



# LEMONT HIGH SCHOOL DISTRICT 210

Exemplary High Performing School • 2017 National Blue Ribbon Schools Program

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## 2024-25 SCHOOL PROFILE

CEEB/ACT CODE: 142 590

### SCHOOL DISTRICT AND COMMUNITY

Lemont High School District 210 is a one-school, high school district serving an area of more than 31 square miles in the southwest suburban Chicagoland area. The district's boundaries cover Lemont Township (Cook County) and the south portion of Downers Grove Township (DuPage County). The Village of Lemont is the single municipality contained within the district's boundaries, which also include Argonne National Laboratory. In addition to Lemont, the district also serves portions of Darien, Downers Grove and Woodridge.

### LEMONT HIGH SCHOOL

Lemont High School, which graduated its first students in 1891, is a comprehensive public high school serving students from grades 9-12. Accredited by the Illinois State Board of Education, Lemont High School is a member of the College Board, was cited as a 2017 National Blue Ribbon School, and earned an "Exemplary" summative designation on the 2024 Illinois School Report Card. Enrollment during the 2023-24 school year was 1,301 students, and according to the school report card, its average per pupil expenditure was \$21,756.

### FACULTY

During the 2023-24 school year, Lemont High School employed 89 faculty members to provide instructional services. Of those, 90 percent have earned a masters degree or better.

### SPECIAL EDUCATION

Ten teachers, 12 paraeducators, 2.5 social workers, two psychologists, a speech-language pathologist, a hearing itinerant, a vision itinerant, an occupational therapist, a physical therapist, an orientation and mobility specialist, and a vocational coordinator/transition specialist support students who are eligible for special education services. The school is part of the Southwest Cook County Cooperative Association for Special Education, which provides programming and services to assist with meeting the needs of students with low-incidence disabilities. The district houses SWCCCASE's Deaf & Hard of Hearing Program.

### FACTS AND FIGURES

4-Year Graduation Rate (Class of 2024).....	96.1%
Freshmen On Track Rate (Class of 2027) .....	95.9%
12-Month College Enrollment Rate (Class of 2022).....	85.0%
Number of Students Who Took an AP Exam (2023-24 school year).....	513
AP Exams Administered (2023-24 school year).....	984
AP Students Who Passed at Least One AP Exam (2023-24 school year).....	78.9%
AP Exams That Resulted in a Passing Score (2023-24 school year).....	76.5%

Sources: 2024 Illinois School Report Card; College Board

### CURRICULUM

Lemont High School utilizes the Block 8 system, where students take eight courses that meet every other day. The school day is composed of four 87-minute periods, with a "zero hour" available for students to take extra courses before school. Depending on the grade level, Honors and/or Advanced Placement courses are available in most curricular areas. Students also have access to curricular options at the Wilco Area Career Center, a regional vocational center of which Lemont High School is a member.

### COVID-19 INFORMATION

Lemont High School transitioned to full-time remote learning on March 13, 2020, and remained in that phase through the end of the 2019-20 school year. Students earned traditional letter grades reflecting all work done prior to the suspension of in-person instruction, as well as any work submitted after that date that improved a student's grade. During the 2020-21 school year, the school employed both full-time remote learning and hybrid learning. Students participated in synchronous course work on a shortened daily schedule, and the school returned to its traditional grading practices. Lemont High School returned to full-time in-person instruction during the 2021-22 school year.

### MARKING SYSTEM

- A Outstanding academic achievement
- B Above-average academic achievement
- C Average academic achievement
- D Below-average academic achievement (minimum passing grade for credit)
- F Unsatisfactory academic achievement (no credit)
- INC Incomplete semester grade
- WP Withdrawal Passing (withdrawal without a grade penalty)
- WF Withdrawal Failing (withdrawal with a grade penalty, considered an F)
- AU Audit (not for credit)
- P Pass (for Pass/Fail courses)
- EX Administrative Exemption
- TR Credit transferred from another school
- XC Conditional (dependent upon performance next grading period)

### GRADE POINT SYSTEM

A student's grade point average is computed on a 4-point scale for all in-school purposes. The school maintains both weighted and non-weighted GPAs, but the weighted GPA is used only for college reporting.

### REGULAR COURSES

A - 4 B - 3 C - 2 D - 1 F - 0

### HONORS AND ADVANCED PLACEMENT COURSES

A - 5 B - 4 C - 3 D - 2 F - 0

Lemont High School does not report class rank on student transcripts. Colleges, universities and scholarship organizations may request this information if it is required as a condition of admission or an award.

WEIGHTED HONORS COURSES	
Advanced Accounting Honors	Integrated Math II Honors
Advanced CAD II Honors	Integrated Math III Honors
Advanced CAD III Honors	Jazz Band Honors
Advanced Science Research	Junior Honors Physical Education Leadership
Anatomy & Physiology Honors	Production Honors
Biology Honors	Senior Honors Physical Education Leadership
Business Leadership (honors option)	Spanish II Honors
Chemistry Honors	Spanish III Honors
English I Honors	STEM Math Honors
English II Honors	Symphonic Band Honors
French III Honors	Web Design & Development II (honors option)
French IV Honors	
Integrated Math I Honors	* Several Wilco classes also have honors options
WEIGHTED ADVANCED PLACEMENT COURSES	
AP Biology	AP Music Theory
AP Calculus BC	AP Physics I
AP Chemistry	AP Physics II
AP Computer Science Principles	AP Psychology
AP Computer Science Programming A	AP Spanish Language & Composition
English III: AP Language & Composition	AP Statistics
English IV: AP Literature & Composition	AP Studio Art
AP Environmental Science	AP U.S. Government & Politics
AP Human Geography	AP U.S. History
AP Macroeconomics	AP World History
AP Microeconomics	

### GRADUATION REQUIREMENTS

**COMMUNICATIONS - 6.0 credits** – Required: English I (1.0), English II (1.0), English III (1.0), English IV (1.0), Communications (0.5) and 1.5 credits of electives

**SOCIAL/CULTURAL - 4.5 credits** – Required: Human Geography (1.0), U.S. History (1.0), American Government, Civics, & Contemporary Issues (1.0), Consumer Education or equivalent (0.5) and 1.0 credits of electives

**SCIENTIFIC/QUANTITATIVE/TECHNOLOGICAL - 8.0 credits** – Required: Mathematics\* (3.0), Science (2.0), Technology Concepts (0.5) and 2.5 credits of electives (\* Including one course with Geometry content and one with Algebra I content)

**CREATIVE - 2.0 credits** – Required: 2.0 credits of electives

**HEALTH AND LEISURE - 4.5 credits** – Required: Physical Education (3.5 credits; 3.0 for early graduates), Health Education (0.5) and Driver Education (0.5)

**OTHER ELECTIVES - 1.0 credits**

# PROGRAM OF STUDIES – 2024-25 SCHOOL YEAR

(courses listed alphabetically)

## BUSINESS EDUCATION

Accounting  
Advanced Accounting Honors  
AP Computer Science A  
AP Computer Science Principles  
Business Economics  
Business Internships & Career Training  
Business Law  
Business Leadership  
Computer Applications  
Cybersecurity Essentials  
Desktop Publishing  
Introduction to Business  
Introduction to Computer Science: Programming  
IT Essentials  
Personal Finance I  
Personal Finance II: Investment Management  
Professional Internship Program  
Sports & Entertainment Marketing  
Technology Concepts  
Technology Internship Program  
Web Design & Development I  
Web Design & Development II

## ENGLISH

Advanced Speech Communication  
Broadcast Journalism  
Cinema Studies I  
Cinema Studies II  
College Writing  
Communications  
Creative Writing I  
Creative Writing II  
Critical Reading I  
Critical Reading II  
English I  
English I Honors  
English II  
English II Honors  
English III  
English III: AP Language & Composition  
English IV  
English IV: AP Literature & Composition  
English Language Learners I/Communications  
English Language Learners II/Communications  
English Language Learners Tutorial  
Humanities I  
Humanities II  
Journalism  
Literature of the Supernatural  
Modern Fiction  
Podcasting: Stories in Sound  
Reading for English Language Learners  
Truth & Lies: Savagery and Civilization in British Literature

## FAMILY AND CONSUMER SCIENCES

Advanced Baking  
Child Development  
Culinary Arts  
Family & Consumer Sciences Survey  
Food Preparation  
Interior Design I  
Interior Design II  
International Cooking  
Nutrition  
Parenting  
Teaching Internship

## FINE ARTS – MUSIC

AP Music Theory  
Choir  
Concert Band  
Guitar I  
Guitar II  
Introduction to Music  
Jazz Band  
Jazz Band Honors  
Marching Band  
Music Production I  
Music Production II  
Music Production III  
Percussion Ensemble  
Symphonic Band Honors

## FINE ARTS – ART

2D Animation & Motion Graphics  
AP Studio Art: 2D  
Art I  
Art II  
Art III  
Art IV  
Ceramics I  
Ceramics II  
Digital Art  
Digital Photography  
Drawing & Painting I  
Drawing & Painting II  
Drawing & Painting III  
Drawing & Painting IV  
Fashion Design Illustration  
Graphic Design I  
Graphic Design II  
Introduction to Jewelry Making

## INDUSTRIAL TECHNOLOGY

3D Design & Animation  
Advanced 3D Design & Animation  
Advanced CAD II Honors  
Advanced CAD III Honors  
Drafting/CAD I  
Orientation to Industrial Technology  
Production Honors  
Robotic Engineering  
Stagecraft & Theatre Technology I  
Stagecraft & Theatre Technology II  
Stagecraft & Theatre Technology III - Theatre Management  
Stagecraft & Theatre Technology IV - Theatre Design  
Woods Technology I  
Woods Technology II

## MATHEMATICS

Advanced Calculus  
AP Calculus BC  
AP Statistics  
Calculus  
Essentials for Integrated Math  
Integrated Math I  
Integrated Math I GB  
Integrated Math I Honors  
Integrated Math II  
Integrated Math II Honors  
Integrated Math III  
Integrated Math III Honors  
Integrated Math III Representations  
Modern Mathematics  
Pre-Essentials for Integrated Math  
Quantitative Mathematics  
Statistics  
STEM Math  
STEM Math Honors

## PHYSICAL EDUCATION/HEALTH/ DRIVER EDUCATION

Adaptive Physical Education  
Advanced Athletic Performance  
Athletic Performance  
Driver Education  
Female Fitness Concepts: Advanced Athletic Performance  
Health Education  
Junior Honors Physical Education Leadership  
Outdoor Education  
Physical Education I  
Physical Education II  
Physical Education III & IV  
Senior Honors Physical Education Leadership  
Yoga

## SCIENCE

Advanced Science Research  
Anatomy & Physiology Honors  
AP Biology  
AP Chemistry  
AP Environmental Science  
AP Physics I  
AP Physics II  
Big History  
Biology  
Biology Honors  
Biotechnology  
Chemistry  
Chemistry Honors  
Earth & Space Science  
Field Ecology  
Forensic Science  
Physics  
Zoology

## SOCIAL STUDIES

American Government, Civics, & Contemporary Issues  
American Icons: 20th Century Through Film  
AP Human Geography  
AP Macroeconomics  
AP Microeconomics  
AP Psychology  
AP U.S. Government & Politics  
AP U.S. History  
AP World History  
Consumer Education  
Economics  
Human Geography  
Human Rights & World Affairs  
Local History  
Psychology  
Sociology  
U.S. History  
World History

## WORLD LANGUAGES

American Sign Language I  
American Sign Language II  
American Sign Language III  
American Sign Language IV  
American Sign Language Functional Communication  
AP Spanish Language & Culture  
French I  
French II  
French III  
French III Honors  
French IV  
French IV Honors  
Spanish I  
Spanish II  
Spanish II Honors  
Spanish III  
Spanish III Honors  
Spanish IV

## WILCO

Wilco - ACE (Architecture/Construction Management/Engineering)  
Wilco - Advanced Integrated Manufacturing  
Wilco - Applied Engineering Technology  
Wilco - Auto Services (Mechanics)  
Wilco - Aviation Mechanics  
Wilco - Barbering  
Wilco - Business Logistics  
Wilco - Business Management  
Wilco - Certified Nursing Assistant  
Wilco - Cisco, Security, and Internetworking  
Wilco - Computer Technology  
Wilco - Construction Management  
Wilco - Cosmetology  
Wilco - Criminal & Social Justice Studies  
Wilco - Culinary Arts  
Wilco - Early Childhood Education  
Wilco - Emergency Medical Services  
Wilco - Fire Science  
Wilco - Introduction to Health Professions  
Wilco - Landscape and Turf Grass Management  
Wilco - Law Enforcement & Public Safety  
Wilco - Medical Assisting  
Wilco - Nail Technology  
Wilco - Veterinary Assistant  
Wilco - Welding and Fabrication

## MISCELLANEOUS

Center for Academic Vision & Excellence (CAVE)  
Freshman Academy  
Service Project  
Student Intern

## WILCO AREA CAREER CENTER

Juniors and seniors wishing to complete upper-level training in vocational or technical areas may enroll in programs at the Wilco Area Career Center, which offers students career-based courses that provide skills required for employment upon completion. Some Wilco courses give students the opportunity to earn either articulated or dual credit at several area colleges and universities.

## COLLEGE VISIT DAYS

Institutions should contact Colleen Amberg at (630) 243-3218 or [camberg@lhs210.net](mailto:camberg@lhs210.net) to set up college visit days.

## DUAL/TRANSFERABLE CREDIT

In addition to the articulated and dual credit options at Wilco, students may earn college credit in the following courses through dual credit or transferable credit agreements:

Advanced Calculus	College Writing
American Icons	Computer Applications
AP Calculus BC	Consumer Education
AP Environmental Science	Modern Mathematics
AP Statistics	Personal Finance I
Calculus	Teaching Internship