

HOPATCONG HIGH SCHOOL



School Profile

2017-2018

General Information:

Grades: 9-12 Enrollment: 432

CEEB/ACT Code: 310503

Class of 2017: 123 graduates

Community:

Hopatcong Borough is located at the southeastern tip of Sussex County in northwestern New Jersey. Hopatcong High School is a public four year comprehensive school that strives to provide a quality education to all of its students. Through the Hopatcong Borough curriculum this goal is achieved by empowering and challenging students and providing an environment conducive to learning.

Graduation Requirements: a total of 122.5 credits (5 credits = 1 unit = 1 year)

This must include:

20 credits	English	20 credits	Physical Education/Health/Safety
15 credits	Social Studies	5 credits	Visual or Performing Arts
15 credits	Mathematics	5 credits	Career Education
15 credits	Science	10 credits	World Languages
2.5 credits	Financial Literacy	2.5 credits	Community Service
		12.5 credits	Electives

<u>Letter Grade</u>	<u>Percentages</u>	<u>Regular</u>	<u>Quality Point Honors</u>
A+	98-100	4.3	5.3
A	94-97	4.0	5.0
A-	90-93	3.7	4.7
B+	87-89	3.3	4.3
B	83-86	3.0	4.0
B-	80-82	2.7	3.7
C+	77-79	2.3	3.3
C	73-76	2.0	3.0
C-	70-72	1.7	2.7
D+	68-69	1.3	2.3
D	66-67	1.0	2.0
D-	65	0.7	1.7
F	0-64		

P = Pass

F = Fail

I = Incomplete (not computed)

WP = Withdrew Passing (not computed)

WF = Withdrew Failing (not computed)

Z = Loss of Credit (no credit)

Advanced Placement Summary:

Forty-two students took a total of sixty-seven subject examinations during the spring of 2017.

Computing Class Rank:

All courses count toward class rank which is determined by grade point average. Class rank is cumulative beginning in grade 9. Grades in Honors, AP and CC courses are weighted.

Explanation of Special Courses:

- Grade 9 English and World History are team taught utilizing an interdisciplinary curriculum.
- Some courses are noted "CC", indicating concurrent enrollment with Sussex County Community College. Students will receive transferable college credits and an official transcript from the college.
- All Honors and Advanced Placement level science classes have an additional lab period. Biology, Chemistry, and Physics taken at the CP level also have a separate lab period. All other science courses have a lab included in the course period.
- Academies (admission is competitive based on grades, teacher recommendations, and an essay):
 - Science, Technology, Engineering, Arts, Math (S.T.E.A.M.) – a dynamic research-based curriculum with a heavy concentration on math and science content
 - Future Teachers Academy (F.T.A.) – an intense program highlighting creative lesson planning, innovative technology, and cooperative community service
- New electives: History of Lake Hopatcong, Introduction to Psychology, Architectural Design, Building Design & Construction, Introduction to Computer Science and AP Calculus AB.

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Honor Roll:

The high school honor roll is based on the grade point average a student earns during each marking period. Two levels of honors are recognized on the basis of grade point average.

- High Honor Roll – Marking Period GPA of 3.7000 or greater
- Honor Roll – Marking Period GPA of 3.300 through 3.6999

In order to be eligible to receive honor roll recognition a student must carry a minimum of thirty credits. The following grade designations are “place holders” and are not included in Honor Roll calculations: Withdrew Passing (WP), Withdrew Failing (WF), Pass (P), and Incomplete (I). Loss of credit due to absences (“Z” grades) exclude students from Honor Roll.

Grade point averages are figured for all students in the class at the end of each school year (9th - 12th). All Honors, Advanced Placement, and College Credit courses are weighted equally.

Weighted Honors, Advanced Placement, and College Credit Courses:

Global English Honors	AP Environmental Science	AP Calculus BC
English 2 Honors	Economics Honors	AP Statistics
English 3 Honors	Global History Honors	AP Studio Art
English 3 AP	U.S. History I Honors	French 3 Honors
English 4 AP	U.S. History II AP	French 4 Honors
English 4 (CC)	AP Psychology	Spanish 3 Honors
Biology Honors	Sociology (CC)	Spanish 4 Honors
AP Biology	Algebra 2 Honors	Spanish 5 AP
Chemistry Honors	Geometry Honors	AP Music Theory
AP Chemistry	Pre-Calculus Honors	Child Development II
AP Physics	AP Calculus AB	Tomorrow’s Teachers

SAT Reasoning Scores – Class of 2017

Mean:	Evidence-Based Reading & Writing: 529	Math: 503
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Post Graduate Plans:

2017

Four Year College	19%	Employment	17%
Two Year College	50%	Military	7%
Vocational-Technical School	5%	Other	2%

Members of the graduating class of 2017 will be attending the following institutions:

Arizona State University	Mount Saint Mary College
Castleton University	Nichols College
County College of Morris	Pace University, NYC
Drew University	Rochester Institute of Technology
East Stroudsburg University	Rowan University
Florida Southern College	Rutgers University - New Brunswick
Husson University	Seton Hall University
Kean University	Sussex County Community College
Keystone College	The College of New Jersey
Lincoln Technical Institute	University of Hartford
Montclair State University	University of New Haven

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