

Northern Guilford High School



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Northern Guilford High School empowers lifelong learners who exhibit wisdom, hope, and integrity.

Established in 2007, Northern Guilford High School is in the Piedmont Triad of North Carolina, a metropolitan area of about one million people, which includes Greensboro, a city of 305,000, High Point, and Winston Salem. Greensboro has a diverse economic base of manufacturing, business, insurance, banking, service industries, and education. Two state universities and three private colleges are in Greensboro. Northern Guilford High School serves the northern sector of Greensboro/Guilford County, which includes established neighborhoods, new suburban areas and some rural areas. Northern Guilford students are from diverse economic, religious, racial, and national backgrounds.

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NORTHERN GUILFORD HIGH SCHOOL

A comprehensive four-year high school fully accredited by the Southern Association of Colleges and Schools.

CEEB/ACT CODE: 341603

High School Enrollment 1,306

Seniors: 314 Sophomores: 358 Juniors: 302 Freshmen: 328

COUNSELING STAFF

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TRANSCRIPT INFORMATION

School Calendar

NGHS' year consists of four quarters, each nine weeks in duration. Classes meet for 36 weeks, 5 days a week, 58 minutes per day.

Grade Point Average

Student grade point averages are calculated by assigning a weight to each numerical grade on all courses carrying credit. An additional 0.5 is assigned for Honors courses and an additional 1.0 is assigned for Advanced Placement courses. To calculate GPA, the sum of the weights of each grade is divided by number of credits attempted.

Grading Scale

A = 90-100%, B = 80-89%, C = 70-79%, D = 60-69%, F = <60%, Passing Mark 60%.

Class of 2023 Post-Secondary Plans – 322 Students

College/University Programs84% 60% matriculated to a 4-year college or university 24% matriculated to a 2-year college

Highest GPA in Class of 2023......4.8214

ADVANCED PLACEMENT

All students enrolled in Advanced Placement courses are required to take the Advanced Placement Exam. AP courses offered at NGHS:

Biology Chemistry English Language and Human Geography
Calculus AB Computer Science Composition Physics I: Algebra-Based

Calculus AB with Adv. Principles English Literature and Pre-Calculus Topics I (NCSSM) Drawing Composition Psychology Calculus BC Environmental Science Statistics

CREDIT AND GRADUATION INFORMATION

Northern Guilford follows a traditional, six-period schedule. Periods are 55 minutes in length and all classes meet daily for an entire year. Multiple credits are awarded for classes meeting for more than one period daily. Credit is granted at the end of the course and is based on the final course grade. To receive a College/University Preparatory Diploma, 2023 graduates must complete 22 Carnegie units; this includes 4 units of English, 4 of social studies, 3 of science (all science courses have a lab component), 4 of math, 2 of a world-language, and 1 of physical education/health.

GPA AND CLASS RANK

On the transcript, Northern Guilford High School provides grade point average (weighted and un-weighted) and numerical class rank. Weighted GPA is determined using the following method: a 4-point scale for regular courses, a 4.5-point scale for Honors courses, and a 5-point scale for AP courses and college transfer pathway courses at Guilford Technical Community College. In computing GPA, all students and all courses are included. Class rank is based on weighted GPA.

SPECIAL PROGRAMS

Starting junior year, students have the opportunity to earn transferable college credits tuition-free through the Career and College Promise Program held on the campus of Guilford Technical Community College. Qualified students can get a jumpstart on their workplace and college preparation through dual enrollment.

Weaver Academy provides students unique Career & Technical Education courses in a cutting-edge learning environment with opportunities to earn nationally recognized certifications.

The Guilford Apprenticeship Program offers students training for an occupation that combines all-expense paid classroom instruction at Guilford Technical Community College with on-the-job skilled training. The culmination of the program is an associate degree, a Journeyperson Certificate, and employment.

HONOR SOCIETIES and a sampling of STUDENT ORGANIZATIONS

Battle of the Books Letters of Encouragement Science Olympiad
Beta Club Menstrual Movement Student Council

Campus Life Model UN Tri-M (Music Honor Society)

Disc Golf Mountain Biking Club Volunteer Club
Dungeons & Dragons Club National Art Honor Society World Changers
Eco Club National Honor Society Writing Club
French Club National Honor Society of Dance Arts Yearbook
Guitar Club National Technical Honor Society Young Life

Human Rights Club Newspaper Youth Health Services Club

La Sociedad Honoraria Hispanica Nighthawk Reading Buddies

Leadership

Advanced Placement Exams	Number of Students Tested	Total Exams Taken	Scoring 3 or Higher
2022-2023	478	843	552

ACT	Number of Students Tested	School Composite
2022-2023	325	19.8

Class Size	% Attending College	Attending 4 Year College	Attending 2 Year College	Graduation Rate
322	84%	60%	24%	93%