

SOUTHERN LEE HIGH SCHOOL

SCHOOL PROFILE 2023-2024

"Home of the Cavaliers"

Accredited by AdvancED

CEEB SCHOOL CODE: 343524

2301 Tramway Road Sanford, NC 27332

Phone: (919) 718-2400 Fax: (919) 718-2410

Student Services Phone: (919) 718-2404 Fax: (919) 718-2403

www.lee.k12.nc.us/southernlee

Principal: Molly Poston

Assistant Principals: Angela Colvin, Karen Jarrell, Ernest Purnsley and Amy Salter

Southern Lee High School Mission Statement:

Southern Lee High School will be an educational leader in fostering respect, responsibility, and safety among all members of the school community to ensure the success of all learners in a complex, changing world.

General Information:

Lee County is a rural community situated in the geographic center of North Carolina. Sanford offers a small town atmosphere with convenient access to Raleigh, Durham, Chapel Hill and Research Triangle area. Opening in 2005, Southern Lee became the second high school in Lee County to serve grades 9-12. The Southern Lee Cavaliers are a member of the Sandhills 3A/4A Athletic Conference.

GPA and Rank Information:

Southern Lee is on a 4x4 Block Schedule; students take 4 classes, 90 minutes each, per semester. Southern Lee High School reports quarter and semester grades on a numerical scale. At the end of each semester, calculations for class rank and grade point average will be based on the conversion of numerical grades to a 4.0 scale. Rank is cumulative and includes all grades earned in 9-12. Weighted grades are awarded with honors, advanced placement and selected dual enrollment courses.

Honors Course Offerings:

Accounting I Quickbooks
Adobe Visual Design
American History
Animal Science II Small Animal Applications
of Engineering Part A & B (AOE) Applied
Finance (AOF)
Biology
Carpentry II
Chemistry
Civic Literacy
Delivering Customer Service (AOHT) Drafting
I & Drafting-Engineering II, III
Earth Environmental Science
Economics and Personal Finance
English I, II, III, IV
Entrepreneurship II
Event Planning (AOHT)
Financial Planning (AOF)

Financial Services (AOE)
Food and Nutrition II
Forensic Science
Foundations of Engineering and Tech. A & B (AOE)
Foundations of Health Science (AOLS)
French III, IV
Geography for Tourism (AOHT)
Health Science II (AOLS)
Hospitality Marketing (AOHT)
Journalism III
Math II, III and IV
Physics
Pre-Calculus
Principles of Finance (AOF)
Principles of Hospitality and Tourism (AOHT)
Professional Ethics (AOF)
Spanish III, IV
Sustainable Tourism (AOHT)
Visual Arts Proficient, Advanced
World History

AOHT (Academy of Hospitality Tourism)

AOE (Academy of Engineering)

AOBF (Academy of Business Finance)

AOLS (Academy of Life Science)

Advanced Placement Course Offerings:

Biology
Calculus AB/BC
English Language & Composition

English Literature & Composition
Environmental Science
Psychology
Statistics

Graduation Requirements:

Course	Credits Needed
English I, II, III, IV	4
Math (Including Math I, Math II, Math III; and Additional Math Course to be aligned with the student's post high school plans (One math beyond Math III required for UNC System admission))	4
Science (Earth/Environmental, Biology, a physical science)	3
Social Studies (World History, Civic Literacy, American History, Economics and Personal Finance)	4
Health/PE	1
Electives (Including two elective credits of any combination from either Career and Technical Education, Arts Education, or World Languages)	12
Successful completion of CPR Training	✓

School Demographics:

African American	Hispanic	Asian	Caucasian	American Indian	Multiracial	Hawaiian
19%	45%	.6%	34%	.5%	.7 %	.3%

Seniors	Juniors	Sophomores	Freshmen	Total
247	298	332	303	1,180

Post-Graduation Plans Data for Class of 2023:

Four Year College	Two Year College	Military	Other
15%	40%	08%	37%

School Counselors:

12 th grade	Katlynn Roberts	kroberts.sl@lee.k12.nc.us
11 th grade	Amy McDonald	amcdonald.sl@lee.k12.nc.us
10 th grade	Kenneth Neal	kennethneal.sl@lee.k12.nc.us
9 th grade	Rachel Dial	rdial.sl@lee.k12.nc.us