

**SCHOOL PROFILE 2018-19**  
**HIGH POINT CENTRAL HIGH SCHOOL**

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*Our Motto: INSPIRE. DISCOVER. EMPOWER. ACCEPT. SERVE.*

### The Counseling Department

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### The Community

High Point resides mostly in Guilford County, in the Triad area of Piedmont North Carolina. Geographically, High Point is the only city in North Carolina that exists within four counties: Davidson, Forsyth, Guilford and Randolph. It has a population of around 115,299 and known for the High Point Furniture Market. High Point is home to two private universities: High Point University and John Wesley University; as well as, a GTCC campus.

### Our School

High Point Central is a comprehensive public school with an enrollment of approximately 1450 students in grades 9 -12; encompassing a diverse student population. High Point Central High School is one of 28 high schools in the Guilford County School System and accredited by The Southern Association of Colleges and Schools (SACS).

### The International Baccalaureate Programme

High Point Central is a certified IB World School. The International Baccalaureate (IB) Diploma Programme is a rigorous two-year course of study (Junior/Senior year) that embodies a disciplinary and interdisciplinary approach to learning and teaching. The Programme features three core elements: The Extended Essay, Theory of Knowledge, and Creativity, Action, Service (CAS). Students are empowered to become lifelong learners using a global perspective. The IB Diploma Ceremony is held in the fall after a graduate's senior year. Enrollment in the IB Programme is by application.

### Standardized Test Summary

Scores: Class of 2018

ACT	HPC	State	SAT	HPC	State
English	14.8	17.2	English	534	542
Math	17.2	18.9	Math	528	532
Reading	16.8	18.8	<b>Total</b>	1062	1074
Science	16.4	18.6			
<b>Composite</b>	16.4	18.5			

### Post-Secondary School Plans

*Class of 2018:* (Class Size: 343)

Scholarships offered: \$8,943,362

Graduation rate: 82.4%

❖ Four Year University	45.19%
❖ Two Year	25.08%
❖ Military	4.09%
❖ Employment	21.87%
❖ Trade/Business School	2.34%
❖ Other	1.46%

### GPA Rank Distribution

*Class of 2018*

- Top 10%: 5.46 - 5.09
- Top 20%: 5.06 - 4.5
- Top 30%: 4.48 - 3.93
- Top 40% 3.90 - 3.51

### Graduation Requirements - Future Ready Core

- ❖ English 4
- ❖ Mathematics 4
- ❖ Social Studies 4
- ❖ Science 3
- ❖ World Languages (not required for graduation, but 2 levels required for admission to the UNC System)
- ❖ Physical Education/Health I

#### Electives and Other Requirements

- ❖ Two elective credits of any combination from either: Arts Education, Career Technical Education (CTE) or World Languages
- ❖ Four elective credits from a Career Cluster or Course Concentration Area (strongly recommended)
- ❖ Other Local Electives

*Successful completion of CPR*

**Credits Required for Graduation: 28**

### Class Rank, GPA, and Grading Scale (10 pt)

Class rank and GPA is cumulative and determined by the grades received at the end of each semester using a traditional 4.0 weighted scale. Honors, Advanced Placement, and IB courses are weighted with extra quality points. GPA's are designated as weighted and unweighted on transcripts, and students' numerical rank from class size.

A = 90-100 C = 70-79 F = 59 and below

B = 80-89 D = 60-69 I = Incomplete

## High Point Central - Rigorous Academic Courses

High Point Central High students are engaged in academic rigorous courses comprised of Honors, Advanced Placement and International Baccalaureate.

### English

Honors/Pre-IB English 9  
Honors/Pre-IB English 10  
Honors English 11  
Honors English 12  
Honors Journalism/Yearbook I/II  
Honors Speech/Debate  
AP English 11 (Lang & Comp)  
AP English 12 (Lit & Comp)  
IB Language A (Eng. 11) Lit SL  
IB Language A (Eng. 12) Lit HL

### Social Studies

Honors Amer His: Fndg Prin, Civics & Econ  
Honors American History I/II  
Honors Sociology  
Honors World History  
AP Human Geography  
AP Psychology  
AP US Government & Politics  
AP US History  
AP World History  
IB History of the Americas HL  
IB Philosophy SL/HL  
IB Psychology SL  
IB Theory of Knowledge I/II  
IB 20<sup>th</sup> Century World Topics SL/HL

### Mathematics

Honors NC Math I/II/III  
Honors Advanced Function & Modeling  
Honors Discrete Math  
Honors Pre-Calculus  
AP Calculus AB  
AP Statistics  
IB Mathematics Studies SL  
IB Mathematics SL/HL

### Science

Honors Anatomy & Physiology  
Honors Biology  
Honors Chemistry  
Honors Earth/Environmental Science  
Honors Forensics  
Honors Physics

### Science, cont.

AP Biology/Lab  
AP Chemistry/Lab  
AP Environmental Science/Lab  
IB Biology SL/HL  
IB Chemistry SL/HL  
IB Physics SL/HL

### World Languages

Honors Mandarin Chinese III  
Honors French III/IV  
Honors Japanese III/IV  
Honors Latin III/IV  
Honors Spanish III/ IV  
IB French SL  
IB Latin SL/HL  
IB Spanish SL/HL

### Arts Education

Honors Technical Theatre I Proficient  
Honors Theater Arts Proficient/Advanced  
Honors Visual Art Proficient/Advanced  
Honors Vocal Music Proficient/Advanced  
Honors Band Proficient/Advanced  
Honors Jazz Band Proficient  
Honors Orchestra Proficient/Advanced  
AP Music Theory  
AP Studio Art: 2Design  
IB Visual Arts SL/HL

### Career and Technical Education

Honors Intro Modeling and Animation  
Honors Advanced Modeling and Animation  
Honors Computer Engineering Tech I/II  
Honors Drafting Architecture I/II/III  
Honors Early Childhood II  
Honors Electronics II  
Honors Entrepreneurship I/II  
Honors Microsoft Word & PowerPoint  
Honors Networking Engineer I  
Honors Networking Engineer II/III/IV-Cisco  
Honors Prostart II  
Honors Sports Marketing II  
IB Business Management

### Honors Program

Beginning with the Class of 2019, AP/IB courses are weighted on a 5-point scale, Honors courses on a 4.5-point scale, and all others on a 4-point scale.

### Explanatory Notes

1. Central offers a 4x4 block schedule; AP/IB courses are taught on an A/B day schedule.
2. Central students may take courses at Weaver Academy and through Apex Learning Virtual School (ALVS), Guilford County Virtual Public School (GCVPS) and North Carolina Virtual Public School (NCVPS).
3. Central students can earn a GCS Service Learning Diploma for 250+ hours and a Service Learning Exemplary Award for 100+ hours.
4. Central has a dual enrollment agreement with Guilford Technical Community College (GTCC) through the Career and College Promise Program.
5. Central students can earn community college credits through our CTE Apprenticeship program and Certifications through Course Skills Testing.
6. Central is a member of the Metro 4-A Athletic Conference.