



Friday Harbor High School Profile 2023-24

Principal: Andrea Hillman

School Counselor: Hailey Henderson-Paul

Accreditation

Washington State Board of Education

Northwest Association of Accredited Schools

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 259 students allows the community to be a strong supporter of the only public high school which is an offspring of it's more than 8,630 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. (Per capita income for the county \$45,777). 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)

259 as of 09/13/2024

Class of 2024: female 30 male 38

ETHNICITY at FHHS

- **American Indian/Alaska Native .8%**
- **Asian/Pacific Islander 1.2%**
- **Black/African American .8%**
- **Hispanic/Latino of any race(s)
22.4%**
- **Multi-Racial 5.8%**

FREE AND REDUCED

MEALS 41.8%

school campus as part of their Career and Technical Education (CTE) program.

Electives include Culinary Art, Chef Training, Fine Arts , Photography, Robotics, Coding class and many other STEM classes as well as Concert and Jazz Bands . We have comprehensive Special Education services, -Multi 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 cheer leading. 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, Key Club, National Honor Society, LatinX, Advocacy Club, and more. 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. In 2022-23 our STEM building was updated with a new art center. The state-of-art facility is on the shared high school and middle

FHHS AWARDS & MEMBERSHIPS

- 2023 Ranked #31 in the state of Washington by US News & World Report
- 2023/24 FHHS thespians earned the Superior Performance award at State, qualifying them for Nationals.
- 2023/24 FHHS Eco -Club was names one of 300 State Finalists in the 14th annual Samsung Solve for Tomorrow competition.
- 2022 College Board 7th Annual AP Report Top 12 Schools
- FHHS has recently been recognized in the areas of marine science, robotics, athletics, drama and art through awards, competitions, and highly acclaimed performances

2023-2024 TEST SCORES

10th graders meeting standard

Smarter Balanced ELA

80%

Smarter Balanced Math

54.6%

11th Grade Science

60%

2024 SAT Averages for Seniors

Reading and Writing 625

Math 592

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 testing for Reading, Writing, Math, and Science
- On time graduation rate from previous years is 94%.

Approximately 150 students participate in Advance Placement (AP) classes and College in the High School 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 Univ.

Oregon State University

Pacific Lutheran Univ.

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 Washington