



Grover Cleveland High School

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Community

Cleveland High School is one of nine public high schools in Portland, Oregon. An urban high school in inner southeast Portland, Cleveland draws from socio-economically mixed neighborhoods and serves a diverse population of approximately 1600 students. As a four-year comprehensive high school, Cleveland is renowned for its high academic standards in all content areas, multiple opportunities in the fine and performing arts, and a warm and accepting school climate. Cleveland has a comprehensive English Language Learners program, along with opportunities for selected students to participate in the Reed College Young Scholars program and the Templeton Scholars program at Lewis and Clark College.

The Cleveland community is proud to be recognized as one of more than 5000 International Baccalaureate World Schools in 157 countries and one of only two high schools in Portland Public Schools. As a member of this international school community, Cleveland offers strong core academic programs across the curriculum that build college and career readiness skills and encourage students to embrace the IB mission to become *active, compassionate and lifelong learners who understand that other people, with their differences, can also be right.*

While every student at Cleveland participates in IB classes in their junior and senior years, some also complete additional academic requirements in order to earn the internationally-recognized IB Diploma.

IB Test Data

- Number of IB Tests Administered in May 2020: **794**
- Number of students testing in May 2020: **251**
- Class of 2020 Candidates awarded the Diploma: **55**
- Average grade earned by 2020 Diploma Candidates: **5.17**
- Average points obtained by 2020 Diploma Recipients: **32**
- Class of 2021 Full Diploma Candidates: **66**
- Class of 2022 Anticipated Diploma Candidates: **112**

Demographics

Asian 8.95%	Native American .13%
Black 2.4%	Pacific Islander .44%
Latino 9.08%	White 67.34%
Multiple Ethnicities 11.66%	

Rank Order and GPA

Cleveland High School computes both unweighted and weighted GPAs. Unweighted rank and GPA is calculated based on the cumulative grade point average of all classes on a four-point scale. Weighted GPA is recalculated with a weighted differential based on a five-point scale for International Baccalaureate classes only. The highest weighted GPA for the class of 2020 was 4.559.

Portland Public Schools, in response to required guidance from the Oregon Department of Education, moved to Passing (P) and Incomplete (INC) grades for all high school coursework beginning March 2020 due to COVID-19 school closures and the state's shift to distance learning. This grading adjustment is reflected on the Spring 2020 portion of student transcripts.

Note to College Admissions Professionals

We encourage colleges and universities to disregard student class rank when considering a Cleveland senior for admission. We believe that one student's relative standing among classmates who also pursue a rigorous course of study is not necessarily a definitive indicator of their college readiness.

Grading Calculation (GPA)

Grade	Grade Points Given	IB Courses
A Excellent	4.0	5.0
B Above Average	3.0	4.0
C Average	2.0	3.0
D Min Passing	1.0	2.0
F Failing	0.0	0.0
P Pass (grants credit; not calculated in GPA)		
NP No Pass (D or F)		
WF Withdraw Fail (calculated in GPA)		
WX Withdraw No Grade (extenuating circumstance)		

Graduation Requirements

24 credits required in these areas

English	4 credits
Math	3 credits
Science	3 credits
World Language	2 credits
Fine Art or CTE	1 credit
Modern World History	1 credit
U.S. History	1 credit
Health	1 credit
P.E.	1 credit
Economics	½ credit
Government	½ credit
Electives	6 credits

Honors and IB Courses

IB English Lang & Lit HL
 IB English Literature HL
 Advanced Math for College
 Algebra 3-4 Analysis
 Geometry Honors
 IB Math Analysis SL (Calc)
 IB Math Analysis HL (Adv. Calc)
 IB Math Applications SL
 Aureum Choir
 ClevelanDAIRES
 IB Music SL/HL
 Jazz Ensemble
 Wind Symphony
 IB Theatre SL/HL
 IB Visual Arts SL/HL
 IB Biology SL/HL
 IB Chemistry SL/HL
 IB Environmental Systems SL
 IB Physics SL/HL
 IB History of the Americas HL
 IB Psychology SL/HL
 IB Social Anthropology SL/HL
 IB Theory of Knowledge
 IB World Religions SL
 IB French SL
 IB German SL
 IB Mandarin Chinese HL
 IB Spanish SL/HL

Destinations for Classes of 2019-2020

Approximate percentage of admissions: 68% to 4yr college; 20% to 2yr college

Amherst Univ.	Rutgers Univ.
Arizona State Univ.	Scripps College
Bates College	Seattle Pacific Univ.
Beloit College	Simmons Univ.
Berklee College of Music	Smith College
Boise State Univ.	State Univ. of NY Potsdam
Briar Cliff Univ.	Swarthmore College
Brown Univ.	Tufts Univ.
Cal Lutheran Univ.	Univ. of Arizona
Cal Poly San Luis Obispo	Univ. of Cal LA
Chapman Univ.	Univ. of Cal San Diego
Carleton College	Univ. of Hawaii
College of Wooster	Univ. of Minnesota
Colorado College	Univ. of New Mexico
Columbia Univ.	Univ. of Oregon
Culinary Institute	Univ. of OR Honors College
Drake Univ.	Univ. of Portland
Eugene Lang at New School	Univ. of Puget Sound
Franklin W. Olin Engineering	Univ. of Redlands
Geo. Washington Univ.	Univ. of San Diego
Georgia State Univ.	Univ. of San Francisco
Gettysburg College	Univ. of Washington
Humboldt State Univ.	Vassar College
Johns Hopkins Univ.	Virginia Tech Univ.
Lawrence Univ.	Washington College
Lewis & Clark College	Washington State Univ.
Linfield College	Western Oregon Univ.
Loyola Marymount Univ.	Western Washington Univ.
Loyola Marymount Chicago	Whitman College
Marist College	Willamette Univ.
Montana State Univ.	
New York Univ.	
Northern Arizona Univ.	
Oberlin College	
Occidental College	
Oregon State Univ.	
Pacific Lutheran Univ.	
Portland State Univ.	
Rhode Island School of Design	

Colleges Abroad

Duke Kunshan Univ.
 Goldsmith Univ. of London
 Univ. of British Columbia
 Univ. College Dublin
 Univ. of Oxford
 Univ. of Victoria
 Univ. of Zurich