



DOVER HIGH SCHOOL

2024-2025 School Profile

Administration

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Dover Community Profile

Dover, located 40 miles from New York City in northwest New Jersey, is a suburban community consisting of 2.7 square miles in Morris County. Originating as an iron-forging town in 1722, Dover was incorporated in 1869. Dover developed into a major commercial and industrial center with the completion of the Morris Canal and later the Lackawanna Railroad. Prior to 1960, the town's central business district was the hub of retail shopping in western Morris and Sussex counties. Today, Dover is the second most densely populated municipality in the county with a population that is nearly 72% Hispanic.

Graduation Requirements

Dover High School is accredited by the New Jersey State Department of Education. In order to graduate and receive a high school diploma from Dover High School, each student must demonstrate proficiencies in required state mandated testing, adhere to district policies governing attendance and successfully complete 120 credits including the following:

English - 20 credits	Science - 15 credits
Mathematics - 15 credits	World Language - 5 credits
United States History - 10 credits	World History - 5 credits
21st Century Skills - 5 credits	Visual/Perf. Arts - 5 credits
Financial Literacy - 2.5 credits	Phys. Ed/Health - 15-20 credits

TOTAL: 120 CREDITS*

***Beginning with the Class of 2025**

Dover High School

Dover High School is a comprehensive high school with an enrollment of 1150 students in grades 9-12. The faculty of 80 are highly qualified teachers in their respective disciplines, many of whom hold masters degrees or doctoral degrees. The student body of DHS is comprised of residents from the Town of Dover, the Township of Mine Hill, and the Borough of Victory Gardens.

GPA/Class Rank

All courses completed at Dover High School are included in the calculation of Grade Point Average and ranking with the exception of courses taken as pass/fail or audit. Students are ranked at the end of each academic year. Senior GPAs and ranks are re-calculated after the 7th semester and posted on mid-year reports.

Grading Key

Beginning with the Class of 2025, Dover High School expanded grading to include +/- as shown. Prior to the class of 2025, grades were only A, B, C, D, F.

I = Incomplete, 2 weeks to make up work after the close of the MP
NG = Excused - No GPA weight
P = Pass - No GPA weight
WP = Withdrawn Passing after add/drop through MP 1
WF = Withdrawn Failing - No credit earned
AF = Attendance Failure - No credit earned
AU = Audit - No credit attempted or earned

Grading System

Numeric Grade	Letter Grade	Standard Weight	Honors Weight	AP Weight
97-100	A+	4.3	4.8	5.3
93-96	A	4	4.5	5
90-92	A-	3.7	4.2	4.7
87-89	B+	3.3	3.8	4.3
83-86	B	3	3.5	4
80-82	B-	2.7	3.2	3.7
77-79	C+	2.3	2.8	3.3
73-76	C	2	2.5	3
70-72	C-	1.7	1.7	1.7
67-69	D+	1.3	1.3	1.3
60-66	D	1	1	1
Below 60	F	0	0	0

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Mission Statement

Dover High School, a community rich in diversity, talent and history, challenges and instructs all students to identify and develop their unique abilities. Students achieve academic excellence and demonstrate responsible citizenship through participation in a comprehensive offering of academic and extracurricular activities.

Dual Enrollment Articulation Agreements

County College of Morris

CTE Drawing I
CTE Two-Dimensional Design
CTE Intro to Computer Graphics
CTE Computer Graphics
Intro to Data Science
Anatomy & Physiology I

William Paterson University

Intro to Creative Writing
Experiences in Literature
Elementary Statistics
PreCalculus

Graphic Design CTE Program

10th and 11th grade students can apply to our Graphic Design Career and Technical Education program. CTE provides students with the academic and technical skills they need to succeed in all types of high-skill, high-paying, and in-demand careers. This is a two-year program in which students can earn 12 college credits in Graphic Design from the Community College of Morris while still in high school, and may earn an industry-recognized certificate in Graphic Design.

Advanced Placement & AP Capstone

Dover High School is an AP Capstone school offering nineteen (19) courses in the Advanced Placement Program for students in 10th through 12th grade. Students can elect to participate in the courses, culminating in taking the exam to receive AP weighting. In 2024, 32 students were awarded AP Scholar, 5 were awarded AP Scholar with Honor, and 2 AP Scholar with Distinction. Three students received the AP Capstone Diploma.

AP/Honors Weighted Course Offerings

AP: Biology, Calculus AB, Calculus BC, Computer Science A, English Language and Composition, English Literature and Composition, Environmental Science, Macroeconomics, Microeconomics, Physics 1, Psychology, Research, Seminar, Spanish Language and Culture, Spanish Literature and Culture, Statistics, United States Government and Politics, United States History, World History: Modern

Honors: Algebra 1 & 2, Geometry, Precalculus, Calculus, Spanish 1, 2 & 3, Band, Choir, Biology, Chemistry, Physics, English 1, 2, 3 & 4, US History 1 & 2, World History

Honor Societies

Dover High School is proud to host the Harvey A. Kuntzman Chapter of the National Honor Society, Mu Alpha Theta Math Honor Society, the Spanish Honor Society, and the Dance Honor Society.

Seal of Biliteracy

The State Seal of Biliteracy is established to recognize high school students who have attained a high level of proficiency in speaking, reading and writing in one or more foreign languages in addition to English. The State Seal of Biliteracy shall be awarded by the local board of education to graduating high school seniors who meet the criteria established by the State Board of Education. In the 2023-2024 school year, 115 students earned this distinction.

Class of 2024 Statistics

POST-SECONDARY PLANS	Number of Graduates	Percent of Graduates		ACHIEVEMENTS AND RECOGNITION	N
4-Year College/University	39	16%	▪	Highest Cumulative Weighted GPA	4.53
2-Year College	95	38%	▪	Average Weighted GPA	3.03
Employment/Gap Year/Other	90	36%	▪	NJ Seal of Biliteracy Recipients	115
Military	6	2%	▪	National Honor Society Members	26
Trade/Tech School	19	8%	▪	Math Honor Society Members	10
Total	249	100%	▪	National Recognition Award Students	15



Dover T-I-G-E-R-S



Trustworthy ↔ Integrity ↔ Giving ↔ Empathy ↔ Respect ↔ Service

Athletics

Dover High School is a member school of the NJAC (Northwest Jersey Athletic Conference), Morris County, and NJSIAA associations for competition. Dover High School athletic teams have open tryouts for all registered high school students interested in participating. Students must meet the academic eligibility and medical eligibility to be cleared for participation. The NJSIAA and The Dover Public School District emphasize the importance of good sportsmanship.

Athletic Teams

Fall Season	Winter Season	Spring Season
Boys Cross Country Girls Cross Country Boys Soccer Girls Soccer Football Cheerleading Girls Volleyball	Bowling (Co-ed) Boys Basketball Girls Basketball Boys Winter Track Girls Winter Track Basketball Cheerleading Competition/Wrestling Cheerleading	Baseball Softball Boys Spring Track & Field Girls Spring Track & Field Boys Volleyball Flag Football Golf

Clubs & Extracurricular Activities

Bowling Club	Interact Club	School Musical
Choral Groups	Jazz Band	Student Council
Color Guard	Latin Mix Dance Club	Scrap & Craft Club
Dance Club	Marching Band	Tiger Mascots
Debate Team	Poetry Club	Tiger Tales Newspaper
Dungeons & Dragons Club	Peer Mentoring	Tigers in Christ
E-Sports Club	Robotics Team	Yearbook Committee
Env. Science Club	School Play	Youth Historical Organization

Class of 2024 College Matriculations

Army National Guard Arcadia University Artistic Academy Bergen Community College Centenary University College of the Holy Cross County College of Morris Dartmouth College Drew University Fairleigh Dickinson University	Fortis Institute Lincoln Technical Institute Monmouth University Montclair State University Morris County Vocational School New Jersey City University Ramapo College of New Jersey Roanoke College Rowan University	Rutgers University Saint Elizabeth University Seton Hall University Stockton University Sussex County Community College Universal Technical Institute University of New Haven University of Vermont Wentworth Institute of Technology William Paterson University
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