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COMMUNITY PROFILE

The Borough of Sayreville, the home of Sayreville War Memorial High School, is a suburban community located in Middlesex County, 25 miles south of New York City and seven miles east of New Brunswick. Because of its proximity to the New York Metropolitan area, the population has grown from 10,000 in 1950 to approximately 43,000 in 2010. To accommodate the school-age population, there are four public and two parochial elementary schools, one upper elementary and one middle school, in addition to the high school. Sayreville is the home of such nationally known industries as Ameristeel Corporation, Co-Steel, E.I. DuPont DeNemours & Company, Green Tree Technologies, Guest Supply, Inc., Hercules, Inc., and Sabert Corporation.

SCHOOL PROFILE

Sayreville War Memorial High School includes grades 9-12. It has a 2021-2022 enrollment of 1710. The class of 2021 graduated 435 students.

Sayreville War Memorial High School has an extensive array of curricular offerings (on the standard, honors and advanced placement levels) designed to meet specific needs and interests of students. Special classes are available for remediation as well as for students with learning disabilities.



During the past five years, schools accepting SWMHS graduates include American University, Boston College, Carnegie Mellon University, Coastal Carolina University, Columbia University, Cornell University, Drew University, Duke University, Fordham University, Johnson and Wales University, New York University, Northeastern University, Northwestern University, Penn State University, University of Pennsylvania, Princeton University, Rider University, Rutgers University, Stevens Institute of Technology, Temple University, College of William and Mary, and the University of Notre Dame.

ACCREDITATION:

Sayreville War Memorial High School is accredited by the Middle States Association of Colleges and Secondary Schools and the New Jersey Department of Education.

2015 Newsweek "America's Top High Schools" Beating the Odds 2015: Top High Schools for Low-Income Students. Newsweek's "Beating the Odds" list seeks to identify schools that do an excellent job of preparing their students for college while also overcoming the obstacles posed by students at an economic disadvantage. Sayreville has been recognized and named a school that meets Newsweek's equity measure by helping low-income students score at or above average on state assessments.

RANK IN CLASS

Rank is computed according to the recommendations of the National Association of Secondary School Principals. All students are ranked at the end of the junior year, and again at the end of the seventh semester. All courses are included.

POST-GRADUATES – CLASS OF 2021

- 47% four-year colleges
- 21% two-year colleges
- 1% armed forces
- 11% trade schools, apprenticeships, employed or seeking employment
- 20% undecided

Sayreville War Memorial High School is proud of the students of the Class of 2021 for their acceptances to some highly competitive colleges and universities.

GRADUATION REQUIREMENTS

130 credits (grades 9-12) which include the following: 20 credits of English, 10 credits of US History, 5 credits of World History, 20 credits of Physical Education and Health (or one credit year for each year of enrollment), 15 credits of Mathematics, 15 credits of Science, 5 credits of World Language, 2.5 credits of Financial Literacy in the 21st Century, 5 credits of Fine or Performing Arts and 5 credits of Practical Arts.

OFFERINGS IN ACADEMIC AREAS

<p><u>ENGLISH</u> English 9,10,11,12 English 9,10,11,12 Honors A.P. English 1,2 Children's Literature Creative Writing Journalism Monsters in Literature Mythology Communic in the 21st Century Theatre 1,2, Workshop Communic through TV 1-4 Writing Success SAT Prep LAL Skills 10, 11, 12</p> <p><u>ART</u> A.P. Art History Advanced Art Art Workshop Creative Crafts Digital Arts Fashion Illustration Intro to Art Jewelry & Metal 1, 2 Sculpture & Ceramics 1,2 Stained Glass</p>	<p><u>MATHEMATICS</u> Algebra 1,2 Algebra 2 Honors Algebra 3/Trigonometry Fund of College Algebra Geometry Geometry Honors Pre-Calculus Pre-Calculus Honors Calculus Honors A.P. Calculus AB A.P. Calculus BC A.P. Statistics Statistics Math 104, 204, 304, 404</p> <p><u>COMPUTER SCIENCES</u> Adv Concepts in Comp Prog A.P. Computer Science A A.P. Comp. Sci. Principles Computer Networking & Design Comp. Sci. Principles</p> <p><u>MUSIC</u> Advanced Jazz Studies Band Choir 1,2,3,4 Music Tech 1,2 Record & Entertainmt Prod</p>	<p><u>SCIENCE</u> Food Science Marine Biology Biology Biology Honors** A.P. Biology** Chemistry Chemistry Honors** A.P. Chemistry** Physics Physics Honors** AP Physics** Human Anatomy & Physio Forensic Science Environmental Science A.P. Environmental Science Integrated Science</p> <p><u>APEX</u> A.P. Psychology A.P. Macro Economics A.P. Micro Economics A.P. Gov't & Politics Sociology</p>	<p><u>FOREIGN LANGUAGE</u> French (4 years) Spanish (4 years) A.P. Spanish</p> <p><u>BUSINESS</u> Intro to Accounting Financial Acc'ting Honors Business Org/Mgt Career Development Co-op Work Experience Essentials of Marketing 1,2 Sports Entertainmt/Mrkt Microsoft Office Suite Front End Web Design</p> <p><u>TECHNOLOGY</u> Adv. Architectural Design Air Force Jr. ROTC Auto Tech 1,2,3 Elements of Design Engineering Drawing Intro to Engineering Robotics Wood 1,2,3</p>	<p><u>HISTORY</u> World History World History Honors U.S. History 1,2 U.S. History 1,2 Honors A.P. History 1,2 Modern Global Conflicts Social Issues in Modern Amer Current History Amer Government/Civics Peer Leadership World Geography The Great Metropolis History of American Culture Street Law 1,2 Financial Lit in 21st Century Intro to Tomorrow's Teachers Tomorrow's Teachers Honors Social Fdns of Human Behav</p> <p><u>FAMILY/CONSUMER SCI</u> Foods & Nutrition 1,2 Parenting & Child Developmt</p> <p><u>PHYSICAL EDUCATION</u> PE 9-12 Health 9-12</p>
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**Subjects meeting one additional period per week carry a 6-credit value

All class periods are 45 minutes in length, five times a week. Subjects carrying a 5-credit value meet for 38 weeks (full year). Subjects carrying a 2.5-credit value meet for 19 weeks (one semester). All science courses include laboratory experiences.

GRADING SYSTEM and QUALITY POINTS (effective September, 1997)*

Honors courses receive one-half of an additional quality point and AP courses receive one additional quality point (effective Class of 2009). Honors and AP courses received one additional quality point through Class of 2008.

A+	=	97-100	4.3	C+	=	77-79	2.3
A	=	93-96	4.0	C	=	73-76	2.0
A-	=	90-92	3.7	C-	=	70-72	1.7
B+	=	87-89	3.3	D	=	65-69	1.0
B	=	83-86	3.0	F	=	64 or below	0.0
B-	=	80-82	2.7				

GRADING SYSTEM and QUALITY POINTS (through August, 1997)*

Honors and AP courses receive one additional quality point.

A	=	93-100	4.0
B	=	85-92	3.0
C	=	78-84	2.0
D	=	70-77	1.0
F	=	69 or below	0.0

*Particular attention should be paid to the year of graduation when reviewing the student's transcript.

ADVANCED PLACEMENT SCORES

	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021
Total AP Students	167	179	194	199	209
Number of Exams	352	351	361	403	456
AP Students with Scores 3+	113	138	151	161	115
% of Total AP Students with Scores 3+	67.7	77.1	78	81	55

SAT RESULTS – CLASS OF 2020

The SAT scores of the four-year college-bound students were: Evidence-Based Reading and Writing 574 – Math 590

The SAT scores of the two-year college-bound students were: Evidence-Based Reading and Writing 481 – Math 482

(The figures consider the student's highest score in each area, regardless of the number of times the test was taken.)

ACT RESULTS – CLASS OF 2020

The average ACT college-reportable scores are as follows: English 21.2; Math 21.1; Reading 22.4; Science 21.7; Composite 21.5