

# TOLLESON UNION HIGH SCHOOL DISTRICT 2024-2025 FACT SHEET



**Established: January 24, 1914**








## DISTRICT DEMOGRAPHICS

- 102.5 square miles, serving Tolleson, Avondale, Glendale, Phoenix and the Gila River Indian Reservation
- 14,178 students
- 1,400 employees



## ETHNICITY

- Hispanic - 78.73%
- Black/African American - 9.86%
- White- 5.75%
- Asian - 1.79%
- Two or more ethnicities/Mixed - 2.32%
- American Indian/Alaskan Native - 1.16%
- Native Hawaiian/Pacific Islander - 0.38%

## 7 HIGH SCHOOLS

-  • Copper Canyon HS (Aztecs) - Positive Behavioral Interventions and Supports School of Distinction
-  • La Joya Community HS (Lobos) - Most Advanced Placement classes offered
-  • Sierra Linda HS (Bulldogs) - Positive Behavioral Interventions & Supports School of Distinction
-  • Tolleson Union HS (Wolverines) - AP Capstone Nationally Ranked
-  • University HS- Highest ranked high school in the West Valley; named one of the country's National Blue Ribbon Schools in 2021
-  • Westview HS (Knights)- 90% of teachers have 10+ years of experience
-  • West Point HS (Dragons) - Dual Enrollment/AP Placement Courses

## 3 ALTERNATIVE HIGH SCHOOLS

-  • Distance Learning Academy: TUHSD's Online High School
-  • Continuing Education Academy
-  • Lighthouse Academy

## TUHSD FAST FACTS

- 85.95% Graduation Rate (State 77.79%)
- 2.61% Dropout Rate (State 4.99%)
- 1:1 Student to Computer Ratio - District-wide Average
- TUHSD Graduates Attend Nationally Ranked Universities Such as Harvard,
- West Point Academy, M.I.T., and Stanford, in Addition to State Universities

## OVER \$55 MILLION IN SCHOLARSHIPS AWARDED TO TUHSD 2024 GRADUATES

- Copper Canyon HS- \$8.7 million
- La Joya Community HS- \$8.8 million
- Sierra Linda HS - \$4.2 million
- Tolleson Union HS - \$4.7 million
- University HS - \$8 million
- Westview HS- \$4.8 million
- West Point HS - \$17.1 million

## PROGRAMS

- Honors, Dual Enrollment and Advanced Placement Classes
- Activities include: Drama/Theater, Music, Art, Band, Dance, Mariachi & JROTC
- University High School is the highest ranked school in the West Valley
- Exceptional Student Services Offered
- Career & Technical Programs Offered With West-MEC Partnership
- National Merit Scholars Recognized Annually

## TRANSPORTATION

- Almost One Million Miles Driven
- 53 yellow/21 white buses/9 vans
- 53 bus routes

## FOOD AND NUTRITION

- 339,442 Breakfasts Served
- 1,323,807 Lunches Served
- 43,464 Suppers Served

**Mission:** We cultivate the future success of all students and staff so they can enrich our community.

**Vision:** Empowering a student-centered community of learners to be the leaders of tomorrow.

**Motto:** Excellence in Every Endeavor

**Values:** **S.E.R.V.I.C.E**

**Safety, Empathy, Visionary, Integrity, Curiosity, Excellence**

**Superintendent** Jeremy Calles

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