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## GARNET VALLEY HIGH SCHOOL

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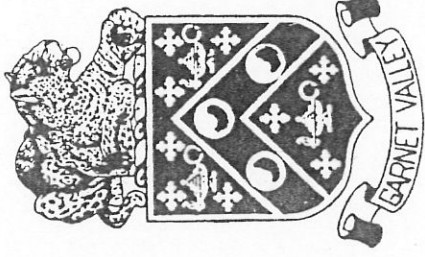
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## THE CLASS OF 2010 – GARNET VALLEY HIGH SCHOOL

### FUTURE PLANS:

94 percent of Garnet Valley's graduates will continue their formal education;

75 percent at 4-year colleges and universities;

15 percent at 2-year colleges and technical schools.

### SAT MEAN SCORES OF THE CLASS OF 2010

*Students who plan to attend:*

	Critical Reading	Mathematics	Writing
Four-Year Schools	525	553	531
Two-Year or Technical Schools	428	531	427

### PHASING AND GRADING SYSTEM

Courses are phased based on their level of difficulty. Honors courses provide the highest level of difficulty. Both Honors and Academic courses are designed for students who plan to continue their formal education in a four-year baccalaureate degree program. Career Prep provides fundamental and comprehensive curricular offerings. The following quality points are given for each phase:

FINAL LETTER AVG. GRADE	AP	Honors	QUALITY POINTS		Scale for Unweighted GPA
			Academic	Career Prep	
100 - 98	7.3	6.3	5.3	4.3	4.0
97 - 94	7.0	6.0	5.0	4.0	4.0
93 - 92	6.7	5.7	4.7	3.7	3.7
91 - 89	6.3	5.3	4.3	3.3	3.3
88 - 85	6.0	5.0	4.0	3.0	3.0
84 - 83	5.7	4.7	3.7	2.7	2.7
82 - 80	5.3	4.3	3.3	2.3	2.3
79 - 76	5.0	4.0	3.0	2.0	2.0
75 - 74	4.7	3.7	2.7	1.7	1.7
73 - 71	4.3	3.3	2.3	1.3	1.3
70 - 67	4.0	3.0	2.0	1.0	1.0
66 - 65	3.7	2.7	1.7	0.7	0.7
64 - 50	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
49 - 0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0

*Graduation requirements stipulate that 27.5 credits must be completed by all students.*

### RANK:

Ranking for all students is cumulative from grade 9. Rank is based on total quality points and includes all subjects. Only English, History, Mathematics, and Science courses are weighted according to phase.

## FINAL REPORT – CLASS OF 2010

**263 STUDENTS WILL BE ATTENDING FOUR-YEAR COLLEGES. • FOLLOWING ARE THE COLLEGES TO WHICH MEMBERS OF THE CLASS OF 2010 ARE ACCEPTED:**

Arizona State University	George Washington University	Ohio State University	University of Maryland, College Park
Armed Services	Georgia Institute of Technology	Old Dominion University	University of Pittsburgh
Art Institute of Philadelphia	Georgia Tech	Penn State University	University of South Carolina
Bloomsburg University	Gettysburg College	Philadelphia Biblical University	University of the Sciences in Philadelphia
Boston University	Harcum College	Philadelphia University	University of Pennsylvania
Bucknell University	High Point University	Purdue University	University of Delaware
Cabrini College	Howard University	Quinnipiac University	University of Maryland
Clanston University	Inmaculata University	Rider University	University of Pittsburgh
Cornell University	Indiana University of Pennsylvania	Salisbury University	Ursinus College
Delaware County Community College	James Madison University	Seton Hall University	US Airforce Academy
Delaware Valley College	Johnson & Wales University	Slippery Rock University	Wesley College
Drexel University	Kutztown University	St. Joseph's University	West Chester University
Duke University	Lafayette College	State University of New York	Westminster College
Duquesne University	LaSalle University	Syracuse University	Wildener University
East Carolina University	Liberty University	Temple University	Williamson Free Trade School
Elizabethtown College	Mercyhurst College	The Catholic University of America	Wilson College
Franklin and Marshall College	Millersville University	The Citadel (Military College of S. Carolina)	Wisconsin Wilderness Campus –
Full Sail University	Moravian College	Towson University	Philadelphia Biblical University
George Mason University	Neumann University	Tyler School of Art	York College
	New York University	University of California at Santa Barbara	

### 51 STUDENTS WILL BE ATTENDING TWO-YEAR COLLEGES.

*The following is a list of the two-year colleges that members of the Class of 2010 will attend:*

Delaware College of Art & Design  
Delaware County Community College

Delaware Technical Community College  
Pennsylvania Institute of Technology

Atlantic County Community College

### 8 Students from the Class of 2010 will attend the following trade / technical schools:

Georgia Institute of Technology  
Pulse Hair Academy

Pennsylvania Academy of Recording Arts & Sciences  
Williamson Free School of Mechanical Trades

Automotive Training Center  
Delaware County Technical Schools

### 18 Students from the Class of 2010 have chosen to pursue employment opportunities.

5 Students have chosen to enlist in the Military.

## AP COURSES

AP Biology	AP Psychology	AP Calculus
AP Chemistry	AP Macro Economics	AP Statistics
AP Physics	AP Micro Economics	AP American History
AP Language/Composition	AP Spanish	AP European History
AP English Literature	AP French	AP American Government

Ninety percent of Garnet Valley High School Students taking Advanced Placement tests achieved a score of three or higher.

## **PROFILE: 2010-2011**

### **THE COMMUNITY**

Garnet Valley is a quiet community located twenty miles south of Philadelphia, Pennsylvania and ten miles north of Wilmington, Delaware. The Garnet Valley District includes the municipalities of Bethel Township, Concord Township, and Chester Heights Borough.

### **DIRECTIONS**

To reach the High School from U.S. Route 1, go south on Route 261 until it intersects with Smithbridge Road. Turn right on Smithbridge Road, 2.5 miles to the High School.

Approaching the School from Route 202, turn north on Smithbridge Road to the High School.

### **THE SENIOR HIGH**

Comprehensive, public secondary school with an enrollment of 1500 students in grades 9-12, and 120 faculty members. The school was founded in 1966 joining two townships and one borough.

### **ACCREDITATION**

Middle States Association of Secondary Schools and Colleges; Pennsylvania Department of Education. Garnet Valley is a registered member of National Association for College Admission Counseling and Pennsylvania Association for College Admission Counseling.

## **CURRICULUM**

*Comprehensive curriculum which includes college preparatory, business education, fine arts, practical arts, technology education and vocational education.*

### SCIENCE

Earth and Space  
Earth and Space II  
Biology I  
Biology II  
Chemistry I  
Chemistry II  
Anatomy & Physiology  
Environmental Science  
Physics I  
Physics II  
Lab Physical Science  
Physics II-Intro to Engineering  
Evolutionary Biology

### ENGLISH

English 9  
English 10  
10th Grade Challenge Program  
English 11  
English 12  
9th Grade ATP Challenge  
Composition  
Public Speaking  
Journalism  
Survey of Drama  
The Novel  
Study Skills  
Film as Historical Literature  
SAT Verbal Prep  
PSSA Reading Workshop  
Career Development

### MATHEMATICS

Algebra M-I  
Algebra M-II  
Algebra I  
Geometry  
Algebra II  
Algebra II/Trigonometry  
Algebra III/Trigonometry  
Math Analysis/Trigonometry  
Calculus  
Computer Programming I, II  
Probability, Statistics, Trigonometry  
Personal Finance  
Topics in College Math  
Math Skills  
SAT Math Prep  
PSSA Math Workshop

### SOCIAL SCIENCE

Non-Western Cultures  
9th Grade ATP Challenge  
Western Civilization  
U. S. History

Political Science  
Applied Economics  
International Relations  
Invitation to Psychology  
Current Issues

### FOREIGN LANGUAGE

French I, II, III, IV, V  
German I, II, III, IV, V  
Spanish I, II, III, IV, V

*Garnet Valley students have the opportunity to complement core curriculum courses with a variety of electives. Several offerings are denoted in the above curricular listings. Students may select additional electives from the following curricular areas: Art (A.P. Studio Art), Business, Family and Consumer Science, Music (including A.P. Music) and Technology Education.*

Garnet Valley High School uses the block scheduling model known as the 4 X 4 semester plan. The school day is divided into four instructional blocks of 80 minutes each. The school year is divided into two semesters. Generally, full-credit courses meet every day for the semester. Half-credit courses meet every other day for the semester. 1.5 credit Advanced Placement and Honors courses will meet every day for one semester and every other day for one semester. Students are required to schedule 8 credits per year.

## **STUDENT ACTIVITIES**

*Garnet Valley has an extensive student activities program which includes academic, athletic, music, and other school-related clubs.*