

# PRINCETON HIGH SCHOOL

School Profile 2024-2025

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"Live to Learn, Learn to Live"

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# **COMMUNITY**

Princeton, a central New Jersey community of 30,000, has in recent years grown beyond its traditional identification but has not outgrown its traditions. For over 250 years, Princeton University has symbolized the community's values of education and culture.

# SCHOOL

Princeton High School reflects the lifestyle of a community that takes pride in its continuing tradition of academic and cultural achievement. The richness of its academic programs, alternative options and extracurricular activities conveys the view that learning is not necessarily classroom bound. Moreover, its students are encouraged to view themselves as valuable citizens of this community of learning

## **CURRICULUM**

The instructional program is aimed toward college preparation, with Accelerated, Advanced and Advanced Placement courses available in all major disciplines.

## **ACCREDITATION AND INSTITUTIONAL MEMBERSHIPS**

Princeton High School is accredited by the Middle States Association of Colleges and Schools Commission on Elementary and Secondary Schools. It holds institutional memberships with the College Entrance Examination Board and the National Association of College Admissions Counselors.

## **DEMOGRAPHIC INFORMATION**

45.3% identify as White

27.3% identify as Asian/Pacific Islander

10.7% identify as Hispanic

10.1% identify as Multi

**6.1%** identify as Black or African American

**0.3%** identify as Native American

## **EXTRACURRICULAR OFFERINGS**

A full list of our athletics and activities can be found at this link:

https://www.princetonk12.org/princeton-high-school/activities

## **SCHEDULE A VISIT**

Princeton High School welcomes admission officers to visit during the school day on all days except Thursday from September 9th through November 30th. Visits can be scheduled <a href="here">here</a>.

**GRADUATION REQUIREMENTS** 

Subject	Required	Recommended	Additional
English	4 years	4 years	Requirements:
Math	3 years	4 years	Service-Learning
Science	3 years	4 years	Hours
Social Studies	3 years	4 years	<ul> <li>Princeton Intro to Racial Literacy</li> </ul>
World Languages	1 year	4 years	(PIRL) or Racial
Physical Education	4 years	4 years	Literacy
Visual/Performing Arts	1 year	1 year	
21st Century Life & Careers	1 year	1 year	
Financial Literacy	1 year	1 year	

# **CLASS OF 2024 POST-SECONDARY PLANS**

Class Size	352
Four-Year Colleges:	92%
Two-Year Colleges:	4%
Other:	4%

# **SAT - HISTORICAL**

<u>Class</u> <u>Year</u>	Test Takers			Math		
2024	271	1295	646	649		
2023	265	1297	649	647		
2022	275	1315	653	661		
2021	256	1334	664	670		

# <u>SAT – 2024 DETAIL</u>

	<b>ERW</b>	Math
Princeton High School	646	649
New Jersey	531	519
United States	519	505

# ACT - 2023-2024 DETAIL

Number	<b>Composite</b>	<u>Math</u>	<b>Science</b>	<u>STEM</u>	<b>English</b>	Reading	Writing	<u>ELA</u>
179	28.2	27.1	27.1	27.4	28.8	29.2	7.8	24.7

# NATIONAL MERIT SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM

National Merit Finalists	10
Commended Students	59

# **ADVANCED PLACEMENT PROGRAM**

	<u>2024</u>	<u>2023</u>	<u>2022</u>
Total AP Scholars	371	338	302
Total AP Students	685	628	555
Number of Tests Administered	1,699	1,523	1,343
AP Students with Scores of 3+	1,567	1,523	1,150
Percent of AP Students with Scores of 3+	92%	89%	86%

# GRADE POINT AVERAGE/CLASS RANK

Both weighted and unweighted grade point averages (GPAs) are calculated. Weighted grade point average is based on an open-ended scale beginning with 0.00 and has no ceiling. Only the final grade achieved in each course is issued to compute GPA and WGPA. All graded courses are used in the calculation of GPA and WGPA. A student's cumulative GPA and WGPA are tabulated and posted on the permanent record at the conclusion of each school year.

Grade	A	A-	B+	В	В-	C+	C	C-	D+	D	D-	F
Scale	93-100	90-92	87-89	83-86	80-82	77-79	73-76	70-72	67-69	63-66	60-62	0-59
Weighted (AP/ACC/ADV/PU)	5.00	4.66	4.33	4.00	3.66	3.33	3.00	2.66	2.33	2.00	1.66	0
Unweighted	4.00	3.66	3.33	3.00	2.66	2.33	2.00	1.66	1.33	1.00	0.66	0

# **RANK IN CLASS**

The academic environment in Princeton High School is very challenging. Most of our students meet the challenge by earning exemplary grades. The comparisons among students inherent in rank-in-class calculations unnecessarily increase competition within the school. Further, we believe that our students' levels of achievement are not equitably or fully communicated by this single-figure transcript statistic. Therefore, Princeton High School does not report class rank.

## PRINCETON HIGH SCHOOL COURSE OFFERINGS

#### **ENGLISH LANGUAGE ARTS**

AP English Literature and Composition

AP English Language and

Composition

## **MATHEMATICS**

Multivariable Calculus & Linear

Algebra

AP Calculus BC

AP Calculus AB

AP Statistics

Pre-Calculus Accelerated

Algebra II Accelerated Geometry Accelerated

# **SOCIAL STUDIES**

AP European History AP Government & Politics AP Human Geography AP World History: Modern AP United States History Sociology Accelerated (Dual enrollment with TCNJ)

# SCIENCE

AP Physics C: Electricity &

Magnetism

AP Physics C: Mechanics

AP Chemistry

Organic Chemistry

AP Biology

AP Environmental Science

Physics I Accelerated

Chemistry Accelerated

Biology Accelerated

Research Analysis Accelerated

Research Applications Accelerated

Research Methods Accelerated Planetary Science Accelerated

## **WORLD LANGUAGE**

AP Chinese Language and Culture AP French Language and Culture AP Italian Language and Culture AP Japanese Language and Culture AP Spanish Language and Culture French III, IV, V, VI Advanced Spanish III, IV, V, VI Advanced

**TOTAL AP COURSES: 27** 

#### **VISUAL/PERFORMING ARTS**

AP Music Theory AP Art History

## **BUSINESS**

AP Macroeconomics AP Microeconomics

Contemporary Economic Issues

Advanced

## **COMPUTER SCIENCE**

Introduction to Computer Science Using

Java Accelerated

Object Oriented Programming Using

Java Accelerated

AP Computer Science A

AP Computer Science Principles

Algorithms & Data Structures Advanced

# NON-TRADITIONAL ACADEMIC PROGRAMS

Princeton University
Mercer County Community College

TOTAL ACCELERATED & ADVANCED COURSES: 23

# **GRADUATE PLACEMENT - DOMESTIC**

Princeton High School students are sought after by the most competitive colleges in the country. Below is a sampling of where the members of the classes of 2020 - 2024 have matriculated.

American University Lehigh University

Barnard College Loyola University Maryland University of Maryland

Boston University

Brown University

Massachusetts Institute of Technology
Mercer County Community College
University of Miami

University of California—All Campuses
Carnegie Mellon University
Case Western Reserve University

University of Michigan
Montclair State University
New York University

University of Chicago

Colgate University

New York University

Northeastern University

Pennsylvania State University

University of Colorado Boulder
Columbia University

Cornell University

Dartmouth College

Purdue University

Princeton University

Purdue University

Drexel University Rensselaer Polytechnic Institute

Duke University
Elon University
Emory University

Temple University

To Managers University

Temple University

George Washington University
Georgetown University
Harvard University
University
University of Vermont

Williams Callege

University of Illinois Urbana-Champaign
Indiana University Bloomington

Williams College
Yale University

# **GRADUATE PLACEMENT - INTERNATIONAL**

In addition to the colleges and universities listed above, Princeton High School students in the classes of 2020 - 2024 have also matriculated at some of the most renowned institutions in the world.

Amsterdam Fashion Institute University College Dublin

Bocconi University

Concordia University (Montreal)

Duke Kunshan University

Durham University

Ecole Polytechnique

University of Amsterdam
University of British Columbia
University of Cambridge
University of Edinburgh

IE UniversityUniversity of OttawaJohn Cabot UniversityUniversity of OxfordMcGill UniversityUniversity of St AndrewsSciences Po ParisUniversity of TorontoTrinity College DublinUniversity of Victoria