



# LAKE ZURICH HIGH SCHOOL PROFILE 2025-2026

CEEB SCHOOL CODE 142530

300 CHURCH ST., LAKE ZURICH, IL 60047

## MISSION STATEMENT

THE MISSION OF COMMUNITY UNIT  
SCHOOL DISTRICT 95 IS TO  
EMPOWER EVERY LEARNER TO  
ACHIEVE PERSONAL EXCELLENCE.

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## SCHOOL AND COMMUNITY

Lake Zurich High School is a four-year comprehensive public high school in Community Unit School District 95, located 38 miles northwest of Chicago, Illinois. LZHS serves 1790 students from the communities of Lake Zurich, Deer Park, Hawthorn Woods, Kildeer, unincorporated Lake County, and North Barrington, encompassing an area of 19.4 square miles. In order to serve a diverse student population, LZHS offers a wide range of instruction from English language learners, special education services, as well as Honors, Dual Credit, and AP Courses.

## CURRICULUM

Lake Zurich High School offers a college preparatory curriculum including 32 Advanced Placement (AP) Courses, 14 Dual Credit (DC), and 74 Honors level courses in many disciplines. Lake Zurich High School maintains partnerships with the College of Lake County, Lake County Tech Campus, and the University of Illinois to provide dual credit opportunities for students across academic content areas. Additionally, LZHS provides opportunities for students to earn a career pathway endorsement in:

- Manufacturing, Engineering, Technology, Trades (METT) – Engineering
- Human and Public Services – Education
- Finance and Business Services – Accounting
- Tech Campus Pathways – Criminal Justice, Firefighting/EMS, Certified Nurses Assistant, Genetics, Medical Assisting, Biomedical, Cybersecurity, Information Technology

For more information, please refer to the [Lake Zurich Program of Studies](#).

## CLASS OF 2025

### 461 GRADUATES

- **92% COLLEGE BOUND**
  - 76% ATTENDING A FOUR YEAR COLLEGE
  - 16% ATTENDING A TWO YEAR COLLEGE
- **6% TRADE/APPRENTICESHIP/INTERNSHIP**
- **2% MILITARY**

### STUDENT RECOGNITION

- 106 ILLINOIS STATE SCHOLARS
- 29 NATIONAL MERIT COMMENDED
- 4 NATIONAL MERIT FINALISTS

### AVERAGE SAT SCORES FOR THE CLASS OF 2025

COMPOSITE SCORE	1115
EBRW SCORE	558
MATH SCORE	556

\*DATA SHARED IS BASED ON STATE SCHOOL TEST DAY DATA

## SCHOOL COUNSELORS/ SUPPORT

AGNES KNOTT, COLLEGE & CAREER  
 MICHAEL LEAHY  
 GRISELDA LOBATO  
 NICOLE PIEPER  
 MEGAN POZAR, LEAD COUNSELOR  
 SUSAN RICHARDS, REGISTRAR  
 OLGA SMIRNOW  
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## ADVANCED PLACEMENT COURSES

- AP BIOLOGY
- AP CALCULUS AB
- AP CALCULUS BC
- AP CHEMISTRY
- AP COMPARATIVE GOVERNMENT & POLITICS
- AP COMPUTER SCIENCE A
- AP COMPUTER SCIENCE PRINCIPLES
- AP DRAWING
- AP ENGLISH LANGUAGE & COMPOSITION
- AP ENGLISH LITERATURE & COMPOSITION
- AP ENVIRONMENTAL SCIENCE
- AP EUROPEAN HISTORY
- AP FRENCH LANGUAGE & CULTURE
- AP GERMAN LANGUAGE & CULTURE
- AP HUMAN GEOGRAPHY
- AP MACROECONOMICS
- AP MICROECONOMICS
- AP MUSIC THEORY
- AP PHYSICS C: ELECTRICITY & MAGNETISM
- AP PHYSICS C: MECHANICS
- AP PHYSICS 1
- AP PRECALCULUS
- AP PSYCHOLOGY
- AP RESEARCH
- AP SEMINAR
- AP SPANISH LANGUAGE & CULTURE
- AP STATISTICS
- AP STUDIO ART 2-D DESIGN
- AP STUDIO ART 3-D DESIGN
- AP UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT & POLITICS
- AP UNITED STATES HISTORY
- AP WORLD HISTORY MODERN

### GRADING SCALE

### GRADING INTERPRETATION

		AP	HONORS	CP	
A+	97-100%	A+	5.67	5.33	4.33
A	93-96%	A	5.33	5.00	4.00
A-	90-92%	A-	5.00	4.67	3.67
B+	87-89%	B+	4.67	4.33	3.33
B	83-86%	B	4.33	4.00	3.00
B-	80-82%	B-	4.0	3.67	2.67
C+	77-79%	C+	3.67	3.33	2.33
C	73-76%	C	3.33	3.00	2.00
C-	70-72%	C-	3.00	2.67	1.67
D+	67-69%	D+	1.33	1.33	1.33
D	63-66%	D	1.00	1.00	1.00
D-	60-62%	D-	0.67	0.67	0.67
F	0-59%	F	0.00	0.00	0.00

## GRADUATION REQUIREMENTS

24 CREDITS ARE REQUIRED FOR GRADUATION, INCLUDING:

- ENGLISH 4.0 CREDITS
- MATH 3.0 CREDITS
- SCIENCE 2.0 CREDITS
- SOCIAL STUDIES 2.5 CREDIT
- WELLNESS 4.0 CREDITS (PHYSICAL AND HEALTH EDUCATION)
  - DRIVERS EDUCATION AVAILABLE
- CONSUMER EDUCATION 0.5 CREDIT
- HUMANITIES ELECTIVE 1.0 CREDIT

Please note: Transcripts include both weighted and unweighted GPAs. Lake Zurich High School does not report individual class rank for students. In addition, District 95 does not include test scores on transcripts or share disciplinary records with postsecondary institutions.

## COLLEGES OUR GRADUATES ARE ATTENDING

THE CLASS OF 2025 MATRICULATED TO 170 DIFFERENT COLLEGES AND UNIVERSITIES.  
 COLLEGES WITH FIVE (5) OR MORE STUDENTS ATTENDING INCLUDE:

COLLEGE OF LAKE COUNTY  
 UNIVERSITY OF ILLINOIS AT URBANA- CHAMPAIGN  
 ILLINOIS STATE UNIVERSITY  
 UNIVERSITY OF IOWA  
 UNIVERSITY OF MISSOURI  
 WILLIAM RAINEY HARPER COLLEGE  
 PURDUE UNIVERSITY  
 IOWA STATE UNIVERSITY  
 UNIVERSITY OF WISCONSIN-MADISON  
 DEPAUL UNIVERSITY  
 UNIVERSITY OF ILLINOIS @ CHICAGO (UIC)  
 UNIVERSITY OF KENTUCKY  
 NORTHWESTERN UNIVERSITY

MARQUETTE UNIVERSITY  
 LOYOLA UNIVERSITY CHICAGO  
 UNIVERSITY OF KANSAS  
 WESTERN MICHIGAN UNIVERSITY  
 MIAMI UNIVERSITY OF OHIO  
 NORTHERN ILLINOIS UNIVERSITY  
 OHIO STATE UNIVERSITY  
 UNIVERSITY OF MISSISSIPPI  
 UNIVERSITY OF TENNESSEE  
 UNIVERSITY OF MINNESOTA- TWIN CITIES  
 UNIVERSITY OF DAYTON  
 INDIANA UNIVERSITY  
 UNIVERSITY OF ALABAMA  
 UNIVERSITY OF SOUTH CAROLINA