



Seaholm High School

Think with reflection. Act with compassion. Perform with honor.

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2023 - 2024

CEEB/ACT Code: 230-327

Grades: 9-12

Total Enrollment: 1127

Senior Class: 324

Schedule: 5 period trimesters

Public: Comprehensive

MEMBER:

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Michigan Association for College Admission Counseling

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The Seaholm Community

Ernest W. Seaholm High School is one of the Birmingham Public School District's two comprehensive high schools for grades 9-12. Seaholm is among the most competitive high schools in the state, public or private. Nationally, Seaholm ranks among the best high schools in the country. The community of business owners, professionals and industry leaders place an extremely high value on education. Seaholm parents expect the best possible learning environment and a rigorous curriculum that prepares students for a successful future. Birmingham Public Schools is located in southeast Oakland County and is comprised of ten large residential communities with a combined population of 80,000 persons.

Advanced Placement Courses

In May 2023, 408 students took a total of 824 AP exams.

AP courses are traditionally taken during junior and senior year except US History which is taken sophomore year. BPS does not limit the number of AP courses a student can take.

Course	# tested	% of scores 3 or higher
2-D Art and Design	6	100%
3-D Art and Design	1	0%
Biology	28	71%
Calculus AB	69	74%
Calculus BC	53	94%
Chemistry	30	87%
Chinese Language and Culture	3	33%
Computer Science A	9	56%
Computer Science Principles	23	96%
Drawing	4	75%
English Language and Composition	127	59%
English Literature and Composition	30	90%
Environmental Science	12	58%
European History	20	80%
French Language and Culture	2	100%
German Language and Culture	1	100%
Italian Language and Culture	1	100%
Macroeconomics	60	70%
Microeconomics	53	72%
Music Theory	4	25%
Physics 1	30	53%
Physics C: Electricity and Magnetism	8	63%
Physics C: Mechanics	12	92%
Psychology	45	69%
Spanish Language and Culture	12	50%
Statistics	42	45%
United States Government and Politics	76	72%
United States History	63	73%

Total Scholars - 149

# of Scholars	AP Scholar	AP Scholar w Honor	AP Scholar w Distinction
	61	36	52

2023 College Matriculation:

At 4 year colleges 97%
At 2 year colleges 3%

2023 Colleges of Attendance:

Arizona State University
Auburn University
Belmont University
Boston University
Bowling Green State University
Brigham Young University
Colby College
College of Charleston
Columbia Chicago
Denison University
DePaul University
Ferris State University
Florida Gulf Coast University
Florida Institute of Technology
Grand Valley State University
High Point University
Indiana University
Kellogg Community College
Lawrence Tech University
Liberty University
Loyola University Chicago
Marquette University
Miami of Ohio
Michigan State University
Michigan Technological University
Northern Michigan University
Northwood University
Oakland Community College
Oakland University
Ohio State University
Ohio University
Purdue University
Rochester University
Rollins College
Saginaw Valley State University
Syracuse University
United States Naval Academy
University of Alabama
University of Arizona
University of Colorado Boulder
University of Dayton
University of Detroit Mercy
University of Michigan
University of Michigan-Dearborn
University of Oklahoma
University of Pennsylvania
University of Pittsburgh
University of Tennessee
University of Washington
University of Wisconsin-Madison
Utah State
Wayne State University
Western Michigan University
Yale University

Average Test Scores

SAT		ACT	
Seaholm	1135	Seaholm	26
State	954	State	24.1

Class Rank, GPA & Graduation Requirements:

Birmingham Public Schools offer a comprehensive college-prep curriculum on a 4 point scale. Honors (H) and Advanced Placement (AP) courses are weighted one additional point in GPA for grades "C" and above. BPS does not rank students.

A total of 28 credits are required for graduation and the specific requirements are as follows: English 4 credits, Math 4 credits, Science 3 credits, Social Studies 3.5 credits, World Language 2 credits, Health .5 credit, Physical Education 1.0 credit, Visual / Performing / Applied Arts 1.5 credits.

Seaholm does not have specific graduation requirements for community service. However, most students spend many hours in the community giving of their time and talents at various organizations and for various causes.

Instructional Modes:

Students utilized Google Classroom, Schoology, or other means to regularly submit homework, assessments and participate in live instruction when offered. The importance was placed on students achieving essential outcomes and skills without the potential negative impact that this forced, online environment and crisis caused. Students engaged in instruction that advanced curriculum and addressed essential learning standards and units with an expectation of full participation in the remainder of the school year.

Class of 2024

GPA Distribution:

(Grades earned through 11th grade)

Weighted Grade Point	Number of Students
4.00 - 4.73	118
3.75 - 3.99	44
3.50 - 3.74	37
3.25 - 3.49	26
3.00 - 3.24	22
2.75 - 2.99	18
2.50 - 2.74	13
1.00 - 2.49	22

Grading System:

A	(4.0)	C	(2.0)
A-	(3.7)	C-	(1.7)
B+	(3.3)	D+	(1.3)
B	(3.0)	D	(1.0)
B-	(2.7)	D-	(.7)
C+	(2.3)		

GRADING, Trimester 3 - Spring 2020

Traditional letter grades were not assigned at the end of the course. Students received academic credit for all courses taken. Students were Held Harmless due to the circumstances surrounding the COVID19 pandemic. A designation of "G" or "CV" is reflected on the transcript. Grade 'G' - Students met the participation and performance standards a 'G' grade provides credit without a grade. The designation 'CV' on transcript acknowledges that a student has received credit but may have been impeded from completing performance expectations for a variety of reasons.

Honors Courses

Honors course titles are indicated with an H on the transcript.

Anatomy & Physiology A & B
Biology
Chemistry
Chinese 4
Chinese Perspectives A & B
Creative Writing
Debate
English (9A & 9B)
English (10A & 10B)
FLEX English (9, 10, 11 & 12)
FLEX Social Studies (9, 10, 11 & 12)
Forensic
French 4
French Perspectives A & B
Hispanic Perspectives A & B
Integrated Math 2 A & B
Integrated Math 3 A & B
Japanese 4
Pre-Calculus A & B
Spanish 4
StemX Research & Design I & II

The Flex Program

Flex is an honors ELA/Social Studies program for students who seek to take ownership of their learning. Students within Flex are intellectually curious, compassionate, courageous, and civically engaged. The Flex curriculum is organized into a four-year cycle of study focusing on American, global, Western literatures and studies, and the study of cultural and literary anthropology. Each year integrates an understanding of literary, historical, economic, aesthetic, and cultural understandings. Day-to-day activities in Flex are divided into several components that include counseling group, core, seminars, electives, advanced placement, writing group, computer technology, economics, and American Government. Flex is team-taught by both Social Studies and ELA teachers in a two-hour block format. Instruction within the program will be provided for students interested in taking the following Advanced Placement exams: Language and Composition, Literature and Composition, Economics, US Government and US History. The Flex program has been a part of the Birmingham Community since 1964.