

GIDAS

What is GIDAS?

GIDAS stands for *Genes in Diseases and Symptoms*. We are a science club that mainly focuses on biology and genetics. We have presentations, do experiments, eat food, and talk about cool science stuff! GIDAS is a club associated with the University of Michigan. GIDAS gives high schoolers the resources to publish an abstract and conduct their own research.

What to look forward to

- GIDAS is a club aimed at increasing students' knowledge of genes and diseases through student-led learning and teaching. We learn how to use new, technological advancements such as gene sequencing to do this.
- GIDAS stands for Genes in Diseases and Symptoms, and it is a club in which you have the opportunity to learn more about computational biology and personalized medicine. If you're interested in genetics, technology, or medicine,
- GIDAS is a great place to connect with others and broaden your understanding of these fascinating topics.
- GIDAS is a biology-based club that helps members learn about bio and genetics. Members will conduct research on a disease of focus and write a scientific abstract (research paper) which they can present at a conference, that includes keynote speeches from professionals and educational workshops. Aside from research and working on abstracts, club members will learn about other general biology concepts and participate in fun activities with friends!

Meeting dates

- Every Mondays after school (2 pm – 2:45 pm)

No prior experience is needed/open to all grades!!

Club Officers

Alani Ellison, President
Gabby Craft, Vice President
Lauren Czerw, Secretary
Viola Barquilla, Treasurer

Club Sponsor

Tia McKenzie (Room C1)
Science Teacher, FHS

