

# SENECA VALLEY HIGH SCHOOL

An International Baccalaureate World School

PART OF MONTGOMERY COUNTY PUBLIC SCHOOLS  
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**Mr. Brian Beaubien**  
Assistant Principal

**Ms. LaDonna Fletcher**  
Assistant Principal

## ACADEMIC PROFILE 2017-2018

### COMMUNITY AND SCHOOL

Seneca Valley High School is located within the corporate limits of Germantown, Maryland, 20 miles north of Washington, D.C. in Montgomery County. Germantown is a community of apartments, townhomes, and single family dwellings, ranging from subsidized housing to over half-million dollar homes.

### COMPREHENSIVE HIGH SCHOOL - GRADES 9-12

#### STUDENT ENROLLMENT - 1198

Seniors.....289  
Juniors.....263  
Sophomores.....324  
Freshmen.....322

#### DEMOGRAPHICS

34.6% Black  
33.1% Hispanic  
15.9% White  
11.8% Asian  
4.7% Other

Free & Reduced Lunch: 45%

Countries Represented: 61

#### SAT SCORES (Class of 2016)

477 Critical Reading  
479 Math  
471 Writing  
1427 Composite

#### ACT SCORES

Composite 21

### GRADING SYSTEM

A Outstanding level of performance (90-100%)  
B High level of performance (80-89%)  
C Satisfactory level of performance (70-79%)  
D Minimal level of performance (60-69%)  
E Unsatisfactory level of performance (below 59%)  
CR Credit on Pass/Fail  
NCR No Credit on Pass/Fail

Honors, AP & IB courses are available to all students.

### ADVANCED PLACEMENT (AP) COURSES

Calculus AB  
Calculus BC  
Computer Science – JAVA  
Computer Science Principles  
English Literature and Language  
U.S. Government  
U.S. History

### INTERNATIONAL BACCALAUREATE (IB) COURSES

Art/Design  
Biology  
Business and Management  
Chemistry  
Biology  
English  
English Language and Literature  
English Literature  
Environmental Systems  
Film  
French  
History  
Mathematics Standard Level  
Math Study  
Psychology  
Sports, Exercise and Health Science  
Theatre  
Theory of Knowledge  
World Religion

**PROGRAMS AT SENECA VALLEY HS**

Academic Support  
 Academy of Automotive Technology  
 Academy of Early Childhood Development  
 Academy of Technology  
 - Academy of Information Technology-AOIT  
 Achieving Collegiate Excellence & Success-ACES  
 Honors  
 Advanced Placement (AP)  
 International Baccalaureate (IB)  
 Career and Technology Education  
 Child Development  
 College Institute  
 College Test Prep  
 English for Speakers of Other Languages  
 High School Plus (extended day program)  
 Internships  
 Naval Junior Reserve Officers Training Corps  
 Special Education  
 Learning & Academics Disabilities (LAD)  
 Learning for Independence (LFI)  
 School/Community Based (SCB)

**22 CREDITS ARE REQUIRED FOR GRADUATION**

4 English  
 3 Social Studies –U.S. History, Government & World History  
 4 Mathematics –Algebra 1 & Geometry  
 3 Science –1 Biology & 1 Physical Science  
 1 Physical Education  
 0.5 Health  
 1 Technology Education  
 1 Fine Arts –Art, Music & Drama  
 2 Foreign Language  
**OR**  
 2 Advanced Technology  
**OR**  
 3 - 9 Career Preparation  
 3 Electives 0.5 - 2.5 credits

75 hours of Student Service Learning are required.  
 Students take High School Assessments in Biology & Government and PARCC assessments in Algebra I & English 10.

**POST HIGH SCHOOL PLANS – CLASS OF 2017**

84% Graduation Rate  
 80% College Bound  
 40% Four Year College  
 40% Two Year College

GRADE POINT AVERAGE (GPA)	DISTRIBUTION of CUMULATIVE AVERAGES - CLASS of 2017		
	GPA Range	% of Class GPA	% of Class WGPA
Students receive a grade point average (GPA) and a weighted grade point average (WGPA) which are calculated at the end of each semester. All classes are included except credit/no credit courses. The WGPA is calculated A=5, B=4, C=3 for all honors, Advanced Placement and International Baccalaureate classes. <b>AVERAGE GPA: 2.8</b>	4.51 and Above	0	4
	4.01 – 4.50	0	14
	3.51 – 4.00	11	17
	3.01 – 3.50	26	22
	2.51 – 3.00	31	17
	2.01 – 2.50	19	17
	1.51 – 2.00	10	7
	1.01 – 1.50	3	3
	1.00 and Below	0	0

**MONTGOMERY COUNTY PUBLIC SCHOOLS DO NOT RANK STUDENTS**

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