



WEST MILFORD TOWNSHIP HIGH SCHOOL

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School Profile 2023-2024

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OUR COMMUNITY

West Milford Township is a rural-suburban community of approximately 80 square miles, a mix of highlands, forest, lakes, open space, and residential neighborhoods. With a population of approximately 26,000, our demographically and socioeconomically diverse community includes professionals, skilled tradespeople, artisans, small business owners, and a myriad of other workers. Given our setting, many of our families and students enjoy outdoor activities (hiking, fishing, hunting, boating, swimming, skiing) in their free time. West Milford is the largest township in Passaic county - approximately 40 miles from New York City.

OUR SCHOOL

West Milford High School has an enrollment of about 950 students. Many of our students will be first generation to attend college. WMHS is a comprehensive high school dedicated to provide an educational program suitable to the needs of our individual students. WMHS has a comprehensive college preparatory curriculum as well as strong programs in the skilled trades. A full continuum of services are available to our students with differing abilities. At WMHS we believe students should balance academics with participation in student activities - we offer 30 varsity sports, unified sports teams, special olympics, 9 honor societies, marching band, orchestra, choirs, theater program, and over 30 clubs/activities.

CURRICULUM

West Milford High School requires students to complete a rigorous curriculum. Students are offered a comprehensive range of courses designed to address academic goals, learning needs, career interests and college plans. The school day is 8 periods, including lunch and physical education. Students in grades 9-12 are required to carry a minimum of 30 credits per year. In order to graduate students must earn 125 credits. For more information, please see [Program of Studies 2023-2024](#).

English 4 yrs.	20 credits	Social Studies 3 yrs.	15 credits	Visual or Performing Arts 1 yr.	5 credits
Mathematics 3 yrs.	15 credits	World Language 1 yr.	5 credits	21 st Century Life & Careers/Career-Technical Ed 1 yr.	5 credits
Science 3 yrs.	15 credits	Physical Education/Health 4 yrs	20 credits	Personal Finance .5 yr.	2.5 credits

21 HONORS COURSES

ENGLISH	English I, English II
MATHEMATICS	Algebra II, Geometry, Pre-Calculus, Calculus A
SCIENCE	Biology, Chemistry, Organic Chemistry, Physics, Anatomy & Physiology
SOCIAL STUDIES	World History, US History I
WORLD LANGUAGE	French IV, German IV, Italian IV, Spanish IV
VISUAL & PERFORMING ARTS	Choir, Concert Band, Concert Choir, Wind Ensemble

25 ADVANCED PLACEMENT COURSES

ENGLISH	English Language & Composition, English Literature & Composition
MATHEMATICS	Calculus AB, Calculus BC, Statistics
SCIENCE	Biology, Chemistry, Environmental Science, Physics I
SOCIAL STUDIES	World History, US History II, US government & Politics, Psychology, Economics
STEM	Computer Science A, Computer Science Principles
WORLD LANGUAGE	French, German, Italian, Spanish
VISUAL & PERFORMING ARTS	Studio Art, Studio Art 3D, Art History
	Capstone Seminar, Capstone Research

DUAL ENROLLMENT

Calculus - <i>Seton Hall University</i>	Western Civilization – <i>Seton Hall University</i>
Anatomy and Physiology – <i>Seton Hall University</i>	Criminal Justice – Pending
Creative Writing – <i>Fairleigh Dickinson University</i>	Intermediate Computer Science – Pending
Advanced Creative Writing – <i>Fairleigh Dickinson University</i>	Statistics 1 & 2 – Seton Hall
Journalism and Modern Media 4 – <i>Fairleigh Dickinson University</i>	Women’s Studies – Ramapo College
Tomorrow’s Teachers: Introduction to Education – <i>Rider University</i>	
Digital Art II – <i>Ramapo College of New Jersey</i>	

AP Scholars: 14 Scholars, 9 with Honors, 9 with Distinction

CLASS OF 2023 ~ Class Size: 243

CLASS RANK

The grade point average is based upon 4.0 system with all subjects included. Junior and Senior year cumulative GPA and rank are indicated on the final transcript. Rank is determined by a weighted GPA. AP level courses receive an extra 1.0 point, Honors .5. GPA and Rank are cumulative after the 6th and 7th semester.

GRADING

Final grades are based on four quarters and a final exam

		AP	Honors	Other
97-100	A+	5.3	4.8	4.3
93-96	A	5.0	4.5	4.0
90-92	A-	4.7	4.2	3.7
87-89	B+	4.3	3.8	3.3
83-86	B	4.0	3.5	3.0
80-82	B-	3.7	3.2	2.7
77-79	C+	3.3	2.8	2.3
73-76	C	3.0	2.5	2.0
70-72	C-	2.7	2.2	1.7
67-69	D+	2.3	1.8	1.3
63-66	D	2.0	1.5	1.0
60-62	D-	1.7	1.2	0.7

POST SECONDARY PLANS

Four Year College	50.4%
Two Year College	14.4%
Career Education	5,3%
Military	1.2%
Other	28.7%

2023 SEAL OF BILITERACY

Spanish 4, Polish 1, German 1

NJDOE identifies graduating high school students who are able to demonstrate a linguistic proficiency level of at least Intermediate Mid according to the American Council on the Teaching of Foreign Languages Proficiency Guidelines in one or more world languages in addition English.

2023 SAT MEAN SCORE

EBRW: 548
MATH: 515

CLASS OF 2023 COLLEGE ACCEPTANCES

Adelphi University	Florida State University	Old Dominion University	Temple University
Alvernia University	Fordham University	Ottawa University	The Catholic University of America
American International College	Frostburg State University	Pace University, New York City	The College of New Jersey
Appalachian State University	Furman University	Passaic County Community College	The College of Saint Rose
Arizona State University	George Mason University	Pennsylvania College of Technology	The University of Alabama
Averett University	Georgian Court University	Pennsylvania State University	The University of Tampa
Belmont Abbey College	Goucher College	Point Park University	The University of Tennessee
Belmont University	Hartwick College	Purdue University-Main Campus	The University of Texas at Dallas
Bennington College	Hawaii Pacific University	Queens University of Charlotte	The University of the Arts
Bergen Community College	High Point University	Quinnipiac University	Thomas Jefferson University
Berklee College of Music	Hofstra University	Radford University	Towson University
Binghamton University	Hood College	Ramapo College of New Jersey	Tulane University of Louisiana
Bloomfield College	Illinois Institute of Technology	Rensselaer Polytechnic Institute	University of Arizona
Bloomsburg University of Pennsylvania	Indiana Tech	Rider University	University of Central Florida
Boston College	Indiana University of Pennsylvania	Ringling College of Art and Design	University of Chicago
Boston University	Irvine Valley College	Roanoke College	University of Colorado
Bryant University	Ithaca College	Rochester Institute of Technology	University of Connecticut
Caldwell University	Jacksonville University	Roger Williams University	University of Delaware
Castleton University	James Madison University	Rollins College	University of Florida
Cazenovia College	Johnson & Wales University-Providence	Rowan University	University of Georgia
Centenary University	Kean University	Rutgers University-New Brunswick	University of Hartford
Champlain College	Keiser University, Daytona Beach	Sacred Heart University	University of Kentucky
Chapman University	Kent State University at Kent	Saint Joseph's University	University of Louisville
Chicago State University	Keystone College	Saint Peter's University	University of Lynchburg
Clark University	King's College	Salem State University	University of Maine
Clarkson University	Kutztown University of Pennsylvania	Salisbury University	University of Maryland
Clemson University	Lake Erie College	Salve Regina University	University of Massachusetts
Cleveland State University	Lasell University	Sarah Lawrence College	University of Miami
Coastal Carolina University	Lehigh University	Savannah College of Art & Design	University of Mississippi
College of Charleston	Lincoln Technical Institute	School of the Art Institute of Chicago	University of Missouri-Columbia
Colorado State University-Fort Collins	Louisiana State University	Seton Hall University	University of New England
Columbus College of Art and Design	Loyola University	Shepherd University	University of New Hampshire
Concordia University-Irvine	Lycoming College	Shippensburg University of Pennsylvania	University of New Haven
County College of Morris	Lynn University	Siena College	University of New Mexico
Culinary Institute of America	Manhattan College	Slippery Rock University of Pennsylvania	University of North Carolina
Daytona State College	Marietta College	Southern Connecticut State University	University of North Texas
Delaware Valley University	Marist College	Springfield College	University of Northern Colorado
Denison University	Maryland Institute College of Art	St. John's University-New York	University of Oregon
DePaul University	Marymount Manhattan College	State University of NY at New Paltz	University of Rhode Island
DeSales University	Marywood University	Stetson University	University of Scranton
Dominican University New York	Massachusetts College of Art Design	Stevens Institute of Technology	University of South Carolina
Drake University	McDaniel College	Stevenson University	University of South Florida
Drew University	Mercy College	Stockton University	University of the Sciences
Drexel University	Michigan State University	Suffolk University	University of Vermont
Duquesne University	Middle Tennessee State University	SUNY Broome Community College	Virginia Commonwealth University
East Carolina University	Midlands Technical College	SUNY Buffalo State	Virginia Polytechnic Institute
East Stroudsburg University Eastern	Millersville University of Pennsylvania	SUNY College at Oswego	Wagner College
Kentucky University	Misericordia University	SUNY College of Agriculture and Technology at Cobleskill	Wesleyan University
Eastern University	Monmouth University	SUNY College of Technology at Delhi	West Chester University of Pennsylvania
Eastwick College-Ramsey	Montclair State University	SUNY Cortland	West Virginia University
Eckerd College	Moravian University	SUNY Morrisville	Western Connecticut State University
Elizabethtown College	Muhlenberg College	SUNY Oneonta	Westfield State University
Embry-Riddle Aeronautical University	New Jersey Institute of Technology	Susquehanna University	Widener University
Fairfield University	New York University	Sussex County Community College	Wilkes University
Fairleigh Dickinson University	Niagara University	Sweet Briar College	William Paterson University of NJ
Fashion Institute of Technology	Northampton County Community College	Syracuse University	Wingate University
Felician University	Norwich University		Xavier University
Flagler College	Ohio State University		Youngstown State University
Florida Atlantic University			
Florida Gulf Coast University			
Florida Southern College			

