

VERNON HILLS HIGH SCHOOL

2022-2023 Profile



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The Mission of Community High School District 128 is to develop graduates who are DARING:

Dreamers and Doers
Aware
Resilient and Healthy
Inquisitive
Nimble
Global

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Graduation Requirements

English	4.0 credits
Writing	2.0 credits
Mathematics	3.0 credits
Science	2.0 credits
Social Studies	2.0 credits
-Government	0.5 credits
-U.S. History	1.0 credits
-Soc. Studies Elective	0.5 credits
International Language Arts, Fine & Performing Arts, or Career & Technical Education	1.0 credits
Consumer Education	0.5 credits
Driver Education	0.5 credits
Health Education	0.5 credits
Physical Education	4.0 credits
Total Credits Required to Graduate	22 credits

School and Community

- Four-year comprehensive high school located 40 miles north of Chicago in Lake County.
- Community High School District 128, with Libertyville High School, was named the #3 overall school district in Illinois and #4 in the U.S. in the 2022 Best Schools ranking by Niche.com.
- U.S. News & World Report* ranks VHHS 11th among Illinois high schools, and in the top 1% of all public high schools nationally in its 2022 Best High School Report.
- VHHS is a 2010 recipient of the U.S. Department of Education National Blue Ribbon of Excellence Award.

COVID-19 Statement

In March 2020, District 128 began remote learning for all students. In January, 2021, we offered a remote and hybrid option, and in March 2021, a full-time option was offered as well. Students could opt in or out of remote, hybrid, or full-time as needed. No final exams were given, and students received letter grades in both semesters, with consideration of students' individual needs. District 128 resumed in-person, full-time classes beginning with the 2021-22 school year.

Enrollment		Demographics			
Freshman	354	White	56%	Multi-racial/ethnic	6%
Sophomores	346	Asian/ Pacific Islander	21%	American Indian or Alaskan Native	0%
Juniors	401	Hispanic/Latino	14%	Black or African American	3%
Seniors	395	Emergent Multilingual			1.54%
Total	1,496	Free/Reduced Lunch Program			12.54%

Academic Calendar, Class Rank & Disciplinary Records

- Vernon Hills High School is typically on a 2-semester system with an 8-period day.
- Class rank is not computed for students in District 128.
- Student disciplinary records are not shared with post-secondary institutions.

Grading System

Transcript Codes

Regular GPA		Honors GPA		Advanced Placement GPA	
A	4.0	A	4.5	A	5.0
B	3.0	B	3.5	B	4.0
C	2.0	C	2.5	C	3.0
D	1.0	D	1.5	D	2.0
F	0.0	F	0.0	F	0.0

EX	Exempt, no credit awarded
I	I Incomplete, no credit awarded
MX	Medically excused, no credit awarded
NG	No Grade (Audit), no credit awarded
P	Credit received for A, B, C or D, not computed in GPA
R	Repeated transcript for grade, no credit awarded. Original grade does not show on transcript
W	Withdraw, no credit awarded, not computed into GPA
WF	Withdraw/Failing, computed into GPA

Weighted and unweighted GPAs are computed at the end of fall, spring, and summer semesters. Calculations are based on semester grades from all courses except Driver Education. Honors and AP grades are calculated on the weighted grading system above.

Advanced (Weighted) Curriculum

VHHS offers a college preparatory curriculum including 23 Honors and 27 Advanced Placement courses. Enrollment is open to all students.

English Freshman Literature & Composition Honors World Literature & Composition Honors AP English Language & Composition AP English Literature & Composition AP Research AP Seminar	Science Honors Biology, Chemistry AP Biology AP Chemistry AP Environmental Science AP Physics I AP Physics I & II AP Physics C	International Languages Honors French II, III, & IV Honors German II,III,IV Honors Spanish III, IV, Spanish Language Arts Honors I Spanish Language Arts II Honors AP French AP German AP Spanish	Fine Arts AP Music Theory AP Portfolio Wind Ensemble Honors Symphony Orchestra Strings Concert Choir
Social Studies AP European History AP Government AP Human Geography AP Macroeconomics AP Psychology AP U.S. History AP World History	Mathematics Honors: Algebra II, Calculus Topics, Geometry, Precalculus, Calculus III AP Calculus AB AP Calculus BC AP Statistics	Computer Science Computer Science Honors AP Computer Science Principles AP Computer Science A Advanced Topics in Computer Science Honors	Career & Technical Education Honors Advanced Accounting, Yearbook

Testing

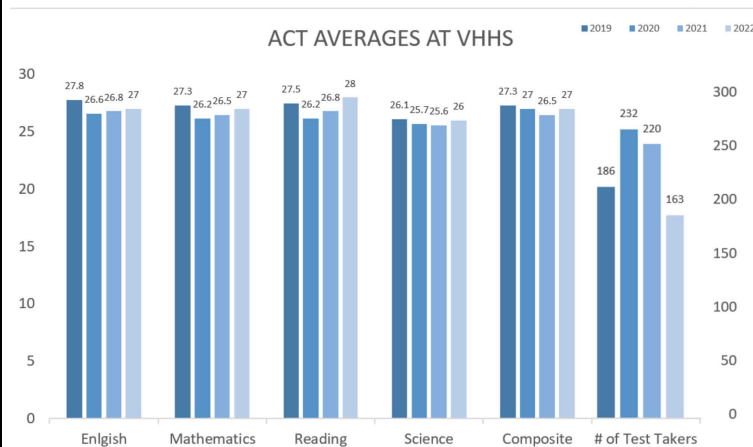
Advanced Placement

CLASS OF	STUDENTS TAKING AP EXAMS	TOTAL EXAMS TAKEN	AP SUBJECTS OFFERED	AP SCHOLARS OVERALL
2022	854	2,650	30	357
2021	847	1,906	27	342
2020	832	1,785	26	117

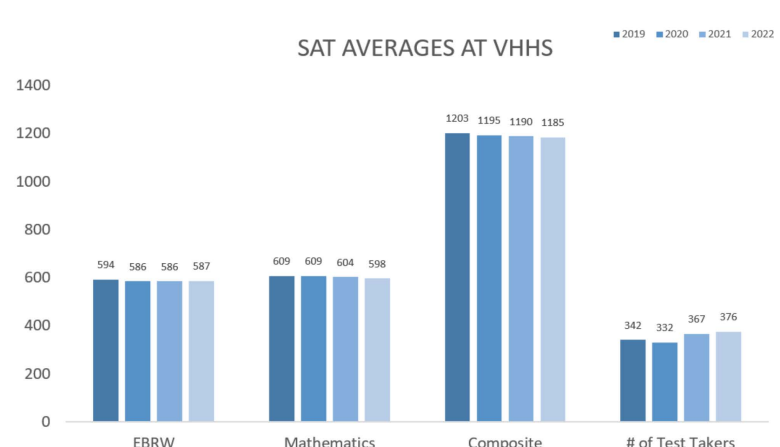
National Merit

CLASS OF	CLASS SIZE	FINALIST	COMMENDED
2022	410	7	25
2021	378	7	27
2020	353	7	21

ACT and SAT Result



Data Source: ACT, College Board, Scoir



Class of 2022 College Statistics

395 Seniors*

93% College-Bound
 83% Four-Year College
 10% Two-Year College

48% In-State
 51% Out-of-State and Out of U.S.

79% Midwest
 21% Outside Midwest

Attended 98 different institutions in 31 different states and 1 in Europe.

*does not include Transition/Outplaced Students.

TOP COLLEGES ATTENDED BY THE CLASS OF 2022

(In order of attendees)

University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign	Illinois State University
College of Lake County	Marquette University
Indiana University (Bloomington)	Purdue University
University of Wisconsin (Madison)	University of Missouri (Columbia)
University of Iowa	Lake Forest College
DePaul University	Iowa State University
	Loyola University Chicago