



# Egg Harbor Township High School

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## COMMUNITY

• Egg Harbor Township is a large, suburban community located in Atlantic County, NJ, just west of Atlantic City. Over the last 15 years, the township has transformed from a rural area to an ethnically and economically diverse community. It is served by major highways including the Garden State Parkway and the Atlantic City Expressway.

## SCHOOL

• Egg Harbor Township High School opened its doors for the first time during the 1983-1984 school year. EHTHS is a four-year comprehensive public high school, including grades 9-12. Current school population is approximately 2300 students with a senior class of approx. 570 students. Our faculty includes approximately 210 members, many holding advanced degrees.

## GRADUATION REQUIREMENTS

• Students at EHTHS are required to earn a minimum of 120 credits in order to receive a diploma. Those requirements include 4 years of English, 3 years of Science, 3 years of Mathematics, 2 years of United States History, 1 year of World Cultures, 1 year of World Language, 1 year of Fine/Performing Art, 1 year of Career/Tech Ed, ½ year of Financial Literacy and 1 year of Physical Education/Health for each year of attendance at EHTHS.

## CURRICULUM FEATURES

• EHTHS has a four-day rotating schedule. Students are scheduled for 8 courses, six of which meet in a given day for

55-minute blocks. Our curriculum is designed to meet the unique and individual needs of all students as they pursue both college and career goals.

- EHTHS offers four selective academy programs: Medical Science Academy, Academy of Law/Business, Communications Academy and Culinary Arts Academy. Students have unique opportunities to pursue rigorous, specialized coursework and are exposed to related careers during a *senior experience* internship.
- Students wishing to pursue coursework not currently offered by the school's curriculum may do so through Independent Study. The high school also has dual credit agreements with both Stockton University and Atlantic Cape Community College.
- EHT TV is a fully functional television station operated by students in the Media and Journalism programs. It broadcasts news and special interest segments to the student body and is carried regionally on Channel 2 of the Comcast Cable Network.
- The Seal of Biliteracy certifies that a student has demonstrated the ability to read, write, speak and understand in both English and a second language. Students in their 4<sup>th</sup> year of study who meet the required proficiency earn the seal and it is noted on the transcript.

## ADVANCED PLACEMENT/HONORS PROGRAM

• EHTHS offers AP courses in: English Language/Literature, Spanish Language/Literature, French, German, Latin, US History, Government, Art History, Psychology, European History, Macroeconomics, Biology, Chemistry, Physics (I, II, C), Environmental Science, Statistics, Computer Science,

## Computer Science Principles and Studio Art

• EHTHS offers Honors courses in: English (I, II, III, IV), Spanish (II, III, IV), French (II, III, IV), German (II, III), Latin (II, III), Hispanohablantes (II, III), World Cultures, US History I & II, Psychology, Biology, Chemistry, Physics I/II, Anatomy, Geometry, Algebra II, Pre-Calculus, Calculus, Philosophy, African American Studies, Computer Science, Education & Training III, ALAB/MSA courses

## COURSE WEIGHTING/CLASS RANK

• Grade Point Average is computed at the end of each academic year in the month of July. It is determined by calculating a cumulative, numerical GPA carried out to the thousandths place (i.e. 94.158). All course grades, including physical education, are used in the calculation of cumulative GPA. Advanced Placement (AP) final course grades are given an additional weight of 20% in cumulative GPA calculations. Honors courses (HN) are given an additional weight of 10%. The additional weighting of these courses is for cumulative GPA purposes only. The grade a student receives on his/her report card/transcript is the actual grade earned in the class.

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|---|--------|---|-------|
| A | 90-100 | B | 80-89 |
| C | 70-79  | D | 60-69 |
| F | < 60   |   |       |

• EHTHS also calculates a 4.0 scale cumulative GPA for colleges and other institutions who request it. The official numerical scale, however, will always determine class rank. On the 4.0 scale, letter grades are assigned the following values:

| AP & Honors | All Other Courses |
|-------------|-------------------|
| A = 5.0     | A = 4.0           |
| B = 4.0     | B = 3.0           |
| C = 3.0     | C = 2.0           |
| D = 2.0     | D = 1.0           |
| F = 0       | F = 0             |

• Starting with the Class of 2023, EHTHS no longer reports class rank. Weighted GPA distributions for 550 students in the Class of 2024 are as follows (cumulative GPA, following 11<sup>th</sup> grade)

|                |       |
|----------------|-------|
| 103+           | 6.4%  |
| 97.0 - 102.999 | 15.2% |
| 90.0 - 96.999  | 27.3% |
| 81.0 - 89.999  | 29.2% |
| 72.0 - 80.999  | 15.5% |
| below 72.0     | 6.6%  |

## POST-SECONDARY EDUCATION

• The Class of 2023 was approximately 630 in number with 80% pursuing further education. 55% plan to attend four-year colleges, 25% plan to attend two-year colleges, and 5% plan to attend other post-secondary technical/career institutions. The remaining students plan to enter the Armed Services (3%) or the workforce (12%). This year's graduates were awarded over \$19 million in scholarships and grants.

## STUDENT ACTIVITIES

• EHTHS fields 19 varsity teams that compete in the Cape Atlantic League and Group IV/V for NJSIAA sports. Our Football and Wrestling Teams compete in the recently created Group V division, reserved for the largest high schools in the state. Our athletic teams have won numerous state and sectional championships. The most recent state championship team is our Girls Softball Team, who captured the Group IV State Championship title in 2017. Past state and sectional championship teams include Football, Girls Basketball, Girls Swimming, Boys and Girls Crew and Golf.

• There are over 30 clubs and organizations at EHTHS. One of our most active organizations is our Senior Ambassador Mentor program. Students take part in a rigorous selection process and are chosen based on character, leadership and commitment to their school community.

• Students participate in numerous services learning projects through local and national clubs including Key Club, Interact Club, FBLA, FCCLA, among others. In 2016 EHTHS was 1 of just 47 schools nationwide to be named a Green Ribbon School by the US Dept. of Education for our work in energy conservation, health & wellness programs and sustainability education.

• EHTHS has also been designated as a NJ Model School of the Arts. This recognition is the result of a rigorous and comprehensive curriculum that includes music, art, theater and dance.

## COLLEGE ACCEPTANCES 2018-2023

|                               |                            |
|-------------------------------|----------------------------|
| Boston University             | Bowdoin College            |
| Columbia University           | Cornell University         |
| Drexel University             | Duke University            |
| Georgetown University         | Harvard University         |
| Johns Hopkins University      | Lehigh University          |
| Mass. Institute of Tech       | NJ Institute of Technology |
| New York University           | Ohio State University      |
| Pennsylvania State University | Princeton University       |
| Rensselaer Polytech Inst.     | Rutgers University         |
| Stevens Institute of Tech     | Syracuse University        |
| The College of New Jersey     | US Air Force Academy       |
| US Coast Guard Academy        | US Military Academy        |
| US Naval Academy              | Univ. of Calif. Berkeley   |
| University of Delaware        | University of Michigan     |
| University of Pennsylvania    | University of Pittsburgh   |
| University of Virginia        | Villanova University       |
| Williams College              | Yale University            |