



# City Honors School

AT FOSDICK-MASTEN PARK

## PROFILE INFORMATION 2024 – 2025

PRINCIPAL: William A. Kresse, Ph.D.

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### SCHOOL COUNSELORS

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### LOCATION

City Honors School is an urban magnet school located in Buffalo, NY with a focus on acceleration and the International Baccalaureate program. Our city's population is approximately 279,000 residents, with a metro-area population of 1.2 Million. The Buffalo Public Schools enroll approximately 31,000 students.

### DESTINATIONS OF THE CLASS OF 2024

Boston College  
Bryant and Stratton College  
Canisius University (3)  
Colgate University  
Columbia University  
Cornell University  
D'Youville University (2)  
Eckerd College  
Finger Lakes Community College  
Hilbert College  
Houghton University  
Howard University  
Ithaca College  
Keuka College  
McGill University  
Miami University of Ohio  
Morgan State University  
Northwestern University (2)  
Nova Southeastern University  
Oregon State University  
Providence College Honors  
Rochester Institute of Technology (3)  
St. Bonaventure University Honors  
St. John's University  
St. Lawrence University  
SUNY Alfred  
SUNY Binghamton University (2)  
SUNY Brockport (3)  
SUNY Buffalo State (7)  
SUNY Canton  
SUNY Cobleskill  
SUNY Erie (2)  
SUNY Fredonia (6)  
SUNY Fredonia Honors  
SUNY Geneseo (6)  
SUNY Oswego (3)  
SUNY Purchase (5)  
SUNY Stony Brook University (2)  
SUNY Stony Brook University Honors  
SUNY University at Albany (3)  
SUNY University at Buffalo (30)  
SUNY University at Buffalo Honors (14)  
Syracuse University (2)  
Temple University  
University of Massachusetts Amherst  
University of Rochester (2)  
University of Virginia  
Ursinus College  
Villa Maria College  
Wesleyan University  
Xavier University Honors  
Yale University

### CLASS OF 2024 MERIT SCHOLARSHIP AVERAGE

\$69,318 per graduate  
(does not include need-based aid, Excelsior or Say Yes)



### SAY YES BUFFALO

Since 2013, CHS graduates have received an estimated \$15.3 million in scholarships and grants from Say Yes Buffalo and Say Yes to Education's Higher Education Partners.

### ENROLLMENT 2024 - 2025 TOTAL: 1,095

Grade 5	106	Grade 9	161
Grade 6	103	Grade 10	151
Grade 7	135	Grade 11	153
Grade 8	148	Grade 12	138

### 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

- #1 ranked school in Upstate New York, US News and World Report
- 2024 National Blue Ribbon School, US Dept of Education

### 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  
Woz Ed Pathway School

### COMPUTING GPA

City Honors uses a weighted system including all credit bearing courses taken in grades 9, 10, and 11. Physical education is weighted for the class of 2025.

### WEIGHTING

AP/IB 1.1  
Standard 1.0

Students in grades 5-12 are on a 100 pt. grade scale

### INTERNATIONAL BACCALAUREATE MAY 2024

IB Diploma Pass Rate	85%
Diplomas	35
Certificates	185
MYP Personal Project Completion	99%

### ADVANCED PLACEMENT MAY 2024

AP Scholars	97
AP Scholars with Honor	24
AP Scholars with Distinction	24

### GRADUATES EARNING ADVANCED REGENTS DIPLOMAS 91%

GRADUATES EARNING NYS SEAL OF BILITERACY 37

### NATIONAL MERIT FALL 2024

Commended	4
Semifinalist	1

COLLEGE BOARD NATIONAL RECOGNITION FALL 2024 23

### SAT RESULTS 2022 2023 2024

Mean EBRW	643	622	648
Mean Mathematics	619	615	632

### EQUITY & EXCELLENCE PERCENTAGE 97%

(graduates meeting college credit threshold in one or more AP/IB course)

ACT COMPOSITE 2023 33.0

### INTERNATIONAL BACCALAUREATE COURSES

English A: Language and Literature HL  
Environmental Systems and Societies 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  
Computer Science Principles

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