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## COMMUNITY OVERVIEW

Located in Central New Jersey, Hillsborough Township has approximately 40,000 residents and 7,400 students enrolled K-12.

Originally a farming community, Hillsborough is a constantly evolving community that now incorporates farms, small businesses and larger corporations. The township population is both increasing, and becoming more ethnically diverse.

The residents of Hillsborough Township are committed to quality education, and the excellence of township schools is often a key factor for those who select Hillsborough as their hometown.

## SCHOOL OVERVIEW

Hillsborough High School is a competitive, comprehensive four-year public high school. The school provides a large variety of extracurricular activities, extensive opportunities in the arts and 29 varsity sports.

Enrollment: 2339

Graduating Class: 592

Average Class Size: 22

Free and Reduced Lunch Recipients: 8.1%

Disciplinary infractions are not reported by Hillsborough High School during the college admission process.



## CLASS OF 2019 - FUTURE PLANS

College/University:	94%
Four-year College:	75%
Two-year College:	19%
Business or Technical School:	1%
Military:	1%
Employment:	2%
Other:	2%

# GRADING

Final grades are based upon four marking periods, each worth 20% of the total, plus midterm and final examinations, each worth 10% of the total.

The grading system is numerical, and **only courses taken at HHS are included in the calculation.**

Both unweighted and weighted GPA appear on the transcript. Weighted GPA is determined by multiplying the reported grade by the following weighting factor:

CP Courses: 1.05

Honors Courses: 1.10

AP & Dual Enrollment Courses: 1.15

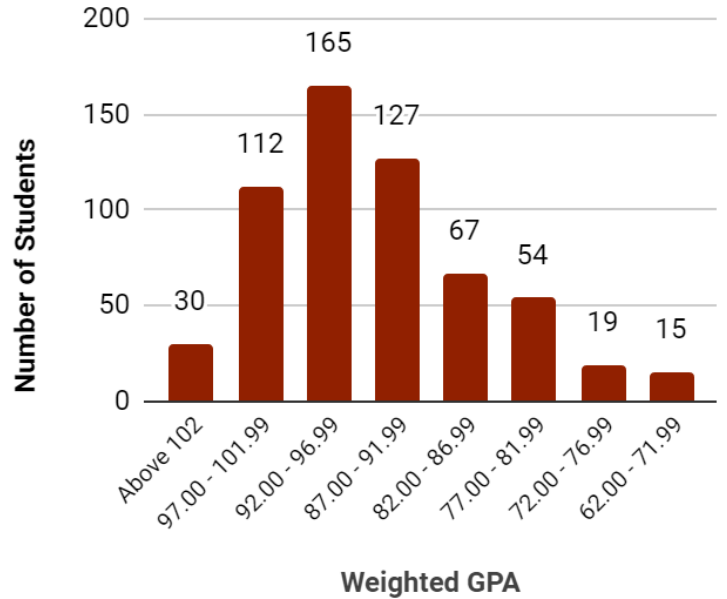
## Grading Scale:

A	90-100%
B	80-89%
C	70-79%
D	65-69%
F	64 or below

## Class Rank:

The challenges of our academic environment are met by most students who earn outstanding grades. We do not believe that reporting class rank fairly communicates our students' achievements and abilities.

## HHS Class of 2020 - Weighted GPA Distribution



# ADMINISTRATION

## DISTRICT

Dr. Lisa Antunes, *Interim Superintendent of Schools*  
 Mr. Aiman A. Mahmoud, *School Business Administrator/Board Secretary*

## HIGH SCHOOL

Ms. Karen Bingert, *Principal*  
 Ms. Evette Chaney, *Vice Principal*  
 Mr. Steven Jablonski, *Vice Principal*  
 Mr. Michael Simborski, *Vice Principal*  
 Mr. Colin Simpson, *Vice Principal*

# NATIONAL MERIT

Class of	2017	2018	2019
National Merit Scholars	1	1	1
National Merit Finalists	2	3	2
National Merit Commended	23	19	23

# CLASS OF 2019 SAT RESULTS

SAT (473 test takers) *		ACT results will be updated when available.
	HHS	
Critical Reading	589	
Math	605	
Total	1194	

\* Using highest earned scores across test dates

## CURRICULUM

Academic courses are offered at the following levels: Advanced Placement (AP), Honors (H), College Preparatory (CP), and Resource. All Science courses are laboratory courses.

HHS follows a traditional bell schedule. **Students can enroll in no more than 7 total periods of classes per day.**

### Curriculum Highlights:

**Concurrent Enrollment:** HHS offers a selection of courses that receive concurrent credit between HHS and Raritan Valley Community College. Courses are labeled as "DCC" or "Concurrent" on the transcript.

**REACH Senior Option:** This selective program for students interested in helping and public service professions provides an opportunity for students to participate in credit-bearing internships within Hillsborough municipal offices and other professional settings.

## GRADUATION REQUIREMENTS

120 credits, including:

- English - 4 years
- US History - 2 years
- World History - 1 year
- Health & Phys. Ed. - 4 years
- Math - 3 years
- Science - 3 years
- World Language - 1 year
- Visual or Performing Arts - 1 year
- Career Education, Consumer, Family or Life Education, or Vocational/ Technical Education - 1 year
- Financial Literacy - 1 semester

View our online Program of Studies for more details about our full curricular offerings:  
<http://tiny.cc/HHSCourses>

## HONORS AND ADVANCED PLACEMENT COURSE OFFERINGS

### Honors Courses:

English: English I, II, III and IV

Math: Algebra II, Computer Programming II, Geometry, Math Analysis

Science: Biology, Chemistry, Environmental Science, Physics, Intro. to Engineering Principles, Organic Chemistry (not offered in '19-'20)

Social Studies: US History I, World History

### Advanced Placement Courses:

Art: AP Art History, AP Studio Art, AP Music Theory (first offered in '19-'20)

English: AP Language and Composition, AP Literature

Math: AP Calculus AB, AP Calculus BC, AP Computer Science, AP Statistics

Science: AP Biology, AP Chemistry, AP Physics I, AP Physics II, AP Physics C, AP Environmental Science

Social Studies: AP European History, AP Macroeconomics, AP Microeconomics, AP Psychology, AP US Government and Politics, AP US History II, AP World History

World Language: AP French, AP German, AP Italian, AP Spanish, AP Chinese (first offered in '19-'20)

## 2019 AP EXAM ACHIEVEMENT

	Number of Scholars	Average Score	
AP Scholar	63	3.81	<b>AP Scholar:</b> Score of 3 or better on three or more exams
AP Scholar with Honor	44	4.03	<b>AP Scholar with Honor:</b> Average score of at least 3.25 on all exams taken AND score of 3 or better on four or more exams.
AP Scholar with Distinction	91	4.40	<b>AP Scholar with Distinction:</b> Average score of at least 3.5 on all exams taken AND score of 3 or better on five or more exams.
National AP Scholar	19	4.75	<b>National AP Scholar:</b> Average score of at least 4.0 on all exams taken AND score of 4 or better on eight or more exams.

# POST HIGH SCHOOL EDUCATION

The members of the Class of 2019 are matriculating at the following institutions:

Albany College of Pharm & Health Sci.	Michigan State University	The University of Arizona
Appalachian State University	Middlesex County College (2)	The University of Scranton (3)
Arcadia University	Millersville University of Pennsylvania	The University of the Arts
Berklee College of Music	Monmouth University (5)	Towson University (3)
Binghamton University (5)	Montclair State University (3)	Universal Technical Institute (2)
Bloomsburg University of Pennsylvania	Moravian College	University at Buffalo The State University of New York
Broward College	Neumann University	University of California, Berkeley
Bryn Athyn Coll. of the New Church	New Jersey City University (2)	University of Central Florida (2)
Carnegie Mellon University	New York Institute of Technology	University of Colorado at Boulder (3)
Case Western Reserve University	New York University	University of Connecticut (2)
Castleton University	North Carolina State University	University of Delaware (12)
Centenary University	Northeastern University (8)	University of Hartford
Central Connecticut State University	Nova Southeastern University (2)	University of Helsinki (Finland)
Coastal Carolina University (3)	Oregon State University, Cascades	Univ. of Maryland College Park (6)
Cornell University	Pennsylvania College of Technology	University of Minnesota, Twin Cities
DeSales University (2)	Pennsylvania State University (5)	University of New Haven
Douglas J Aveda Institute - Ann Arbor	Pennsylvania State Univ. - Altoona	Univ. of N. Carolina at Greensboro
Drew University	Pennsylvania State Univ. - Brandywine	Univ. of N. Carolina at Wilmington
Drexel University (6)	Purdue University (7)	University of Notre Dame
Duquesne University	Quinnipiac University (3)	University of Pittsburgh (3)
East Carolina University (3)	Ramapo College of New Jersey (11)	University of Rhode Island
East Stroudsburg University (2)	Raritan Valley Comm. College (100)	University of South Carolina (6)
Eastern School Fretted Music Repair	Rensselaer Polytechnic Institute (3)	University of South Florida, Tampa
Emerson College	Rider University (8)	University of Southern California
Emory University	Roanoke College	University of Vermont (2)
Fairfield University	Rochester Institute of Technology	Ursinus College
Florida Institute of Technology (2)	Roger Williams University	Virginia Tech (8)
Fordham University	Rowan College at Gloucester County	Washington College
Franklin & Marshall College	Rowan University (19)	West Chester University (8)
George Mason University (2)	Rutgers University - Camden (2)	West Virginia University (7)
Georgetown University (4)	Rutgers University - NB (63)	Western University
Gettysburg College	Rutgers University - Newark (2)	William Paterson University (5)
Harrisburg Area Community College	Sacred Heart University (2)	William Woods University
High Point University	Saint Joseph's University (6)	York College of Pennsylvania (3)
Hofstra University (3)	Saint Peter's University	
Howard University	Savannah College of Art and Design	
Hunterdon County Polytech	Seton Hall University (9)	
Ithaca College (4)	Shippensburg University	
Jacksonville University	Spelman College	
James Madison University (5)	St. John's University (2)	
Kean University (3)	State Univ. of New York at New Paltz	
Kent State University	Stevens Institute of Technology (9)	
Kutztown University (6)	Stockton University (3)	
La Salle University	Stony Brook University	
Loyola University Maryland (2)	Suffolk University	
Marist College	SUNY Coll. of Env. Science & Forestry	
Marymount Manhattan College	Syracuse University (4)	
Mass. Institute of Technology	Temple University (5)	
Mercer County Community College	The College of New Jersey (20)	
Miami University, Oxford	The Culinary Institute of America	
	The Ohio State University (2)	