

Academic Overview



Withrow International High School is composed of a variety of programs, all of which have an international focus. These programs include the World Languages department, the International Baccalaureate program, the English as a Second Language (ESL) program, and the International Business department. About one-fourth of Withrow International students were born somewhere other than the United States and many Withrow graduates go on to live and work in other parts of the world as well.



At many school events, like this pep rally, students from both schools come together to support campus-wide athletic teams.



At school dances as well, students from Traditional and International show their unity and friendship.

Once upon a time, Withrow was one big campus of over 1,200 students. In its heyday, the campus actually housed around 2,000 students. Several years ago, Withrow divided into three schools (Traditional, International and University) as part of a district-wide move toward "High Schools of Choice." The premise was that students at all district high schools would choose a program that interested them and which would prepare them for the lives they envisioned after graduation. For students who had already started at Withrow but who wished to graduate as part of a traditional program, the district allowed Withrow Traditional High School to be formed for a limited time. This marks the final year of the Withrow Traditional program as the last of the students who entered the unified Withrow High School graduate.

