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

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<th>College/University:</th>
<th>94%</th>
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<td>Four-year College:</td>
<td>75%</td>
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<td>Two-year College:</td>
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<td>Business or Technical School:</td>
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<td>Employment:</td>
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<td>Other:</td>
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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.

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**NATIONAL MERIT**

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<th>Class of</th>
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<td>National Merit Scholars</td>
<td>1</td>
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<td>National Merit Finalists</td>
<td>2</td>
<td>3</td>
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<td>National Merit Commended</td>
<td>23</td>
<td>19</td>
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**CLASS OF 2019 SAT RESULTS**

**SAT (473 test takers)***

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<th>HHS</th>
<th>ACT results will be updated when available</th>
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<td>Critical Reading</td>
<td>589</td>
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<td>Math</td>
<td>605</td>
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<td>Total</td>
<td>1194</td>
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* 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.

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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

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**HONORS AND ADVANCED PLACEMENT COURSE OFFERINGS**

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<th>Honors Courses:</th>
<th>Advanced Placement Courses:</th>
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<td>English: English I, II, III and IV</td>
<td>Art: AP Art History, AP Studio Art, AP Music Theory (first offered in '19-'20)</td>
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<td>Math: Algebra II, Computer Programming II, Geometry, Math Analysis</td>
<td>English: AP Language and Composition, AP Literature</td>
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<td>Science: Biology, Chemistry, Environmental Science, Physics, Intro. to Engineering Principles, Organic Chemistry (not offered in ‘19-'20)</td>
<td>Math: AP Calculus AB, AP Calculus BC, AP Computer Science, AP Statistics</td>
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<td>World Language: AP French, AP German, AP Italian, AP Spanish, AP Chinese (first offered in ‘19-'20)</td>
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**2019 AP EXAM ACHIEVEMENT**

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<th>Number of Scholars</th>
<th>Average Score</th>
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<td>AP Scholar</td>
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<td>3.81</td>
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<td>AP Scholar with Honor</td>
<td>44</td>
<td>4.03</td>
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<td>AP Scholar with Distinction</td>
<td>91</td>
<td>4.40</td>
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<td>National AP Scholar</td>
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<td>4.75</td>
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**AP Scholar:** Score of 3 or better on three or more exams

**AP Scholar with Honor:** 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:** 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:** Average score of at least 4.0 on all exams taken AND score of 4 or better on eight or more exams.

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View our online Program of Studies for more details about our full curricular offerings: http://tiny.cc/HHSCourses
The members of the Class of 2019 are matriculating at the following institutions:

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