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SCHOOL & COMMUNITY

Wheaton High School is a comprehensive, public high school that has served the communities of Wheaton, Rockville, and Silver Spring in Montgomery County, Maryland since 1954. Accredited by the Middle States Association of Colleges and Schools and the Maryland State Department of Education, Wheaton offers a full complement of Honors and Advanced Placement coursework alongside four distinctive academies as part of a consortium promoting student choice. With an enrollment of 2,629 students — nearly 80% of whom have received FARMS — Wheaton is a vibrant, diverse community preparing students for college, career, and global citizenship.

ADMINISTRATORS

Pamela Krawczel	Principal
Nathaniel Collins	Assistant Principal
Tameka Cooper	Assistant Principal
Nicholas Corsi	Assistant Principal
Johnathan Dunn	Assistant Principal
David Moyler	Assistant Principal
Sandi Williams	Assistant Principal

POST SECONDARY PLANS

Graduation Rate (Class of 2025)	83.2%
Attending College (Class of 2026)	4-year: 42% 2-year: 30%
Gap year/Military/Other (Class of 2026)	16%

SPECIAL PROGRAMS

Special Education	11.3%
English Language Learners	24.5%
Free and Reduced Lunch	58.0%

ADDITIONAL PROGRAMS & RECOGNITIONS

Dual Enrollment and Early College (*)	28.2%
Career Technical Education	52.2%
Seal of Biliteracy	25.2%
College and Career Readiness	78.1%

(*) -Percentage of students in the Class of 2026 who have taken one or more college credit courses while in high school.

ENROLLMENT DATA

Total Students = 2685 Class of 2026 = 588

Race	% of Student Body
Hispanic	58.1%
American Indian or Alaska Native	0.2%
Asian	9.4%
African American	19.7%
Pacific Islander	0.1%
White	9.7%
Multi-racial	2.8%

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Each School Counselor has a caseload of approximately 202 Students

STANDARDIZED TEST INFORMATION

Advanced Placement- In May of 2026 1038 Wheaton High students in Grades 9-12 completed 2157 exams. For the Class of 2026, 72.2% of the students earned a score of a 3 or better on at least one AP exam taken at any point during high school

STANDARDIZED TEST MEAN SCORES

SAT Tested	539
Reading	541
Math	531
ACT Tested	16
ACT	24

TOP 5 COLLEGES/ UNIVERSITIES APPLIED

University of Maryland, College Park
University of Maryland, Baltimore County
Towson University
Penn State University Park
Virginia Tech

HIGHLIGHTS AT Wheaton High

Advanced Placement (AP) Program

Wheaton's rigorous academic program includes Honors, Advanced Placement, and dual enrollment coursework through Montgomery College. The Class of 2025 produced 152 AP Scholars, 111 Scholars with Distinction, 56 Scholars with Honors, and 1 AP International Diploma recipient, alongside 16 National Merit Scholarship Semifinalists and Commended Students. 92% of the Class of 2024 enrolled in two- or four-year colleges, reflecting Wheaton's strong college-preparatory culture.

Academics

Wheaton offers four distinctive academies that let students choose a specialized pathway: the Academy of Biosciences (Biotechnology, Biomedicine, Medical Careers), the Academy of Engineering (a Project Lead the Way member), the Academy of Information Technology (a National Academy Foundation program), and the Global Studies Academy, a humanities-focused program preparing students for leadership in a global society. Application-only Biomedical and Engineering programs add project-based, real-world learning.

Signature Programs

Wheaton's College & Career Center expanded dramatically in 2025-2026, launching an unprecedented number of career-connected learning opportunities linking students to skills-based pathways. Highlights include Wheaton Knight Ready, a NACE-aligned readiness program (41 college visits, 25 workshops), and hosting the only MCPS National Apprenticeship Week, connecting 150+ students to employers and trade careers. As skills-based hiring reshapes the workforce, these initiatives equip students with real-world skills and helped the Class of 2026 earn \$3.2M+ in scholarships.

GRADUATION REQUIREMENTS

English	4 Credits
Social Studies	3 credits (1 US History, 1 Government, 1 World History)
Science	3 credits (1 Life Science, 1 Physical Science, 1 Earth/Space Science)
Mathematics	4 credits (1 Algebra, 1 Geometry)
Physical Education	1 Credit
Health	1 Credit
Technology Education	1 Credit
Fine Arts	1 Credit
World Language	2 Credits
Electives	2 Credits
Total Credits	22 Credits

Students need a completer program with 2 credits of the same World Language, or completion of Career Development Program. Students also need 75 Student Service-Learning hours and must also meet the Maryland High School Assessments testing requirements.

DUAL ENROLLMENT COLLEGIATE OPTIONS

Students may access any of our dual enrollment (DE) options by enrolling in approved college courses offered on the college campus, in their high school building, and/or online. Students may participate in general course options, or in a DE program that allows them to earn an associate degree prior to high school graduation. While a course is in progress, it does not appear on the high school transcript. Upon completion of the course and the college grade data transfer process, the transcript is updated to reflect the official college course title for Dual Credit. All college courses are advanced level and carry quality points which is calculated into the student's high school weighted GPA.

DISTRIBUTION OF CUMULATIVE AVERAGES

Range	% of class GPA Wheaton High / MCPS	% of class Weighted GPA Wheaton High / MCPS
4.76 and ABOVE		6% / 12%
4.51 – 4.75		9% / 13%
4.26 – 4.50		10% / 11%
4.01 – 4.25		9% / 10%
3.76 – 4.00	16% / 25%	10% / 10%
3.51 – 3.75	13% / 16%	10% / 8%
3.26 – 3.50	12% / 13%	8% / 7%
3.01 – 3.25	13% / 11%	9% / 7%
2.76 – 3.00	12% / 9%	5% / 5%
2.51 – 2.75	8% / 8%	5% / 5%
2.26 – 2.50	8% / 6%	5% / 4%
2.01 – 2.25	5% / 5%	4% / 3%
2.00 and BELOW	14% / 8%	9% / 5%

GRADING SYSTEM

A —Outstanding level of performance	89.5–100
B —High level of performance	79.5–89.4
C —Satisfactory level of performance	69.5–79.4
D —Minimal level of performance	59.5–69.4
E —Unacceptable level of performance	59.4 and below

CR—Credit on Pass/Fail

NC—No credit on Pass/Fail

Montgomery County Public Schools does not provide class rank.

Grade Calculations for Secondary Courses:

A new final grade calculation will be implemented for all students in Grades 6–12. Beginning school year 2025–2026, the final course grade is determined by calculating the average of the numeric grades from each marking period. Montgomery County Public Schools will be requiring summative semester exams in some core courses. Teachers will no longer use grade calculation charts to determine the final letter grade. For semester-long courses: the final grade is the average of the two marking period grades, calculated by adding the numeric grades from both marking periods and dividing the sum by two. High School courses taken in middle school are only included in the GPA if it improves the overall GPA. Changes to the Grading and Reporting Regulation are designed to increase consistency, strengthen expectations for student learning, and accountability across schools.



ADVANCED LEVEL COURSES	
Adv 2D Studio Art	Adv Ceramic Sculpture
Adv Digital Art	Adv Photography
Adv WebTools DigtlMedia	Aerospace Engineering
Biomedical Innovation	Calculus w Applic
Child Dev Assoc Portfolio	Child Development Assoc Intern
Chorus HS	Civil Engineering
Comp Integrated Manuf	Comp Prog 3 Adv Topics
Computer Programming	Dance
Dance Company	Database Admin Program
Digital Electronics	Engineering Capstone
Forensic Sci	Found Computer Sci TE
Guitar HS	Hon Algebra
Hon Precalculus	Hon Statistics
Human Body Systems	Internship
Intro Genetic Analysis	Intro Internet of Things
Introduction to Engineering Design	Learning Envir Preschoolers
Mag Precalculus	Medical Interventions
MV Calc/Dif Eq	Piano HS
Prin Biomedical Science	Prin of Engineering
Spanish	Spanish For Spanish
Stage Design	Theatre HS

ADVANCED PLACEMENT COURSES		
COURSE	# STUDENTS ENROLLED	# EXAMS TAKEN
AP 2D Art & Design	17	17
AP 2D Photography	7	17
AP 3D Art & Design	1	
AP AB Calculus	102	90
AP BC Calculus	94	83
AP Biology	73	65
AP Chemistry	72	56
AP Computer Sci JAVA	35	24
AP Computer Sci Prin	86	71
AP Drawing	13	7
AP Environmental Sci	22	11
AP French LC	4	5
AP GovPolitics US NSL	286	246
AP Human Geography	68	52
AP Language and Comp	218	178
AP Literature and Comp	57	27
AP Physics	126	108
AP Physics C	67	
AP Psychology	135	104
AP Research	16	9
AP Spanish LC	91	73
AP Spanish Lit	23	12
AP Statistics	165	130
AP US History	139	119
AP World History	256	233
English 10 AP Seminar	206	