



Academic Profile 2015-2018

Westchester Hebrew High School (WHHS), founded in 1971, is a modern Orthodox High School located on 27 acres in Mamaroneck, NY. Our students come from Westchester, Connecticut, Queens, Riverdale, Rockland, New Jersey and New York City.

ACCREDITATION	WHHS is registered by the Board of Regents of the University of the State of New York - Department of Education.																				
SCHOOL	We are a private school, with a population of 105 students in grades 9 through 12. Our religious and secular faculty members consist of 25 men and women, 90% of whom have earned advanced degrees.																				
PROGRAM	The school year is divided into four quarters of approximately 10 weeks each. Mid-term exams are given at the end of January. Advanced Placement exams are given in May and Finals and Regents are given in June.																				
CURRICULUM	Our college preparatory program consists of a dual curriculum (Secular Studies and Judaic Studies) which is required for all students.																				
ACADEMICS	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ■ All secular courses are offered on two or three levels, Regular, Honors, and Advanced Placement. ■ The Judaic courses are comprised of Regular (R) and Honors (H) level courses in Bible, Prophets/Navi and Talmud. Regular (R) level courses are taught in Jewish History and Jewish Law. ■ Advanced Placement courses are offered in Biology, Calculus AB, Computer Science, English Language, European History, Psychology, U.S. History, U.S. Government, and AP Physics 1. ■ Honors and Advanced Placement classes are indicated on the transcript. ■ On-line Courses 																				
REQUIREMENTS FOR GRADUATION	<p>Minimum required credits</p> <table border="0"> <tr> <td>English:</td> <td>4 credits</td> <td>Health Ed:</td> <td>1 credit</td> </tr> <tr> <td>History:</td> <td>4 credits</td> <td>Spanish:</td> <td>1-3 credits</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Math:</td> <td>3-4 credits</td> <td>Art:</td> <td>1 credit</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Judaic Studies:</td> <td>8-12 credits</td> <td>Science:</td> <td>3-4 credits</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Hebrew:</td> <td>4 credits</td> <td>Phys. Ed:</td> <td>2 credits</td> </tr> </table> <p>Grade point averages are calculated at the end of each semester and updated after the last quarter of the 12th grade. The GPA is based on all major academic courses, Hebrew language and an average of the Judaic studies courses.</p>	English:	4 credits	Health Ed:	1 credit	History:	4 credits	Spanish:	1-3 credits	Math:	3-4 credits	Art:	1 credit	Judaic Studies:	8-12 credits	Science:	3-4 credits	Hebrew:	4 credits	Phys. Ed:	2 credits
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GRADING POLICY

WHHS does not rank students. Grade averages are calculated after each semester using actual numeric grades. Course grades are not weighted. Students are grouped according to their ability. Class designations for each grade level are either Advanced Placement, Honors or Regular. The correspondence of numeric averages to letter grades are shown below:

A+	97-100	A	93-96	A-	90-92
B+	87-89	B	83-86	B-	80-82
C+	77-79	C	73-76	C-	70-72
D+	67-69	D	65-66	F	64 or less

GRADE DISTRIBUTION

A	18	A-	24	B+	22
B	16	B-	14	C+	7
C	4	C-	0	D+	0
D	0	D-	0	F	0

SAT AVERAGE TOTAL ACT AVERAGE COMPOSITE

1250/1600
29/36

EXTRA-CURRICULAR ACTIVITIES

WHHS provides a broad range of co-curricular activities including men's and women's athletic teams, College Bowl, Drama Club, Debate Team, Torah Bowl, Model UN, Mock Trial, Yearbook, community service groups, charity and service organizations, as well as student run newspapers in English, Hebrew and Spanish.

During the past four years, our graduates have been offered admission to these colleges (attended colleges in boldface).

Before attending college, many of our students attend yeshivas in Israel to further their religious education.

Barnard College	Hunter College (CUNY)	NYU	Univ. of Chicago
Baruch College (CUNY)	Iona College	Pace Univ.	Univ. of Connecticut
Binghamton Univ. (SUNY)	Ithaca College	Penn State	Univ. of Delaware
Boston Univ.	John Jay College (CUNY)	Parsons School of Design	Univ. of Florida
Brandeis Univ.	Johns Hopkins Univ.	Purchase College (SUNY)	Univ. of Hartford
Brooklyn College (CUNY)	Lander College	Queens College (CUNY)	Univ. of Kansas
Carnegie Mellon Univ.	Lehigh Univ.	Quinnipiac University	Univ. of Maryland
Champlain College	Lehman College	Rochester Institute of Technology	Univ. of Mass-Amherst
City College (CUNY)	List College	Rockland Community College Honors Program	Univ. of Miami
College of New Jersey	Macaulay Honors College (CUNY)	Rowan College	Univ. of Michigan
College of William and Mary/St. Andrews	Manhattan College	Rutgers Univ. (SUNJ)	Univ. of Pennsylvania
Columbia Univ.	Manhattan School of Music	Stern College	Univ. of Pittsburgh
Cornell Univ.	Manhattanville College	Stony Brook University (SUNY)*	Univ. of Rochester
Drexel Univ.	Marymount Manhattan College	SUNY Oswego*	University of South Carolina
Emerson College	McGill University	Syracuse Univ.	University of Virginia
Emory Univ.	MIT	Technion Institute	Univ. of Vermont
Fairleigh Dickinson University	Muhlenberg College	The Cooper Union	US Naval Academy (Annapolis)
Fashion Inst. of Tech. (SUNY)	New England Conservatory of Music	Tisch School of the Arts at NYU	Vanderbilt University
Georgetown Univ.	New York City College of Technology	Touro College	Washington Univ.-St. Louis
George Washington Univ.	Northeastern Univ.	Tulane Univ.	Westchester Community College
Goucher College	Northwestern Univ.	Univ. at Albany (SUNY)	Yale Univ.
Hofstra Univ.	NY Inst. of Tech.	Univ. of California (Riverside)	Yeshiva Univ.

CEEB & ACT SCHOOL CODES

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