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# Manchester Valley High School School Profile

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## Our School

Manchester Valley opened its doors to 580 9<sup>th</sup>-11<sup>th</sup> grade students on August 25, 2009. Our first graduating class was the Class of 2011. At the conclusion of the 2016 school year neighboring North Carroll High School was closed and students were redistricted to Manchester Valley High School.

# Our students and their ethnicity:

Total Number of students- 1322

Breakdown by Grade: Grade 9 - 367 Grade 10 - 321 Grade 11 - 364 Grade 12 - 270

White- 1241 (93.87%)

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American India/Alaskan Nat- 7 (0.52%)

Hispanic- 58 (4.38%)

Asian/Pacific Islander- 29 (2.19%) African American, not Hispanic- 47 (3.55%)

## **Grading system**

We employ a system of letter grades to measure student progress. GPA and rank may be reported as weighted and un-weighted and will be indicated as such. In our weighted system, AP, Transcripted and Honors courses are given additional value on a 4.0 scale.

Α	90 - 100%	Excellent progress		
В	80 - 89%	Good progress		
C	70 - 79%	Satisfactory progress		
D	60 - 69%	Poor progress		
F	Below 60%	Unsatisfactory progress; no credit awarded		
WF	or WF	Withdraw pass or fail, respectively; no		
		credit awarded		

AP and Transcripted		Honors	Academic	
Α	5.0	4.5	4.0	
В	4.0	3.5	3.0	
C	3.0	2.5	2.0	
D	1.0	1.0	1.0	
F	0.0	0.0	0.0	

# Course levels & course numbers

Manchester Valley High School has three levels of courses: Academic, Honors, and AP/Transcripted courses. We have 43 courses available at the Honors level and 17 AP level. The level of each course is designated by the following number, found as the last digit in each course number:

6 - Academic

## **Advanced Placement Courses**

**8** - Honors or Advanced Academic

9 - AP (Advanced Placement) and Transcripted

AP Language & Composition, AP Literature & Composition, AP Biology,

AP Chemistry, AP Physics, AP Environmental Studies, AP Human Geography AP US History, AP World History, AP European History, AP US Government, AP Psychology, AP Calculus AB, AP Calculus BC, AP Art Studio, AP Spanish Language, AP Statistics

## **Schedule**

Manchester Valley students can earn a maximum of eight credits per year. We operate on a semester / block schedule (80 min. class periods), allowing four courses per day, per semester. Half credit courses are completed in nine weeks and one credit courses in eighteen weeks. A small number of courses run *all year* on an alternating, every-other-day schedule. A 30-minute flex mod, called S.E.T. (Student Enrichment Time) is provided to students in between mod 1 and mod 2.

# Student Activities and Programs

Manchester Valley High School offers a broad program of interscholastic sports that offer equal opportunities for male and female athletes. Several sports have freshmen, junior varsity and varsity designations. We also offer Corollary sports and over 25 active clubs and organizations, of which a comprehensive list is available upon request.

# **Graduation Requirements**

English 4 credits - Must include English 9, 10, 11 or AP Lang, 12 or AP Lit Social Studies 3 credits - Must include Government, U.S. History, and World History Science 3 credits - Must include Biology and two additional lab sciences

Mathematics 4 credits - Two credits of Algebra and 1 credit of Geometry (Alg II or higher math must be taken

during the senior year)

Physical Education 1 credit
Health Education .5 credit
Fine Arts 1 credit
Technology Education
Financial Literacy .5 credit

Students must complete **one** of the following programs:

2 credits of the same world language AND/OR

4-9 credits in a state-approved Career and Technology Program AND/OR

2 credits of advanced technology courses

Finally, students must earn the following: twenty five credits; four credits beyond the 11<sup>th</sup> grade; four years of high school enrollment; minimum state scoring standards on High School Assessments; 75 service learning hours.

#### **Testing Data**

## **SAT Data**

Year	Evidence-Based Reading and Writing Score Mean	Math Score Mean	Total Score Mean	Student Count
2017	563	553	1116	194

#### **ACT Data**

Year	English Mean	Math Mean	Reading Mean	Science Mean	Composite Mean	Student Count
2012	23	24	23	23	23	16
2013	21	22	21	22	21	18
2014	22	22	25	23	23	13
2015	26	23	26	25	25	16
2016	20	22	22	22	22	27
2017	25	24	25	24	25	41

# **Advanced Placement Courses**

	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	
	Manchester Valley High School (210761)					
Total AP Students	107	121	191	157	236	
Number of Exams	199	231	323	250	354	
AP Students with Scores 3+	68	87	108	102	183	
AP Students with Scores 3+	63.6	71.9	56.5	65.0	77.5	

# **Graduation Plans**

Data gathered from a survey of 367 MVHS seniors during the 2017-18 school year indicates the following post-graduation plans:

45% intend to attend 4 year colleges

% of Total

35% intend to attend a 2 year colleges 2% plan to enlist in the military

1% intend to attend trade school

16% intend to enter the workforce