



WARWICK VALLEY HIGH SCHOOL

2026-27 SCHOOL PROFILE

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COMMUNITY, SCHOOL & MISSION

Warwick, New York, located 55 miles northwest of New York City, is a residential rural community with a population of about 30,000.

Spanning 104 square miles, the town of Warwick's boundaries include the villages of Florida, Greenwood Lake and Warwick. Recognized for its rural charm, Warwick also has a vibrant arts community. Its close proximity to New York City allows residents to take advantage of many cultural opportunities.

With an enrollment of more than 1,300 students in grades 9-12, Warwick Valley High School (WVHS) offers 14 Advanced Placement (AP) courses in five disciplines and college classes through SUNY Orange, Mount Saint Mary College, and SUNY Albany, as well as Project Lead The Way (PLTW), Senior Project, and CTE courses in Cosmetology, Criminal Justice and Video Production.

WVHS operates on a rotating block schedule, allowing for more in-depth, sustained and engaging learning experiences for students. Classes are 55 minutes in length. Students and staff have a common lunch period, and during which many students attend club and/or extra-curricular meetings.

The mission of the Warwick Valley Central School District Board of Education is to provide all students with the necessary skills to thrive as learners, workers and citizens.

The educational goal of WVHS is to prepare students for the world they are entering, with a curriculum that strengthens the skills as outlined in our Portrait of a Graduate: collaboration, communication, creativity and innovation, resilience, problem solving and creating an ethical and global citizen who is a life-long learner.

GRADUATION REQUIREMENTS

Advanced Regents Diploma

English	4.0 credit(s)
Social Studies	4.0 credit(s)
Mathematics	3.0 credit(s)
Science	3.0 credit(s)
Foreign Language*	3.0 credit(s)
Health	0.5 credit(s)
Art or Music	1.0 credit(s)
Physical Education	2.0 credit(s)
Electives	1.5 credit(s)
TOTAL	22.0 credits

Local / Regents Diploma

English	4.0 credit(s)
Social Studies	4.0 credit(s)
Mathematics	3.0 credit(s)
Science	3.0 credit(s)
Foreign Language	1.0 credit(s)
Health	0.5 credit(s)
Art or Music	1.0 credit(s)
Physical Education	2.0 credit(s)
Electives	3.5 credit(s)
TOTAL	22.0 credits

In addition to passing these courses, students must pass five state exams in math, science, global history, United States history, and English. Additional state exams in math, science and foreign language must be passed in order to earn an Advanced Regents Diploma.

* Students may replace the three-credit foreign language requirement with five credits of occupational education, art or music.

** Students are required to complete 20 hours of community service.

GPA, CLASS RANK & GRADING SYSTEM

- Passing grade is 65.
- Final grades as they appear on the transcript are unweighted (Final grades are weighted for the purpose of class rank only).
- All courses receive a numerical grade and are considered for class rank.
- High school courses taken in Grade 8 are recorded on the high school transcript and carry credit toward graduation.
- All students are included in our ranking system unless they are graduating earlier than their cohort or moved into the district during their senior year.
- Our weighing method is as follows:
 - Advanced Placement (AP) courses ~ x 1.10
 - Honors (H) courses ~ x 1.07

* Denotes honors

CLASS OF 2026 STATISTICS

337 GRADUATES

64.7% Plan to attend four-year college

16.0% Plan to attend two-year college, technical or trade school

19.3% Plan to join military service, workforce or other, or take a gap year

SAT & ACT RESULTS

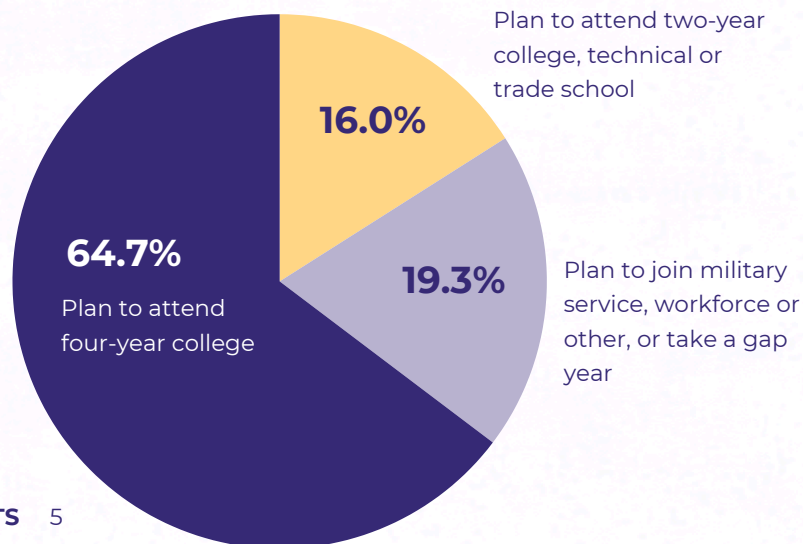
SAT ERW 576 | MATH 560

ACT COMPOSITE 24.5

SCHOLARS

AP SCHOLARS 62 (41 with honors; 43 with distinction)

NATIONAL SEMIFINALIST 1 | **COMMENDED STUDENTS** 5



ACADEMIC OFFERINGS

For a full list of course offerings and descriptions, please visit www.warwickvalleyschools.com.

15 Advanced Placement Courses

American History, World History, U.S. Government & Politics, Psychology, Biology, Chemistry, Environmental Science, Physics I, Calculus BC, English Language & Composition, English Literature, Computer Science A and Computer Science Principles, AP Cyber Security, AP Art History

20 Honors Courses

Global History 1 & 2, English 9, 10, 11, Earth Science (Grade 8), Biology, Chemistry, Physics, Algebra (Grade 8), Geometry, Algebra II/Trig, Spanish 2, 3, French 3, Wind Ensemble, Meistersingers, Treble Choir and Chamber Strings, Foundations in Art

19 College Courses

SUNY Albany: Science Research 1, 2 & 3, University Spanish 1 & 2, University French 1

SUNY Orange: Calculus, College Algebra, College Trigonometry, Mandarin Chinese 4 & 5, Freshman English 1 & 2, Intro to CAD 1 & 2, Intro to Engineering Design

Mount Saint Mary College: College Statistics, Intro to Business, College Pre-Calc

Senior Project

Senior Project is a challenging, student-driven/teacher-guided national program. Students choose an individual project to work on for the duration of their senior year as a “learning stretch.” Senior Project encourages students to incorporate hands-on learning in a real-world environment. A required college-level research paper expands a student's knowledge base, and at the end of the program, students present a comprehensive portfolio chronicling their progress to a panel of judges.

Project Lead The Way (PLTW)

The Project Lead The Way (PLTW) program of exceptional curriculum and high-quality teacher professional development, combined with an engaged network of educators and corporate and community partners, helps students develop the skills necessary to succeed in a global economy. PLTW courses offered at Warwick Valley High School for 2026-2027 include Principles of Biomedical Science, Human Body Systems, Medical Interventions, Introduction to Computer Science, and Cybersecurity.

Career & Technical Education (CTE)

CTE programs are available in Cosmetology, Criminal Justice, and Video Production.

STUDENT CLUBS

ASL Club	French Club	Mental Health Club	Spanish Club
Art Club	Film Club	Model UN	Sports Medicine Club
Autism Awareness Club	Future Business and	Mock Trial	Stitch Happens
Book Club	Investment Leaders	OCAL (OC Academic League)	Student Senate
Careers Club	Global Engagement	Orchestra	Studio Music Club
Creative Writers Club	GSA Club	Philosophy Club	Warwick Valley FFA
Drama Club	Interact Club	Robotics Club	Writers Workshop Club
Environmental Club	Jazz Choir Club	S.A.D.D.	WVTV Remote Operations Club
Empty Bowls Club	Math Team	Skills USA	Yearbook Club
			Youth in Government Club

STUDENT ATHLETICS

Warwick Valley High School was recognized in 2025-2026 as a Scholar-Athlete School of Distinction. All 28 teams in every season met the criteria designating this honor, as determined by the New York State Public High School Athletic Association.

Male

Baseball, Basketball, Crew Club Team, Cross-Country, Golf, Indoor/Outdoor Track & Field, Lacrosse, Skiing, Soccer, Swimming, Tennis, Wrestling

Female

Basketball, Crew Club Team, Cross-Country, Cheerleading, Flag Football, Golf, Indoor/Outdoor Track & Field, Lacrosse, Skiing, Soccer, Softball, Swimming, Tennis, Volleyball, Wrestling

WHERE OUR STUDENTS ARE ATTENDING

Appalachian State University
 Auburn University
 Beacon College
 Berklee College of Music
 Brunswick Community College
 Bryn Mawr College
 Bucknell University
 Cape Fear Community College
 Clarkson University
 Colgate University
 College of the Holy Cross
 Colorado State University-Fort Collins
 Cornell University
 CUNY Bernard M Baruch College
 CUNY Borough of Manhattan
 Community College
 CUNY Guttman Community College
 CUNY Hunter College
 Dartmouth College
 Eastern Connecticut State University
 Emerson College
 Endicott College
 Fairfield University
 Fashion Institute of Technology
 Florida Atlantic University
 George Mason University
 Georgia Institute of Technology-Main
 Campus
 Hartwick College
 Hobart and William Smith Colleges
 Hofstra University
 Ithaca College
 James Madison University
 Keene State College
 Kenyon College
 Le Moyne College
 Lehigh University
 Liberty University
 Lincoln Technical Institute-Mahwah
 LIU Brooklyn/Brookville
 Louisiana State University
 Manhattan University
 Manhattanville University
 Marist University
 Massachusetts Maritime Academy
 Miami University-Oxford
 Michigan State University
 Mississippi State University

Molloy University
 Monroe University
 Mount Saint Mary College
 New York Institute of Technology
 New York University
 Northern Arizona University
 Onondaga Community College
 Pace University
 Pennsylvania College of Technology
 Pennsylvania State University-Main
 Campus
 Post University
 Pratt Institute
 Princeton University
 Quinnipiac University
 Reed College
 Rensselaer Polytechnic Institute
 Rochester Institute of Technology
 Rockland Community College
 Rutgers University-New Brunswick
 Sacred Heart University
 Santa Fe College
 Savannah College of Art and Design -
 Savannah
 Seton Hall University
 Siena University
 St Bonaventure University
 St. John's University (NY)
 Stevens Institute of Technology
 Stony Brook University
 Suffolk University
 SUNY - Orange County Community
 College
 SUNY Adirondack
 SUNY at Albany
 SUNY at Binghamton
 SUNY at Fredonia
 SUNY at New Paltz
 SUNY at Purchase College
 SUNY College at Brockport
 SUNY College at Cortland
 SUNY College at Geneseo
 SUNY College at Oswego
 SUNY College at Potsdam
 SUNY College of Agriculture and
 Technology at Cobleskill
 SUNY College of Technology at Alfred
 SUNY College of Technology at Delhi

SUNY Maritime College
 SUNY Oneonta
 SUNY Polytechnic Institute
 SUNY Westchester Community College
 Susquehanna University
 Syracuse University
 The College of New Jersey
 The University of Alabama
 The University of Tampa
 The University of Tennessee-
 Chattanooga
 The University of Tennessee-Knoxville
 United States Military Academy
 University at Heidelberg
 University at Buffalo
 University of California-San Diego
 University of Central Florida
 University of Cincinnati-Main Campus
 University of Connecticut - Storrs
 University of Delaware
 University of Delhi
 University of Florida
 University of Maryland Eastern Shore
 University of Mississippi
 University of New England
 University of North Carolina at
 Charlotte
 University of North Carolina
 Wilmington
 University of Pittsburgh-Greensburg
 University of Rhode Island
 University of Scranton
 University of South Carolina-Columbia
 University of South Florida-Main
 Campus
 University of Wyoming
 Virginia Tech
 Wentworth Institute of Technology
 West Chester University of
 Pennsylvania
 West Virginia University
 Western Connecticut State University