



Adams High School Activities and Clubs



Art Club

Creativity flows in an atmosphere where techniques and ideas are shared with friends. This open-studio style club is run by student officers. They choose the content and format of the meetings, which usually includes free-choice projects with individual demonstrations provided by the sponsor. Members participate in one community service project, such as hosting an event at a senior center or raising funds for the local animal shelter. Students have access to wide variety of mediums to explore, including paint, printmaking and ceramics. A nominal fee is charged for materials.

Business Professionals of America (BPA)

Business Professionals of America is for any student who has an interest in business. The purpose of BPA is to prepare students for the business workforce through the advancement of leadership, citizenship, academic, and technological skills. By integrating its programs into the business classroom, BPA builds leadership, professionalism, poise, dependability, patriotism, and competency into business students. BPA members compete at the regional, state and national level. There are opportunities for having fun, visiting new and exciting places, experiencing new activities, and growing both personally and professionally.

Dance Team

Rochester Adams Dance Team has grown into a club with over twenty members who come from very competitive dance back-grounds. This team performs at major competitions, home athletic contests, and pep assemblies. Please listen to announcements for upcoming events and information.

Debate Club

The Debate Club is open to students in all grades, especially students who enjoy public speaking and discussing current events. Students meet on Tuesdays and Thursdays to write bills and practice speeches for their monthly competitions. In preparing for the Legislative Debate sessions, students learn to research, organize and present their arguments persuasively. They also learn parliamentary procedures. The club is an excellent activity for students interested in law, business and/or politics.

DECA

DECA is an association of marketing students open to those who are interested in all areas of business. DECA prepares emerging leaders and entrepreneurs for careers in marketing, finance, hospitality and management in high schools around the globe. Our student members leverage their DECA experience to become academically prepared, community oriented, professionally responsible, experienced leaders. DECA members have the opportunity to compete at the district, state, and international levels. Along with competitive events, DECA provides students with a chance to visit new places, have fun with your peers, built teamwork skills, and grow personally and professionally.

Eco Club

Students work on projects around the school that focus on the environment. In the past students have set up recycling programs, cleaned up the landscaping around the school, and planted vegetation

French Club

French Club is a great way to increase your knowledge of French culture, have fun, and make friends. Club members decide which activities they would like to do, so come, share your ideas and join in the fun! Meetings start in room 219. Listen to the morning announcements for the first meeting.

German Club

German Club is a social club that is open to German students of all levels and abilities. Students explore German culture, foods, and visit local areas that have a heavy German influence. Listen to morning announcements for the first meeting.

Interact Rotary Club

Interact is a club for young people want to join together to tackle the issues in their community that they care most about. Every Interact club carries out two service projects a year: one that helps your school or community and one that promotes international understanding. Connect with local leaders in your community.

Key Club

Key Club is an international student-led organization which provides its members with opportunities to provide service,

build character, and develop leadership. Members of Key Club perform acts of service in their communities by providing various services to all walks of life. They also learn leadership skills by running meetings, planning projects and holding elected leadership positions. Key Club is one of the largest clubs for underclassmen in the school and has over 115 members.

Robotics Team (aka “Adambots”)

The Adams Robotics Club, known as team 245, the AdamBots, is a year round group that competes in two major robotics competitions. In the fall, the team competes in the Oakland County Competitive Robotics Association (OCCRA) season against approximately 20 teams who design, program, and build robots to compete in county competitions. In OCCRA, everything is student run. Competitions take place in October and November. The team meets after school most days of the week for the season, although not everyone is needed each day.

The second major competition goes from January until April and is called *FIRST* (For Inspiration and Recognition of Science and Technology). There are approximately 2,200 teams in the world for this event. For *FIRST*, adult mentors work with the students on the entire process and the build sea-son includes after school time, evenings, and Saturdays for about six weeks. Competitions take place throughout the state and the team may also travel out of state. Come join the best robotics team in the county!

Show Choir

The show choir is a choral ensemble that performs music of the popular culture and musical theatre. It is open to 9-12 grade students interested in singing. The club will meet 1-2 times a week afterschool depending on the groups’ schedule. The performances often include choreography (dance), costuming and minimal props. The choir performs at 2-4 times during the year at the AHS choir concerts.

Spanish Club

Spanish Club is a social club that is open to Spanish students of all levels and abilities. Just like the French and German clubs, they get together every other week to have fun, meet other Spanish students, and expand their horizons in Spanish culture! Listen to morning announcements for the first meeting.

Thespian Society (Drama Club)

ITS (International Thespian Society) is an international honors organization dedicating to promoting excellence in theatrical and fine arts. Students have an opportunity to participate in several community performances along with the fall play, dessert theatre, Mid-Michigan Theatre Arts Festival, spring musical and specialized performance pieces. Meetings are held on Fridays after school. Check the theatre board for updates outside of Room 204 near the auditorium.

Youth-in-Government (YIG)

There are two ways to learn about government. The first way is to read textbooks about what others have done. The other way is to live it! The State YMCA Youth-in-Government program provides over 1600 high school students with a unique opportunity to become acting state legislators, lobbyists, lawyers, committee chairs, etc. In essence, the students simulate all phases and positions of the actual state government.

Other clubs available:

Ice Skating Club
Ping-Pong Club
Ski and Snowboard Club -- Fridays at 4:00 PM during
the season at Pine Knob
Students Giving Back
Ultimate Frisbee

New Clubs for 2015/16
Health Occupations Students of America (HOSA)
Math Club
NUF Club (Anchors for High School Students)
Weightlifting Club

Activities Director and Student Council Advisor – Mr. Lindstrom RM. 233

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