



City Honors School

AT FOSDICK-MASTEN PARK

PROFILE INFORMATION 2019 – 2020

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SCHOOL COUNSELORS

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LOCATION

City Honors is a Magnet School located in Buffalo, NY whose students are admitted by competitive assessment. The city's population is approximately 260,000 and Metro Buffalo is 1,134,210. The Buffalo Public School system currently enrolls approximately 31,000 students.

DESTINATIONS OF THE CLASS OF 2019

Alfred University
Alfred University Honors
Brown University
Canisius College (5)
Columbia University (2)
The Cooper Union
Daemen College
Dartmouth College
Drexel University
Duquesne University
D'Youville College (2)
D'Youville College Honors
Erie Community College (3)
Fordham University
George Mason University Honors
Georgetown University
Hobart and William Smith Colleges (2)
Houghton College
The International Culinary Center
Ithaca College (5)
Loyola University Chicago Honors
Miami University of Ohio
Morgan State University Honors
New York University
Niagara University
Northeastern University Honors
The Ohio State University
Princeton University
Rice University
Rochester Institute of Technology (4)
Saint Joseph's University
St. Bonaventure University
St. Bonaventure University Honors
St. Lawrence University
SUNY at Albany (3)
SUNY at Binghamton (9)
SUNY at Buffalo (22)
SUNY at Buffalo Honors (6)
SUNY at Stony Brook (2)
SUNY College at Brockport Honors
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SUNY College at Cortland
SUNY College at Fredonia
SUNY College at Geneseo (4)
SUNY College at Oswego (2)
SUNY College at Plattsburgh
SUNY College at Purchase
SUNY Fashion Institute of Technology
Syracuse University (2)
Syracuse University Honors (2)
U.S. Air Force
U.S. Army
University of Cincinnati Honors
University of Colorado Boulder Honors
University of Mount Union
University of Pittsburgh
University of Pittsburgh Honors
University of Rochester (2)
University of Virginia
Villa Maria College (2)
West Virginia University Honors

CLASS OF 2019 MERIT SCHOLARSHIP AVERAGE

\$78,512.38 per graduate
(does not include need-based aid or Say Yes)



SAY YES BUFFALO

Since 2013, CHS graduates have received an estimated \$9.25 million in scholarships and grants from SayYes Buffalo and Say Yes to Education's Higher Education Partners.

ENROLLMENT 2019 - 2020 TOTAL: 1,083

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| Grade 5 | 95 | Grade 9 | 153 |
| Grade 6 | 98 | Grade 10 | 158 |
| Grade 7 | 129 | Grade 11 | 146 |
| Grade 8 | 143 | Grade 12 | 161 |

PATTERN OF THE SCHOOL YEAR

Two semesters, four quarters

CLASS RANK / ACADEMIC HONORS

- Class Rank is not computed by City Honors School, nor do we designate Honor or Merit Roll Students.
- There is no National Honor Society at City Honors School. Academic awards are presented at our Annual Senior Dinner.

DISTINCTIONS

- Ranked #1 school in the Northeast by *The Washington Post*
- Ranked #1 school in WNY by *Business First*
- US News and World Report Gold Medal School*

SPECIAL SCHOOL PROGRAMS

International Baccalaureate Diploma Program
International Baccalaureate Middle Years Program
City Honors Science Research Program at Buffalo-Niagara Medical Campus

STARS - Autistic Education Program
Confucius Classroom School (Hanban Grant)
Bloomberg Global Scholars Program

COMPUTING GPA

City Honors uses a weighted system including all credit bearing courses taken in grades 9, 10, and 11. Physical education is not weighted for the classes of 2020 and 2021.

CLASSES OF '20 & '21 GRADING SYSTEM

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| A | 4.0 |
| B | 3.0 |
| C | 2.0 |
| D | 1.0 |
| F | 0 |

WEIGHTING

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| AP/IB | 1.1 |
| Standard | 1.0 |

Students in grades 5-10 are on a 100 pt. grade scale

INTERNATIONAL BACCALAUREATE MAY 2019

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| Diplomas | 47 |
| Certificates | 178 |
| IB Diploma Pass Rate | 82% |
| MYP Personal Project Completion | 100% |

ADVANCED PLACEMENT MAY 2019

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| AP Scholars | 59 |
| AP Scholars with Honors | 28 |
| AP Scholars with Distinction | 10 |

GRADUATES EARNING ADVANCED REGENTS DIPLOMAS 88%

NYS SEAL OF BILITERACY 7

NATIONAL MERIT FALL 2019

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| Commended | 6 |
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SAT RESULTS

| | 2017 | 2018 | 2019 |
|------------------------|------|------|------|
| Mean Evid. Based R & W | 636 | 639 | 621 |
| Mean Mathematics | 607 | 630 | 616 |

SAT ESSAY 2017 2018 2019

| | 2017 | 2018 | 2019 |
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| Reading | 6 | 5 | 5 |
| Analysis | 5 | 4 | 3 |
| Writing | 6 | 6 | 5 |

ACT COMPOSITE 27.5

INTERNATIONAL BACCALAUREATE COURSES

English A: Literature HL
French B SL, Spanish B SL, Mandarin B SL
History: Americas HL, Economics SL
Business Management SL
Biology SL/HL, Physics SL/HL
Math Studies SL, Mathematics SL
Film SL/HL, Visual Arts SL/HL
Theory of Knowledge

ADVANCED PLACEMENT COURSES

English Language and Composition
Human Geography
World History, US History
Calculus AB, Statistics
Environmental Science, Principles of Computer Science

