

CLARKSTOWN HIGH SCHOOL SOUTH
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GRADUATE PROFILE REPORT 2014-2015

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COMMUNITY AND SCHOOLS

Clarkstown Central School District is located in a largely residential suburban community in Rockland County, 25 miles from New York City. There are two high schools (North and South) comprised of grades 9-12. Both high schools have been accredited by the New York State Department of Education and the Middle States Association. The district's reputation and commitment to academic excellence has been noted since its establishment in 1949.

FACULTY AND SERVICES

South High School is staffed by a principal, three assistant principals, 7 guidance counselors, 3 psychologists, 2 student assistance counselors, 2 nurses, 1 speech therapist, 2 librarians and 1 resource officer. In addition to the regular classroom staff, the district provides a full range of special educational services from academic assistance and resource rooms to self-contained programs.

GRADING SYSTEM

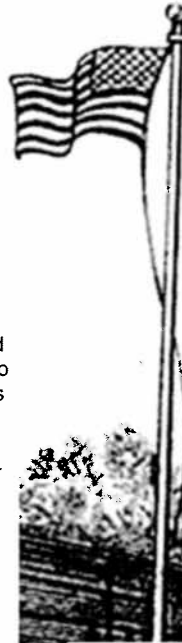
Clarkstown uses a modified alpha grading system with a full range of + and - grades. The grading system, with its quality point equivalent, is as follows:

Grade	Q.P.A.	Grade	Q.P.A.
A+	4.33	C+	2.33
A	4.00	C	2.00
A-	3.66	C-	1.66
B+	3.33	D+	1.33
B	3.00	D	1.00
B-	2.66	F	0.00

CLASS STATISTICS 2013—2014

SENIOR CLASS SIZE: 372

Graduates Entering 4-year colleges.....73.7%
 Graduates Entering 2-year colleges.....25.8%
 Other Areas: Employment/Military.....0.5%



RANK IN CLASS

Student rank is reported by decile. The overall weighted G.P.A. is based on all High School courses completed prior to senior year. Letter grades on the transcript do not reflect weighting but are the actual grades earned while G.P.A. reflects appropriate weighting of these grades. Example of Weighting in the Modified Alpha System:

GRADE	Q.P.A. EQUIVALENT		
EARNED	REGENTS	HONORS	AP/IB
A	4.00	4.33	4.43

HONORS AND AWARDS 2014-2015

National Merit Semi-Finalists 8
 National Merit Letters of Commendation..... 12

DIPLOMA STATISTICS 2013-2014

Regent Diploma..... 133
 Regent Diploma with Adv Designation..... 102
 Regent Diploma with Adv Des & Honors Math & Sci.... 7
 Regent Diploma with Adv Des Designation Math..... 11
 Regent Diploma with Adv Des Math & Sci..... 56
 Regent Diploma with Adv Des & Honors Math..... 13
 Regent Diploma with Adv Des & Honors..... 10
 Regent Diploma with Adv Des & Honors Sci..... 4
 Regent Diploma with Adv Designation Science..... 7
 Local Diploma..... 10
 Regent with Honors..... 8
 Skills and Achievement Commencement Credential.....5
 CTEC Designation.....6

SCHOLARSHIP MONIES

Total amount of scholarships awarded:\$14,105,250.
 Total number of students receiving scholarships: 110

SCHOLASTIC APTITUDE TEST SCORES (SAT)

Overall Mean Scores

Critical Reading	Math	Critical Writing
National: 497	National: 513	National: 487
NYS: 488	NYS: 502	NYS: 478
CHSS: 533	CHSS: 553	CHSS: 533

Number of students tested: 294
Percent of class tested: 80%

SAT II: Subject Tests Results—June 2014 Mean Score

Biology E: 621
Biology M: 670
Chemistry: 637
Math IC: 654
Math II C: 700
Physics: 686
US History: 674
World History: 637

ACT Results—June 2014 Mean Scores

English: 24.6
Mathematics: 24.9
Reading: 25.2
Science: 24.3
Composite: 24.8

Number of students tested: 186

ADVANCED PLACEMENT PROGRAM

The total number of grades reported for the
Advanced Placement courses was 589
85% of the scores were 3 or greater.

COURSE	#Examined	SCORES		
		5	4	3
Art History	12	4	5	2
Biology	62	4	11	28
Calculus AB	44	17	13	9
Calculus BC	27	16	10	1
Chemistry	18	1	6	3
Comp. Science A	11	1	5	3
Chinese	1	1		
Envir. Science	13			
St. Art 2-D Des. Port.	5	1	2	1
St. Art Draw. Port.	9	1	4	4
English Lang & Comp	27	10	12	5
English Lit & Comp	28	8	5	12
European History	27	9	8	7
French Lang	2			
Japanese Lang			1	1
Music Theory	6	1		2
Micro Econ	23	8	7	6
Physics C:Mech	17	7	7	2
Physics Elect/Mag	17	5	6	2
Physics B	53	12	14	15
Spanish Lang	25	6	15	4
Statistics	44	38	6	
US Gov't. & Pol.	28	2	4	16
US History	67	15	31	17
World History	21	3	8	9
TOTAL	589	170	180	149

CLUBS/ACTIVITIES OFFERED

Academic League	Greenhouse Club	Peer Leaders	USO
Ace Ping Pong	H.S. Democrats of America	Peer Ed. Training	V.A.A.S.A.
Anime Club	Hip Hop Club	Peer Partners	Viking Store
AP Physics Bowl	Interact	Peer Tutoring	Viking Voice
Arcadia	Italian Club	Photography Club	Violin/Viola Quartets
Art Club	Japanese Club	Problem Challenge	We The People
ASMA	Jazz Band	Project Rescue	Wellness Advocates
Asset Team	JSA	Quidditch	Wind Ensemble
Best Buddies	Mad About MU	SACA	World Travel Club
Blood Drive	Marching Band	SADD	WVik 1700 am
Book Club	Math League	SAM	Youth Against Cancer
CCSD TV	Mock Trial	Schools for Schools	Youth of the United
Centerstage	Model Congress	Science Olympiad	Way Rockland County
Chorus	Mu Alpha Theta	Science-Physics Bowl	Youth Partnership for Health (Reality Check)
CHSS Outreach	Mural Club	South Side Dance	
Comp. Science Club	National History Day Competition	Special Olympics	
Connor's Army	National Art Honor Society	String Quartet	
Cultural Club	National Honor Soc.	Student Advisory Council	
DECA	NJ Science League	Student Advocates for Learning Council	
Environmental Club	Operation Smile	Student Council-G.O.	
EUREKA	Orchestra	Tri M Music Honor Society	
Forensics	P.A.W.S.	Troubadours	
French Club		Truth Be Told	
Free Spirits Hip Hop			
Go Club			
G.S.A.			
Guitar Club			

SPORTS OFFERED

Baseball—V, JV	Football—V, JV	Softball—V, JV
Basketball Boys—V, JV	Golf B/G—V	Spring Track—B/G-V
Basketball Girls—V, JV	Gymnastics—V	Swimming Boys—V
Bowling B/G—V	Ice-Hockey—V	Swimming Girls—V
Cheerleading—V, JV (Fall)	LAX Boys—V, JV	Tennis Boys—V, JV
Crew Club B/G	LAX Girls—V, JV	Tennis Girls—V, JV
Cross Country B/G—V	Skiing—V	Volleyball Boys—V/JV
Fencing B/G—V	Soccer Boys—V, JV	Volleyball Girls—V, JV
Field Hockey—V, JV	Soccer Girls—V, JV	Winter Track—B/G-V
		Wrestling—V, JV

DECILE SUMMARY CLASS OF 2014

DECILE	Q.P.A. RANGE (HIGH - LOW)
1	4.6100 – 4.1288
2	4.1253 – 3.9073
3	3.9045 – 3.7233
4	3.7159 – 3.5395
5	3.5339 – 3.3384
6	3.3224 – 3.1631
7	3.1558 – 2.8970
8	2.8953 – 2.6908
9	2.6789 – 2.2373
10	2.2360 – 1.3079

GRADUATION REQUIREMENTS

All students are required to complete a minimum of 22 units of credit which must include:

<u>Subject Area</u>	<u>Credits</u>
English	4
Social Studies	4
Mathematics	3
Science	3
Language Other Than English	1
Health	0.5
Art or Music	1
Physical Education	2
Other electives	3.5
	22

COURSES OFFERED**English**

English 9, 9R, H
 English 10, 10R, H
 English 11, 11R, H; IB Literature year 1
 English 12AP/Language
 English 12AP/Literature
 English 12 AP/Recurring Themes
 English IB Literature 2
 Theater Arts
 Introduction to College English
 Semester choices for 12th Gr. Include:
 -Writer's Workshop
 -Journalism
 -Creative Writing
 -Short Fiction
 -Research: Strategies and Apps.
 -Literature with a Difference
 -Women in Literature
 -Reading, Writing, Arguing
 -Public Speaking
 -Mythic Journeys

Social Studies

Global Studies 9R, 9H, 10R, 10H
 AP World History
 U.S. History & Government 11R, H
 AP United States History, IB History Year 1
 IB History Year 2, AP European History (Recur. Themes)
 Participation in Government/Economics 12-semester choices include:
 -AP Microeconomics
 -Economics H (Project Advance-Syracuse)
 -AP Public Policy H (Project Advance-Syracuse)
 -AP U.S. Government & Politics
 -Social Psychology

World Languages

French 2, 3, 3H, AP, 200H, 201H
 IB French Ab Initio Yr, 1m Yr, 2
 Italian, 2, 3H, 200H, 201H, 205H
 Spanish 2, 3, 3H, AP Language, AP Literature, 200H, 201H
 Introduction to Spanish, Intermediate Spanish, Spanish 3X
 American Sign Language 1, 2, 3, 4
 Latin I, II, III, Topics
 Japanese 2, 3, 3H, 4, 4H, 5H

Mathematics

Algebra 1-A & 1-B
 Algebra 1-R
 Geometry R, H
 Geometry
 Algebra 2/Trig R,
 Algebra 2/Trig H
 Algebra2/Trig
 Algebra 2/Trig CS
 Electives include: Intro to College Math
 Pre-Calculus, Pre-Calculus R, Pre-Calculus H
 AP Statistics, Calculus H, AP Calculus AB,
 AP Calculus BC
 AP Computer Science
 Computer Programming H
 IB Math Studies/Pre-Calculus

Science

Earth Science
 Biology R, H, AP
 Chemistry R, H, AP,
 Physics R, H, APB, APC,
 Conceptual Chemistry, Conceptual Physics
 Science Research H
 Astronomy H
 Forensics
 Marine Science
 Marine Science H
 Human Impact in Science
 Robotics H

International Baccalaureate (Program initiated 9/06)

Physics SL, Environmental Systems SL
 History of the Americas HL
 Mathematic Studies SL
 English Literature HL
 Italian SL/HL
 Japanese SL/HL
 Spanish SL/HL
 French SL/HL, French Ab Initio
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 Theatre Arts HL, Music HL
 Visual Art SL/HL
 Theory of Knowledge
 Creativity, Action & Service, Extended Essay

College Courses

Clarkstown South affords students the opportunity to take courses for college credit through: SUNY Albany, Syracuse University (Project Advance), St. Thomas Aquinas College and Rockland Community College

THE MATRICULATED COLLEGE LIST FOR THE CLASS OF 2014

Adelphi University	R.I.T	University of Rhode Island
Alfred University	Rockland CC	University of Rochester
AMAD College	Roger Williams University	University of San Diego
Appalachian State College	Rutgers University	University of Scranton
Arizona State University	Sacred Heart University	University of South Carolina
Baruch College of CUNY	San Diego State University	University of South Florida
Becker College	School of Visual Arts	Univ. of the Sciences in Philadelphia
Binghamton University	St. John's University	University of Tampa
Boston College	St. John Fisher College	Valley Forge Military College
Boston University	St. Joseph's University	Villanova University
Carleton College	St. Thomas Aquinas College	Wesleyan University
City College CUNY	Sarah Lawrence College	West Virginia University
Coastal Carolina University	Seton Hall University	Whittier College
College of Mount St. Vincent	Siena College	Yale College
Columbia University	Skidmore College	
Cornell University	Smith College	
CUNY Macaulay College	Stevens Inst. Of Technology	
Dominican College	Southern New Hampshire	
Drexel University	Springfield College	
Elmira College	Stony Brook University	
Fairfield University	SUNY Albany	
Fashion Inst. Of Technology	SUNY Brockport	
Fordham University	SUNY Buffalo	
Harvard College	SUNY Cortland	
Haverford College	SUNY Delhi	
High Point University	SUNY Geneseo	
Hudson Valley CC	SUNY Inst. Of Technology	
Hunter College, CUNY	SUNY Maritime	
Indiana University	SUNY Oneonta	
Iona College	SUNY Oswego	
Ithaca College	SUNY New Paltz	
John Jay College	SUNY Plattsburgh	
Kean University	Syracuse University	
Landmark College	Temple University	
Manhattan College	The American Music & Dramatic Academy	
Manhattan School of Music	The American Univ. of Paris	
Marist College	The Catholic University of America	
Massachusetts College	The College of New Jersey	
Monmouth University	The College of Westchester	
Monroe College	Tulane University	
Montserrat College	University of Alabama	
Mount Saint Mary College	University of Connecticut	
New England College	University of Delaware	
N.Y. Inst. Of Technology	University of Florida	
New York University	University of Georgia	
Niagara University	University of Hartford	
Northeastern University	University of Maryland	
Onondaga CC	University of Massachusetts	
Parsons School for Design	University of Miami	
Pennsylvania St. University	University of Michigan	
Pratt Institute	Univ. of New Hampshire	
Purchase College	University of North Carolina	
Quinnipiac University	University of Pennsylvania	
Ramapo College	University of Pittsburgh	
Rensselaer Polytechnic Inst.		
Rider University		