



South Carroll High School

2023 – 2024 SCHOOL PROFILE

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SCHOOL AND COMMUNITY

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Carroll County Public Schools are located near both the Baltimore and Washington, D.C. metropolitan areas. The region can best be characterized as a rural area, rapidly becoming suburban. Today, over 25,200 students are enrolled in our schools, ranking us as the 10th largest school system in the state of Maryland. We are comprised of 8 high schools, including the Carroll County Career and Technology Center.

The Carroll County Public School System (CCPS) ranks as one of the top-performing school systems in the state of Maryland. Carroll County students consistently score above state and national averages on standardized student assessments. Carroll County also has one of the highest graduation rates and lowest dropout rates in the state. These factors, combined with the success of the outstanding Career and Technology Program, the support of the business community, and the involvement of parents in the county, help Carroll County to produce students who are college and career ready.

2023 – 2024 STUDENT BODY

<p>ENROLLMENT Total Enrollment: 921 Senior Class (Class of 2024): 246</p> <p>Class of 2023 Decisions: 4-year college: 61% 2-year college: 20%</p>	<p>Class of 2022 Statistics Average SAT: 575 Verbal, 571 Math Average ACT: 24</p>	<p>Ethnicity White: 81% Black/African American: 2.6% Asian: 3% Hispanic: 10% American Indian/Alaskan: <1% Hawaiian/Pacific Islander: <1% Two or More Races: 2%</p> <p>Students Receiving Special Services 2022-2023 Limited English Proficient: 1.3% Free/Reduced Meals: 19% Special Education: 7.8%</p>
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CURRICULUM AND GRADUATION REQUIREMENTS

Schedule

Carroll County Public Schools operate on a 4-period, A Day-B Day block schedule. Students have an opportunity to earn 8 credits during the school year.

GRADING SYSTEM:

A 90 – 100% **B** 80-89% **C** 70-79% **D** 60-69% **F** Below 60% **U** Audit
W, WP or WF – Withdraw, Withdraw Pass or Withdraw Fail, respectively; no credit awarded

Grade Point Averages and Rankings

Students in CCPS receive a weighted and unweighted GPA/Class Rank determined by the final grade in each course. The dual GPA/class rank system is based on the assignment of quality points. The unweighted GPA is computed by counting all courses equally on a 4.0 scale. The weighted GPA is computed by weighing AP/Dual Enrollment courses on a 5.0 scale and honors courses on a 4.5 scale.

<p>ADMINISTRATION:</p> <p>Principal Christina Dougherty</p> <p>Assistant Principals David Herman Kimberly Stem</p> <p>Administrator of School Facilities Timothy Novotny</p> <p>School Counseling Department:</p> <p>Edward Wharton <i>School Counselor</i> A – E</p> <p>Matthew Schwarzenberg <i>School Counselor</i> F-La</p> <p>Jessica Quinn, Dept Chair <i>School Counselor</i> Le-Re English for Speakers of Other Languages (ESOL)</p> <p>Emily Wilcox <i>School Counselor</i> Rf-Z</p> <p>Registrar Audrey Domino</p> <p>School Counseling Secretary Karrie Neary</p>	<p>ADVANCED PLACEMENT COURSES (26):</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> * English Language * English Literature * Research * Seminar * United States History * World History: Modern * U.S. Government & Politics * European History * Human Geography * Psychology * Calculus AB * Calculus BC * Statistics * Biology * Chemistry * Environmental Science * Physics 1 *Physics C Mechanics * Macroeconomics * Computer Science Principles * Computer Science A * German * Latin * Spanish * Studio Art * Music Theory <p>SPECIAL PROGRAMS OFFERED BY CCPS:</p> <p>Career and Technology Education: CCPS offers programs in general and occupational career areas. CTE students have opportunities to earn industry certifications, transferrable college credit, and/or work experience through an internship. Program (finalsite.net)</p> <p>Dual Enrollment: CCPS partners with Carroll Community College to offer expanded access for eligible students to earn college credits.</p>	<p>HIGH SCHOOL GRADUATION REQUIREMENTS:</p> <p>4 credits – English 3 credits – Social Studies 3 credits – Science *2 lab-based credits 3 credits – Mathematics <i>* All students must participate in 4 years of math in high school</i></p> <p>1 credit – Fine Arts 1 credit – Physical Education 1/2 credit – Health Education 1 credit – Technology Education 1/2 credit – Financial Literacy 2 or more credits – Completer Pathway <i>* Two credits in World Language or</i> <i>* Two credits in an approved Advanced Technology Program or</i> <i>* 3 or more credits in a State Approved Career and Technical Education Completer Program</i></p> <p>5 – 12 credits - Electives</p> <p>Total Required Credits: 25</p> <p>Students must complete 75 hours of Student Service Learning.</p> <p>Pass Maryland state required assessments in the areas of Algebra I, English 10, MISA and Government.</p> <p><i>It is the policy of the Carroll County Public School System not to disclose a student's discipline record. This statement should not be construed to imply that this applicant has any disciplinary record.</i></p>
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