

Montgomery High School

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2023 Profile

A Blue Ribbon School of Excellence

ontgomery High School is a premier learning institution, proud of its tradition of academic excellence as well as a sustained focus on social and emotional character development for all tudents. To support both of these objectives, Montgomery operates on an AB block schedule. Montgomery High School is located in Central New Jersey, four miles north of Princeton, and serves the suburban communities of Montgomery, Skillman, Belle Mead, Blawenburg, Rocky Hill and parts of Princeton. These communities reflect a continuous tradition of support for achievement in academic and cultural pursuits. Montgomery High School offers an extremely challenging scholastic environment and consistently produces some of the highest achieving learners in New Jersey. Eighty-Six percent of the graduating class of 2023 are continuing their education at four-year colleges. The Program of Studies offers 21 Advanced Placement Courses, 33 Honors and accelerated courses as well as a wide array of challenging academic electives. In addition to a rich curriculum and tradition of academic excellence, MHS supports a broad program of cocurricular offerings.

Mean SAT Scores Class of 2023			
	Montgomery	New Jersey	National
ERW	661	538	520
Math	677	528	508

Mean ACT Scores Class of 2023					
	English	Math	Reading	Science	Composite
Montgomery	28.5	28.4	28.1	27.2	28.2
New Jersey	24.5	23.8	24.9	23.8	24.4
National	18.6	19.0	20.1	19.6	19.5

National Merit Program			
Class of 2022	Class of 2023		
29 Finalists	14 Finalists		
3 Semifinalists	14 Semifinalists		
45 Commended Students	67 Commended Students		

Seal of Biliteracy	Recognition
Class of 2023	82 students

Enrollment Grades 9 thru 12: 1617 Class of 2023: 404

The Montgomery High School student population represents many ethnic and cultural groups. This diversity affords students exposure to intercultural relationships and a global perspective on domestic and world issues. Montgomery High School students are highly successful in balancing an extremely rigorous academic schedule with activities outside the classroom, including participation in over 60 co-curricular offerings. These include award winning curricular and co-curricular performing arts programs highlighted by highly acclaimed bands, orchestras and choral groups; academic clubs including Robotics, Mock Trial and Science Olympiad Teams; service organizations recognized for their community contributions as well as 34 varsity sports. Our students are frequently recognized for their academic, athletic, civic and performance accomplishments.

2021-22 COVID 19 Update: Montgomery High School went fully remote on March 16, 2020 through the end of the school year on June 19, 2020 and went to a hybrid model for 2020-21. Grading for all students remained consistent with number grades for all subjects on a 100 point scale. There were no final exams in 2020 or 2021. All students returned to in person learning for the 2021-2022 school year

MISSION STATEMENT

Montgomery High School is an academically challenging and supportive community that provides innovative educational, extra-curricular, and social opportunities that encourage responsible citizenship and life-long learning.



ADVANCED PLACEMENT RESULTS May 2023

Exam	% 5	scoring:	: 3	# students taking exam
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Art History	26%	42%	24%	38
Biology	34%	35%	25%	181
Calculus AB	78%	16%	3%	122
Calculus BC	85%	10%	4%	78
Chemistry	59%	28%	13%	93
Computer Science A	57%	18%	10%	68
English Lang & Composition	39%	45%	16%	87
English Lit. & Composition	86%	8%	5%	37
Environmental Science	11%	39%	20%	70
French Language	26%	39%	30%	23
German Language	0%	20%	45%	20
Macroeconomics	40%	31%	19%	131
Microeconomics	34%	41%	16%	124
Physics 1	29%	35%	18%	17
Physics C (Elec & Mag)	45%	12%	14%	58
Physics C (Mechanics)	48%	23%	20%	60
Spanish Language	10%	24%	45%	29
Statistics	49%	30%	14%	138
Studio Art: Design/2D	100%	0%	0%	1
Studio Art: Drawing Port.	17%	17%	67%	6
US Government & Politics	21%	11%	37%	38
US History	61%	30%	7%	44
TOTAL TESTS				
ADMINISTERED				1463



GRADING

Montgomery High School transitioned to a semester grading system beginning with the 2018-2019 school year. Montgomery High School teachers believe in teaching beyond the test and most subscribe to stringent grading procedures. Therefore, semester grades may not necessarily correlate with standardized test results.

G.P.A.

Both weighted and unweighted grade point averages are calculated. The cumulative GPA is weighted with five additional points added to each Honors level and Advanced Placement course final grade. Only the cumulative semester GPA incorporates these weightings. The final course grade posted on the transcript is the actual grade earned in the course.

RANKING

Montgomery High School does not engage in the automatic calculation and reporting of class rank for students. A pupil's class rank shall be calculated to determine valedictorian, salutatorian, and students graduating with honors. A pupil's class rank will only be released to a requesting institution (such as a service academy) or a scholarship provider.

A TRADITION OF ACHIEVEMENT

CURRICULUM

The Class of 2023 must successfully complete the New Jersey State graduation requirement of 120 credits. Students are required to complete 20 credits of English, 15 credits of Mathematics, 15 credits of Science, 15 credits of Social Studies, 5 credits of World Language, 20 credits of Health/Physical Education, 5 credits of Visual or Performing Arts, 5 credits of Practical Art /Career Exploration and 2.5 credits of Financial Literacy. All Montgomery High School students are required to schedule a minimum of 35 credits per year in grades 9 - 11 and a minimum of 30 credits in grade 12.



ENGLISH

AP

AP Language & Comp English 11 AP Literature & Comp English 12

English Lit and Comp 9H English Lit and Comp 10H English 11 H English 12 H

CP

English Lit & Comp 9 English Lit & Comp 10 English 11 English 12

GEN ED Creative Writing I, II Expository Writing Workshop

MATHEMATICS

AP Calculus AB AP Calculus BC AP Calculus C AP Statistics HONORS

Geometry Honors Algebra II Honors

Pre-Calculus Honors

Honors Math Methods in Engineering and the Sciences

Algebra I Geometry

Algebra II

Algebra III

Advanced Algebra/Trig

Pre-Calculus

Calculus

Statistics

Discrete Math

GEN ED

Algebraic Function & Analysis Applied Algebraic Extensions Math Connections

SCIENCE

AP

AP Biology AP Chemistry AP Environmental Science AP Physics 1

AP Physics C: Mech & Elec & Mag

HONORS

Biology H Biotechnology H Chemistry H

iSTEMi Adv. Scientific Ind Invest H

Microelectronics H

Organic Chemistry H

IPELS H

CP

Integrated Physical Earth & Life Sciences

Chemistry

Biology

Anatomy & Physiology

Astronomy

Environmental Science

Forensic Science

Nutrition & Food Service

Weather & Meteorology

GEN ED

Integrated Physical Earth & Life Sciences General Chemistry General Biology

SOCIAL STUDIES

AP Art History

AP Economics

AP U.S. Government & Politics

AP U.S. History II - Part II

HONORS

World Studies H

U.S. History I H

The US in a Modern World H

CP

World Studies U.S. History I

U.S. History II

GEN ED

American Hist. & Cult. Thru Film Crime & Punishment Elements of Human Behavior Power Inequity & The Human Experi. Sociology

WORLD LANGUAGES

ΑP

AP French VI

AP German VI

AP Spanish VI

HONORS

French IV Honors German IV Honors Latin IV Honors Spanish III & IV Honors

CP

French I - III

German I - III

Spanish I - V

VISUAL, PERFORMING & TECHNICAL ARTS

AP

AP Art Studio

HONORS

Chamber Choir Honors

Chamber Orchestra Honors

Honors Portfolio

Wind Ensemble Honors

CP

Advanced Ceramics

Advanced Photography

Ceramics

Ceramics II

Chamber Choir

Chamber Orchestra

Chorale

Concert Orchestra

Concert Choir

Guitar

Intro to Digital Art & Drawing

Intro to Drama I, II

Intro to Studio Art

Photography I, II

Photography III, Part A & Part B

Public Speaking

Studio I, II

Symphonic Band

Symphonic Winds

The Actor's Guild

Children's Play Production Improv Troupe

Wind Ensemble

CAREER EXPLORATION

AP Computer Science A

Architectural Design I, II

Basic Accounting

Business & Personal Law

Engineering Design & Materials Fabrication I, II-A, II-B

Fashion & Clothing

Financial Literacy-On line

Foundations of JAVA

Game Design & Application Develop.

Intro to Culinary Arts

Culinary Arts II

Intro to Entrepreneurship

Intro to Computer Languages

Engineering I, II Journalism I, II

Journalism III - Portfolio

Life Skills

Media & Graphic Communications I, II

Portfolio Project-Architecture

Portfolio Project-CADD

Portfolio Project-Design & Fabrication

Portfolio Project -Engineering

Portfolio Project-Media & Graphics

Power, Energy & Transportation Radio Broadcasting

Sports & Entertainment Marketing

Theater Des. Tech & Stage Mgmt

The Art of Baking Tomorrow's Teachers Part 1 & Part 2

TV Productions I. II. III Webpage Design & Development

HEALTH, SAFETY and PHYSICAL **EDUCATION**

Physical Education 9-12 Health 9, 11, 12 Drivers Education Peer Leadership Program

Peer II

 $AP = Advanced\ Placement$

CP = College Prep

GEN ED = General Education

MONTGOMERY HIGH SCHOOL 2023 COLLEGE MATRICULATION

American University Kenyon College

Amherst College Lehigh University

Arizona State University Louisiana State University

Barnard College

Berklee College of Music Massachusetts Institute of Technology

Marist College

Boston College Mercer County Community College

Bowdoin College Michigan State University
Brookdale Community College Montana State University

Brown University Montclair State University
Bryn Mawr College Mount Holyoke College
Carnegie Mellon University Muhlenberg College

Case Western Reserve University New Jersey Institute of Technology

Central Connecticut State University New York Institute of Technology

Coastal Carolina University

New York University

Colby College

Northeastern University

College of Charleston Nova Southeastern University

Cornell University Ohio State University

Drexel University Pennsylvania State University

Embry-Riddle Aeronautical University Pratt Institute

Emory University Princeton University
Fairfield University Purdue University

Fairleigh Dickinson University Ramapo College of New Jersey

George Mason University Raritan Valley Community College

Georgetown University

Georgia Institute of Technology

Gettysburg College

Rensselaer Polytechnic Institute

Rider University

Harvard University Rowan College at Burlington County

Hofstra University Rowan University
IE University - Madrid Rutgers University

Indiana University Savannah College of Art & Design
Ithaca College Seton Hill University

 James Madison University
 St. John's College

 Johns Hopkins University
 St. John's University

 Kean University
 St. Lawrence University

Stockton University

SUNY at Purchase College

Syracuse University

Temple University

The College of New Jersey

The George Washington University

The University of Alabama

The Univer. of No. Carolina at Chapel Hill

University of Wisconsin

Villanova University

Virginia Tech

The University of Tampa
The University of Tennessee
The University of Texas at Austin

Thomas Jefferson University

Tufts University
University of California
University of Colorado
University of Connecticut

University of Delaware
University of Florida

University of Illinois at Urbana

University of Kentucky
University of Maryland
University of Massachusetts

University of Miami
University of Michigan
University of Minnesota
University of Oregon
University of Pennsylvania

University of Pittsburgh
University of Rhode Island
University of Rochester
University of South Carolina
University of South Florida
University of Vermont
University of Washington

SCHOOL ADMINSTRATION

Mary McLoughlin, Superintendent

Heather Pino-Beattie, Principal

Cory Delgado, Director of School Counseling & Student Wellness

Vincent Cuccaro, Vice Principal
John McVaddy, Vice Principal
John Vitale, Vice Principal

Kelly Apel, School Counselor Maureen Conway, School Counselor Keith Glock, School Counselor Christine Grossmann,

Student Assistant Counselor

Carla Hampton, School Counselor Matthew Pogue, School Counselor Jessica Ritson, School Counselor Raheel Saleem, School Counselor