

# Gaithersburg High School - #551

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2004-2005 Enrollment = 2,173											
	% Total	% Gender		% Racial/Ethnic Composition					Enrollment by Grade		
		Female	Male	Afr Am	Am Ind	Asian	Hisp	White		Number	Percent
All Students		<b>49.0</b>	<b>51.0</b>	<b>25.2</b>	<b>0.2</b>	<b>10.3</b>	<b>26.3</b>	<b>38.0</b>	Grade 9	681	31.3
SPED	<b>13.9</b>	5.0	8.9	5.4	0.0	0.6	3.2	4.7	Grade 10	527	24.3
ESOL	<b>10.9</b>	5.2	5.8	1.7	0.0	1.1	8.1	0.0	Grade 11	504	23.2
FARMS	<b>18.1</b>	8.9	9.2	6.9	0.0	1.9	7.6	1.7	Grade 12	461	21.2
									Total	2,173	

Students with Disabilities Least Restrictive Environment (LRE)			
Percent of Instructional Time Outside a General Education Class			
	Less than 21%	Between 21% and 60%	More than 60%
All SPED Students	39.7	37.0	23.2

Other Participation
Students now or have in the past received FARMS = 48.4%
Mobility Rate (Entrants + Withdrawals) * = 17.6%
Graduation Rate * = 87.2%
Attendance Rate * = 94.1%
Dropout Rate * = 3.4%
Suspension Rate * = 9.7%

School Programs
Multidisciplinary Educational Training and Support (METS)
Communication, Technology and Science Signature
Bridge (9-10)
Learning and Academic Disabilities
Learning for Independence
Career Development
College Institute
Academy of Information Technology
Academy of Finance

Maryland School Assessment Overall Adequate Yearly Progress *: Not Met				
	% Proficient		Participation Rate	
	Math	Reading	Math	Reading
All Students	Met	Met	Met	Met
African American	Met	Met	Met	Met
American Indian	--	na	--	na
Asian American	Met	Met	Met	Met
Hispanic	Met	Met	Met	Met
White	Met	Met	Met	Met
SPED	Met	Met	Met	Met
ESOL	Met	Not Met	Met	Met
FARMS	Met	Met	Met	Met
Graduation Rate: Met				

Maryland School Assessment Proficiency Rate *		
	Geometry	Grade 10 Reading
All Students	48.1	58.1
African Am.	36.3	41.0
Am. Indian		
Asian	62.8	72.7
Hispanic	36.5	41.4
White	61.0	75.6
Female	45.1	66.2
Male	51.1	50.7
SPED	11.9	16.2
ESOL	29.3	17.1
FARMS	36.6	41.0

Maryland High School Assessment Pass Rate *				
	Algebra	Biology	English	Government
All Students	45.3	57.2	59.0	62.4
African American	40.9	44.4	52.5	47.2
American Indian				
Asian American	62.1	69.5	56.6	70.6
Hispanic	37.6	34.4	41.4	49.3
White	53.7	77.5	74.5	77.3
Female	49.7	62.1	63.8	66.0
Male	40.8	52.6	54.2	59.1
SPED	19.4	15.4	18.5	12.5
ESOL	33.3	18.6	13.5	37.5
FARMS	36.0	35.0	33.0	40.8

\* 2003-2004 School Year Data

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Algebra and Geometry Completion Rate and Honors/AP Enrollment *					
	Algebra Completion		Geometry Completion		Honors/AP Enrollment
	Grade 9	Grade 9	Grade 9	Grade 10	
All Students	64.1	33.2	59.6	57.6	
African American	58.7	20.0	50.4	44.2	
American Indian					
Asian American	76.6	44.7	72.4	71.0	
Hispanic	43.9	16.7	35.8	37.1	
White	82.0	53.5	76.6	76.3	
Female	64.9	32.6	62.2	62.6	
Male	63.4	33.7	57.1	52.5	
ESOL	19.4	0.0	19.0	14.4	
FARMS	40.5	12.2	35.5	31.9	
SPED	33.3	2.9	35.2	11.8	

	Staff Diversity					Classes Taught by Highly Qualified (HQ) Teachers *					
	% Racial/Ethnic Composition					% Gender			Number of Classes	% HQ	% Not HQ
	Afr Am	Am Ind	Asian Am	Hispanic	White	Male	Female				
Professional	11.5	0.0	2.6	6.4	79.5	35.3	64.7				
Supporting Services	24.0	0.0	16.0	9.3	50.7	32.0	68.0	518	60.6	39.4	

Years Experience of Professional Personnel		
Less Than 5 Years	5-15 Years	More Than 15 Years
25.6	36.5	37.8

Average SAT Scores * (72.8% Tested)			
	School	County	National
Math	505	561	518
Verbal	489	541	508
Total	994	1102	1026

Class Size/Staff Ratio	
Student/Instructional Staff Ratio = 11.9	
Average Class Size:	English = 24.8      Other = 25.5

Advanced Placement Tests *			
Number of Students	Number of Exams	N of Scores 3 or Higher	% of Scores 3 or Higher
289	506	294	58.1

Staff Positions			
Professional		Supporting Services	
<b>Administrative</b>		<b>Instructional Support</b>	
Principal	1.000	Paraeducators	
Assistant Principal	3.000	Regular	4.375
Student Support Specialist	1.000	Special Education	19.875
Magnet/Special Program Coordinator		Technical Support	1.000
		English Composition Assistant	3.125
		Career Information Coordinator	1.000
<b>Administrative Total</b>	<b>5.000</b>	Media Assistant	2.500
		Teacher Assistant	0.250
<b>Teachers</b>		<b>Instructional Support Total</b>	
			<b>32.125</b>
Classroom	94.000	<b>Other Support</b>	
Resource	11.500	Business Manager	1.000
Staff Development	1.000	Administrative Secretary	1.000
Athletic Director	1.000	Registrar	1.000
ESOL	7.000	School Financial Assistant	1.000
Alternative	1.000	Secretary	7.500
Career/Technical Ed	3.500	Media Services Technician	1.000
Special Education:		Security Team Leader	1.000
Classroom	17.100	Security Assistant	4.000
Resource Program	2.000	Student Monitor	1.000
<b>Teachers Total</b>	<b>138.100</b>	<b>Other Support Total</b>	<b>18.500</b>
<b>Other Professional</b>		<b>Building Services</b>	
Counselor	8.500	Manager	1.000
Media Specialist	2.000	Leader	1.000
Spec Ed Related Services	2.550	Worker	12.000
<b>Other Professional Total</b>	<b>13.050</b>	Plant Equipment Operator	1.000
		<b>Building Services Total</b>	<b>15.000</b>
		Food Services	4.374
<b>Total Professional</b>	<b>156.150</b>	<b>Total Supporting Services</b>	<b>69.999</b>

Postsecondary Education Plans *			
College/Training	Employment	Military	College/Employment
64.7%	6.0%	1.0%	22.9%

High School Academic Attainment Categories *			
College Rigorous	College Ready	College/Career Capable	Minimally Prepared
30.8%	19.1%	29.7%	20.5%

Facilities Data				
Original Construction Date	Year Renovated/Modernized	Site Size in Acres	Joint Occupancy	Relocatable Classrooms
1951	1978	39.0	0	12

Core Facility Teaching Stations			
Total	Regular Education	Support Rooms	Special/Alt Education
88	77	0	11

Capacity/Enrollment Projections							
Current Capacity	Future Capacity	2005-06	2006-07	2007-08	2008-09	2009-10	2010-11
1,800	2,125	2,202	2,202	2,246	2,190	2,181	2,190

School Operating Costs	
Professional Salaries	\$10,069,241
Supporting Services Salaries	\$2,358,239
Substitutes/Stipends	\$675,796
Employee Benefits	\$2,883,921
Instructional Supplies/Support	\$620,113
Facility Costs	\$999,058
<b>Total Allocated Cost</b>	<b>\$17,606,368</b>

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