



SAN JUAN ISLAND SCHOOL DISTRICT

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Friday Harbor High School Profile 2015–2016

Principal: Fred Woods Counselor: Gordy Waite

Accreditation

Washington State Board of Education

Northwest Association of Accredited Schools

College Board Code: 480–410

The community of Friday Harbor is located on San Juan Island which is accessible by way of the Washington State Ferries traveling a 35 mile stretch of water from the gateway community of Anacortes, WA.. The remoteness of this small, rural high school of 272 students allows the community to be a strong supporter of the only public high school which is an offspring of it's more than 6,500 year round residents. As a seasonal tourist destination, Friday Harbor has a large middle class made up of retired as well as working class citizens. It has been noted as having one of the lowest earned income levels and highest educational levels of any county in the state of Washington. (Average annual personal income \$29,837). Band Families & Friends, SJI Service Scholarship, Purple & Gold Booster Club and San Juan Public Schools Foundation are a sampling of some community based organizations that participate in the success of our student body.

School Enrollment (Grades 9–12)

272 as of 09/2015

Class of 2016: 34 male 35 female

ETHNICITY at FHHS

- American Indian/Alaska Native 0.5%
 - Asian/Pacific Islander 1.6%
 - Black .6%
 - Hispanic 16.3%
 - Multi-Racial 4.6%
 - White 76.2%

FREE & REDUCED MEALS

- 44.2%

of Washington to design, build, and equip a state-of-the-art STEM facility on the shared high school and middle school campus as part of their Career and Technical Education (CTE) program.

Electives include Culinary Art, International Cooking, Baking, Chef Training, Fine Arts , Photography, Robotics, Aviation, Auto Mechanics, video game design , coding class and Wood Shop as well as Concert and Jazz Bands . We have comprehensive Special Education services, English–Language–Learner instruction and support, and alternative education options.

Over 60% of our student body participate in athletic opportunities at FHHS in one or more of the thirteen seasonal varsity sports or cheerleading. We maintain membership with WIAA in the Northwest 1A/2B League. Through a sound financial partnership with a local tax district known as San Juan Island Park and Recreation sports hold a prominent and secure future for our student body.

Club activities include Associated Student Body Club, Help Out Teens, Junior Soroptimist Club, Key Club, Leos Club, National Honor Society, Sailing Club, Hiking Club and a Film Club. An annual high school play is performed each year which is financially supported by and performed in our beautiful community theater.

The school of Friday Harbor High is a college prep high school with nearly 90% of graduated students attending either a 4 year university, a 2 year community college or technical school.

Our campus network brings technology and computer access to all classrooms and to our three computer labs. Last year, the San Juan Island School District was awarded a million-dollar grant from the State

FHHS AWARDS & MEMBERSHIPS

- 2013/14 ranked #11 Washington State High School by US News & World Report.
- 2012/13 ranked #5 out of 626 Washington State High Schools by US News & World Report.
- CollegeBoard 7th Annual AP Report Top 12 Schools
- 1st Place 2011 Washington State Ocean Science Orca Bowl
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- Connecting School and Community Grant awarded by the Bill and Melinda Gates Foundation 2003–2005
- Washington State Achievement Award 2009 from Office of Superintendent of Public Instruction and Washington State Department of Education

2014–2015 TEST SCORES

Smarter Balanced ELA
10th graders meeting standard
77%

2015 SAT Averages for seniors

- Critical Reading 559
- Math 540
- Writing 546

2015 ACT COMPOSITE SCORES

29.0

End of Course Exam (EOC)

Math 88%

Friday Harbor High School **graduation requirements** include opportunity for a diverse and rigorous curriculum through the following subject area: **English, Math, Science, Social Studies, Fine Arts, P.E. /Health, Tech and Life Skills, Advisory, and Electives.**

- Culmination Project Portfolio which includes an oral presentation
- Smarter Balanced for Reading and Writing
- On time graduation rate from previous years is 91.8%.

Approximately 150 students participate in Advance Placement (AP) classes each year.

The courses listed below are offered on rotation. It is recommended a student take no more than two per year.

*Language & Composition *English Literature *Calculus (AB) *Calculus (BC) *Physics *Chemistry
*Environmental Science *US History *Government *World History *Studio Art * Biology

A sample of colleges and universities
attended by our graduates:

Abilene Christian University

American University, D.C.

Art Institute of Seattle

Baylor University

Boise State University

Brown University

Bryn Mawr

California Lutheran University

Central Washington University

Chapman University

Claremont McKenna College

Colby College

Duke University

Eastern Oregon University

Eastern Washington University

Emory University

Evergreen State College

Georgetown University

Gonzaga University

Haverford College

McGill University

Massachusetts Institute
of Technology

Massachusetts Maritime

Montana State University

Oregon State University

Pacific University

Pacific Lutheran University

Pomona College

Reed College

Santa Clara University

Seattle University

Seattle Pacific University

Stanford University

St. Louis University

Tufts University

University of Portland

University of Puget Sound

University of Washington

University of Arizona

University of Mass./Amherst

University of Montana

University of San Francisco

University of Southern California

University of Washington

Washington State University

Western Washington University

Westminster College

Whitman College

Williams College

Worcester Polytechnic Institute