



City Honors School

AT FOSDICK-MASTEN PARK

PROFILE INFORMATION 2020 – 2021

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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 1,130,150. The Buffalo Public School system currently enrolls approximately 31,000 students.

DESTINATIONS OF THE CLASS OF 2020

Adelphi University
Alfred University
The American Musical and Dramatic Academy
American University
American University Honors
Canisius College (4)
Clark Atlanta University
Clarkson University (3)
Cornell University
CUNY City College
CUNY Hunter College (3)
Hilbert College
Hobart and William Smith Colleges
Ithaca College
Ithaca College Honors
Le Moyne College
Long Island University Post Honors
Medaille College
Morehouse College
The New School
Niagara University (2)
Northeastern University (2)
Northland Workforce Training Center
Occupational Training Center (2)
Oregon State University Honors
Purdue University
Rensselaer Polytechnic Institute
St. Bonaventure University
SUNY at Albany
SUNY at Albany Honors
SUNY at Binghamton (2)
SUNY at Buffalo (34)
SUNY at Buffalo Honors (7)
SUNY at Stony Brook (3)
SUNY at Stony Brook Honors
SUNY College at Brockport
SUNY College at Buffalo (3)
SUNY College at Buffalo Honors (2)
SUNY College at Fredonia (3)
SUNY College at New Paltz (3)
SUNY College at Oswego
SUNY College at Plattsburgh (2)
SUNY College at Potsdam (2)
SUNY College at Purchase
SUNY College of Environmental Science and Forestry (2)
SUNY College of Environmental Science and Forestry Honors
SUNY Erie Community College (5)
SUNY Fashion Institute of Technology
Syracuse University (2)
Syracuse University Honors (2)
Tufts University
University of Arizona
University of California, Irvine
University of Massachusetts Lowell
University of Pennsylvania
University of Pittsburgh
University of Rochester (2)
University of Southern California
University of Toronto
University of Vermont
Utica College
Villa Maria College (5)
Yale University

CLASS OF 2020 MERIT SCHOLARSHIP AVERAGE

\$62,845 per graduate
(does not include need-based aid or Say Yes)



SAY YES BUFFALO

Since 2013, CHS graduates have received an estimated \$10.46 million in scholarships and grants from Say Yes Buffalo and Say Yes to Education's Higher Education Partners.

ENROLLMENT 2019 - 2020 TOTAL: 1,073

Grade 5	98	Grade 9	157
Grade 6	99	Grade 10	152
Grade 7	133	Grade 11	153
Grade 8	142	Grade 12	139

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 New York State by *The Challenge Index*
- Ranked #1 school in Public High School & Middle 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 class of 2021.

CLASS OF '21 GRADING SYSTEM

A	4.0
B	3.0
C	2.0
D	1.0
F	0

WEIGHTING

AP/IB	1.1
Standard	1.0
Students in grades 5-11 are on a 100 pt. grade scale	

INTERNATIONAL BACCALAUREATE MAY 2020

IB Diploma Pass Rate	88%
Diplomas	46
Certificates	182
MYP Personal Project Completion	100%

ADVANCED PLACEMENT MAY 2020

AP Scholars	60
AP Scholars with Honors	18
AP Scholars with Distinction	10
National AP Scholar	1
NATIONAL MERIT FALL 2020	
Commended	3
Semi Finalists	2

GRADUATES EARNING ADVANCED REGENTS DIPLOMAS 84%

GRADUATES EARNING NYS SEAL OF BILITERACY 18

SAT RESULTS

	2018	2019	2020
Mean Evid. Based R & W	639	621	630
Mean Mathematics	630	616	629

SAT ESSAY 2018 2019 2020

	2018	2019	2020
Reading	5	5	6
Analysis	4	3	6
Writing	6	5	4

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 Applications & Interpretation SL
Math Analysis & Approaches 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

