

What are your favorite things about YDHS?

- ❖ Teachers who support, listen, and help you on an everyday basis
- ❖ Smaller classes and the individual attention you get
- ❖ Diversity
- ❖ The people and equality that you experience here every day
- ❖ The availability of snacks!
- ❖ Accelerated credits
- ❖ Students are well taken care of
- ❖ The humor
- ❖ The community feel
- ❖ Teachers care and help you work harder toward your graduation progress

*"I like Yaakoosge because there's a lot more focus on your education. They refuse to give up on you and work with you to succeed."*  
- M. (student)



## Want to Enroll?

Call our school to schedule an appointment:  
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We are in the Marie Drake building  
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*"The teachers and staff really seem to care about each of the students and work to help them succeed in life, not just school."*

- A. (Parent)

YDHS is an accredited high school that issues its own diploma as part of the Juneau School District.

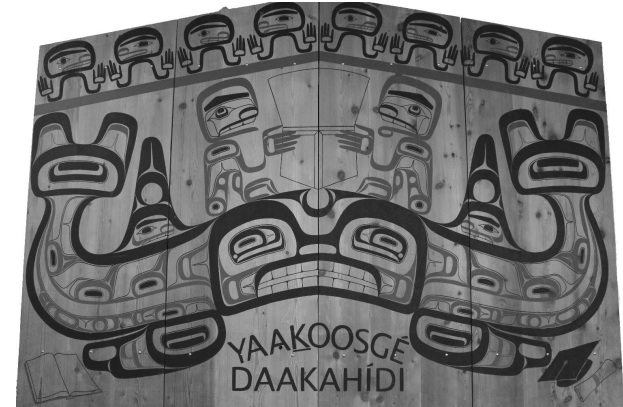
We are fully accredited by:



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## HOUSE OF KNOWLEDGE

*Helping Students Believe  
And Achieve:  
What a great way to succeed!*



Promoting the academic, work readiness, and social success of all students as they earn a high school diploma.

**B**right  
Positive **R**isk-Taker  
**A**spiring  
**N**oble  
**D**ependable

*We ride for the brand!*

## Regular Attendance is Crucial

- ❖ Students can earn a semester credit (.5) for each class in a quarter in core classes - a total of 10+credits/year.
- ❖ Students who miss over 5 days of class may be dropped from a class and lose credit for the quarter. This requirement varies depending on the type of class.

## Why have an advisor?

- Your Advisor is a teacher who acts as a go-between for school and home.
- Advisory helps students to organize their educational plans, their lives, and their issues in a private and supportive setting.
- On certain weeks, students do community service in their advisory classes for 2 hours or so. The activities vary, benefit the community, and help build character.
- Once a month, advisory time is spent doing a fun activity outside of school.

***"So far, I like this school a lot. Everyone's nice, the environment is completely different. Best school I've been to - I should have come here sooner."***

***- First impressions from K. (student)***

## STUDENT SUPPORTS @ YDHS

### TEEN HEALTH CENTER

A nurse from Public Health and a counselor from Juneau Youth Services are in the building several days a week for all students with parental permission.

### AVID

Any student at YDHS can enroll in AVID (Advancement Via Individual Determination). This elective provides support for students who want to push themselves to be ready for college and beyond.

### STUDY HALL

The schedule on Mondays and Fridays allows for all students to participate in study hall for the last part of the school day.

### SOFAA

**S**aturday **O**pportunities **F**or **A**cademic **A**chievement from 10 AM to 1 PM on many Saturdays each quarter for students to make up missing work and bring up grades.



## Earning credit outside of the school building

There are several ways to earn credit outside of the traditional classroom experience. Students can:

- enroll in PLATO classes
- take independent PE
- earn credit for work or service experiences
- enroll in before/after school dual credit classes at TMHS/JDHS (fisheries, construction, ETT/EMT)
- enroll in courses directly through UAS and earn dual credit for high school & college

Talk to your advisor about how these work.

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