



ALHS Points of Pride

WELCOME

We are excited to highlight some Points of Pride for our Lancer Scholars. Our staff and students have done an amazing job showing documented growth and improvement, and I am very proud of them. Please take a moment to review this information. ALHS continues offer innovative learning opportunities and free college credit, while improving student outcomes and leading the district in some key growth areas.



CAREER CONNECT

Engaging your future career today

SCHOOL PERFORMANCE FRAMEWORK

POST-SECONDARY READINESS

ALHS continues to provide over 40 FREE College Classes for students saving them money as they prepare for the future.

Pride Highlights

- ❖ Postsecondary Growth from 2016 to 2018 increased 180%
- ❖ Postsecondary Growth from 2017 to 2018 increased 116%
- ❖ Postsecondary Readiness from 2016 to 2018 increased 23%
- ❖ Postsecondary Readiness from 2017 to 2018 increased 43.5%
- ❖ Post-Secondary Readiness Status on the SPF has grown by 8.0 %
- ❖ Over 40 sections of Concurrent Enrollment offered with even more in 2019/20 school year.
- ❖ Student suspensions have had a dramatic drop in the past year by 96%
- ❖ Student and Parent Engagement have grown by over 15%

Abraham Lincoln Historical School Performance Framework

	2015 - 16	2016-17	2017 - 18
Overall	35.42%	33.77%	38.13%
Student Progress Over Time - Growth	39.00%	41.44%	38.70%
Student Achievement - Status	42.00%	7.50%	17.95%
Post-Secondary Readiness - Growth	17.00%	21.79%	47.62%
Post-Secondary Readiness - Status	35.00%	30.14%	43.06%
Student and Parent Engagement	43.00%	54.17%	60.71%

SPF

School Performance Framework

The School Performance Framework is the measure used by Denver Public School to monitor the progress schools are making in student growth, student achievement, post-secondary readiness growth, post-secondary readiness status and student and parent engagement.

Points of Growth

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- ❖ Postsecondary Growth from 2017 to 2018 increased 116%*
- ❖ Postsecondary Readiness from 2016 to 2018 increased 23%*
- ❖ Postsecondary Readiness from 2017 to 2018 increased 43.5%*

* Rate of Change for Postsecondary Readiness Status is measured by:

$$\frac{|Starting Value - Ending Value|}{Starting Value}$$

Points of Growth compared to other comprehensive high schools in Denver Public Schools

- ❖ ALHS continues to close Academic Gaps. ALHS has gone from #3 in the network of comprehensive high schools (42.0%) to number #2 (43.4%) for closing Academic Gaps
- ❖ ALHS has improved growth for Student Progress Over Time climbing from number 7 out of 8 comprehensive high schools to number 2 out of 8 comprehensive high schools.

Equity

Equity is measured in two primary areas: Median growth percentile on state assessment within school gaps, and percent of students at benchmark on state assessment. Both of these are indicators are measured for English Learners, Free and Reduced Lunch, and Students of Color. These measurements are the difference between the State Assessment status performance on EBRW/Literacy, Math, and Science for students in SPF focus groups and their respective reference groups at a given school.

State Assessment MGP

Free/Reduce Lunch -- **MEETS**
 English Learners -- **APPROACHING**
 Students of Color -- not measured in 2018

Percent of students at benchmark

Free/Reduce Lunch -- **MEETS**
 English Learners -- **Does Not Meet**
 Students of Color -- **MEETS**

CareerConnect allows students to engage career experiences in meaningful ways. Students can take classes in one of five pathways including:

- Technology, Maker, Creative, Education, and Ace (Special Education).

Students may also engage work-based learning programs through:

- CareerX, CareerCoach, CareerLaunch, CareerApprenticeship



Career Connect

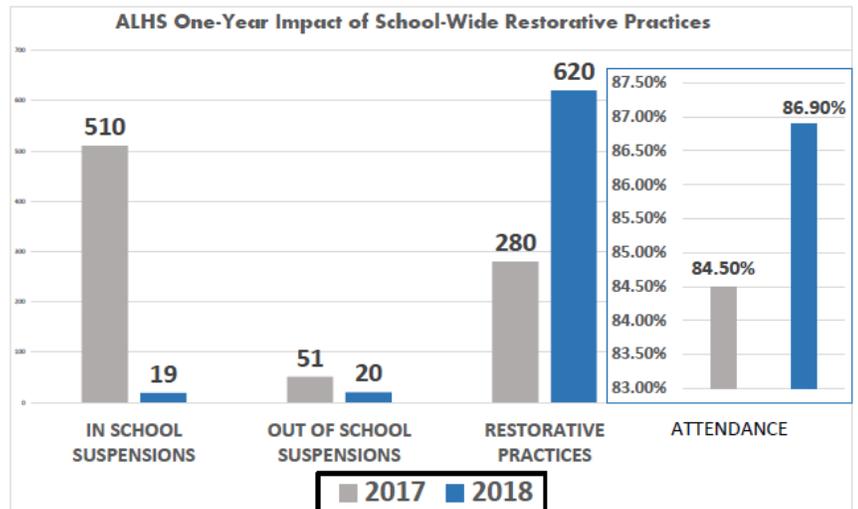
Career Connect offers innovative learning opportunities leading to real world and truly transformative experiences for students enrolled in one of the ALHS CareerConnect Pathways.

Through the Career Connect Program, students earn paid work experience, mentoring through industry experts, and free college credit.

- ❖ Career Apprenticeship and Career Launch Internship: 72 students are currently getting paid work experience that also counts for course credit through Internships and Apprenticeships
- ❖ Career Coach Mentorships: 36 students have a 1-on-1 Mentor through Microsoft, HomeAdvisor and AIGA
- ❖ Career X Job Shadows: 120 students will participate in some type of off campus career exploration activity through CareerX
- ❖ 50% of students enrolled in one of 5 CareerConnect pathways to explore possible careers with an average 93% pass rate.

Student Engagement

The expansion of whole child supports ensures that students have the academic, social, emotional, and physical supports they need to help their academic success and personal wellbeing. Through our work with restorative practices, ALHS has seen a 96% decrease in in-school suspensions, and a 61% decrease in out-of-school suspensions.



Concurrent Enrollment

The Concurrent Enrollment program at ALHS allows students to earn free college credits while attending high school.

Our ALHS has a robust be a Community College of Denver Satellite campus. Becoming a satellite campus would allow:

- Unrestricted ability to offer Concurrent Enrollment courses towards an Associates of Science or Associates of Arts
- Ability to offer college courses after school hours to parents, families and the greater Lancer community
- Collaborative relationship between CCD and ALHS to prepare all students for college or career
- Access for adults to take college classes in the evenings at ALHS

ALHS has a rich concurrent enrollment program, increasing our offering from hosting 5 concurrent enrollment classes in two subject areas, to over 40 sections of concurrent enrollment offered in Math, English, Political Science, Communications, Sociology, Criminal Justice, Children's Literature, and US History. In 2019/20, additional classes include concurrent enrollment in Biology.

ALHS's Students save an average of **\$600,000** each year by taking free concurrent enrollment classes at ALHS.

Seniors complete their college Algebra and English during the Senior Year through concurrent enrollment. Starting in 2019/20, all juniors will complete their Science and Social Studies elective through concurrent enrollment.

Seal of Bi-Literacy and Spanish Minor

ALHS is a district leader in the number of students who earn the valuable and marketable Seal of Bi-Literacy. The Seal of Bi-literacy is awarded to students who have demonstrated post-secondary readiness in both their native language and a second language.

- ❖ 45 students took the test this year and are awaiting results
- ❖ 56 students have already the Seal of Bi-Literacy (11 Juniors and 45 Seniors)
- ❖ Ten (10) students will graduate in 2019 with a Spanish Minor from Metro State University.
- ❖ 51 additional students are currently enrolled in the program.



Graduation Rates

Historical Graduation Rates

Graduation rates are measured by 4-year, 5-year and 6-year completion. The 5-year graduation rate is pertinent for ALHS for two reasons. First, many of our students transfer in from out of the country and need an extra year to fulfill the graduation requirement of 4 years of English. Second, our students with special needs, who are served in three center programs, also received additional services that require more than four years to fulfill graduation requirements.

	4-year	5-year	6-year
2017/18	73.3%	n/a	n/a
2016/17	75.3%	86.4%	n/a
2015/16	74.4%	91.3%	93.1%

Post-Secondary Readiness

- ❖ 21 students in paid Apprenticeships while pursuing Associate Degrees
- ❖ 130 students accepted to college (66%)
- ❖ 150 applied to college (81%)
- ❖ 116 Seniors completed FAFSA (60%)
- ❖ The class of 2019 has already earned over \$600,000 in scholarships

SAT Scores

	Spring 2017	Spring 2018	2018/19 Spring Practice
11 th Grade	861	858	925

The SAT is a standardized test used for college admissions in the United States. SAT is one of the indicators for school performance. ALHS administers the test every April. In preparation for the test, ALHS provides students multiple opportunities to practice.