| Automotive             | Engineering               |
| Computer Networking    | Media Arts                |
| Cybersecurity          | Medical Technology        |
| Construction           | Medical Assisting         |
| Cosmetology            | Emergency Med. Technician |
| Criminal Justice       | Teaching Professions      |
|                        | Welding                   |

**CLASS OF 2020 COLLEGE ENTRANCE TEST SCORES**

ACT Mean Composite Score: 19

**COLLEGE SELECTION**

The 69% college-bound students plan to attend the following types of institutions: 58% four-year college or university and 11% attend a two- year college. 7% enter the military, 9% seek full-time employment, and 11% are undecided.

**Class of 2020  
College Matriculations**

- Art Institute of Atlanta
- Baker College
- Bluffton University
- Bowling Green State University
- Columbus College of Art & Design
- Eastern Michigan University
- Florida Gulf Coast University
- Hamilton College
- Heidelberg University
- Howard University
- Indiana State University
- Kent State University

- Lake Erie College
- Liberty University
- Lourdes University
- Mercy College of Ohio
- Northern Michigan University
- Oakland University
- Oberlin Conservatory of Music
- Ohio Northern University
- Ohio State University
- Ohio University
- Owens Community College
- Pomona College

- Siena Heights University
- Stautzenberger College
- Tiffin University
- Trine University
- University of Cincinnati
- University of Dayton
- University of Findlay
- University of Northwestern Ohio
- University of Toledo
- West Coast Baptist College