

2008-2009 Profile

Community: The Northmont City School District is 10 miles northwest of Dayton, Ohio in Montgomery County. It includes the cities of Union, Englewood, Clayton, the village of Phillipsburg and small parts of Clay Township, Darke and Miami Counties. The total student population is approximately 6000.

School: Northmont Senior High is a four-year comprehensive, public high school with an enrollment of 1883 students. It is accredited by the North Central Association and has been rated **Excellent** by the Ohio Department of Education seven consecutive years.

Professional Staff: 131 licensed/certificated personnel; average years of experience: 18 years; percent of staff members with advanced degrees: 75%.

National Merit Scholars: For the Class of 2009, one student was recognized as a semi-finalist by the National Merit Scholarship Corporation.

Curriculum: Over 280 course offerings are available including 4-year sequences in Art, Language Arts, French, German, Spanish and 6 years of mathematics through calculus. Advanced Placement courses are offered in English 11 and 12, Statistics, Calculus, Biology, Physics, Chemistry, American History, Comparative Government, Computer Science, Studio Art, and Music Theory. Other advanced courses offered include Language Arts 9, 11, and 12 Advanced, Language Arts 10 Pre AP, French IV, German IV, Spanish IV, Pre Calculus, Calculus, Anatomy and Physiology, Biology II, and Chemistry II.

Rank in Class: A grade point average (GPA) and a quality point average (QPA) are computed for each student. Both are calculated using final grades in all courses. The GPA is unweighted on a 4.0 scale. The student with the highest GPA in the class is honored as valedictorian and the student with the second highest GPA is honored as salutatorian. The QPA is weighted with quality points earned in AP courses multiplied by a factor of 1.2. The QPA is also weighted with quality points earned in advanced courses multiplied by a factor of 1.1. Class rank is computed using the QPA.

Grading Scale:

<u>Point Scale</u>	<u>Numerical Equivalent</u>
A - 3.6 - 4.0	90 - 100
B - 2.6 - 3.5	80 - 89
C - 1.6 - 2.5	70 - 79
D - 0.6 - 1.5	60 - 69
F - 0.0 - 0.5	0 - 59

Administration:

George Caras, Principal
 Greg Behrens, Assistant Principal
 Robert Brazel, Assistant Principal
 Chad Kaltenbach, Assistant Principal
 Ron Rowland, Assistant Principal
 Robin Spiller, Assistant Principal/Athletic Director

Counseling Staff:

Glenn Patton, Chairman
 Erica Marsden, Counselor
 Amy Peters, Counselor
 Jim Lake, Counselor
 Richard Sommer, Counselor
 Beth Kessler, Counselor

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Standardized Testing

SAT: Class of 2008 134 tested

	<u>Critical Reading</u>	<u>Math</u>	<u>Writing</u>
Class of 2008 Mean	522	530	493
Ohio Mean	534	544	521
National Mean	502	515	494

ACT: Class of 2008 273 tested

	<u>Class of 2008</u>	<u>Ohio Mean</u>	<u>National Mean</u>
English	21.5	21.1	20.6
Math	22.1	21.5	21.0
Reading	23.1	22.1	21.4
Science Reas.	22.3	21.7	20.8
Composite	22.4	21.7	21.1
English/Writing	21.2	21.1	20.9

Post High School

Plans - Class of 2008

Four Year Colleges	68%
Two Year Colleges	21%
Technical School	4%
Military	2%
Employment	4%
Undecided/Other	1%