

Westmont High School Profile 2018-2019

Westmont High School is part of Community Unit School District 201 and primarily serves the town of Westmont, located in DuPage County. Westmont High School is accredited by the Illinois State Board of Education.

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CEEB/ACT/SAT School Code: 144363

Kevin Carey, Superintendent of Schools Jack Baldermann, Principal Megan VerVynck, Teaching and Learning Coordinator

Kevin Weck, Assistant Principal and Dean Jinu Joseph, Assistant Principal Daniel McCulloch, Interim Athletic Director

Community

The school is 18 miles west of Chicago and serves a suburban residential area of approximately 25,000 people. Students live in sections of Westmont, Clarendon Hills, and Downers Grove.

School

The Fall 2018 enrollment at Westmont High School is 389 students, with 103 students in the Class of 2019. The average per pupil operating cost in the 2016-2017 school year was \$18,938.88.

Guidance Department

Larissa Zelisko, Guidance Director lzelisko@cusd201.org

Megan Connolly, Guidance Counselor mconnolly@cusd201.org

Bonnie Grahn, Administrative Assistant (Guidance, Dean, and Athletics) bgrahn@cusd201.org

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Organization of School Year

The school year consists of four quarters, each nine weeks long. The day is divided into seven 50-minute periods. The first semester ends on December 21, 2018, and the second semester ends on May 31, 2019.

<u>Faculty Members with Professional</u> Educator Licenses

Of the 47 licensed staff members at WHS, 42 hold Masters degrees. 15% of the faculty has 20 or more years of teaching experience.

Class of 2018 Statistics

- 140 graduates; 97.9% graduation rate
- 91% of graduates are college bound (4 year = 51%, 2-year = 40%)
- 18 Illinois State Scholars

In the Class of 2018, the average composite ACT score based on the most recent ACT exam taken was 22.57. The average composite ACT score based on the highest ACT exam taken was 22.8. The Class of 2019 April 2018 SAT average was a 1091.

Graduation Requirements Class of 2019-2022

Subject Areas	Total Credits
English	4.0
Mathematics	3.0
Science	2.0-3.0
	(depending on
	course of study)
Social Studies	3.0
Physical Education/	4.0
Health/Swim/Drivers Ed.	
Business Education	0.5
Fine Arts	0.5
Electives	4.0-5.0
Total	22.0 credits

Class Rank & Grade Point Average

Class rank is computed and reported by both a weighted system for honors classes and an unweighted system, which includes all classes.

GRADE	HONORS/AP	REGULAR
Α	5 quality points	4 quality points
В	4 quality points	3 quality points
C	3 quality points	2 quality points
D	1 quality points	1 quality point
F	no credit	no credit
Р	no credit	no credit
W	no credit	no credit
WF	no credit	no credit

Grading Scale

A=90-100; B=80-89; C=70-79; D=60-69; F= ♥ 60

AP Classes Offered at WHS

- AP Studio Art
- AP Music Theory
- AP United States History
- AP Government
- AP Human Geography
- AP Microeconomics
- AP Macroeconomics
- AP Psychology
- AP World History
- AP English 11 (Language and Composition)
- AP English 12 (Literature)
- **AP Statistics**
- AP Calculus AB
- AP Calculus BC
- AP Biology
- AP Environmental Science
- AP Physics 1

Additional AP Exams Offered

AP French AP Spanish

TCD Program

With careful course planning, WHS students can choose to participate in one of the various programs offered through the Technology Center of DuPage, which allows juniors and seniors to explore a specific career field. More information about TCD is available upon request.

IVS System

WHS subscribes to the Illinois Virtual School System, which is an online instructional delivery system that allows approved users access to a variety of courses that are not offered at WHS. More information about IVS is available upon request.

Dual Credit Classes

Through the WHS Business Department, students may earn dual credit through the College of DuPage by taking Computer Applications I & II as well as Advanced Computer Applications I & II.

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