

Adolfas Ramanauskas-Vanagas gymnasium is one of the oldest schools in Alytus town. Now it is a four-year gymnasium. The history of the gymnasium backs to 1919. On July 1st, 2010 Adolfas Ramanauskas-Vanagas secondary school acquired the name of gymnasium. This year (2015–2016) the gymnasium is attended by 737 students, who are taught by 65 teachers. The school was named after Adolfas Ramanauskas-Vanagas, who was the chief of partisan movement in Lithuania post-war period.

The school is good if students want to come back and visit it. Therefore, the school we have been learning at is our Cognition, Friendship, Love, Hope and home where students can reveal and improve or develop their abilities, become knowledgeable, plan their future career and participate in creative activities.

This school year our school has 190 third-formers and 175 fourth-formers, so the corridors are not noisy as our students have outgrown the childish uproar and all their attention is devoted to the development of their personalities. There is a wide choice of optional subjects such as 6 foreign languages: English, French, Russian, German, Spanish and Latin. Our students participate in the EMILE Project and students have a chance to study History, Geography and Computer Science in French. Our students are prepared for international exams like IELTS and DELF B2 level and successfully pass them. There is also a possibility to participate in international projects thus developing communication and cooperation skills with students from other countries.

Sincere, competent teachers and warm atmosphere for communication make our school a place for everyone ranging from rebellious artists and confused personalities to calm individualists. Such great environment helps our students achieve best results in state exams; this is also the reason why they succeed in town and country contests and have an opportunity to reveal their creativity and ideas.

There are a lot of extra-curricular activities and students can join various youth organizations. We have been preparing students to acquire a driving license since 1971. We are proud to have the largest in town, modern and well-equipped gym and newly reconstructed sports ground, which contributed to significant achievements in sports. Besides this, in 2015 sports information centre-museum containing the abundance of exhibits to honour the olympic movement was opened.