

Bound to be Different. Bound to be Distinct. Bound to be Me.



“Who we are” is made up of many things that binds us together as Huskies. Our colors of green and gold, our Hoover Husky mascot, and our mission statement are what commits us to being “a community of reflective global citizens who make positive change in the world” and the Hoover Way, which gives us specific action steps on how to “Be the Change.”

“Who we are” is approximately 1,100 students and another 100 staff members from various races, ethnicities, ideologies, and cultures that blend together to give us a strong sense of identity.

We are not perfect, nor would we want to be, for it is through our flaws that we learn the most from each other. However, “who we are” today and going forward is firmly rooted in our compassion for each other and in the multiple perspectives brought forth by each of us that enrich our lives as humans.

“Who we are” is ingrained in our commitment to excellence, and the community we find with each other. Be proud to be a Husky.

- Principal Sherry Poole



Q&A

Choose a food that describes your year at Hoover.



“Chili- feels warm and hearty, like my first year at Hoover.”

Willie Montgomery
Associate Principal



“Banana split - because I get split between good and bad behaviors but everything turns out fine in the end.”

Danielle Baugh
Art Teacher



“A sub sandwich - it's lot of different things depending on what you make of it. In the end, it is always good.”

Boston Freiling
Associate Principal



“A cupcake - this year has been sweet like frosting.”

Karina Suarez-Luna
Spanish Teacher

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Do you feel like you are part of the community?
Yes, Hoover has always been a second home to me.

Khadesha Pargo-Jones
Senior



Sage Johnson
Sophomore



How has your involvement in school activities helped shape you?
Being involved in drama has helped me connect with my friends.



Community nights build family-school connections. Fun nights at school allow students to be a part of their community and be with their family and friends in exciting events like these. It lets us stay connected.



We are loud, proud and do a good job cheering a crowd. Our cheerleaders are always there to support our team and show off our school spirit.



We are proud to be recognized as the most diverse school in Iowa and we take advantage of it by learning about the different cultures through the annual Global Gala that we have every year.

Some times we win and sometimes we lose but the only thing that matters is teamwork. Together we achieve a lot more than individually.



With the deafening sounds of the instruments and the roarings yells of the spectators, the Hoover band is the embodiment of our school spirit.

Q&A
Who are we?



Melina Bosnic, Freshman

How do we differ from other schools?
"Our academics and the students are different from other schools, which is a good thing."



Kaylynn Barrett, Senior

What does it mean to be a Husky?
"To be a Husky means to be a positive change and be respectful to other people."



Gerardo San Elias, Junior

Who are we as a school?
"We are very diverse. We have people speaking a lot of languages in this building."

What IB trait are you? San Thang
I am a communicator because I like to interact with people. Senior



Xavier Goodrich
Sophomore

What word describes Hoover?
Accepting because we don't judge other people.

