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High School Profiles

AF Amistad High School
Achievement First Amistad High School in New Haven is our flagship high school. One-hundred percent of its two graduating classes have been accepted to four-year colleges and universities. To learn more about AF Amistad High School, click here.

AF Brooklyn High School
Achievement First Brooklyn High School will graduate its first ever seniors in June of 2013. We are excited to see which universities they choose to attend. For more information about AF Brooklyn High School, click here.

NEW! AF Hartford High School
We are opening a brand new high school in Hartford, CT this fall. The school will be led by Claire Shin, the founding principal of Achievement First Hartford Academy Elementary School. We are currently assembling an outstanding team to found AF Hartford High.

Use Our Teaching Resources

AF High Schools
Achievement First high schools combine rigorous courses and high expectations with a host of support services more common at affluent and private high schools, including SAT prep, intensive college counseling, tutoring and explicit character education. Listen to our students describe their experience here.

Featured Opportunity
2012-13 High School Teachers
Start Date: July 2012
Location: Brooklyn, Hartford and New Haven

Achievement First teachers are platinum. Our teachers work hard to ensure that every student is prepared for a rigorous college experience. Achievement First supports these efforts with robust teacher professional development, including weekly coaching meetings, on-going planning sessions and unparalleled learning opportunities.

We are currently hiring:
- Founding classroom teachers
- Literature and writing teachers
- Math teachers
- Science teachers
- History teachers
- Special education teachers
- College readiness teachers

Learn more and apply here.
At Achievement First, we work to prepare our students for a successful college experience. Check out the rigorous high school resources below to continue challenging your students.

High School ELA

Plan your year strategically with these 10th-grade scope and sequences for reading and writing.

Analyze *The Catcher in the Rye* with your students using this unit plan.

High School Math

Plan your relations and functions lessons using this unit plan.

Assess your students' pre-calculus knowledge using this unit exam.

High School Social Studies and Science

Explore the living world with your classes using this AP Biology unit.

Ensure your students understand their government with this US Constitution unit plan.

College Readiness

Prepare your classes for college with this Map to College unit plan.

Develop your students' critical thinking and writing skills using this College Seminar model.

To download more Achievement First resources in all subjects and grade levels, visit our newly updated resources page.

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**School Leader Immersion**

The Achievement First School Leader Immersion (SLI) is an exclusive opportunity for aspiring school leaders to develop the skills and mindsets necessary to lead at a high-performing charter school.

- **Southeast SLI in Atlanta - March 30, 2012**
  
  *Apply by February 20, 2012*

- **New England SLI in New Haven - April 27, 2012**

  *Apply by March 19, 2012*

To learn more or apply, email CJ Crowder, Director of School Leader Recruitment.

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**Summer Teaching Residency**

The Achievement First Teaching Residency provides rising second-year educators with the opportunity to teach at a high-performing urban...
charter school for the summer. Residents will receive instructional resources to advance student achievement and one-on-one feedback from outstanding instructors. Read our Summer Teaching Residency job description here.

**Application Deadline: April 1**
Apply online here.

We are currently accepting applications on a rolling basis. Applicants are strongly encouraged to apply early.

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**Join a Virtual Information Session**

If you can't make it to one of our in-person events, join us for a Virtual Information Session hosted by an Achievement First talent recruiter. We will discuss:

- Achievement First's history, mission and core values
- Training and professional development opportunities
- Opportunities to join our team for the 2012-13 school year
- Application process and qualities of a successful candidate

**High School Teaching Opportunities at Achievement First**
*February 7; 8:00-9:00 p.m. Eastern*

RSVP HERE

**Starting Your School Leadership Career with Achievement First**
*February 15; 8:00-9:00 p.m. Eastern*

RSVP HERE

**Elementary School Teaching Opportunities at Achievement First**
*February 22; 8:00-9:00 p.m. Eastern*

RSVP HERE

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**Meet Achievement First on the Road**

Throughout the year, our team visits cities across the country in search...
of the best teachers and school leaders. Below are cities we'll be visiting this month; please email us to learn more.

- February 11 - Cleveland, MS
- February 11 - Helena, AR
- February 16 - Cambridge, MA

**Other Ways to Learn More**

Check out our calendar of upcoming events here

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