

Crystal Lake Central High School

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Community High School District 155

2019

School Community

Crystal Lake Central High School is a public, four-year high school with an enrollment of 1,500 students. Located approximately 45 miles northwest of Chicago, the school serves Crystal Lake and Lakewood. Crystal Lake Central offers a comprehensive curriculum and extracurricular activities to help students expand their academic and social skills, learn about themselves, engage in positive experiences, and be involved with community outreach. There are 24 different sports and more than 33 clubs and activities.

In 2019, Crystal Lake Central earned a spot in the top 100 Best Public High Schools in Illinois by U.S. News & World Report. Newsweek ranked Central 138th on its list of "America's Top 500 High Schools" in 2016.

In District 155, 86% of teachers hold a master's degree. The teacher-student ratio is 20:1. The school also employs four counselors, two social workers, and one psychologist on its student services team.

Community High School District 155 includes four comprehensive high schools and one alternate education campus. Serving grades 9-12, each institution has full State of Illinois recognition and accreditation. Enrollment includes approximately 6,012 students from McHenry and Lake counties.

Graduation Requirements

Computer Education	0.5 Credits
English	4.0 Credits
Social Science*	2.0 Credits
Science	2.0 Credits
Mathematics	3.0 Credits
Elective Courses [§]	6.0 Credits
Consumer Education [¶]	0.25 Credits
Classroom Drivers Education	0.25 Credits
Physical Education & Health	2.25 Credits
Total For Graduation	20.25 Credits

All freshmen take Freshman Seminar, a decision-making and career awareness course.

* One year must be U.S. History including passing marks on Federal and State Constitution tests.

§ One credit of electives must be in art, foreign language, music, or vocational education.

¶ Requirement may be completed through some business classes, family and consumer science courses, or the Cooperative Education Program.

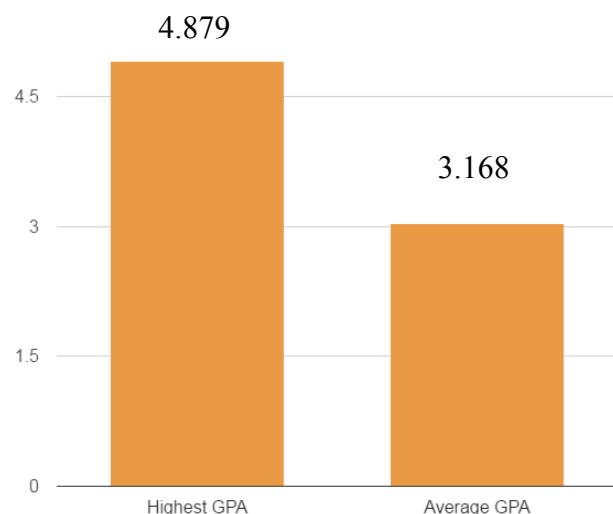
Semester Grade Determination

Semester grades are calculated based on weighted categories of formative and summative assessments and a possible final exam. Percentages assigned to each category may vary based on course, with the potential final exam counting for no more than 20% of the overall grade.

Summer School

Summer school grades are indicated on the transcript with (SS). There are two sessions, each three weeks in length, with classes meeting five days per week. One-half credit is granted for successful completion of each three-week session.

Grade Point Average



Honor Roll Recognition

Honors — 3.160-3.749

High Honors — 3.750 and above

Starting with the Class of 2019, District 155 no longer ranks students.

Course Listing

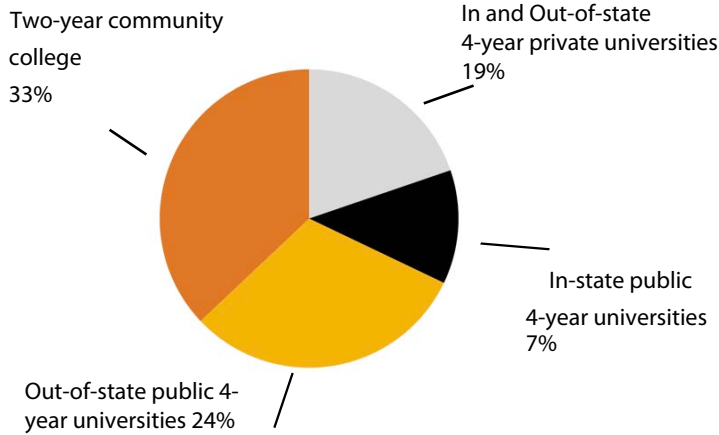
District 155 offers a full array of courses to challenge and enhance its students' learning. To view a complete course catalog choose "Course Selection Guide" from the links list at www.d155.org.

District 155 separates courses into three categories: General (G), Honors (H), and Advanced Placement (AP). The grade point average (GPA) for these classes is calculated using the following scale:

Letter Grade	Advanced Placement (AP)	Honors (H)	General
A+	5.33	4.83	4.33
A	5.00	4.50	4.00
A-	4.67	4.17	3.67
B+	4.33	3.83	3.33
B	4.00	3.50	3.00
B-	3.67	3.17	2.67
C+	3.33	2.83	2.33
C	3.00	2.50	2.00
C-	2.67	2.17	1.67
D+	2.33	1.83	1.33
D	2.00	1.50	1.00
D-	1.67	1.17	.67
F	.00	.00	.00



Class of 2019 College Matriculation



Top 10 Colleges for Crystal Lake Central's Class of 2018

McHenry County College (100)	Harper College (5)
Iowa State University (11)	Augustana College (4)
Illinois State University (8)	University of Kansas (4)
University of Illinois Urbana-Champaign (6)	Milwaukee School of Engineering (4)
Indiana University (5)	Northern Illinois University (4)

Top 5 Out-of-State College Destinations

Wisconsin
Iowa
Indiana
Michigan
Missouri

***College representatives are invited to visit Crystal Lake Central throughout the school year. To schedule an appointment, contact the college & career center supervisor at 815-459-2505, ext. 2256.

Advanced Placement® Testing

Students tested in 2019	410
AP® Exams taken in 2019	734
Percent 2019 AP® exams with score of 3+	76.6%
Equity & Excellence, Class of 2019	50.2%
Class of 2020 AP® enrollment	N/A

Class of 2020 SAT Scores

	Central	State
Mean Score	1069	1006
Evidence-Based Reading & Writing	530	505
Mathematics	539	501

D155 requires all juniors to take the SAT test as part of our school improvement initiatives.

D155 Honors & Advanced Placement® Courses Offered

Department	Freshman Year	Sophomore Year	Junior Year	Senior Year
Art				AP® Art History AP® Studio Art 2D AP® Studio Art 3D AP® Drawing
Business	(H) Computer Business Applications I Dual Credit*			(H) Marketing Dual Credit* (H) VEI: Entrepreneurship Dual Credit* (H) Business Incubator* Dual Credit
Consumer & Family Science			(H) Culinary II Commercial Dual Credit*	(H) Advanced Culinary Commercial Dual Credit*
English	(H) English 101/102	(H) English 115/116	AP® English Language & Composition* (H) English 10/11*	AP® English Literature & Composition*
Industrial Technology	(H) Intro to Engineering PLTW	(H) Metals II Dual Credit* (H) Principles of Engineering PLTW	(H) Autos II Dual Credit* (H) Digital Electronics PLTW	(H) Engineering Design & Development PLTW (H) CNC Precision Machining & Engineering I Dual Credit
Mathematics	(H) Geometry* AP® Computer Science Principles*	(H) Algebra II w/ Trig AP® Computer Science	(H) Pre-Calculus*	AP® Calculus AB* AP® Calculus BC* (H) Calculus III Dual Credit AP® Statistics*
Music			AP® Music Theory*	(H) Music Appreciation Dual Credit*
Science	(H) Biology	(H) Chemistry	AP® Physics I* AP® Physics C*	(H) Human Anatomy & Physiology AP® Biology* AP® Chemistry* AP® Environmental Science *
Social Science	(H) World Studies I (H) World Studies II AP® Human Geography*	AP® European History	AP® U.S. History	AP® Micro/Macro Economics* AP® Psychology* AP® Government*
World Language			(H) Chinese III (H) French III (H) Spanish III (H) Accelerated Spanish III	(H) Chinese IV (H) French IV (H) Spanish IV Dual Credit AP® French AP® Spanish AP® German AP® Spanish Literature (H) German IV

This chart indicates when an honors or AP course is typically taken. Courses designated with an asterisk (*) may be taken during a different year of school. Some courses may not be offered during a particular semester if enrollment thresholds are not met.

School Administration

Principal - Dr. Eric Ernd
Vice Principal - Kim Bromley
Deans - Elizabeth Lamb, Dave Shuttters Student Services Coordinator - Steve Greiner

Student Services Personnel

Counselors - Dr. Liz Arbir, Sara Huser, Tamara Jazwinski, Paul Lichtenheld, Tristan Stewart
Registrar - Joanne Crittenden
Guidance Secretary - Margaret Mary Eklund
College/Career Center Specialist - Samantha Allen