

**What do some high school seniors have to say about the Troy School District?**

*(Taken from the 2014 Senior Survey when asked, "What did Troy School District do well in your education?")*

"Growing up in Troy was one of the best possible situations I could have been placed in. The Troy community is amazing and I loved how connected the town was with the school. I've held so much pride being able to call myself a Trojan. Sports are amazing, classmates love each other, the school is safe and teachers are trustworthy."

"THS did well when it came to personal relationships between students and teachers. Due to the small size of the school, it is easy for teachers to get to know students and vice versa."

"Troy offered many different extra-curricular activities. Teachers are always willing to help out a student who asks for it."

"Troy did well with mostly everything."  
"Athletics!"

"Very nice school with good activities for the kids."

They did well with, "Helping the Special Education kids".

"Good teaching staff."

"(Troy) created a community environment."

"I think Troy was very good at making our school feel like a community. I think it was really cool getting to know other students through home rooms."

"Teachers were always able to help and they were available."

"Troy has done well with making sure kids are on the right track, no matter what level."

"The teachers were very helpful and willing to work with us."

"flexible and one-on-one student to teacher..."

"Teachers always had time for the students when we needed help."



# What do some parents have to say about the Troy School District?

*Taken from the 2013 parent satisfaction survey.*

"... I have been very impressed with every teacher in the elementary school, the teamwork and the genuine care they exhibit for my kids and their success. I like our "management" team that we have in place from the principals, athletic director, superintendent, secretaries and board members."

"Science Program: Both teachers make science a good learning experience. They do experiments and incorporate science into life through the science fair and by the way they teach the class. They are both also willing to help students at any time."

"I love that Brad Malm (Jr.Sr. High Principal) teaches respect and pride in your school..."

"FFA program - Mr. Braun runs an exceptional program and devotes many extra hours to helping kids succeed. His program helps kids excel far beyond just FFA activities."

"The school is very inviting to families. I felt my child received an excellent education this year and all of his needs as a student and child were addressed and handled appropriately. He absolutely loved going to school."

"The students individual needs and interests are met well. Students that excel in one area can take more advanced classes while students that need extra help are well supported by resource staff."

"Great principals. Great community support..."

"The college recruiter was surprised at how much service learning opportunities my child had in such a small school and the high level of academic classes she was able to take and excel in."

"The school building and grounds are very nice and well taken care of. Brad Malm, James Stoner, and Janet Schetzle (Jr.-Sr. High Staff) represent the school well. Many of the teachers do a very good job. The coaches that my children have had (football, volleyball, boys' and girls' basketball and track, are very professional and knowledgeable. We are quite proud to say that our children attend school at Troy!"

"...teachers go above and beyond what is really asked of them to help the children succeed."

"...the teachers really WANT our kids to learn...not just get them through to the next level. My child has had many after/before school meetings with teachers who offered up additional assistance beyond the classroom."

"The Jr/Sr High is very well run. Brad Malm (Jr.-Sr. High Principal) does an excellent job as does his support staff. I like that the kids are held accountable for their actions. I was worried about my son being in with high school aged students, but he had no problems with any of them this year. The atmosphere there is respectful and made my son feel secure. He loves it there. Also, I personally love that they focus on academics and reward the kids for doing well (pizza for honor roll and the awards presented by the teachers at the end of the year)."

"I like the class sizes and the communication with most of the teachers."

"High standards set for students to abide by, quality of teachers, community"

"Love the size of the school, the staff and the high standards at Troy..."