



# Robbinsdale Armstrong High School




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David Dahl is the principal at Armstrong. He has worked for the district for 20 years, and is beginning his 14th year as head principal at Armstrong. Mr. Dahl is a proud graduate of the University of Minnesota.

**Grades: 9-12**  
**Remodeled: 1999-2006**  
**Enrollment: 2000**  
**School Hours: 7:20 a.m.-2:10 p.m.**

**Armstrong Mission:**  
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## The Armstrong Experience

The Armstrong staff is dedicated to providing a quality education for our students. Our students receive a rigorous, well-rounded education based on a wide range of curricular choices and enrichment opportunities. We offer challenging and engaging curriculum in all areas, for all students and ability levels. We promote a quality learning environment, foster intellectual development, promote positive relationships among our students and prepare our students for the responsibilities of productive living.

## Outstanding Curriculum

### AP

The Advanced Placement (AP) program at Armstrong is one of the largest AP programs in the state of Minnesota, offering AP courses in English, social studies, science, math, global language, art and music. AP is a voluntary program that offers students an opportunity to take one or more college-level courses while still in high school.

### AVID

Advancement Via Individual Determination (AVID) is an academic support program that prepares students, especially those who will be the first in their family to attend college, to attend and succeed in college. The AVID curriculum is an elective course, and is based on rigorous standards developed by middle and high school teachers and college professors. It is driven by analytical writing, inquiry, collaboration and reading. It also focuses on study skills, test-taking skills, note taking, research, organization, critical thinking, goal setting, choosing a college and preparing for college entrance and placement exams.

### College Possible

College Possible is a program that is designed to make college admission and success possible for students of limited economic means through an intense curriculum of coaching and support, which includes ACT/SAT test preparation, college application assistance, financial aid consulting, guidance in college transition, and support toward degree completion.



## School Activities

At Armstrong, there are more than 75 school-sponsored teams, clubs, performing and fine arts activities and sports. Armstrong's school sports teams compete in the Northwest Suburban Conference. In addition to sports, Armstrong offers activities and clubs including: musicals, plays, choir, band (including marching and jazz bands), orchestra, yearbook, newspaper, math team, speech, debate, National Honor Society, cultural leadership council, global language clubs, trap shooting, cycle club, and many other club and intramural sports.

## The Arts

The arts are a central part of Armstrong. Students have opportunities to foster life-long interest and self-expression in the arts through the courses in drama, vocal and instrumental music, creative writing and the visual arts.

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