ABOUT OUR SCHOOL
Uplift Infinity Preparatory is a tuition-free, public charter school managed by the Uplift Education charter school network. We offer a college preparatory curriculum to a diverse population of scholars, in grades preK-12. Our mission is to create and sustain a public school of excellence that empowers students to reach their highest potential in college and the global marketplace.

COMMUNITY SERVICE REQUIREMENTS
Community service and social responsibility are an integral part of Uplift Infinity. Scholars are required to complete community service hours as a part of the Creative, Action and Service (CAS) component of the Diploma Programme.

EXTRACURRICULAR ACTIVITIES
Uplift Infinity offers 30 different extracurricular opportunities afterschool and during the enrichment period. These include organizations such as National Honor Society, Scholar Council, Environmental League, Yearbook, E-Sports Team, Chess Club, Black Student Union, Genders & Sexualities Alliance, Infinity Newsletter, and CAS Council in addition to the following UIL 3A Varsity athletic programs: Flag Football, Volleyball, Basketball, Soccer, Track.

CURRICULUM AND GRADUATION REQUIREMENTS

Academic Rigor: Uplift Infinity is committed to exposing all scholars to a rigorous college preparatory curriculum. The International Baccalaureate (IB) was introduced to encourage students to be internationally minded and academically well-rounded. As an IB continuum school, Infinity is authorized to offer the Primary Years Programme (PYP) for grades K-5, Middle Years Programme (MYP) for grades 6-10 and the Diploma Programme (DP) for grades 11-12. Uplift is a DP For ALL network and is committed to making sure that all scholars, regardless of their background or educational need, have access to participate in the Diploma Programme. Our scholars are also required to participate in the DP Core by taking a Theory of Knowledge course, completing a Creativity, Action and Service project, and Extended Essay. Current seniors have also had opportunities to participate in Dual Credit coursework.

Course Schedule: Uplift operates on a semester system and classes rotate on an A/B Block Schedule with five days of four 60-minute periods. Four days a week the schedule also includes advisory and an additional enrichment/intervention block. At the start of the 2022-2023 academic school year classes rotate on an A/B Block Schedule with five days of four 60-minute periods.

Graduation Requirements: Scholars must attempt the full Foundation High School Program, at least one Endorsement and the Distinguished Level of Achievement (26+ credits). Any scholar graduating on the Foundation Only program (22 credits) requires additional approval. A standard diploma through Uplift Education requires, at a minimum, the following credits:

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<th>English (4)</th>
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<th>Humanities (4)</th>
<th>Science (4)</th>
<th>Language Other Than English (3)</th>
<th>Fine Arts (1)</th>
<th>Physical Education (1)</th>
<th>Electives* (5)</th>
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*Includes Road to College and Career courses, Career and Technology courses and additional core courses

GRADING SYSTEM

- Honors/Dual Credit courses receive an extra 0.5 points for C and above when calculating the weighted GPA.
- DP courses receive an extra 1.0 points for C and above when calculating the weighted GPA.
- Credit recovery is mandatory for all failed courses required for graduation, all attempts are included on the transcript and calculated into the GPA.
- Pass/Fail, Local Credit, HS credit earned in Middle School and courses for which the scholar received prior credit, are not included in the GPA.
- It is Uplift Education’s policy not to rank scholars.
- Uplift Education uses a criterion-based approach to grading. All major grades are meant to reflect the scholar’s skills and knowledge using a variety of summative and formative assessment tools. Classroom grading procedures are directly related to clear criteria and standards that show evidence of scholar mastery. Grades for behaviors such as effort and participation are considered minor grades and are either not calculated in the overall grade or calculated as a small percentage, not exceeding 20%.

ADVANCED COURSES

- All courses in grades 6-10 are taught as part of the IB Middle Years Programme unless otherwise noted.
- All scholars in grades 11-12 are required to participate in components of the IB Diploma Programme.
- Enrollment in DP courses is contingent upon completion of prerequisites, departmental approval, assessment data, grades and teacher recommendation(s).

ADVANCED COURSES AVAILABLE TO THE CLASS OF 2023

IB Biology SL (Scientific Research & Design Biology)
IB Environmental Systems and Societies SL (Scientific Research & Design ESS)
IB Film HL (Audio Video Production III)
IB History of the Americas HL
IB Language Studies A: Lang and Lit HL/SL - English
IB Language B: Modern Lang HL/SL - Spanish
IB Mathematical Applications SL
IB Mathematical Analysis SL
IB Psychology HL
IB Theory of Knowledge (Project Based Research II)
IB Visual Arts HL
Pre-AP Pre-Calculus
Economics (Dual Credit) Government (Dual Credit)
Project Based Research (Dual Credit)
**CLASS OF 2022**

- **67 graduates**
- **$8.8M** in scholarships & grants
- **100%** college acceptance
- **86%** college enrollment
- **63%** free/reduced lunch
- **81%** first generation
- **90%** IB® Diploma Programme participation*

*defined as course candidates, those that attempted full DP, and those that were successful

**CLASS OF 2023**

- **78 seniors**
- **60%** free/reduced lunch
- **84%** first generation

**CURRENT COLLEGE ENROLLMENT FOR UPLIFT ALUMNI**

- <10 alumni attending
- ≥10 alumni attending

**POST GRADUATION DECISIONS FOR UPLIFT ALUMNI**

- College Matriculation 84%
- Military 1%
- Intensive Training/Licensure Program 2%
- Career 12%
- Gap Year/Other 1%

**BECOME A PARTNER**

Uplift Education is dedicated to providing equitable access to college and post-secondary education pathways. To learn more about how to become a Partner school with Uplift Education, contact the campus Road to College and Career Team.

See a full list of college and university acceptance and attendance for alumni of Uplift Infinity. Learn more about how Uplift supports its scholars on the road to college and career by visiting uplifteducation.org/rtcc