



## 2020-2021 SCHOOL PROFILE

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### COMMUNITY

- Orange High School is located 15 miles east of Cleveland, Ohio in the suburb of Pepper Pike.
- It serves students from the communities of Hunting Valley, Moreland Hills, Pepper Pike, Orange, and Woodmere.
- The area is a microcosm of American society and includes families of diverse races, ethnic groups, religions, and socio-economic status.

### SCHOOL

- Primarily college preparatory
- Part of the Excel TECC technical school consortium
- Enrollment is 650 in grades 9-12
- Each year at least 97% of orange graduates pursue a post-secondary education

### FACULTY

- Consists of 78 certified professionals, most of whom hold advanced degrees

### ACADEMIC PROGRAMS

- Diverse curriculum
- Class size average in the low twenties
- Technology is integrated into the curriculum
- Community service is recognized on the transcript
- All seniors are required to participate in a project/internship during the month of May

### ADVANCED PLACEMENT SCORE SUMMARY

- In 2020, 212 students took 444 exams and 80% earned a score of 3 or higher.
- Using data from the last five years, Orange students consistently perform at a level much higher than other students in our state and nation.

### SAT TEST RESULTS - 3 Year Average Classes of 2017, 2018, 2019

	Avg. Score Orange	Avg. Score Ohio
Composite	1206	1123

### ACT TEST — 4 Year Average Classes of 2016, 2017, 2018, 2019

	Avg. Score Orange	Avg. Score Ohio
Composite	25.3	21

### NATIONAL MERIT/ACHIEVEMENT SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM Class of 2020

1 Finalist	2 Commended
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### ADVANCED PLACEMENT & HONORS

- There are 19 honors courses offered in a variety of subjects
- There are 24 AP courses, which include:
  - World History
  - U.S. History
  - European History
  - Macroeconomics
  - Microeconomics
  - Government
  - Psychology
  - English Language
  - English Literature
  - Biology
  - Environmental Science
  - Chemistry
  - Physics 1
  - Physics C Mech
  - Physics C Elect/Mag
  - Calculus AB & BC
  - Statistics
  - Computer Science A
  - Computer Science Principles
  - Latin
  - Spanish Language
  - French Language
  - Chinese Language
- The AP exam is a course requirement
- Multivariable calculus is offered after all AP level math courses are exhausted
- Students are permitted to self-place in AP courses

**GRADING SYSTEM/CLASS RANK/WEIGHTING**

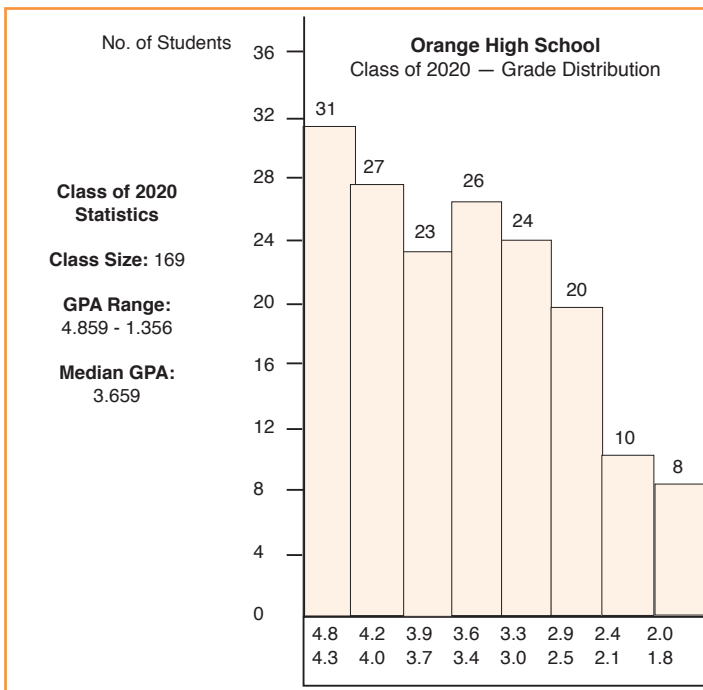
Because of the competitive nature of Orange High School, we do not rank for college admission

- Per the State of Ohio Department of Higher Education, College Credit Plus courses count as AP weighting on a student's transcript in the following subjects: English, Mathematics, Science, Social Studies, and Foreign Language.
- NEW SCALE:**  
The following values are given for marks beginning in the 2019-20 school year and continuing on:

Grade	CP	Honors	AP
A+ (97-100)	4.33	4.83	5.33
A (93-96)	4	4.5	5
A- (90-92)	3.67	4.17	4.67
B+ (87-89)	3.33	3.83	4.33
B (83-86)	3	3.5	4
B- (80-82)	2.67	3.17	3.67
C+ (77-79)	2.33	2.83	3.33
C (73-76)	2	2.5	3
C- (70-72)	1.67	2.17	2.67
D+ (67-69)	1.33	1.33	1.33
D (63-66)	1	1	1
D- (60-62)	0.67	0.67	0.67
F (Below 60)	0	0	0

- FORMER SCALE:**  
The following values were given for marks in the 2017-18 and 2018-19 school years:

Grade	CP	Honors	AP
A+ (97-100)	4.33	4.83	5.33
A (93-96)	4	4.5	5
A- (90-92)	3.67	4.17	4.67
B+ (87-89)	3.33	3.83	4.33
B (83-86)	3	3.5	4
B- (80-82)	2.67	3.17	3.67
C+ (77-79)	2.33	2.83	3.33
C (73-76)	2	2.5	3
C- (70-72)	1.67	2.17	2.67
D+ (67-69)	1.33	1.83	2.33
D (63-66)	1	1.5	2
D- (60-62)	0.67	1.17	1.67
F (Below 60)	0	0	0



**2020 College Acceptance Highlights**

- University of Akron\*
- University of Alabama
- American University\*
- Arizona State University-Tempe
- University of Arizona\*
- Ashland University
- Baldwin Wallace University
- Ball State University
- Berklee College of Music\*
- Boston University
- Bowling Green State University\*
- Bucknell University\*
- University of California
- Case Western Reserve University\*
- Central State University\*
- Chapman University
- Chatham University
- University of Cincinnati\*
- Clarion University\*
- Clark Atlanta University\*
- Clemson University
- Cleveland State University\*
- Colgate University\*
- University of Colorado Boulder\*
- Cuyahoga Community College\*
- University of Dayton
- Denison University\*
- DePaul University\*
- DePauw University
- Drexel University\*
- Duke University\*
- Duquesne University
- Eastern Michigan University\*
- Edinboro University
- Emory University\*
- Fordham University
- Gannon University
- George Washington Univ.\*
- University of Georgia
- Hampton University\*
- University of Hawaii\*
- Howard University
- Huntingdon College\*
- University of Illinois
- Indiana University
- Iowa State University
- Ithaca College\*
- John Carroll University\*
- Johns Hopkins University
- Kent State University\*
- University of Kentucky\*
- Kenyon College
- Lake Erie College\*
- Loyola Marymount\*
- Marquette University
- University of Massachusetts
- Mercyhurst University\*
- Miami University-Oxford\*
- Michigan State University
- University of Michigan\*
- Morehouse College\*
- University of North Carolina\*
- Northeastern University\*
- Northern Arizona University
- Northwestern University
- Notre Dame College\*
- Oberlin College
- Ohio Northern University
- Ohio State University\*
- Ohio University\*
- Ohio Wesleyan University
- Penn State University

- Purdue University\*
- University of Rochester
- Rollins College
- Roosevelt University
- San Diego State University
- University of South Carolina
- University of South Florida
- University of Southern California\*
- Spelman College\*
- Syracuse University
- Temple University
- The University of Tennessee
- The University of Texas
- Tiffin University\*
- University of Toledo
- Tulane University
- University of Mount Union
- University of Oregon
- University of Utah\*
- Valparaiso University
- Vanderbilt University\*
- Virginia Polytechnic Institute
- University of Virginia\*
- Walsh University\*
- Washington & Jefferson
- Washington University\*
- University of Washington
- Westminster College
- Willamette University
- University of Wisconsin
- The College of Wooster\*
- Xavier University\*

\*Student(s) attending

# **The Impact of COVID-19 on the Orange High School Class of 2021**

## **2019-2020 School Year**

### **Schedule:**

Orange High School went fully remote beginning Monday, March 18, 2020. Final exams were cancelled and the last day for students was moved to an earlier date of Friday, May 29, 2020. During this time, students maintained their weekly schedule via amended block scheduling.

### **Grading:**

Unlike many schools, Orange opted to continue to provide grading for students, as opposed to ending the second semester with pass/fail marks. In our desire to create a remote academic environment that mirrored the rigor, expectations and personalization of the classroom experience, we supported this model in moving forward. We fully stand by the grades that were received in this on-line learning experience.

### **Advanced Placement Testing:**

Traditionally, it has been the policy of Orange High School for students enrolled in AP courses to take the requisite AP exam. However, students were permitted to opt out of AP Exams in the spring due to the on-line testing format. The vast majority of students did sit for their AP Exams and are encouraged to share those results with you if warranted.

### **Sports & Extracurricular Activities:**

All spring sports and extracurricular activities were cancelled.

## **2020-2021 School Year**

### **Schedule:**

Based on the Cuyahoga County Board of Health recommendation, Orange began the 2020-2021 school year fully remote within a schedule that put students in front of their teachers in a modified block schedule format. If COVID conditions in Cuyahoga County reach an acceptable level, Orange may choose to move to a blended model of instruction, which consists of a hybrid face-to-face and remote modified block scheduling format. Students will still have the option to remain fully remote during this time.

### **Grading:**

Orange will continue to provide grading for students, as opposed to using pass/fail marks.

### **College Placement Testing Availability in Ohio:**

Canceled Test Dates: March SAT, April ACT, May SAT, June ACT & SAT

Very Limited Availability: July ACT and August SAT

TBA: September, October, November, December

### **Advanced Placement Testing:**

For the 2020-2021 school year we reinstated the policy that requires students who are in AP courses to take AP exams.

### **Sports & Extracurricular Activities:**

Fall sports and extracurricular activities have been reinstated with social distance guidelines in place.