



SCHOOL PROFILE

Rank

Iman Academy Southwest does not rank students. The identification of the valedictorian and salutatorian shall be based on academic excellence, GPA, AP courses taken. Valedictorian and salutatorian candidates must complete at least three semesters of academic work at Iman Academy Southwest to be considered.

GPA Calculation

GPA is computed using the below un-weighted quality points, beginning with any high school credit taken in 7th and 8th grade and all credit attempted in grades 9 through 12 in all subjects whether passed or failed. All transfer credit, credit by exam, and dual credit that is accepted as credit by Iman Academy SW is included in the GPA computation.

Grading		GPA Points Awarded
A – Excellent	90-100	4.0
B - Above Average	80-89	3.0
C – Average	70-79	2.0
D – Below Average	60-69	1.0
F – Failed	50 or below	0.0

Colleges attended by Iman Academy Southwest graduates over the last five years

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| Harvard College | Rice University |
| University of Houston-Honors Program | University of California Los Angeles (UCLA) |
| Stanford University | Texas A&M |
| New York University (NYU) | Davidson College |
| University of Texas at Austin | Houston Community College System |

Community

A 30,000+ square foot facility was purchased for the expansion of Iman Academy Southwest. Iman Academy Southwest campus serves the educational needs of Houston’s Southwest end. Located in one of the fastest growing areas, the campus enjoys a diversified socio-economic base. The student body is culturally diverse with a population of 33% Arab, 33% Southwest Asian, and 33% other.

School

Currently, the campus consists of one high school, one middle school, and one elementary school with a 1-5, 6-8 and 9-12 grade-level configurations. The southwest campus also includes one private licensed accredited child care facility (FAITH Childcare) on site that serves Infants through Kindergarten. The elementary school is an international baccalaureate (IB) PYP candidate. Iman Academy Southwest High School is a comprehensive four year private school enrolling 80 students in grades 9 through 12. The school opened in the fall of 1996 and graduated its first senior class in the spring of 2009. Iman Academy Southwest is accredited by the AdvancedEd Southern Association of Colleges and Schools Council on Accreditation and School Improvement (AdvancedEd SACS CASI) and holds membership in the College Board, the National Honor Society, among others.



Curriculum

The academic program is organized on a rotating block schedule. Ten (10) credits per semester is the maximum course load; students take two 90 minute block schedules, and six 45 minute class schedule. Students attend 2 block classes and the regular class daily. Block classes are year-long; each block meets every day. Block Scheduling was instituted in 2008. We follow a semester report card system.

Dual Credit

The Iman Academy Dual Credit program enables juniors/seniors to enroll in freshman courses and earn college credits at local institutions of higher education. Iman Academy Southwest has partnered with the Houston Community College System to attain college credit as well as high school credit as a part of the graduation requirements.

Advanced Placement (AP)

Students are encouraged to take a rigorous course load of AP classes and we believe in AP for all. On average we have approximately 30 AP exams administered each year. We had 5 AP Scholar Honors and 15 students scoring a 3, 4, or 5 on their AP exam in 2011-2012.

AP courses are offered in English language, English Literature, U.S. History, Government (United States and Comparative), Biology, Chemistry, Physics, Art History, Economics, AP Calculus, and Psychology. AP English Language is offered in 10th grade. AP is an open enrollment program, following the methodology of AP for all.

Pre-AP classes are offered in English and Math through the College Board Spring Board program starting in 6th grade.

Transcripts

Final grades will be posted to the transcript after graduation in May. Mid-year grades will be posted to the transcript in January. Current report card grades will be noted on the transcript any time before the above mentioned months.

Post-High School Placement

90% matriculated to a 4- year college and or university
10% matriculated to a 2-year institution

Awards and Distinctions

National Merit Finalist Candidate,
2010-2011, 2011-2012
National Merit Commended Scholar 2011-2012
National Honor Society Academic Finalists
2010-2011
AP Scholars 2010-2011, 2011-2012
PSIA Regional and State Finalists 2009-2010,
2010-2011, 2011-2012 (Math and Science State
Champions)

Sim City Engineering Finalist 2010-2011,
2011-2012
Houston Bar Association Mock Trial Participants
2010-2011, 2011-2012
Math Count Finalists 2010-2011, 2011-2012
Houston Spelling Bee Finalists, 2011-2012
Houston World Affairs Council Academic World
Quest Finalist 2010-2011

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