

# chanhassen high school

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## 2025-2026

SCHOOL PROFILE

Grades 9-12

Enrollment: 1400

Size of Senior Class: 365

School year: Two semesters

**CEEB/ACT Code:** 240-421

Website: [cns.district112.org](http://cns.district112.org)

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### Community

Chanhassen High School is a public high school for grades 9-12 located 25 miles southwest of Minneapolis, Minnesota. It is part of Eastern Carver County Schools, which serves approximately 9,000 students in grades K-12 from the communities of Carver, Chanhassen, Chaska and Victoria.

Our high school program supports our commitment to preparing all students for post-secondary success. Our commitment is personalized learning. That means continuous progress in our elementary schools, personalized plans starting in middle school, and high schools that are small in size yet offer college preparatory courses and comprehensive curricula.

Students choose electives from four Areas of Interest designed to offer depth in an area relevant for their emerging passions and interests.

The Areas of Interest are:

- Arts and Communication
- Global Studies
- Health & Social Sciences
- STEM – Science, Technology, Engineering & Math

Within each area, students select a Program of Study to deepen and focus learning.

For complete course descriptions go to:

[district112.org/registration25/course-offerings](http://district112.org/registration25/course-offerings).

### 2025 Graduation Requirements

English	4 credits
Math	3 credits
Social Studies	3.5 credits
Science	3 credits
Fine Arts	1 credit
Personal Wellness	1 credit
Electives	6 credits
<b>Total</b>	<b>22 credits</b>

### Transcript Information

Official transcripts, including a student's academic credits and grade point average (GPA), are sent with an embossed Chanhassen High School seal. Our school does not report rank or percentile ratings. GPA includes all classes weighted equally.

Eastern Carver County Schools' commitment to providing a premier education requires a transition from a traditional grading system to a standards-based reporting system at the course level. This system provides clearer and more comprehensive information to students and families about what, specifically, a student has learned. All final course grades are reported as a letter grade and calculated into the cumulative GPA in a standard format.

A = 4.0, B = 3.0, C = 2.0, D = 1.0, F = 0

### Arts, Activities and Athletics

Chanhassen High students have enriching experiences in the arts, activities and athletics. We offer an array of opportunities including band, orchestra, jazz band, choirs and theater. Students participate in activities such as DECA, Knowledge Bowl, National Honor Society, Speech, and Debate and choose from clubs including Key Club and International Club. Chanhassen High School is a member of the Metro West Conference, part of the Minnesota State High School League.

### Advanced Coursework

Students choose a variety of advanced learning options that offer academic challenge, accelerated learning, and college credit.

X Classes – Accelerated science classes allow students to learn two years of content in one year. Accelerated English classes offer three years of content in two years.

- \* English 9/10 X and English 10/11 X
- \* Physics X
- \* Chemistry X

Advanced Placement – Students choose from 23 AP classes.

AP Biology  
AP Calculus AB  
AP Calculus BC  
AP Chemistry  
AP Computer Science A  
AP Computer Science Principles  
AP English Language & Composition  
AP English Literature & Composition  
AP Environmental Science  
AP Human Geography  
AP Macroeconomics  
AP Music Theory  
AP Physics 1  
AP Psychology  
AP Research\*  
AP Seminar\*  
AP Spanish Language & Culture  
AP Spanish Literature & Culture  
AP Statistics  
AP Studio Art: 2-D Design  
AP Studio Art: 3-D Design  
AP United States Government & Politics  
AP United States History

*\*year-long course: at the end of Sem 1, students receive an IP (In-Progress) on transcript and 0 credit as the course grade is ongoing during Sem 2. At the end of Sem 2, students receive a year-long grade and 1.0 credit.*

### Other Program Options:

Articulated Courses – Allow students to earn college credit(s) and hands-on experience while staying in the high school setting.

Blended and Online Courses  
Integrated Arts Academy  
PSEO (Post Secondary Enrollment Option)  
SouthWest Metro Educational Cooperative

### Achievement Indicators

National Merit	Class of 2024	Class of 2024	Class of 2023
Semifinalists	0	2	3
Finalists	0	2	3

#### **AP Exams**                      **24-25**                      **23-24**

AP Exams Taken	839	742
AP Exams Passed	695	573

#### **AP Scholars**                      **24-25**                      **23-24**

AP Scholars	52	136
AP Scholars w/Honors	29	28
AP Scholars w/Distinction	72	43

#### **ACT**                      **Class of 2025**                      **Class of 2024**                      **Class of 2023**

Composite Score	22.7	21.3	22.7
MN Composite Score	20.7	20.7	20.9

### Post-secondary Plans – Class of 2025

#### **351 Graduating Seniors (301 reporting):**

90% continue their education; 85% of these seniors are attending a 4-year college

- 76% attend a public college/university
- 24% attend a private college/university

10% Military/Work/Travel/STAR/Athletics/Undecided

### GPA Distribution - Class of 2025

