

Amos Alonzo Stagg

1862-1964

PURPOSES OF OPEN HOUSE



- Give school history, background, construction, academic curriculum, sports, co-curricular activities, and other opportunities at Stagg for students and parents.
- Discuss registration and registration procedures *January 30-31.*
- Answer questions about Amos Alonzo Stagg High School.

PEOPLE

FACULTY:

There are 167 certified teachers and pupil personnel support staff, 73% with Masters Degrees or beyond. The student-teacher ratio is 13.25 to 1.

STUDENTS:

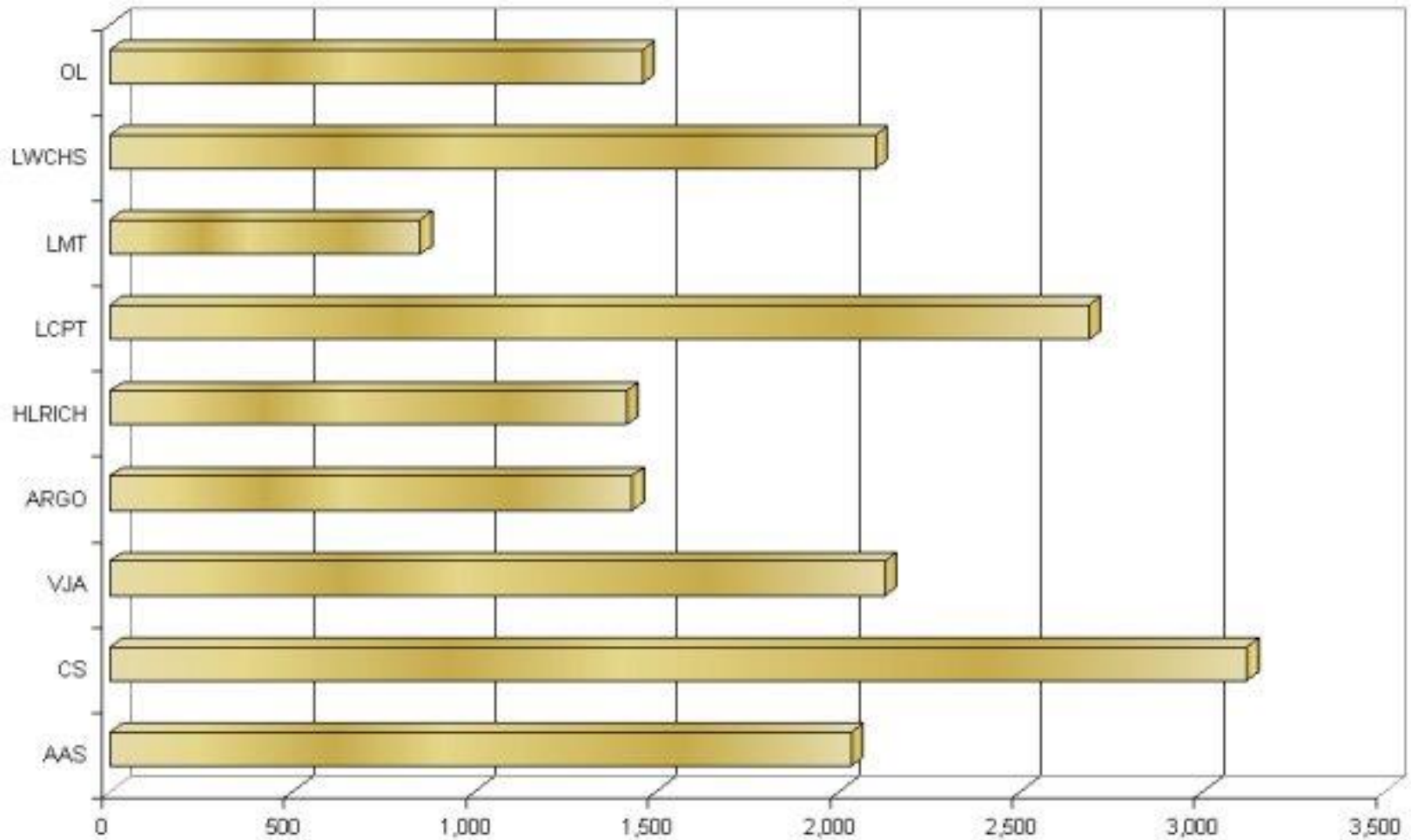
Over seventy-five percent of the graduates of Amos Alonzo Stagg High School continue their education at over sixty secondary institutions. There are 2,174 students enrolled for the 2001-02 school year.





- Opened in 1964
- Stagg serves the communities of Bridgeview, Hickory Hills, Orland Park, Palos Heights, Palos Hills, Palos Park, Willow Springs and Worth.
- Palos Hills has won three consecutive Governor's Hometown Awards.
- Stagg High School is a recipient of the U.S. Office of Education Secondary School of Excellence Award.

Comparision Enrollment

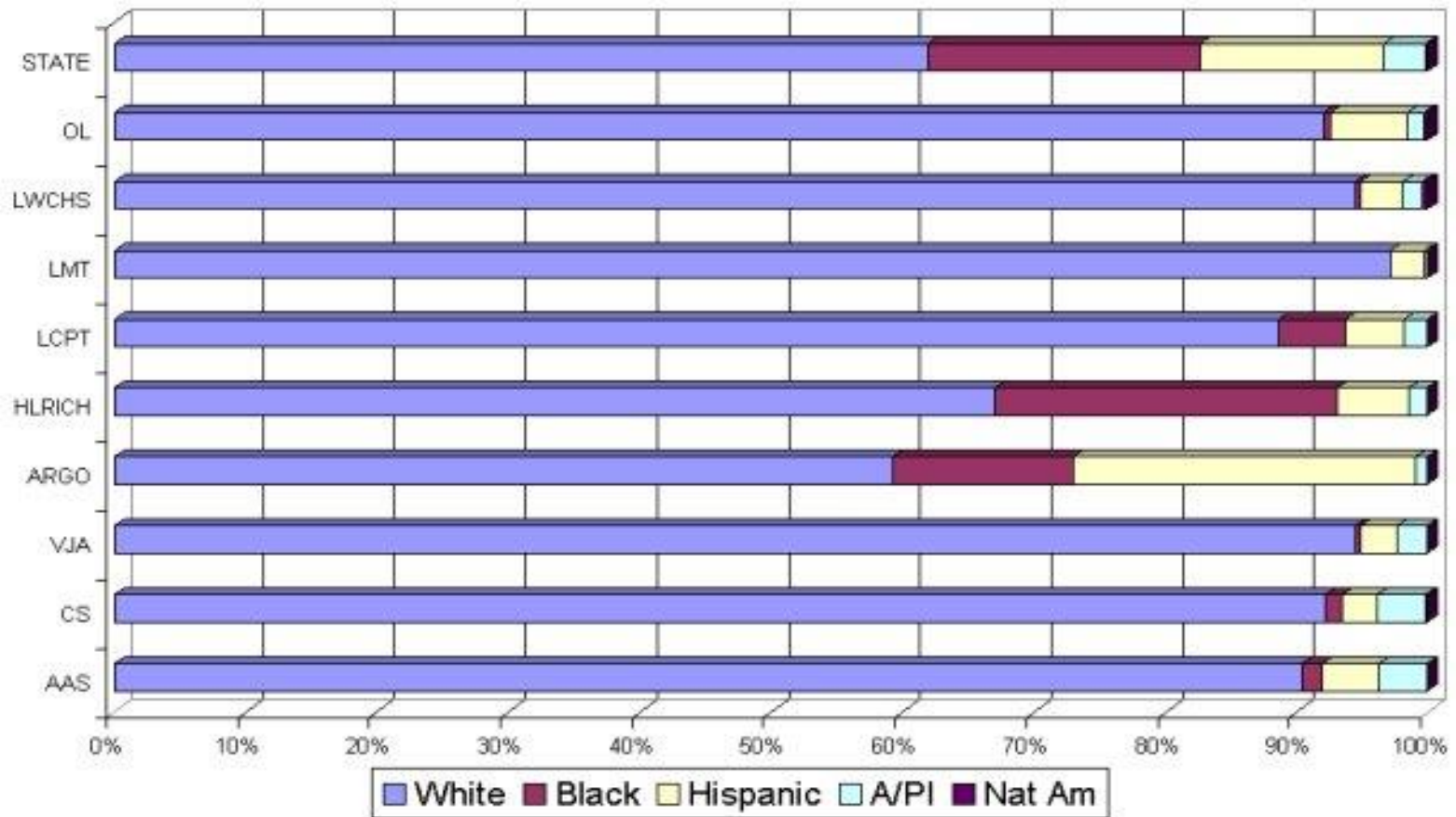


Stagg Enrollment for 2002-2003 will be approximately 2,180.

School	White	African American	Hispanic	Asian/Pacific Islander	Native American
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A.A. Stagg H.S.	90.30%	1.60%	4.30%	3.60%	0.10%
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Racial/Ethnic Background



AMOS ALONZO STAGG HIGH SCHOOL

CONS. HIGH SCHOOL DISTRICT 230, COOK COUNTY

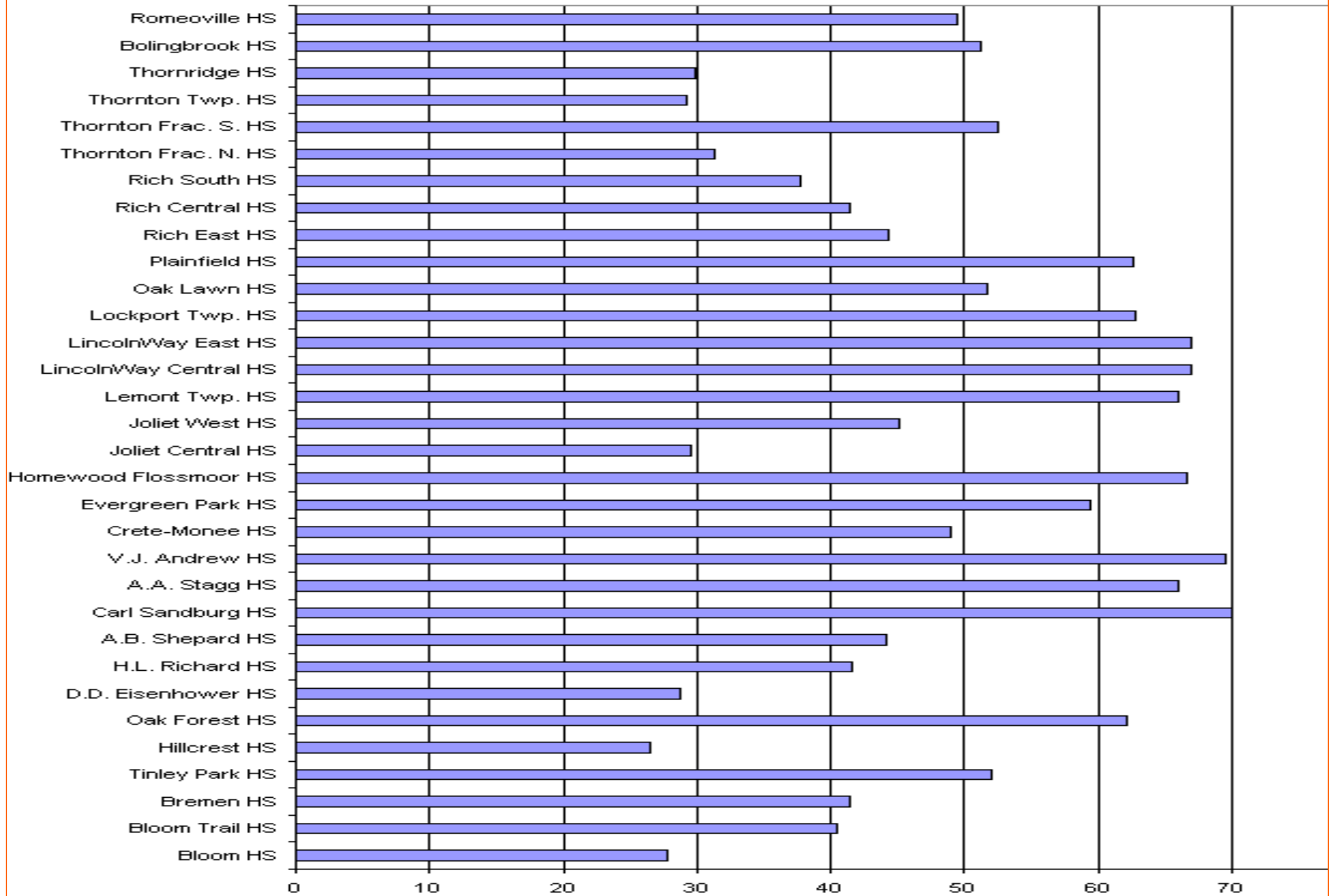
2001 Prairie State Achievement Exam Results

2001 % passing	66
11th grade reading	66
11th grade math	66
11th grade writing	69
11th grade science	62
11th grade social science	67

2001 ACT Results

ACT composite score	22.4
ACT English	21.8
ACT math	22.9
ACT reading	22.2
ACT science	22.4

PRAIRIE STATE ACHIEVEMENT EXAMINATION
PERCENTAGE OF STUDENTS TAKING TEST WHO MET OR EXCEEDED STATE STANDARDS
SOURCE OF INFORMATION - SOUTHTOWN ECONOMIST 11-15-01

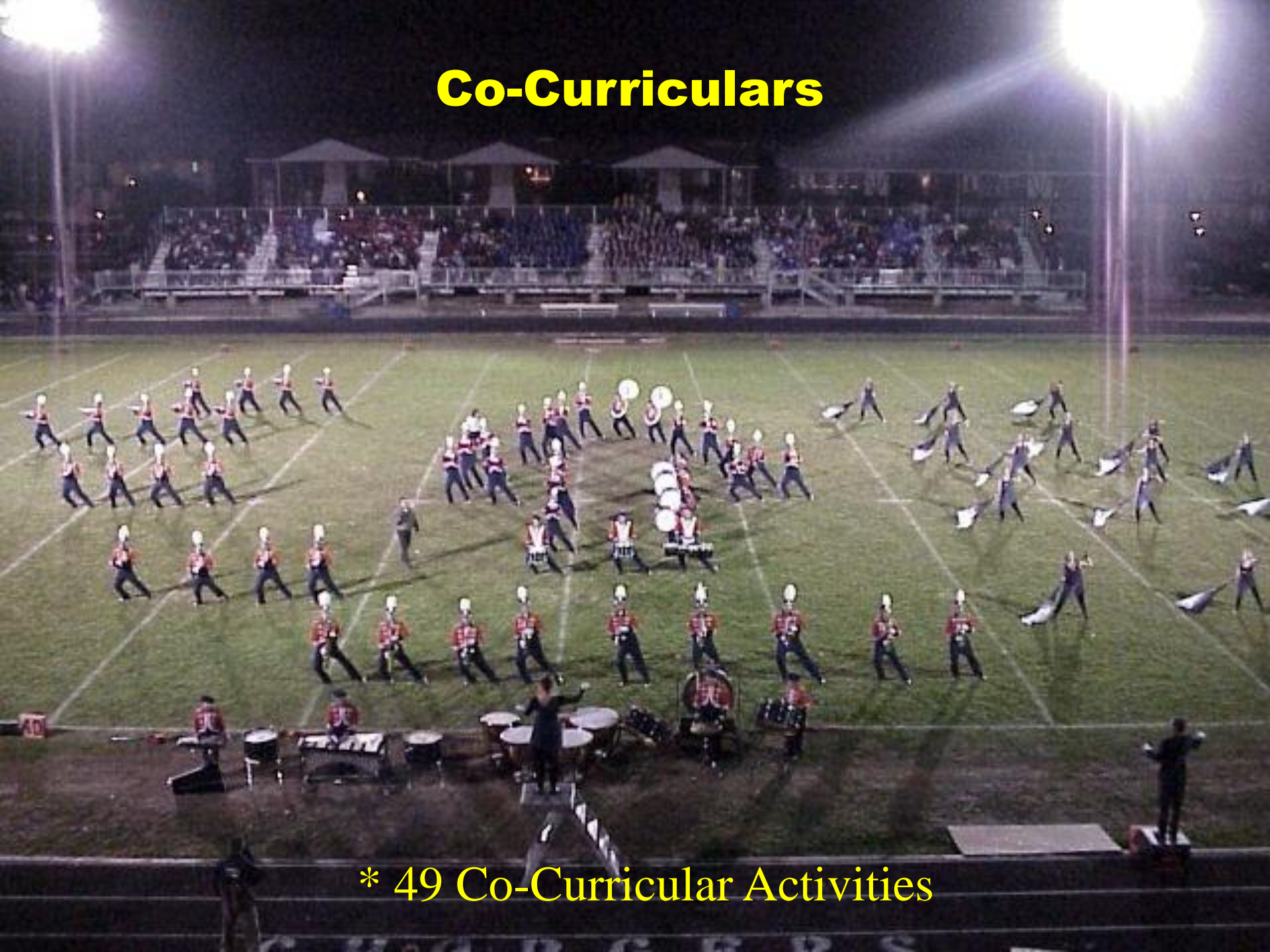


A male athlete with short dark hair is shown from the chest up, wearing a red singlet. The singlet has "STAGG" printed in large, bold, black letters with a white outline across the chest. Below the letters is a logo of a white stag head. The background is a blurred outdoor setting, possibly a track or field.

Stagg Athletics & Co-Curriculars

- 28 sports for girls and boys to participate

Co-Curriculars



* 49 Co-Curricular Activities

ACADEMIC SUPPORT FOR STUDENTS

- Academic Advisory for Freshman
- Common Plan Time
- Resource Centers- MRC, WRC, FLRC



Parent Organizations

- Parent, Staff, Student Association (PSSA) – Tony Delach
- Athletic Booster Association – Ken Krausz
- Music Booster Association – Tony Muscolino
- Party 2002 – Ann Walsh
- Principal's Forum & CPO Meetings



Level System, Honors Programs, Weighted Grades, GPA

Assignment to Levels

- **Placement test**
- **Three academic levels: Honors, Academic, or Basic.**
- **Placement decisions are made by the department chairs based on test scores and articulation with junior high school teachers.**
- **A student may be placed in different ability levels in different subject areas.**
- **Level changes are made during 1st semester.**

Honors and Advanced Placement Programs

- **Honors programs are available in English, Foreign Language, Mathematics, and Science.**
- **Advanced placement courses are provided in American History, Art, Biology, Calculus, Chemistry, Economics, European History, English, French, German, Government, Latin, Physics and Spanish, Psychology, Statistics and Computer Science.**

Placement for 8th Grade Students

- Placement depends on junior high teacher recommendations, previous performance in class, and the EXPLORE test.
- To be placed in some Honors classes it may be necessary to take other placement exams. Junior High teachers are aware of these classes and what tests are necessary for these students.
- Mathematics placement is based on the EXPLORE test, the PASS PLAN test, and junior high teacher recommendations.



ADVANCED PLACEMENT AND GRADING SCALE

DISTRIBUTION OF ADVANCED PLACEMENT SCORES:

206 examinations were taken in U.S. History, U.S. Government and Politics, European History, English Literature and Composition, English Language and Composition, Spanish Language, Calculus AB, Chemistry, Biology, German Language, Macro Economics, Micro Economics, and Physics.

Scores included: fifty 5's, sixty-two 4's, and sixty-five 3's.

MARKING SYSTEM:

Letter grades of A, B, C, D and F are given in all areas. P = passing and is not included in the G.P.A. Grades earned in all courses are used to determine class rank and honor roll according to the grade point system below:

Honors & Advanced Placement Courses:

A+ = 5.3, a = 5., B+ = 4.3, B = 4., C+ = 3.3, C = 3., D+ = 1.3, D = 1., F = 0

All Other Courses:

A+ = 4.3, A = 4, B+ = 3.3, B = 3, C+ = 2.3, C = 2, D+ = 1.3, D = 1, E = 0

EXPLORE Placement Test for 8th Grade Students

- December 15th from 7:30 – 11:45 at Stagg
- Written by *ACT*
- Reading - 30 Minutes, 30 Questions
- English – 30 Minutes, 40 Questions
- Mathematics – 30 Minutes, 30 Questions
- Science Reasoning – 30 Minutes, 28 Questions
- Writing Sample – 30 Minutes



EXPLORE Placement Test Information

- Drop off students at 7:30 a.m. on December 15th at Stagg.
- Students may use a calculator
- Students must use # 2 pencils on the test
- Results of all placement tests will be given by January 17th.



Registration Dates

Pre-Registration January 17th

6:00 p.m – 8:00 p.m.

Registration January 30 and January 31

5:00 p.m. – 8:30 p.m.

Important Materials to Bring to Registration

- Official Birth Certificate
- Current proof of residence (contract, gas bill, electric bill)
- Bring student's social security number

Questions ?

