

North Arlington High School

CLASS OF 2020 PROFILE



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Co-Curricular Activities

Co-Curricular Activities include but are not limited to:

- Astronomy Club
- Athletic Council
- Book Club
- Chess Club
- Chorus
- Drama Club
- Freshman Mentor Program
- Interact Club
- Marching Band
- Math Club
- Multicultural Advocacy Club
- National Honor Society
- Peer Mediation
- Robotics Club
- School Newspaper, *The Viking Saga*
- Spanish Honor Society
- Student Council
- Students Against Destructive Decisions
- Tri-M Music Honor Society
- Yearbook
- Extensive Athletic Program
 - 17 varsity sports

Community

North Arlington, located in southern Bergen County, is a diverse but close knit suburban residential community nestled on the borders of Hudson and Essex County. More than 15,000 people of varied socioeconomic statuses populate the one square mile borough. The many different ethnic and religious backgrounds enrich the community's four K-5 elementary schools, one 6-8 middle school, and one 9-12 high school totaling approximately 1,900 students.

The High School

North Arlington High School, home of the *Vikings*, is a comprehensive public high school serving approximately 500 students in grades 9 through 12 with 114 graduates in 2020. The program of studies features a range of academic courses targeted to meet each student's individual needs and goals. The school offers *College Prep*, *Honors*, and *Advanced Placement* courses with an average class size of 25. Honors level courses and electives are available in a myriad of academic areas. Students may earn college credit through the Early College Program and its components. Students with vocational interests are offered career training through the Early Career Program partnership with Bergen Community College. Students can explore career interests during their senior year through the Structured Learning Experience; where they can gain career experience at a paid/unpaid senior internship as part of their school day. Approximately 23% of students qualify for free or reduced lunch.

The Faculty

There are 52 full-time professional educators at North Arlington High School, of which, 26 have earned master's degrees and two have earned doctorates. A Principal, an Assistant Principal, and an Athletic Director, in addition to several district level administrators serve as administrators at the school. The services of two full-time school counselors, a child study team, speech therapist, part-time SAC, and an ESL educator are also provided. Students with special needs may be supported in general education by an inclusion teacher or may be instructed in a small group resource setting. Tutoring is offered for all students by both their teachers and their peers.

Grading System

Official grade point averages are computed at the conclusion of junior year, again at the conclusion of the seventh semester, and finally, at the conclusion of senior year. All subjects are included in the calculation of grade point average, with extra weight being awarded to Honors, Advanced Placement, and Upper-Level courses. Courses are weighted as followed, Level One courses at 1.00, Level Two courses at 1.125, and Level Three courses at 1.250. Grades are recorded in numeric form and the weighting system is based on a scale of 100. We do not report rank.

Class of 2020 College Matriculation

- Bergen Community College
- Bethany College
- Caldwell University
- Drexel University
- East Stroudsburg University
- Eastwick College
- Fairleigh Dickinson University
- Felician University
- Full Sail University
- Kean University
- Mannes School of Music at The New School
- Marist College
- Michigan State University
- Monmouth University
- Montclair State University
- New Jersey City University
- New Jersey Institute of Technology
- Pace University
- Ramapo College of New Jersey
- Rutgers University Newark
- Rutgers New Brunswick
- Seton Hall University
- Stevens Institute of Technology
- Syracuse University
- Texas A&M University
- University of Arizona
- William Paterson University

Class of 2020 Graduates

114 Graduates

4-year college	61%
2-year college	22%
Employment	8%
Technical/Trade School	5%
Military	4%

Class of 2020 SAT Score Summary Report*

Test	State	Nation	NAHS
SAT	1081	1051	1006
EBRW	541	528	509
M	540	523	498

*estimate based on concordance tables

The Curriculum

The curriculum at North Arlington High School enables a student to follow a program of studies best suited to meet his or her individual needs, interest, and abilities. Students must demonstrate proficiency on any of the approved New Jersey State Assessments in English Language Arts and Mathematics as well as successful completion of the courses listed below which exceed the state requirement.

- Four (4) years of English
- Four (4) years of Physical Education and Health
- Three (3) years of Mathematics, including Algebra I
- Three (3) years of Science, including Biology and Chemistry
- Two (2) years of United States History
- One (1) year of World Language
- One (1) year of World History
- One (1) year of Career & College Computer Applications
- One (1) year of Fine or Performing Arts
- Half year (0.5) of Financial Literacy
- Ten (10) hours yearly of Service Learning

Advanced Placement Courses Offered

AP 2-D Art & Design/AP Drawing	AP English Literature & Composition
AP Biology	AP Environmental Science
AP Calculus AB	AP Spanish Language & Culture
AP Chemistry	AP Statistics
AP Computer Science Principles	AP US Government & Politics
AP English Language & Composition	AP United States History

The Early College Program

North Arlington High School, in coordination with Bergen Community College, offers juniors and seniors the opportunity to jumpstart their college experience through two unique programs. Ambitious students who meet the criteria will experience the rigors of college courses and engage in collegiate discourse alongside traditional college students. Both innovative programs strive to increase post-secondary opportunities and challenge our most dedicated pupils.

Early College Academy

Beginning in their junior year, students enrolled in the Academy Program will concurrently earn a Bergen Community College Associate Degree in Liberal Arts or Business Administration, while also meeting the requirements to obtain a New Jersey high school diploma.

Early Credit Advantage

Seniors who have met the enrollment criteria have the opportunity to earn between six and twelve highly transferable college credits at Bergen Community College.

The Early Career Program

Advanced Manufacturing

Beginning in their senior year, students enrolled in the Early Career Program will concurrently earn certificates in *Advanced Manufacturing*, while also meeting the requirements to obtain a New Jersey high school diploma. Students who complete the Early Career Program will earn credentials such as Certified Logistics Associate (CLA), and Certified Logistics Technician (CLT), which have been accredited by the Manufacturing Skill Standards Council (MSSC).