



# Ottawa Hills High School

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## 2023-2024 College Admission Profile

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### The Community

The Village of Ottawa Hills is a small residential community of approximately 1,600 households and 4,500 residents located on the western edge of Toledo, Ohio. A majority of residents are college-educated and share an ongoing commitment to educational excellence. In 2023, *Niche.com* ranked the village as one of the best places in Ohio to raise a family and the school district as #1 in the Toledo area.

### Awards and Recognitions

*U.S. News & World Report* continues to rank Ottawa Hills High School in the top 1% of public schools nationally for the fifth consecutive year. The high school is also ranked #1 in the Toledo metropolitan area and among the top ten schools in Ohio.

*The Washington Post's* Jay Mathews' 2023 Challenge Index places the high school in the top 2 percent of all high schools in the U.S. Ottawa Hills is the only district in northwest Ohio selected for The Governor's Thomas Edison Award for STEM achievements and has won this award every year for a decade.

### Accreditations

Ottawa Hills High School is accredited by the Ohio Department of Education and Cognia through the North Central Association of Colleges and Schools. As a member of the National Association for College Admission Counseling (NACAC) and the Ohio Association for College Admission Counseling (OACAC),

Ottawa Hills High School adheres to the Principles of Ethical Practice governing college admissions and financial aid.

### High School and Faculty

Ottawa Hills High School is a publicly supported institution with approximately 350 students. Over 98% of our graduates enroll in higher education with over 96% attending four-year institutions. The school has 37 faculty members with a 9:1 student to faculty ratio. Of the faculty members, 79% hold at least a Master's degree in their respective field. The average classroom size is 17 students.

More than 90% of our students participate in extracurricular activities including athletics, student-led organizations, and community service. Unique curricular offerings include independent research through the HR Scientific Research and HR STEM Research classes in collaboration with The University of Toledo. Students also complete internships within the local community through our English IV class enhanced by our Professional Networking and Communications curriculum.

### The Class of 2024

There are 80 members of the Class of 2024. Most took the state-mandated ACT in February 2023. In the class, 3 students are Semifinalists and 5 students are Commended in the 2024 National Merit Scholarship Program.

### Grading Scale

GPA is calculated on a weighted 4.0 scale and includes all high school level courses taken at Ottawa Hills.

Grade	Numerical Equivalency	Quality Point Equivalent
A+, A, A-	100 - 92%	4.0
B+, B, B-	91 - 82%	3.0
C+, C, C-	81 - 72%	2.0
D+, D, D-	71 - 64%	1.0
F	Below 64%	0.0

### Weighting System

All Advanced Placement and most College Credit Plus (dual enrollment) courses earn 1 additional quality point. Honors (HR) courses earn an additional 1/2 point.

### Grade Point Average Distribution for the Class of 2024

GPA	# of students	% of class
> 4.50	8	10%
4.00 - 4.49	24	30%
3.50 - 3.99	20	25%
3.00 - 3.49	17	21%
2.50 - 2.99	7	9%
< 2.49	4	5%

**Ottawa Hills does not rank its students.**

GPA does not include grades for courses taken by transfer students prior to enrolling at Ottawa Hills.

### College Board Advanced Placement Testing

	2023	2022	2021	2020	2019
Students Tested	143	160	150	128	140
Tests Taken	293	341	298	265	302
Score of 3 or greater	87%	81%	87%	87%	86%

Ottawa Hills offers 16 AP courses listed on page 2.

Certain AP courses are offered alternating years.

Students may take additional AP Exams via independent study.

### SAT & ACT Results Class of 2024

Test	n=	Mean	Middle 50%
SAT EBRW	7	634	560 - 710
SAT MATH	7	676	650 - 722
ACT Comp.	79	26	22 - 31

