



LEMONT HIGH SCHOOL DISTRICT 210

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2013-14 SCHOOL PROFILE

CEEB/ACT CODE: 142 590

SCHOOL DISTRICT AND COMMUNITY

Lemont High School District 210 is a one-school, high school district serving an area of more than 31 square miles in the southwest suburban Chicagoland area. The district's boundaries cover Lemont Township (Cook County) and the south portion of Downers Grove Township (DuPage County). The Village of Lemont is the single municipality contained within the district's boundaries, which also include Argonne National Laboratory. In addition to Lemont, the district also serves portions of Darien, Downers Grove and Woodridge.

LEMONT HIGH SCHOOL

Lemont High School, which graduated its first students in 1891, is a comprehensive public high school serving students from grades 9-12. Accredited by the Illinois State Board of Education and the North Central Association of Colleges and Schools, Lemont High School is also a member of the College Board. Enrollment during the 2012-13 school year was 1,473 students, and according to the school's 2012 Illinois State Report Card, its average per pupil expenditure was \$15,917.

FACULTY

During the 2012-13 school year, Lemont High School employed 95 faculty members to provide instructional services. Of those, 91 percent have earned a masters degree or better.

SPECIAL EDUCATION

Ten teachers, 11 paraeducators, two social workers, one psychologist and one speech-language pathologist provide services to students eligible for special education. Lemont High School also is a member of a regional cooperative that provides programming and related services to students with low-incidence disabilities. The school currently houses the Deaf & Hard of Hearing Program for the Southwest Cook County Cooperative Association for Special Education.

CLASS OF 2013

Total School Enrollment: 1,473

2013 Graduates: 370

Post High School Plans:

Post High School Education 91.9%

Other Schools 0.5%

Total Continuing Education 92.4%

Military 1.0%

TESTING PROFILES

ACT COMPOSITE SCORES – CLASS OF 2013

College Preparatory

Lemont High School Norm*

English 21.9

Math 22.3

Reading 22.1

Science 22.0

Composite 22.2

* - Includes both standard and extended-time tests

CURRICULUM

Lemont High School utilizes the Block 8 system, where students take eight courses that meet every other day. The school day is composed of four 87-minute periods, with a "zero hour" available for students to take extra courses before school. Approximately 180 courses are available for students on campus, but they also have access to curricular options at the Wilco Area Career Center, a regional vocational center of which Lemont High School is a member.

ABILITY LEVELS

Students are assigned to course levels on the basis of test scores, achievement and teacher recommendations. Depending on the grade level, Honors and/or Advanced Placement courses are available in most curricular areas.

MARKING SYSTEM

- A Outstanding academic achievement
- B Above-average academic achievement
- C Average academic achievement
- D Below-average academic achievement (minimum passing grade for credit)
- F Unsatisfactory academic achievement (no credit)
- INC Incomplete semester grade
- WP Withdrawal Passing (withdrawal without a grade penalty)
- WF Withdrawal Failing (withdrawal with a grade penalty, considered an F)
- AU Audit (not for credit class)
- P Pass (for Pass/Fail Courses)
- EX Administrative Exemption
- TR Credit transferred from another school
- XC Conditional (dependent upon performance next grading period)

GRADE POINT SYSTEM

A student's grade point average is computed on a 4-point scale for all in-school purposes. The school maintains both weighted and non-weighted GPAs, but the weighted GPA is used only for college reporting.

REGULAR COURSES

A - 4 B - 3 C - 2 D - 1 F - 0

HONORS AND ADVANCED PLACEMENT COURSES

A - 5 B - 4 C - 3 D - 2 F - 0

WEIGHTED HONORS COURSES

- Accelerated Algebra II Honors
- Accelerated Geometry Honors
- Accelerated Pre-Calculus Honors
- Accelerated Trigonometry Honors
- Advanced CAD II
- Advanced CAD III
- Advanced Calculus
- Anatomy & Physiology Honors
- Biology Honors
- Calculus
- Chemistry Honors
- English I Honors
- English II Honors
- French III Honors
- French IV Honors
- German III Honors
- German IV Honors
- Jazz Band Honors
- Junior Honors Physical Education Leadership
- Physics Honors
- Production Honors
- Senior Honors Physical Education Leadership
- Spanish III Honors
- Spanish III Honors Accelerated
- Spanish IV Honors
- Spanish IV Honors Accelerated
- Symphonic Band Honors
- *Web Design & Development II
- * Course has Honors option

WEIGHTED ADVANCED PLACEMENT COURSES

- AP American Government
- AP Biology
- AP Calculus BC
- AP Chemistry
- English III: AP Language & Composition
- English IV: AP Literature & Composition
- AP Environmental Science
- AP Physics B
- AP Psychology
- AP Statistics
- AP U.S. History

GRADUATION REQUIREMENTS

COMMUNICATIONS - 6.0 credits – Required: English I (1.0), English II (1.0), English III (1.0), English IV (1.0), Communications (0.5) and 1.5 credits of electives

SOCIAL/CULTURAL - 4.5 credits – Required: Cultural Geography (1.0), U.S. History (1.0), American Government (0.5), American Problems (0.5), Consumer Education or equivalent (0.5) and 1.0 credits of electives

SCIENTIFIC/QUANTITATIVE/TECHNOLOGICAL - 8.0 credits – Required: Mathematics* (3.0), Science (2.0), Business & Technology Concepts (0.5) and 2.5 credits of electives (* Including one course with Geometry content and one with Algebra I content)

CREATIVE - 2.0 credits – Required: 2.0 credits of electives

HEALTH AND LEISURE - 4.5 credits – Required: Physical Education (3.5 credits; 3.0 for early graduates), Health Education (0.5) and Driver Education (0.5)

PERSONAL CREDIT - 0.5 credits – Required: Service project, apprenticeship or independent study (0.5)

OTHER ELECTIVES - 0.5 credits

PROGRAM OF STUDIES

(courses listed alphabetically)

BUSINESS EDUCATION

Accounting I
Accounting II
Accounting III
Business & Technology Concepts
Business Economics
Business Law
Business Leadership
Computer Applications
Desktop Publishing
Interrelated Occupations/CVE Program
Introduction to Business
Personal Finance
Professional Internship Program
Web Design & Development I
Web Design & Development II

ENGLISH

Advanced Speech Communication
Cinema Studies I
Cinema Studies II
Communications
Creative Writing I
Creative Writing II
Critical Reading
Elements of Reading
English I Preparatory
English I Academic
English I Honors
English II Academic
English II Honors
English II Preparatory
English III Academic
English III: AP Language & Composition
English III Preparatory
English IV Academic
English IV: AP Literature & Composition
English IV Preparatory
English Language Learners – Beginning
English Language Learners – Advanced
Humanities I
Humanities II
Journalism
Literature of the Supernatural
Modern Fiction
Reading for English Language Learners
Science Fiction I
Science Fiction II

FAMILY AND CONSUMER SCIENCES

Advanced Baking
Child Development
Culinary Arts
Family and Consumer Sciences Survey
Food Preparation
Interior Design I
Interior Design II
International Cooking
Introduction to Teaching
Nutrition
Parenting

FINE ARTS ART

Ceramics & 3D Media
Digital Photography
Drawing & Painting II
Drawing & Painting III
Drawing & Painting IV
Graphic Design
Introduction to Digital Art
Introduction to Drawing & Painting
Introduction to Studio Art
Studio Art II
Studio Art III
Studio Art IV

FINE ARTS

MUSIC

Beginning Band
Concert Band
Freshman/Sophomore Choir
Jazz Band
Jazz Band Honors
Junior/Senior Choir
Lab Jazz Band
Marching Band
Music Theory
Music Unlimited I
Music Unlimited II
Percussion Ensemble
Rock n' Roll Methods
Symphonic Band Honors
Theatre Technology I
Theatre Technology II
Theatre Technology III - Theatre Management
Theatre Technology IV - Theatre Design

INDUSTRIAL TECHNOLOGY

3D Design and Animation
Advanced 3D Design and Animation
Advanced CAD II
Advanced CAD III
Drafting/CAD I
Orientation to Industrial Technology
Production Honors
Woods Technology I
Woods Technology II

MATHEMATICS

Accelerated Algebra II Honors
Accelerated Geometry Honors
Accelerated Pre-Calculus Honors
Accelerated Trigonometry Honors
Advanced Calculus
Algebra I Applications
Algebra I
Algebra I AB
Algebra II
Algebra II AB
AP Calculus BC
AP Statistics
Calculus
Discrete Mathematics
Geometry
Geometry Applications
Pre-Algebra
Pre-Calculus
Statistics
Trigonometry

PHYSICAL EDUCATION/HEALTH/ DRIVER EDUCATION

Adaptive Physical Education
Competition Physical Education
Driver Education
Health Education
Junior Honors Physical Education Leadership
Outdoor Education
Physical Education I
Physical Education II, III & IV
Physical Education Athletics
Physical Education Sports
Senior Honors Physical Education Leadership

SCIENCE

Anatomy and Physiology Honors
AP Biology
AP Chemistry
AP Environmental Science
AP Physics B
Astronomy
Biology: Big History
Biology Honors
Biotechnology
Chemistry
Chemistry Foundations
Chemistry Honors
Field Botany
Field Ecology
Forensic Science
Geology
Integrated Science
Invertebrate Zoology
Meteorology
Physics
Physics Foundations
Physics Honors
Science Competitions
Zoology

SOCIAL STUDIES

American Government
American Problems
AP American Government
AP Psychology
AP U.S. History
Consumer Education
Cultural Diversity
Cultural Geography
Human Rights & World Affairs
Psychology
Sociology
U.S. History
World History

WORLD LANGUAGES

French I
French II
French III Honors
French IV Honors
German I
German II
German III Honors
German IV Honors
Spanish I
Spanish II
Spanish III Honors
Spanish III Honors Accelerated
Spanish IV Honors
Spanish IV Honors Accelerated
Spanish for Native Speakers

WILCO

Wilco - Auto Body
Wilco - Auto Services (Mechanics)
Wilco - Aviation
Wilco - Building Trades
Wilco - Certified Nursing Assistant
Wilco - Computer Technology
Wilco - Cosmetology
Wilco - Criminal Justice/Law Enforcement
Wilco - Culinary Arts
Wilco - Early Childhood Education
Wilco - Emergency Medical Services
Wilco - Fire Science
Wilco - Introduction to Health Professions
Wilco - Medical Office
Wilco - Nail Technology
Wilco - Welding and Fabrication

PUPIL PERSONNEL SERVICES

The Assistant Principal for Staff & Student Services oversees the Pupil Personnel Services (PPS) Office, which includes five guidance counselors, two psychologists, two social workers, two deans, a school nurse, a speech-language pathologist, a vision itinerant and a Police Liaison Officer.

WILCO AREA CAREER CENTER

Juniors and seniors wishing to complete upper-level training in vocational or technical areas may enroll in programs at the Wilco Area Career Center, whose programs are designed to offer students career-based courses that provide skills required for employment upon completion. Wilco's participating high schools offer students a variety of quality vocational and technical education programs in a centralized facility. Some Wilco courses give students the opportunity to earn either articulated or dual credit at several area colleges and universities.

DUAL CREDIT

Students may earn high school and college credit simultaneously in the following courses thanks to dual credit agreements.

- Advanced CAD III
- AP Calculus BC
- Calculus
- Personal Finance
- Web Design & Development II
- Advanced Calculus
- Business Leadership
- Computer Applications
- Web Design & Development I

Some Wilco courses also afford students the opportunity to earn dual credit through Joliet Junior College.

CLASS RANK

Beginning with the Class of 2014, Lemont High School will not report class rank on student transcripts. Colleges, universities and scholarship organizations may request this information from Lemont High School if they require that information as a condition of admission or an award.