



LOUDOUN COUNTY HIGH SCHOOL

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SCHOOL/COMMUNITY INFORMATION

- Loudoun County High School has 1,500 Students
- Loudoun County High School is accredited by the Southern Association of Colleges and Secondary Schools and the Virginia Board of Education.
- Loudoun County High School is a member of the National Association of College Admission counselors and complies with the NACAC Statement of Principles and Good Practice.
- Ethnic Breakdown:

White/Middle Eastern/S. Asia	64%
Asian	7%
Black	5%
Hispanic	19%
Multi-racial	4%
Am. Indian	> 1%

CLASS RANK

- All students pursuing a Standard or Advanced Studies Diploma are ranked.
- Class Rank is reported on the student's transcript.
- Non-graded and Pass/Fail classes are excluded from rank.

GRADING SCALE

GRADING SCALE BEGINNING SCHOOL YEAR 2009-2010

Grade	Range	Quality Points	Grade	Range	Quality Points
A+	98 – 100	4.3	C	73 – 76	2.0
A	93 – 97	4.0	C-	70 – 72	1.7
A-	90 – 92	3.7	D	63 – 66	1.0
B+	87 – 89	3.3	D-	60 – 62	0.7
B	83 – 86	3.0	D+	67 – 69	1.3
B-	80 – 82	2.7	F	59 – 0	0.0
C+	77 – 79	2.3			

G = Ungraded P = Passed N = Not Passed I = Incomplete

GRADUATION REQUIREMENTS

	Advanced Studies Diploma	Standard Diploma
Academic Subject Area	Units of Credit	Units of Credit
English	4	4
Math	4	3
Social Science	4	3
Laboratory Science	4	3
Foreign Language 3 yrs of 1 language or 2 yrs of 2 languages	3 or 4	0
Health & Physical Education	2	2
Economics and Personal Finance	1	1
Fine/Practical Art Elective	1	1
Electives	1 or 2	4
TOTAL	26	22

Post High School Plans 2017 - 2018

69% 4 year college
 22% 2 year college
 2% Military
 7% Other Education/Employment

GPA Distribution	A+	13%	B	14%	C-	2%
	A	14%	B-	8%	D+	1%
	A-	14%	C+	8%	D	0%
	B+	22%	C	4%	D-	0%

SAT Mean Scores:	Reasoning & Writing	Math	TOTAL	ACT
Loudoun County H.S.	599	576	1165	25.8
Virginia	560	541	1102	23.8
National	538	533	1071	21.0

GPA CALCULATION

- AP courses receive a weighting of 1.0. All students taking AP courses are encouraged to take the AP exam in May. Honors ("H"), Pre-Advanced Placement (Pre-AP), Dual Enrollment (DE) and Academy of Science (AOS) classes receive a weighting of .5.
- Scores on Virginia Standards of Learning (SOL) Tests are NOT factored into students' grades.

SPECIALIZED CURRICULUM/ PROGRAMS

Academy of Science (AOS) – The LCPS Academy of Science offers an extremely rigorous integrated math and science program for students selected through a competitive admissions process.

Academy of Engineering and Technology (AET) – This is an integrated program for 9th & 10th grade students with a strong STEM focus. Students are selected through a competitive admissions process. AET classes receive a weight of .5. **NEW PROGRAM—Beginning 8/29/16**

Monroe Technology Center – Offers advanced technical training to LCPS students, including industry-standard certifications and licensure, as well as college credit through articulation agreements.

Distance Learning – Courses that are taught in another LCPS classroom and broadcast in real-time to another school.

Dual Enrollment and Early Admissions Students may select from classes at Northern Virginia Community College or other area colleges to earn both college and high school credits.

Virtual High School (V) – Courses that are taken online.

CURRICULUM

LEVEL DEFINITIONS

Advanced Placement (AP) – Classes contain at least first-year college level work. Students may receive college credit from post-secondary institutions through completion of AP exams.

Honors (H) – Most rigorous; exceeds grade level norms.

Academic (A) – Demanding; often exceeds grade level norms.

ADVANCED PLACEMENT (AP) CLASSES

English – Language & Composition, Literature & Composition

Fine Arts – Studio Art, Music Theory

Foreign Language – French, German, Latin, Spanish

Math – Calculus AB, Calculus BC, Computer Science A, Statistics

Science – Biology, Chemistry, Physics C, Environmental Science

Social Science – Micro-Economics, Macro-Economics, Psychology, U.S. Government, U.S. History, World History, Human Geography

HONORS CLASSES

English – English 9, 10, 11

Foreign Language – French IV/V, German IV/V, Latin IV/V, Spanish IV/V

Math – Algebra II/Trigonometry, Mathematical Analysis

Science – Biology, Earth Science, Independent Science Research

Social Science – Pre-AP World History/ Geography

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