Profile 2015-2016



EXETER TOWNSHIP SENIOR HIGH SCHOOL

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School Performance Profile
A Pennsylvania State Grading System
2013-2014

Contact Information

Exeter Township Senior High School

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Nicole Kender, School Counselor
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ABOUT THE EXETER TOWNSHIP SCHOOL DISTRICT

Our township is located in Southeastern Berks County, Pennsylvania. We are a suburb of the City of Reading, with a population in excess of 25,000 residents. The total enrollment of our senior high school is just over 1,400 students, with a senior class of 388 students. Our schedule is based on a modified intensive block, with alternatives including (but not limited to) special education, academic support services, the Berks Career and Technology Center, and school to career, co-op programs. Students have the opportunity to earn a maximum of eight (8) credits per academic year.

MARKING SYSTEM

A cumulative class rank is determined at the end of each year in grades 9 through 12. A student's grade point average and rank reflect the academic achievement of the student's final course grades and are computed cumulatively on the basis of a 100 percent scale at the conclusion of each year. The most rigorous academic courses are weighted 1.05 for Honors courses and 1.10 for college level Accelerated and Advanced Placement courses.

Grade Conversion

100 - 92 = A 91 - 82 = B 81 - 72 = C 71 - 60 = D 59 and below = F

DUAL ENROLLMENT

Exeter Township Senior High School was the first school district in Berks County to enter into a dual enrollment agreement with Reading Area Community College. Exeter currently offers 16 courses whereby students have the opportunity to earn credits from Reading Area Community College.

EXAMINATION RESULTS

Average SAT Scores (Class of 2015) Average ACT Scores (Class of 2015)

 Reading:
 506
 English:
 22.8

 Math:
 498
 Math:
 22.8

 Writing:
 487
 Reading:
 23.7

 Science:
 23.5

Total Average Scores: 1491 Average Composite: 23.3

Advanced Placement Exams (2015)

	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015
Number of students taking one or more AP Exams	82	91	103	103	109
Total number of exams taken	120	133	161	162	186
Percentage of grades 3 or higher	86.6%	84.6%	89.3%	79.6%	72%
Percentage of grades of 5	32.5%	32.3%	23.6%	20.9%	9%

13 Advanced Placement Courses offered by Exeter Township SHS: Biology, Chemistry, Physics, Computer Science, Music Theory, Calculus AB, Language & Composition, Composition & Literature, US History, Psychology, US Government & Politics, Statistics and Economics. Students enrolled in AP courses are strongly encourage to take AP exams.

Keystone Exam Proficiency (Class of 2016)

Algebra I: 72.6% Literature: 82.0% Biology: 73.4%

National Merit Program

Class of 2012 2 Commended Class of 2014 1 Commended Class of 2013 1 Commended Class of 2015 2 Commended

GRADUATION REQUIREMENTS

POST HIGH SCHOOL PLANS

25 Credits in grades 9 through 12
 30 hours of community service
 Graduation Project
 64% Four-year colleges
 Two-year colleges
 6% Trade/Technical Schools
 2% Military
 19% Undecided

2015-2016 CURRICULUM OFFERINGS

ART: Fundamentals Of Art I, II; (H) Fine Arts I, II; Crafts Studio; Design Studio; Ceramics, Contemporary Art; Studio Art History; Graphic Design I, II, III; Yearbook; Portfolio Preparation.

BUSINESS: Introduction To Business; Marketing; Accounting I; (H) Accounting II; Sports & Entertainment Marketing; Business Law; Entrepreneurship & E-Commerce; Personal Finance, Cooperative Business Ed.

ENGLISH: English 9, 10, 11; (H) English 9 & 10; (H) American Literature (H) World Literature; British Literature; Publications & Media; Career Communications; AP Language & Composition; AP Literature & Composition; Writing for the 21st Century; TV Studio I, II, III; Creative Expressions; Reading Strategies.

FAMILY & CONSUMER SCIENCE: Foods & Nutrition; Sports Nutrition; Parenting & Child Development; Fashion Design; Life 101, Interior Design & The Home; Educational Apprenticeship.

MATHEMATICS: Algebra I; Algebra II; (H) Algebra II; Geometry; (H) Geometry; Trigonometry/Pre-Calculus; (H) Trigonometry/Pre-Calculus; (H) Probability & Statistics; Senior Math; Accelerated Calculus; AP Calculus; (H) Calculus; AP Statistics, Math Strategies.

MUSIC: Music Theory & Recording; Orchestra; Marching Band; Voice Class; Chorus; Concert Choir; AP Music Theory; Introduction To Strings; Introduction to Band; Jazz Band; 20 and 21st Century Popular Music Appreciation; Guitar I, II.

PHYSICAL EDUCATION and HEALTH: Fitness 9/10, 11/12; Wellness 9, 10; Strength and Conditioning; Personal Training.

SCIENCE: Earth & Space; (H) Earth & Space; Biology; Accelerated Biology; AP Biology; Chemistry; Accelerated Chemistry; AP Chemistry; (H) Human Physiology I; (H) Human Physiology II; Astronomy; Oceanography; Physical Science; Physics; Accelerated Physics; AP Physics; Environmental Science; Forensics.

SOCIAL STUDIES: 20th Cent. American Cultures; (H) 20th Cent. American Cultures; Modern World History; (H) Modern World History; Civics; (H) Civics; Contemporary Issues; Behavioral Studies; (H) Economics; AP Economics; AP US History; (H) Psychology; AP Psychology; AP US Government & Politics; Transitions I, II, III.

TECHNOLOGY EDUCATION: (H) PLTW Introduction to Engineering Design; (H) PLTW Principles of Engineering; Technical & Computer Drawing I, II; Graphic Design for the Web; Photography Lab I, II, III; Construction Systems & Production I, II; Metal Technology I, II, III; Electricity-Electronics; Residential Systems Maintenance.

WORLD LANGUAGES: Spanish 1, 2, 3, 4(H), AP Spanish 5 (online); French 1, 2, 3, 4(H); German 1, 2, 3, 4(H), Latin 1, 2, 3, 4(H).

EXTRACURRICULAR ACTIVITIES

Music: Exeter was named one of NAMM Foundation's "2015 Best Communities for Music Education." Each year Exeter students are typically selected for District Chorus, Orchestra and Band. Our students have the opportunity to participate in orchestra, marching band and choir.

Science Olympiad: Students competed and placed at county, regional and state Science Olympiad competitions during the 2014-15 school year.

Theatre: Exeter produces a fall drama and spring musical.

Exeter Township Athletics 2014-2015 School Year: Girls Volleyball — Division I Champions, BCIAA Champions, District III and PIAA State Qualifiers; Boys Soccer —BCIAA Champions, District III Qualifier; Baseball — Division I Champions, BCIAA and District III Qualifiers; Softball — BCIAA and District III Qualifiers; Girls Tennis — Division I Champions, BCIAA Champions, District III AAA Champions, PIAA State Qualifier; Girls Lacrosse — Division I Champions, BCIAA Champions, District III Qualifier; Cheerleading — Division I Champions, BCIAA Champions, District III Champions, PIAA State Qualifier and National Champions; Wrestling — BCIAA, District III and PIAA State Qualifiers; Girls Basketball — BCIAA and District III Qualifiers; Boys Boys Boys Boys Tennis — BCIAA and District III Qualifiers; Boys Volleyball - BCIAA and District III Qualifiers; Football — District III Qualifier

Fine Arts: Students participate in local and regional art shows and competitions.

Writing: Publications include the school newspaper, yearbook and literary magazine.

Additional Activities: Quiz Bowl, Key Club, SODA, Foreign Language Clubs, Mock Trial, Technology Student Association and many more.