

DETROIT COUNTRY DAY SCHOOL CLASS of 2022 PROFILE



OUR *mission*

Detroit Country Day School strives to provide a superior college preparatory, liberal arts educational opportunity to young people of cultural and intellectual diversity. Within a dignified and supportive setting, the school promotes the academic, artistic, moral, character, leadership and physical development of all students so that they can pursue excellence in their lives and careers, and play effective roles in their families and communities.

* SCHOOL *summary*

The enrollment for 2021-22 is 630 students (of which 162 are seniors) who reside in more than 50 nearby communities. DCDS is a member of MACAC, NACAC, College Board, ACT, NAIS, ISACS and ACCIS.

ACADEMIC *requirements*

Detroit Country Day School offers academic programs that contribute to the liberal arts education of students. DCDS is also committed to the psychological, social, athletic and aesthetic development of the student. To this end, students are required to earn:

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| English // 4 years ○○○○ | Public Speaking (sophomore year) // 1 semester ○ |
| Fine & Performing Arts // 1 year ○ | Health Education (freshman year) // 1 semester ○ |
| World Language (through level III) // 3 years ○○○ | |
| History & US Government // 3.5 years ○○○○ | Elective Credits // 4.5 ○○○○ |
| Mathematics // 3 years ○○○ | Required Credits for Graduation // 22 ○○○○ |
| Science (1 life science; 1 physical science) // 2 years ○○ | ○○○○○○○○○○○○○○○○○○○○ |

ADDITIONAL DIPLOMA *requirements*

- 100% of DCDS students participate in community service, clubs, and athletics/performing arts.
- White Points are earned for every 5 hours of community service in approved projects; 2 points per year required
- Gold Points are earned for each semester of participation in a club or activity; 2 points per year required.
- Mission Points (8 total required)
- Blue Points are acquired through the participation in DCDS sports, an off campus sport not offered by DCDS, or national caliber sport; 4 points minimum required for graduation (1 point each year).
- Silver Points are acquired through the participation in after school non-athletic team activities including theatre, debate, forensics, science fair, and robotics. No minimum requirement.

SCHOOL COVID *statement*

2019-20 School Year: On March 13, DCDS immediately implemented virtual learning upon the onset of COVID-19. The school moved forward with a combination of synchronous and asynchronous teaching models driven by Canvas, which allowed the school to maintain its robust curricular offerings and typical evaluative measures (DCDS does not offer pass/fail grades). These courses continued with strong rigor thru May 29, with final grades posted on June 5, 2020.

2020-21 School Year: DCDS opened as scheduled in September and offered both traditional and family selected remote learning. Over 90% chose in-person learning for the entire year. There was a state-issued mandate for remote learning from November 18 through January 11, but no other interruptions.

2021-22 School Year: Academic year begins September 8 with all classes held in-person and no plans to offer remote learning at this time.

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INTERNATIONAL BACCALAUREATE *program*

Detroit Country Day School offers qualified students the opportunity to enroll in the International Baccalaureate (IB) program. The general objectives of the IB are to provide students with a balanced education, to foster critical thinking in all academic disciplines, to facilitate geographic and cultural mobility, and to promote international understanding through a shared academic experience.

* CLASS of 2022

Due to our rigorous college preparatory program it is our school policy not to assign class rank. We believe that the number is often misleading since small differences in grade point average can produce significant differences in rank.



National Merit Semifinalists // 18



National Merit Commended Students // 5



Graduates // 162



3.52 = Mean GPA //
1Q = 3.89 // 3Q = 3.28



Seniors receive admittance to at least one four-year college or university // 100%

ADVANCED *placement*

DCDS offers an extensive Advanced Placement (AP) program. The AP curriculum includes courses of disciplined and orderly inquiry. The program is designed to challenge highly motivated students and develop in them the ability to master complex knowledge.



AP Scholars with Distinction // 46



AP International Diploma // 1



AP Scholars // 32



AP Scholars with Honors // 17

In 2021, 232 DCDS students (103 seniors) took a total of 486 AP exams (412 exams were scored 3 or higher) in 26 areas:

Art and Design // 9
Art History // 2
Biology // 25
Calculus AB // 39
Calculus BC // 35
Chemistry // 30
Chinese Language // 7
Computer Science A // 22
English Lit. & Comp // 24
English Lang. & Comp. // 1
Environmental Science // 32
European History // 14
French Language // 16

German Language // 1
Latin // 2
Macroeconomics // 7
Microeconomics // 8
Physics // 11
Physics C: E & M // 20
Physics C: Mech. // 21
Psychology // 61
Spanish Language // 15
Statistics // 27
US Gov. & Politics // 20
United States History // 38
World History // 9

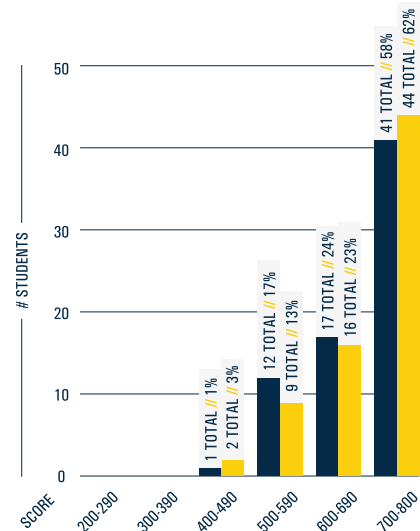
* 2022 GPA // *(sixth semester)*

3.9 – 4.00 // 38	2.9 – 2.99 // 4
3.8 – 3.89 // 19	2.8 – 2.89 // 5
3.7 – 3.79 // 16	2.7 – 2.79 // 2
3.6 – 3.69 // 12	2.6 – 2.69 // 4
3.5 – 3.59 // 8	2.5 – 2.59 // 2
3.4 – 3.49 // 9	2.4 – 2.49 // 1
3.3 – 3.39 // 15	2.3 – 2.39 // 2
3.2 – 3.29 // 12	2.2 – 2.29 // 0
3.1 – 3.19 // 8	2.1 – 2.19 // 1
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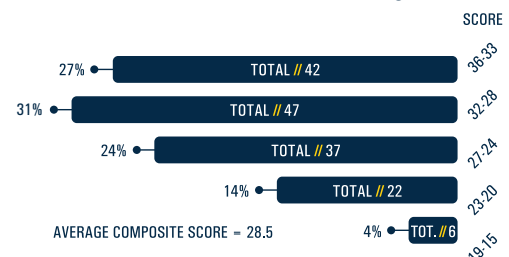
A note about our GPA: Detroit Country Day School prides itself on rigorous grading and lack of grade inflation. All grades that appear on transcripts are un-weighted and the DCDS grade point average is cumulative and calculated on a 4.0 scale.

2021 // SAT

TOTAL SCORE = 1391 SAT EBRW (MEAN = 685) SAT MATH (MEAN = 706)



2021 // ACT



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