Eden Prairie High School 2026–27 Profile

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ENROLLMENT & STUDENT BODY

Current enrollment: 2947 students
Senior class size: 708 students
School year: 4 terms within 2 semesters
School day: 4 blocks, 87 minutes each

LEADERSHIP & CONTACT INFORMATION

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COMMUNITY

Eden Prairie is a vibrant community of more than 60,00 people located southwest of Minneapolis, Minnesota. With the perfect balance of small town feel and big city amenities, Eden Prairie has consistently been named among MONEY Magazine's "Best Place to Live" in America. In our diverse and thriving community, more than 60% of our population is under the age of 45, and 64% of residents have obtained a bachelor's degree or higher.

OUR SCHOOL

Eden Prairie High School (EPHS) is a four-year comprehensive high school with an enrollment of approximately 3,000 students. It's also a Niche.com Top Rated High School in the state of Minnesota-with outstanding programming in academics, activities and athletics. Over 75% of our staff have a master's degree or higher.

We have been named a National School of Excellence, and one of the nation's best high schools by Newsweek, The Washington Post and US News and World Report. We have also been named to the College Board's AP Achievement list. The National Clearinghouse shows that a larger percent of EPHS graduates enroll and persist in college than any other public school in the southwest suburbs of the Twin Cities. Niche.com ranked us among the state's top 4 school districts, and #5 Best Public High School in the state.

POST-SECONDARY OUTCOMES

The vast majority of Eden Prairie High School graduates plan to continue their education after high school. Of the 677 students, 564 students (83.3%) indicated plans to enroll in a college or university following graduation.

Among college-bound students:

- 457 students (81%) will attend a four-year college or university.
- 107 students (19%) will attend a two-year, community or technical college.

When viewed as a percentage of the entire graduating class:

- 67.7% of graduates will attend a four-year institution.
- 14.5% of graduates will attend a two-year institution.

NATIONAL MERIT RECOGNITION

Class	2026	2025	2025
Semifinalist	10	15	15
Commended	17	7	7

ADVANCED PLACEMENT

AP Exams	2026	2025	2024
# of students tested	1,068	1,002	1,077
# of exams administered	1,924	1,968	1,914
% of exams scored 3 or higher	84%	80%	75%

AP SCHOLAR RECOGNITION

Class	2026	2025	2024
AP Scholars	174	155	149
AP Scholars with Honors	102	84	70
AP Scholars with Distinction	177	159	148
AP Capstone Diploma	2	3	2

ACT SCORES (AMERICAN COLLEGE TEST)

ACT	Average ACT Score
English	21.7
Math	22.1
Reading	23.5
Science Reasoning	22.7
Composite	22.3



Eden Prairie was named **#4 BEST SCHOOL DISTRICT** *in the state*

Eden Prairie High School was named **#5 BEST PUBLIC HIGH SCHOOL** *in the state*

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Inspiring each student every day®

GRADUATION REQUIREMENTS

54 credits are required to graduate in the following areas. One credit is equivalent to a half of a year, two credits equal one year.

English	8 Credits	Fine/Applied Arts	2 Credits
Social Studies	8 Credits	Technology	1 Credit
Math	6 Credits	Health	1 Credit
Science	6 Credits	Business/Work Experience	1 Credit
Physical Education	2 Credits	Electives	19 Credits
		TOTAL	**54 Credits**

View our comprehensive course catalog on our Course Selection Hub at **edenpr.org/EPHS-courses**

GRADE INTERPRETATION

We use a non-weighted system. A grade of W=student withdrew from a course after the first two weeks of a term or after the first three weeks of a semester course. NG=Course was dropped at the end of the term by the Student Support Team or grade replacement.

A	4.0	C+	2.33	D-	.666
A-	3.66	C	2.0	F	0.00
B+	3.33	C-	1.66	NG	Below 60%
B	3.0	D+	1.33	P	Above 60%
B-	2.66	D	1.0		

CURRICULUM

Bilingual Seal

This program grants both heritage speakers and world language students who have worked towards functional proficiency in English and another language the opportunity to earn college credit. Depending on the students' language proficiency, students may satisfy up to 4 college credits. This will be notated on their transcript.

Advanced Placement (AP) Courses

AP 3-D Art & Design
Art History
AP Studio Art
AP Business
AP Microeconomics
AP Computer Science Principles
AP Computer Science A: Java
AP English 10: Seminar
AP English: Language & Composition
AP English: Literature & Composition
AP Research
AP AB Calculus
AP BC Calculus
AP Statistics
AP Biology
AP Chemistry
AP Environmental Science
AP Physics C: Mechanics
AP Comparative Government & Politics
AP Economics
AP Human Geography
AP Macroeconomics
AP U.S. Government & Politics
AP U.S. History
AP World History
AP African American Studies

Concurrent Enrollment

Spanish 5
Spanish 6
German 4
German 5
French 5
French 6
Calculus III – Multivariable
Algebra Trigonometry
Entrepreneurship Capstone
Education Capstone
Introduction to Engineering Design
Principles of Engineering

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SIGNATURE PROGRAMS

PATHWAYS: Pathways center around an area of interest: Business & Management, Human & Public Service, Natural & Applied Science, Engineering, Technology, & Manufacturing, Communication & Arts. Completing a Pathway requires 10 credits including a Capstone course. Upon completion, this notation will be on their transcript.

CAPSTONE: Capstone courses are the crowning jewel of our Pathways courses: Hands-on, authentic learning in a student's area of choice. These challenging courses provide opportunities to apply critical thinking, problem-solving, and research skills while working like a professional in the field. Completed Pathways are noted on a student's transcript.

SENIOR SEMINAR/INTERN: Senior Seminar and Internship program allows seniors to gain real-world career experience through community engaged learning. The course combines seminar-style learning with a hands-on internship experience.

EP ONLINE

EPO: EP Online is a comprehensive K-12 virtual school offering a wide variety of online courses designed to maximize flexibility and personalized learning.

PSEO: Post Secondary Enrollment Options (PSEO) is a program that allows high school students to earn both high school and college credit for free by taking college-level courses at a college or university.

UMTYMP: University of Minnesota Talented Youth Mathematics Program (UMTYMP) is an accelerated, college-level mathematics program for highly gifted high school students, offering them a rigorous curriculum from Algebra I through Multivariable Calculus.

CTC: Career & Technical Center, Intermediate District 287 serves high school students by offering courses that are designed to match each student's level of career readiness. Intermediate District 287's career courses focus on career skill development experiences and exploration.

AVID: AVID, which stands for **Advancement Via Individual Determination**, is a college readiness program designed to help students develop the skills they need to be successful in college and adulthood. At EPHS, AVID scholars are expected to take one honors/AP or stretch course each year that they are part of the AVID program. The AVID Elective class not only offers support to students in these AP and Honors courses, but also engages them in AVID-designed curriculum grounded in WICOR (Writing, Inquiry, Collaboration, Organization, and Reading) strategies.