



HUNTINGTON HIGH SCHOOL

Oakwood & McKay Roads
Huntington, New York 11743



SCHOOL PROFILE

Class of 2012

CEEB CODE: 332-490

MISSION STATEMENT OF THE HUNTINGTON UNION FREE SCHOOL DISTRICT

Recognizing the strengths of our district's traditions, its history of community support, the diversity of our population and our commitment to educational excellence, the mission of the Huntington School District is to educate students by effectively teaching an enriched body of knowledge, through the active participation of all students, building upon their unique talents and abilities to produce creative, self-assured responsible citizens who are capable of critical thought and action.

“A Tradition of Excellence Since 1657”

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THE COMMUNITY

Huntington is a culturally diverse, residential, suburban community with approximately 30,000 people. It is located on the north shore section of Long Island, thirty seven miles east of New York City. Students enjoy all of the cultural, educational and recreational advantages of the metropolitan area. The community's support is evidenced by the various educational programs offered.

SCHOOL PROFILE

Huntington High School is a four-year comprehensive public school, accredited by the Middle States Association of Secondary Schools and the New York State Board of Regents. Close to 4,500 students attend Huntington Public Schools in grades kindergarten through 12. There are five elementary schools, one middle school (serving grades 7 and 8), and one high school (serving grades 9 through 12). The high school population totals 1290 (including 280 seniors), and all students are provided with challenging programs that will enable them to successfully transition into post-secondary schools and meet the demands of colleges and universities.

CURRICULUM

Students are required to fulfill a minimum of 22 credits for graduation. These credits must include the following: four units in English, four units in social studies, three units in mathematics, three units in science, one unit in world language, one unit in fine arts (art or music), one-half unit of health, two credits in physical education, and additional electives (as needed). Honors level courses are available in all subjects, and Advanced Placement courses are offered to students in grades ten through twelve. Students also have the opportunity to partake in our science research program beginning in grade nine, and are encouraged to continue with the program throughout their high school career.

CLASS RANK

In accordance with the Huntington Board of Education policy, beginning with the Class of 2004, students are not ranked by cumulative grade point averages (GPA's). However, student transcripts do reflect the weighted GPA's for the purpose of distinguishing amongst the rigorous courses and programs offered (Regents, Accelerated, Honors, College, and Advanced Placement).

ACCELERATED, HONORS, AND COLLEGE COURSES

Accelerated courses are multiplied by 1.05 when computing the student's GPA. Grades in Science Research, Honors and College courses are multiplied by 1.075 when computing a student's GPA except for Band and Orchestra, which are weighted as 1.025. Thus a final course grade of 95 has a value of 99.75 in an accelerated course, and a value of 102.1 in a Science Research, Honors or College course (with the exception of Band and Orchestra which would have a value of 97.38).

ADVANCED PLACEMENT PROGRAM

Students who are interested in enrolling in Advanced Placement classes, must have demonstrated outstanding academic achievement in previous courses. Advanced Placement Courses receive a weight of 1.10 in the GPA calculation; thus a final course grade of 95 has a value of 104.5. In total, 240 students wrote 508 Advanced Placement examinations in the following areas:

Biology	49	Government & Politics: U.S.	58	Studio Art: 2-D Design	15
Calculus AB	34	Microeconomics	65	Studio Art: Drawing	3
Calculus BC	12	Music Theory	10	United States History	54
English Language	43	Physics B	38	World History	50
English Literature	64	Spanish Language	13		

In the 2010-2011 school year, we had a total of 79 AP Scholars, including 13 AP Scholars with Honors, 33 AP Scholars with Distinction, and 8 National Scholars.

EXTRA-CURRICULAR PROGRAM

Approximately 62% of our students participate in interscholastic sports. We offer 27 varsity and 15 junior varsity teams, as well as the opportunity for students to explore and develop their athletic talents. We have had over 40 league, county, long island, state team and individual championships since 2006, and approximately 43% of our student-athletes earn honor roll status each quarter.

SPECIAL PROGRAMS

- ~Student Internship Program – Only open to seniors, students are provided with opportunities for enrichment activities that go beyond the traditional academic experience. Students pursue a career and develop a creative project, while working under the supervision of a mentor.
- ~Western Suffolk BOCES Wilson Tech – An area vocational school where students study occupational education
- ~Special Education – Students with special needs are provided with individualized education programs, as well as services that are challenging and designed to ensure student success.

COLLEGE ENTRANCE EXAMINATIONS – Class of 2011

2011 SAT Reasoning Exam - 223 Huntington High School Graduates Tested

CRITICAL READING	25th Percentile	50th Percentile	75th Percentile
<i>Huntington High School</i>	440	500	590
New York State	410	480	560
National	420	490	570

MATH	25th Percentile	50th Percentile	75th Percentile
<i>Huntington High School</i>	450	520	600
New York State	420	500	580
National	430	510	600

WRITING	25th Percentile	50th Percentile	75th Percentile
<i>Huntington High School</i>	420	500	580
New York State	390	470	550
National	410	480	560

2011 ACT Exam – 126 Huntington High School Graduates Tested

	English	Mathematics	Reading	Science	Composite
<i>Huntington High School</i>	22.7	23.9	23.4	22.9	23.4
New York State	22.7	23.8	23.5	23.0	23.4

CLASS OF 2011

POST HIGH

SCHOOL PLANS

- 25% of the graduation class received Advanced Regents Diplomas
- 18% of the graduation class received Advanced Regents Diplomas with Honors
- 46% of the graduation class received Regents Diplomas
- 8% of the graduation class received Local Diplomas
- 2% of the graduation class received IEP Diplomas

- 60% of graduates are attending a 4-year college
- 32% of graduates are attending a 2-year college
- 8% of graduates entered the world of work

CLASS OF 2011

HONORS &

AWARDS

- 4 National Merit Commended Students
- 3 National Merit Semi-finalists
- 1 National Merit Finalist

GRADE EQUIVALENTS

Letter grades earned in other schools are converted to the following numeric values:

4-POINT SCALE	LETTER GRADE	PERCENT GRADE
3.90 – 4.00	A+	97 – 100
3.75 – 3.89	A	93 – 96
3.50 – 3.74	A-	90 – 92
3.25 – 3.49	B+	87 – 89
3.00 – 3.24	B	83 – 86
2.75 – 2.99	B-	80 – 82
2.50 – 2.74	C+	77 – 79
2.25 – 2.49	C	73 – 76
2.00 – 2.24	C-	70 – 72

COURSES OF STUDY

ART

Advanced Computer Graphics
Advanced Photography
Advanced Video Production III
Art Internships
Ceramics and Sculpture I, II, III
Computer Graphics
Creative Crafts
Creative Video I, II
Drawing and Painting I, II
Fashion Design I, II, III
Pre-AP Studio Art
Intro to Photography
Media Arts
Portfolio Development
Studio in Art
Advanced Placement Studio Art: Drawing
Advanced Placement Studio Art: 2DStudio

BUSINESS

Accounting
Business Finance
Business Management & Human
Relations
Cooperative Work Experience
Senior Portfolio
Sports Marketing
Street Law I, II

ENGLISH

English 9, 10, 11 – Regents
English 9, 10, 11 – Honors
Advanced Placement Language and
Composition
Advanced Placement Literature and
Composition
Journalism
Creative Writing
Advanced Composition

- READING COURSES

Reading 9, 10, 11
Corrective Reading

- 12th GRADE ENGLISH REGENTS - LEVEL PAIRED SEMINARS

Bible as Literature/Humanities
Journalism/Exploring the Film& Short
Story
Multicultural Literature/Holocaust
Literature
Mystery Literature/Sports Literature
Theater Arts A: Modern Drama
Theater Arts B: Theatrical Performance

ENGLISH AS A SECOND LANGUAGE

ESL Levels I, II, III, IV
Native Language Arts I, II, III
~Additional courses are available in
various subject areas

HEALTH

General Health

MATHEMATICS

Basic Algebra, Basic Algebra ESL
Advanced Algebra
Algebra 1 ESL
Integrated Algebra 1
Integrated Algebra 1 Accelerated
Algebra/Trigonometry
Algebra 2/Trigonometry
Algebra 2/Trigonometry Accelerated
Discovering Geometry
Geometry
Geometry Accelerated
Math Investigations
Pre-Calculus
Pre-Calculus AB Honors
Pre-Calculus BC Honors
Calculus
Advanced Placement Calculus AB
Advanced Placement Calculus BC
Advanced Placement Statistics

MUSIC

Concert Choir
Chamber Choir
Junior Band
Junior Band Honors
Senior Band
Senior Band Honors
String Orchestra
Symphony Orchestra
Symphony Orchestra Honors
Theory I
AP Music Theory

PHYSICAL EDUCATION

Grade 9: Project Adventure/Personal Fitness
Grade 10: Sports Education
Grade 11/12: Team & Individual Sports
Project Adventure II & III

SCIENCE

Earth Science – Regents
Living Environment – Regents, Honors,
Bilingual, ESL
Advanced Placement Biology
Chemistry – Regents, Honors
Advanced Placement Chemistry
Physics – Regents, Honors
Advanced Placement Physics B
Environmental Chemistry
Environmental Science
Advanced Placement Environmental Science
Animal Behavior
Astronomy
Marine Ecology
Forensics
Science Research

SOCIAL STUDIES

Global History and Geography 9 –
Regents, Honors, ESL
Global History and Geography 10 –
Regents, Honors, ESL
Advanced Placement World History
American History and Government –
Regents
Advanced Placement United States
History
Economics
Advanced Placement Microeconomics
Participation in Government
Advanced Placement Government &
Politics: United States
African American Political Experience
Criminal Justice
Holocaust & Historical Genocide
Long Island History
Philosophy
Psychology
Urban Studies
Women Studies
Research & Writing

TECHNOLOGY

Basic Wood Workshop
Intermediate Wood Workshop
Advanced Wood Shop

WORLD LANGUAGE

French I, II, III, IV, Regents
French III, IV, V, Honors
Italian I, II, III, IV, V, Regents
Italian III, IV, V, Honors
College Italian
Advanced Placement Italian
Latin I, II, III, Regents
Latin III Honors
Intro to Spanish
Spanish Concepts
Spanish I, II, III, IV, V, Regents
Spanish III, IV, V, Honors
Advanced Placement Spanish
Spanish for Native Speakers, I, II, III
Spanish for Native Speakers III Honors

COLLEGE/UNIVERSITY ACCEPTANCES

The following is a sampling of colleges that have offered admission to Huntington High School students over the past three years

Adelphi University	Gettysburg College
American University	Goucher College
Arizona State University	Hampshire College
Art Institute of Boston at Lesley University	Hartwick College
Bard College	Harvard University
Barnard College	Haverford College
Bates College	Hobart & William Smith Colleges
Bennington College	Hofstra University
Boston University	Indiana University
Bowling Green State University	Iona College
Brandeis University	Ithaca College
Briarcliffe College	Jacksonville University
Bucknell University	James Madison University
Butler University	Johns Hopkins University
Cabrini College	Johnson & Wales University
Carnegie Mellon University	Kent State University
Catholic University of America	Kutztown University
Case Western Reserve University	Laboratory Institute of Merchandising
Christopher Newport University	Lafayette College
Clark University	LaSalle University
Clemson University	Lehigh University
Coastal Carolina University	LeMoyn College
College Mount Saint Vincent	Lesley University
College of New Jersey	Limestone College
College of Saint Rose	Long Island University: Brooklyn Campus
College of William & Mary	Long Island University: CW Post
Columbia University	Loyola University Maryland
Connecticut College	Loyola University New Orleans
Cooper Union	Lynchburg College
Cornell University	Manhattan College
CUNY - All Campuses	Manhattanville College
Dartmouth College	Marist College
Delaware Valley College	Marlboro College
Dickinson College	Maryland Institute College of Art
Dowling College	Marymount Manhattan College
Drew University	Massachusetts Institute of Technology
Drexel University	Miami University of Ohio
Duke University	Middlebury College
Eastern Connecticut State University	Misericordia University
Eckerd College	Mitchell College
Emerson College	Molloy College
Emory University	Monmouth University
Eugene Lang College	Montana State University
Fairfield University	Mount Saint Mary's University
Five Towns College	Muhlenberg College
Fordham University	Nassau Community College
Franklin Pierce College	New Jersey Institute of Technology
Frostburg State University	New York City College of Technology
George Mason University	New York Institute of Technology
Georgetown University	Nichols College
George Washington University	North Carolina State University

Northeastern University	University of Colorado
Ohio State University	University of Connecticut
Ohio University	University of Dayton
Ohio Wesleyan University	University of Delaware
Old Dominion University	University of Edinburgh
Pace University	University of Georgia
Parsons School of Design	University of Hartford
Paul Smith's College	University of Kansas
Pennsylvania State University	University of Limerick
Philadelphia University	University of Mary Washington
Pittsburg State University	University of Maryland
Pratt Institute	University of Massachusetts-Amherst
Providence College	University of Michigan
Purdue University	University of New England
Quinnipiac University	University of New Hampshire
Radford University	University of New Haven
Rensselaer Polytechnic Institute	University of North Carolina-Chapel Hill
Rhode Island School of Design	University of Notre Dame
Rochester Institute of Technology	University of Pennsylvania
Roger Williams University	University of Pittsburgh
Rutgers University	University of Rhode Island
Sacred Heart University	University of Richmond
Salisbury University	University of Rochester
Sarah Lawrence College	University of Scranton
Savannah College of Art & Design	University of South Carolina
School of Visual Arts	University of South Florida
Seton Hall University	University of Tampa
Shippensburg University	University of Texas at Austin, Dallas
Siena College	University of Vermont
Sorbonne University-Paris	University of Virginia
Southern Connecticut State University	University of Wisconsin
Springfield College	Ursinus College
St. John Fisher College	Vanderbilt University
St. John's University	Vassar College
St. Joseph's College	Villanova University
St. Joseph's University	Virginia Commonwealth University
St. Leo University	Virginia Polytechnic Institute & State University
Stonehill College	Virginia State University
Suffolk Community College	Wagner College
SUNY – All Campuses	Wake Forest University
Syracuse University	Washington College
Temple University	Wellesley College
Towson University	Wells College
Trinity College	Wesleyan University
Tufts University	West Virginia University
Tulane University	Westminster College
Union College	Wheaton College
University of Alabama	William Patterson University
University of Arizona	Worcester Polytechnic Institute
University of the Arts: London	Yale University
University of Bristol	York College of Pennsylvania
University of California	
- Berkeley	
- Davis	
- Los Angeles	

VISITS BY COLLEGE REPRESENTATIVES

College Representatives are always welcomed in our school to meet with counselors and interested students. “Mini college Fairs are held regularly throughout the year. Schedules for these events are available by contacting the College Office at (631) 673-2131.