

Cherry Hill High School East

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High School East

***National School of Character,
2021-2025***

***NJ Department of Education
Reward School, 2012***

***US Department of Education
Blue Ribbon School, 2001-2002***

NJ DOE Star School, 1999-2000

- Serves more than 2,100 students of wide-ranging cultural heritage and experience, 16% of whom speak English as a second language
- Reflects community's values and aspirations, preparing students to be effective leaders in our world
- Offers in excess of 190 honors, accelerated, and standard courses, spanning a broad spectrum of academic, aesthetic, and elective disciplines

Innovative Programs

- Research in Science is an independent science course which prepares students for developing and preparing scientific experiments. The students' goal is to present their projects at local, regional, national, and international science fairs.
- An expansive theater program offers students many opportunities to perform throughout the year. This program taps into the talents of younger students throughout the district, involving them in selected performances with East students.

Continuing Education

90% of graduating seniors continue their education:

- 78% to 4-year Colleges or Universities
- 12% to 2-year Colleges or Career Colleges

Student Involvement

ATHLETICS—More than 1,100 male and female students participate on 28 varsity teams.

EXTRACURRICULAR PROGRAMS—More than 1,500 students participate in 69 programs focused on drama, student government, publications, vocal and instrumental music, and academic, business, community service, and cultural clubs.

Student Awards

- **ENGLISH**—The school newspaper, *Eastside*, is consistently recognized as a top newspaper in the country by the American Scholastic Press Association.
- **SCIENCE AND MATHEMATICS**—Recognition and awards in international, national, state, and regional competitions in mathematics, biology, physics, and chemistry.
- **ROBOTICS**—Our world-class robotics club has qualified and competed at the Vex World Championship for 13 straight years, including winning the Virtual World Championship in 2020. The club has won the NJ Vex State Championship 8 of the last 13 years.
- **BUSINESS**—Close to 300 members make DECA the largest club in the school, and largest chapter in NJ. Multiple finalists at the International DECA Conference (ICDC): 2022 - 1st-place winner, 2021 - 3rd-place winner. Average of 150 students qualify for the State Competition. Average of 35 students qualify for ICDC, one of the highest averages in NJ.
- **ATHLETICS**—Multiple State & Conference Championships won by Baseball, Swimming, Tennis, Volleyball, Soccer, Bowling, Track, Cross Country, Lacrosse, and Golf. East competes in the Olympic Conference, recognized across NJ as one of the most competitive conferences in the NJSIAA.
- **MUSIC AND DRAMA**—National and state awards in vocal music, jazz band, marching band, wind ensemble, acting, and theatrical productions.
- **WORLD LANGUAGES**—Many students honored annually for achievement on the National Latin Exam, National German Exam, and National French Contest. World Language department offers a flourishing Chinese program.

Class of 2023 Recognition

College Matriculation—Top 15%

(Listed alphabetically, not by student rank)

Barnard College	New York University	University of Florida
Berklee College of Music	North Carolina State University at Raleigh	University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign
Binghamton University	Northeastern University	University of Maryland-College Park
Brandeis University	The Ohio State University	University of Massachusetts-Amherst
Carnegie Mellon University	Princeton University	University of Michigan-Ann Arbor
Columbia University	Rowan University	University of Pennsylvania
Drexel University	Rutgers University-New Brunswick	University of Pittsburgh
Elon University	Saint Joseph's University	University of Richmond
Emory University	San Diego State University	University of South Carolina-Columbia
Franklin and Marshall College	Stevens Institute of Technology	University of Wisconsin-Madison
Georgia Institute of Technology	The College of New Jersey	Vanderbilt University
Harvard University	Tulane University of Louisiana	Virginia Tech
Johns Hopkins University	University of California-Berkeley	Wake Forest University
Mount Holyoke College		William & Mary

Advanced Placement Testing

754 East students took 1,497 AP exams

SAT Mean Scores

Reading 615 Math 604

National Merit

National Merit Scholarship: Finalists	4
National Merit Scholarship: Letters of Commendation	37
National African American Recognition Program Finalists	1

COURSE LIST 2023/2024

Advanced Placement (AP)		Honors (H)	Accelerated (A)	
African American Studies	Latin	African American Studies	Advanced Composition	Geometry
Art History	Literature & Composition	Anatomy/Physiology	African American Studies	German 1, 2, 3, 4
Biology	Music Theory	Biology 1	Algebra 1, 2	Great Books
Calculus BC	Physics	Chemistry 1	American Law	Holocaust & Genocide
Chemistry	Physics C	Chinese 1, 2, 3, 4	Anatomy/Physiology	Journalism 1, 2
Chinese Lang. & Culture	Psychology	English 1, 2	Biology 1, 2	Latin 1, 2, 3, 4
Computer Science A	Research	Forensic Science	Calculus	Marketing Management 1, 2
Computer Science Principles	Seminar	French 1, 2, 3, 4	Chemistry	Pre-Calculus
Economics	Spanish Language	Functions	Chinese 1, 2, 3, 4	Research in Science
English Lang. & Composition	Statistics	Geometry	Creative Writing	Spanish 1, 2, 3, 4, 5
Environmental Science	Studio Art	German 1, 2, 3	Discrete Math	U.S. History 1, 2
European History	U.S. History 1, 2	Holocaust & Genocide	Environmental Studies	World Civilizations
French Lang. & Culture	World History	Journalism 1, 2	English 1, 2, 3, 4	Writing Workshop
German Lang. & Culture		Latin 1, 2, 3	Forensic Science	
Government & Politics		Marketing Management 1, 2	French 1, 2, 3, 4, 5	
		Multi-Variable Calculus		
		Pre-Calculus		
		Research in Science		
		Spanish 1, 2, 3, 4		
		World Civilizations		
		Writing Workshop		

Letter Grades: A = 90-100, B = 80-89, C = 70-79, D = 60-69, F = Below 60

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Courses and Credits by Department

2023-2024

ART

AP Studio Art (5)
 Commercial Art 1, 2 (2.5 or 5)
 Fine Art 1, 2, 3 (2.5 or 5)
 AP Art History (5)
 Introductory Photography (2.5)
 Intermediate Photography (2.5)
 Advanced Photography (5)
 Three-Dimensional Art (2.5 or 5)
 Intermediate Three-Dimensional Art (2.5 or 5)
 Advanced Three-Dimensional Art (5)
 Art Workshop (2.5 or 5)
 Graphic Design (2.5)

BUSINESS

Advanced Marketing (5)
 Business Law (2.5)
 Business Management (2.5)
 Entrepreneurship (2.5)
 Financial Literacy (2.5)
 International Business (2.5)
 Introduction to Business (2.5)
 Marketing Education (5)
 Marketing Management 1H, 1A (5)
 Marketing Management 2H, 2A (5)
 Sports and Entertainment Marketing (2.5)

DRAMA

Actors Studio 1, 2 (2.5)
 Living Theater (5)
 Play Directing (2.5)
 Play Production (2.5)
 Introduction to Public Speaking (2.5)
 Public Speaking (2.5)

ENGLISH

Advanced Composition A (2.5)
 Broadcasting 1, 2 (2.5)
 Contemporary Issues in Literature (2.5)
 Creative Writing A (2.5)
 English 1H, 1A, 1R (5)
 English 2H, 2A, 2R (5)
 English 3A, 3R (5)
 AP English/Lang. Comp. (5)
 English 4A, 4R (5)
 AP Lit. & Comp. (5)
 English Second Language (5 or 10)
 Film Appreciation (2.5)
 Filmmaking (5)
 Great Books A (2.5)
 Holocaust & Genocide:
 A Search for Conscience H, A (2.5)
 Journalism 1H, 1A (5)
 Journalism 2H, 2A (5)
 Writing Workshop H, A (2.5)

FAMILY & CONSUMER SCIENCE

Culinary Arts 1, 2 (2.5)

HEALTH & PHYSICAL EDUCATION

Mind Body Connections 1, 2 (5)
 Health 9, 10, 11, 12 (2.5)
 Physical Ed. 9, 10, 11, 12 (2.5)

INTERDISCIPLINARY STUDIES

AP Research (5)
 AP Seminar (5)
 SAT Review (2.5)
 Student Leadership 1, 2 (2.5)
 Tomorrow's Teachers (5)
 Social Justice (2.5)
 Asian American/Pacific Islander Studies (2.5)

MATHEMATICS

Algebra 1R (5)
 Enriched Algebra 1A (5)
 Algebra 2A, 2R (5)
 Calculus A (5)
 AP Calculus BC (5)
 Intro to Computer Programming (5)
 AP Computer Science (5)
 AP Computer Science Principles (5)
 Advanced Topics in Computer Science (5)
 Discrete Math A (5)
 Functions H (5)
 Geometry H, A, R (5)
 Introduction to College Math R (5)
 Multi-Variable Calculus H (5)
 Pre-Calculus H, A (5)
 AP Statistics (5)
 Trigonometry R (5)

MUSIC

Chansons (5)
 Concert Choir (5)
 East Singers (5)
 Freshman Wind Ensemble (5)
 Music Theory (5)
 AP Music Theory (5)
 Orchestra (5)
 Symphonic Band (5)
 Vocal Workshop (5)
 Wind Ensemble (5)

SCIENCE

AP Biology (5)
 AP Chemistry (5)
 AP Environmental Science (5)
 AP Physics (5)
 AP Physics C (5)
 Biology 1H, 1A (5)
 Biology 2A (5)
 Chemistry 1H, 1A (5)
 Dynamics of Health Care (5)
 Environmental Studies A (5)
 Forensic Science H, A (5)
 Human Anatomy H, A (5)
 Physics 1A (5)
 Planetary Exploration A (5)
 Research in Science H, A (5)
 Scientific Principles of Nutrition (5)
 Sports Medicine (5)
 Vertebrate Anatomy/Physiology H, A (5)
 Animal Behavior (2.5)
 From Climate Science to Action (2.5)
 Infectious Disease (2.5)
 Intro to Engineering (2.5)
 Marine Biology (2.5)
 Neuroscience in Society (2.5)
 Science of Cooking (2.5)
 Sports Medicine (2.5)
 Toxicology (2.5)

SOCIAL STUDIES

AP African American Studies (5)
 African Am. Studies Origins-1865 H, A (2.5)
 African Am. Studies 1865-Present H, A (2.5)
 African Am. Studies (required) (2.5)
 American Law A (2.5)
 AP Economics Macro (2.5)
 AP Economics Micro (2.5)
 AP European History (5)
 AP Psychology (5)
 Psychology A (5)
 AP U.S. Government & Politics (5)
 United States History 1A (5)
 AP United States History 1 (5)
 United States History 2A (5)
 AP United States History 2 (5)
 United States History 1945-Present (2.5)
 World Civilizations H, A (5)
 AP World History: Modern (5)
 Philosophy (2.5)
 Women's History (2.5)

TECHNOLOGY EDUCATION

Design and Build 1, 2 (5)
 Robotics (2.5)

WORLD LANGUAGE

Chinese 1H, 1A (5)
 Chinese 2H, 2A (5)
 Chinese 3H, 3A (5)
 Chinese 4H, 4A (5)
 AP Chinese Lang. & Culture (5)
 French 1H, 1A (5)
 French 2H, 2A (5)
 French 3H, 3A (5)
 French 4H, 4A (5)
 French 5A (5)
 AP French Lang. & Culture (5)
 German 1H, 1A (5)
 German 2H, 2A (5)
 German 3H, 3A (5)
 German 4A (5)
 AP German Language & Culture (5)
 Latin 1H, 1A (5)
 Latin 2H, 2A (5)
 Latin 3H, 3A (5)
 Latin 4A (5)
 AP Latin (5)
 Spanish 1H, 1A (5)
 Spanish 2H, 2A (5)
 Spanish 3H, 3A (5)
 Spanish 4H, 4A (5)
 Spanish 5A (5)
 AP Spanish Language (5)

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Weighted GPA Values

2023/2024

LETTER GRADE	AP/ HONORS	ACCELERATED	REGULAR
GRADE A (90-100)	7	6	5
GRADE B (80-89)	6	5	4
GRADE C (70-79)	5	4	3
GRADE D (60-69)	4	3	2

SECONDARY SCHOOL RECORD – TRANSCRIPT

In evaluating this transcript, please consider the following:

1. Cherry Hill High School East uses a "tracking" system which permits students to take all academic courses on four levels. These are designated as Advanced Placement (AP), Honors (H), Accelerated (A), and Regular College Prep (R).
2. A weighted system of determining a student's grade point average is used (see above).
3. In July 2009, the Cherry Hill Board of Education adopted a new procedure regarding the reporting of class rank on senior transcripts. Seniors now have the option to either report or not report their class rank to colleges and universities.
4. Because of the weighted system, any students who take the majority of their courses at the R level will show a class rank in the middle three quintiles of the class.
5. The top two quintiles will primarily include those students who take their courses on the AP/Honors and/or Accelerated levels.
6. Since approximately 90% of the graduating class will continue their education after graduation, it is accurate to say that most of the students enrolled in Regular College Prep level courses will enter college.