



Republic of the Philippines  
Department of Education  
Region III – Central Luzon  
Schools Division Office-Science City of Muñoz  
**San Antonio Integrated School**  
Brgy. San Antonio, Science City of Muñoz, Nueva Ecija  
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## **HISTORY OF SAN ANTONIO INTEGRATED SCHOOL**

It was a dream that came into reality for the Brgy. San Antonio, Science City of Muñoz, Nueva Ecija, when at last they had their own Secondary School. For about 66 years, San Antonio Elementary School (SAES) has been operating since 1953.

On July 21, 2010, the opportunity knocked in for the students and especially for the out of school youth who reside in Brgy. San Antonio when High School started to operate. It was then called San Antonio Integrated School (SAIS) through the Government Permit (PHS) No. S-015, s. 2010 issued by the Department of Education, Regional Office, San Fernando, Pampanga on the 19<sup>th</sup> day of July 2010.

It was on July 30, 2010 when SAIS held its Formal Opening Program and Thanksgiving which was attended by then City Mayor Hon. Efren L. Alvarez Hum.D., one of the persons who pursue the establishment of San Antonio Integrated School, Vice Mayor, Hon. Ester A. Lazaro, Schools Division Superintendent Dr. Esperanza L. Laya, CEO-VI, Brgy. Captain Sergio F. Villar, City LSB Coordinator Engr. Arnel M. Ruz, SAIS OIC and Monitoring Supervisor Mrs. Adelina L. Francisco, Norma R. Framo, School Principal with all teachers, students and parents.

As an Integrated School, its initial emphases are to provide Secondary Education and to develop higher education for the students. SAIS does not only cater its Barangay but as well as the neighboring Barangays such as Labney, Palusapis, Curva, Naglabrahan, Calabalabaan and others.

SAIS started with two first year classes with the total of 47 students and one second year class with 36 students who were headed by the Officer In-Charge, Mrs. Adelina L. Francisco. SAIS by then had six faculty members in Secondary and nine faculty members in Elementary who were dedicatedly educating the students.



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Before, classes of Secondary were held in the three rooms of Elementary School. However, a year after, thru the effort of the kind the honorable City Mayor Efren L. Alvarez, he funded a 10 Million pesos two-storey building with eight classrooms for secondary students. The project was turned-over before the opening of the SY 2011-2012.

SAIS is the FIRST and the BIGGEST Integrated School in the Division of Science City of Muñoz, Nueva Ecija. As of June 2014 total enrolment is 675 (311 in the Elementary level and 364 in the Secondary level). It has 25 regular teachers, and 3 Local School Board, one locally funded (PTCA) teacher for Kinder, one contractual utility and one contractual security guard.

Since the establishment of SAIS, it has been successfully spearheaded by premier School Heads: Norma R. Framo, PhD (SY 2009 - 2014); Elenita R. Romagosa, PhD (SY 2014 - 2016); Emmanuel D. Alvarez, PhD (SY 2016 - 2019); Joven P. La Rosa, EdD (SY 2019 - present).

In response with the transition of the basic education system of the country, with the effort of the teachers and stakeholders, in 2016, SAIS was approved to offer Humanities and Social Sciences (HUMSS) , Home Economics (HE) and Agriculture and Fisheries, making the school the only school in the Division to offer complete basic education from Kinder to Senior High School (K to12).

In 2019, the school inaugurated an additional two 2-storey DepEd Standard building, with a total of eight rooms. Since then, the school have adequate buildings and rooms to cater the needs of the learners and teachers for both instructional and non-instructional purposes.

At present, the school have a population of 744 learners from Kinder to Grade 12, and with 9 Elementary teachers, 18 Junior High School teachers, and 11 Senior High School teachers, and with two guards/ utility personnel.



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Situated 7 kilometer west from the city proper, the school compound has an area of nine thousand four hundred seventy-two square meters (9,472 sq. m.) and inclined with per concrete perimeter fence. The school has three thousand square meters (3,000 sq. m.) playground where pupils enjoy playing during off-class hours. Fruits and forest trees are grown on specific areas where it serves as shade during warm days. In support to the Project ELA (Enhancing Livelihood through Agriculture) or also known as “*Gulayan sa Paaralan*”, the school is planted with different vegetables and has four compost pits or dumping area.

