



High School

SCHOOL PROFILE 2024-25

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Cresskill High School

Cresskill High School, a four-year comprehensive public high school, offers a highly acclaimed college-preparatory program to a diverse student body and has repeatedly ranked in the state of New Jersey and nationally for its success. CHS promotes a well-balanced curriculum with demanding academics and numerous electives to enhance student passions. In addition to the diverse course offerings, CHS supports and encourages student participation in over fifty clubs and activities and on eighteen athletic teams. A majority of the senior class participates in an extensive volunteer or internship program in order to connect their academics to real-world experiences and prepare them for future careers. Current school population is 489 with 113 students enrolled in the 12th Grade.

The Cresskill Community

The Borough of Cresskill is a suburban community located in the northeast corner of Bergen County, New Jersey, 10 miles from New York City with a population of approximately 9,200. The close-knit community has a long history of supporting public education. Our parent organizations collaborate with the school to provide support and opportunities for a well-rounded education, both in-and-out of the classroom, for all students.

OUR MISSION:

"The Cresskill Schools will utilize the core curriculum content standards to promote academic excellence and foster self-esteem in a dynamic, caring environment and will prepare students to be life-long learners and contributors in an evolving and ever-changing world."

Grading System and Grade Point Average

Grade Scale and Weighting				
Letter Grade	Percent Range	GPA Value	Honors GPA Value	AP/MCP GPA Value
A+	98-100	4.3	4.8	5.3
A	93-97	4.0	4.5	5.0
A-	90-92	3.7	4.2	4.7
B+	88-89	3.3	3.8	4.3
B	83-87	3.0	3.5	4.0
B-	80-82	2.7	3.2	3.7
C+	78-79	2.3	2.8	3.3
C	73-77	2.0	2.5	3.0
C-	70-72	1.7	2.2	2.7
D+	68-69	1.3	1.8	2.3
D	66-67	1.0	1.5	2.0
D-	65	0.7	1.2	1.7
F	0 – 64	0	0	0

GPA is calculated using the final grades in all completed courses at Cresskill High School. Any classes taken for advancement or enrichment are not included in the GPA. ***Cresskill High School does not rank.***

Class of 2024: 6th Semester GPA Distribution	
Highest Cumulative GPA	4.7257
Median Cumulative GPA	3.7858
<i>GPA Scale</i>	<i># of Students</i>
4.25 or Higher	15
4.00 – 4.24	23
3.75 – 3.99	17
3.50 – 3.74	13
3.25 – 3.49	8
3.00 – 3.24	5
2.75 – 2.99	5
Below 2.74	15

Academic and Testing Statistics

SAT Scores	
<i>Class of 2024</i>	
	CHS
ERW	622
Math	630
Total	1252
<i>72 students included in CHS report</i>	

ACT Scores	
<i>(2023-2024)</i>	
Category	Mean Scores
English	25.7
Math	25.6
Reading	26.8
Science	25.2
Composite	26.0
<i>31 students included in CHS report</i>	

National Merit - Class Of 2025	
National Merit Commended	7
National Merit Semi-Finalists	2

AP Scholars	
AP Scholar	38
AP Scholar with Honor	16
AP Scholar with Distinction	20

2024 Post-Secondary Summary	
4-Year College Matriculation	86%
2-Year College Matriculation/Vocational	3%
Military/Other	11%
Class Size	101

Cresskill High School Course Offerings

English (20 Credits / 4 Years Required)	Science (15 Credits / 3 Years Required)	Mathematics (20 Credits / 4 Years Required)	Social Studies (20 Credits / 4 Years Required)
<p>Advanced Placement Language & Composition Literature & Composition</p> <p>Honors English I English II English III</p> <p>College Preparatory English I English II English III English IV</p> <p>English Language Learners HS ESL English HS ESL</p> <p>Electives Film Studies Journalism I & II</p>	<p>Advanced Placement Biology Chemistry Physics Physics C (independent study) Environmental (online)</p> <p>Honors Biology Chemistry</p> <p>College Preparatory Biology Chemistry Physics Environmental Anatomy & Physiology</p> <p>Electives Forensics & Bioethics Engineering Design Robotics</p>	<p>Advanced Placement Calculus AB Calculus BC (independent study) Statistics Computer Science A Computer Science Principles</p> <p>Honors Algebra II Calculus Geometry</p> <p>Math Analysis Pre-Calculus Multi-Variable Calculus Engineering Mathematics</p> <p>College Preparatory Algebra I Algebra II Geometry Trigonometry/Pre-Calculus Probability / Statistics Advanced Math Applications Financial Literacy Applied Computer Science C++ Programming Python</p>	<p>Advanced Placement US History US Government World History Psychology (online) Microeconomics (online) Macroeconomics (online) European History (online) Human Geography (online)</p> <p>Honors US History I US History II Humanities</p> <p>College Preparatory World History US History I US History II US Presidents Race in America Global Issues & Human Rights</p>
World Language (5 Credits / 1 Year Required)	Visual Arts (5 Credits / 1 Year Required)	Music	21st Century Life/Careers (5 Credits / 1 Year Required)
<p>Advanced Placement French Italian Spanish</p> <p>Honors French II, III, IV Italian II, III, IV Spanish II, III, IV</p> <p>College Preparatory Italian I, II, III, IV Spanish I, II, III, IV Spanish Lang & Culture I & II</p>	<p>Advanced Placement Studio Art I and II</p> <p>Electives Intro to Art Explorations in Art Studio Animation & Illustration Digital Art Drawing & Painting Printmaking Sculpture Photography Advanced Digital Art Advanced Photography</p>	<p>Advanced Placement Music Theory (online)</p> <p>Honors Band Choir Orchestra Orchestra/Choir</p> <p>Electives Band Choir Orchestra/Choir Orchestra Music Technology I</p> <p>Dual Enrollment MCP Music Technology II</p>	<p>Dual Enrollment MCP Business Law MCP Broadcast Journalism</p> <p>Electives Intro. to Business Marketing The Closing Bell Video Production Video Production II Visual FX in Film Digital Cinematography Web/App Design Web/App Design & Animation</p>

College Enrollment for the Class of 2024

- American University
- Art Center College of Design
- Barnard College
- Bentley University
- Berklee College of Music
- Binghamton University
- Boston College
- Boston University
- Columbia University
- Fairfield University
- Fairleigh Dickinson University
- Florida State University
- Fordham University
- Indiana University
- La Salle University
- Lasell University
- Lehigh University
- Lynn University
- Michigan State University
- Montclair State University
- New York University
- Northeastern University
- Nova Southeastern University
- Ohio State University
- Pace University
- Pennsylvania State University
- Purdue University
- Regent's University London
- Reichman University
- Rhode Island School of Design
- Ringling College of Art and Design
- Rowan University
- Rutgers University-New Brunswick
- Rutgers University-Newark
- San Diego State University
- Seton Hall University
- SUNY Cortland
- Syracuse University
- The George Washington University
- The New School
- United States Military Academy West Point
- University of California-Irvine
- University of Connecticut
- University of Delaware
- University of Florida
- University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign
- University of Maryland
- University of Michigan
- University of Mount Saint Vincent
- University of South Carolina
- University of Virginia
- West Rakia Military Academy
- West Virginia University
- Yale University