# Glenbard WEST



GLENBARD TOWNSHIP HIGH SCHOOL DISTRICT 87

## **DISTRICT AND COMMUNITY**

Glenbard Township High School District 87 is the third largest high school district in Illinois. Glenbard District 87 encompasses 45 square miles within DuPage County, a suburban area approximately 25 miles west of Chicago. The communities of Glen Ellyn, Carol Stream, Glendale Heights and Lombard lie within the district's boundaries, along with portions of Bloomingdale, Hanover Park, Addison, Downers Grove, Wheaton and unincorporated areas.

Glenbard District 87's four comprehensive high schools serve students in grades 9-12. These schools are: Glenbard East in Lombard, Glenbard North in Carol Stream, Glenbard South in Glen Ellyn and Glenbard West in Glen Ellyn.

Of Glenbard District 87's 7,989 students, 34% come from low-income families. The demographic makeup is: white 50%, black 8%, Hispanic 23%, Asian 15%, American Indian 1%, and two or more races 3%. *Source: 2017 Illinois Report Card* 

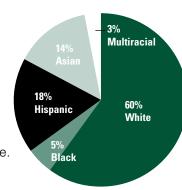
## **GLENBARD WEST HIGH SCHOOL**

Glenbard West High School, which opened in 1922, is one of Glenbard Township High School District 87's four comprehensive high schools. Glenbard West serves the Chicago suburban communities of Glen Ellyn, Glendale Heights, Lombard and Wheaton.

Glenbard West was named to the 2018 Washington Post list of America's Most Challenging High Schools.

Of Glenbard West's 2,385 students, 26% come from low-income families. Demographic makeup: white 60%, black 5%, Hispanic 18%, Asian 14% and two or more races 3%. *Source: 2017 Illinois Report Card* 

Glenbard West is fully accredited by the Illinois State Board of Education. Glenbard West is a member of the National Association of College Admissions Counselors and complies with the NACAC's Code of Ethics and Professional Practice.



## **GLENBARD WEST HIGH SCHOOL**

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## **CLASS OF 2018 COLLEGE ATTENDANCE**

American Academy of Art

American University

Arizona State University

Augustana College

Aurora University

Ball State University

Belmont University

Benedictine University (IL)

Boston College

Bowdoin College

Bradley University

Brigham Young University

Brigham Young University, Idaho

**Bucknell University** 

Bunker Hill Community College

**Butler University** 

California Polytechnic State University, San Luis

Obispo

Calvin College

Carthage College

Case Western Reserve University

Clemson University

Coe College

Colgate University

College of Charleston

College of DuPage

Colorado School of Mines

Colorado State University

Columbia College Chicago

Cornell University

Creighton University

Davenport University

DePaul University

Eastern Kentucky University

Elgin Community College

Elmhurst College

Emerson College

Florida Atlantic University

Florida Gulf Coast University

Furman University

Georgetown University

Gettysburg College

Gordon College

Grand View University

Grove City College

Hampton University

Harvey Mudd College

Hope College

Illinois Institute of Technology

Illinois State University

Indiana University at Bloomington

Iowa State University

## **CURRICULUM**

Glenbard West provides a comprehensive high school curriculum, with a wide variety of fine arts and career / technical education course offerings.

- 8-period day, with required lunch
- Schedule allows for students to take up to 7 academic courses
- Physical education is required and included in GPA

## **AP AND HONORS COURSES**

## ΑP

Art History English Language & Composition Psychology Biology English Literature & Composition Research Calculus AB **Environmental Science** Seminar Calculus BC European History Spanish Language Spanish Literature Chemistry French Language Chinese Language and Culture Human Geography Statistics Comparative Government and Macroeconomics Studio Art Drawing **Politics** Studio Art 3D Design Microeconomics Computer Science Music Theory U.S. Government & Politics Computer Science Principles Physics C U.S. History

# **HONORS**

Algebra 2 w/ Trigonometry German 4 Biology Mandarin 3 Chemistry Multivariable Calculus English1 **Physics** English 2 Pre Calculus French 3 Spanish 3 French 4 Spanish 4 Geometry World History German 3

# **AP ENROLLMENT**

Glenbard West supports an open access policy for AP courses. For the Class of 2018:

 464 of the 583 seniors in the class of 2018 (80%) took at least 1 AP course during high school.

# **TECHNOLOGY CENTER OF DUPAGE (TCD)**

Technology Center of DuPage is a Career Technical Education (CTE) campus for 24 high schools in DuPage County, IL. TCD offers a roster of intermediate-level elective career programs for juniors and seniors. Students enroll in one program at TCD and spend that year in hands-on occupational skill development, workplace skill development, and academic application. TCD courses are granted 1.5 credits per semester. Approximately 280 students from Glenbard District 87 attend TCD and participate in one of the following programs:

Agriculture, Food & Natural Resources Architecture & Construction

Arts, A-V Technology & Communications

Business & Administration Cosmetology

Education & Training
Health Science
Hospitality & Tourism
Human Services
Information Technology
Law, Public Safety, Corrections

& Security

Manufacturing Science, Technology, Engineering, & Mathematics (STEM)

Transportation & Logistics

# **GRADUATION REQUIREMENTS**

| COURSE                                                           | SEMESTERS        | CREDITS |
|------------------------------------------------------------------|------------------|---------|
| English                                                          | 7 semesters      | 3.5     |
| Math (including Algebra & Geometry)                              | 6 semesters      | 3.0     |
| Science                                                          | 6 semesters      | 3.0     |
| Social Studies (including 1.0 US History and .5 US Government)   | 6 semesters      | 3.0     |
| Speech                                                           | 1 semester       | .5      |
| Cultural Arts                                                    | 1 semester       | .5      |
| Applied Arts                                                     | 1 semester       | .5      |
| Consumer Education                                               | 1 semester       | .5      |
| Physical Education (including .5 Health and .5 Driver Education) | 8 semesters      | 4.0     |
| Additional Electives                                             | 9 semesters      | 4.5     |
| Total number of credits require                                  | ed to graduate = | 23.0    |

# **GRADING AND RANKING PROCEDURES**

Grades are assigned a different point value in regular and Honors / Advanced Placement courses. Advanced Placement and Honors grades are weighted one grade point in GPA computation.

| • | Honors and Advanced Placement |
|---|-------------------------------|
|   | courses (weighted):           |

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- All other courses (unweighted):
- A = 5. B = 4. C = 3. D = 2. F = 1

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|--------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| All courses are included in these averages, except for pass/fail and audit courses.  |
| For the class of 2019, the highest student GPA after junior year (6th semester) was: |

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**EQUIVALENT** 

Α

В

C

D

F

%

90-100

80-89

70-79

60-69

Below 60

**GRADE** 

5

4

3

2

1

• weighted: 5.89

• unweighted: 5.00

Effective fall 2014, Glenbard Township High School District 87 will no longer report individual class rank.

James Cook University

Kent State University

Kishwaukee College

Lewis University

Loyola University Chicago

Luther College

Marquette University

Mercyhurst University

Miami University, Oxford

Michigan State University

Milwaukee Institute of Art and Design

Monmouth College

Montana State University, Bozeman

Moody Bible Institute - Spokane

National University of Health Sciences

North Central College

Northeastern Illinois University

Northeastern University

Northern Arizona University

Northern Illinois University

Northwestern University

Ohio University

Olivet Nazarene University

Parkland College

Pepperdine University

Politecnico di Milano

Purdue University

Ripon College

Robert Morris University Illinois

Saint Louis University

Saint Mary's College

San Diego State University

School of the Art Institute of Chicago

Southern Illinois University, Carbondale

Southern Illinois University, Edwardsville

Southern Oregon University

St. Olaf College

Stanford University

Stevens Institute of Technology

Taylor University

Tennessee State University

Texas Christian University

The Citadel, The Military College of South Carolina

The George Washington University

The Ohio State University

The University of Alabama

The University of Arizona

The University of Iowa

Trinity Christian College

Tulane University

United States Air Force Academy

University of California, Davis

University of California, Los Angeles

University of Chicago

University of Cincinnati

University of Colorado at Boulder

University of Connecticut

University of Dallas

University of Dayton

University of Denver

University of Georgia

University of Hawaii at Manoa

University of Illinois at Chicago

University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign

University of Kansas

University of Kentucky

University of Miami

University of Michigan

University of Minnesota, Twin Cities

University of Mississippi

University of Missouri Columbia

University of Northern Colorado

University of Notre Dame

University of Oregon

University of Pittsburgh

University of Puget Sound

University of San Diego

University of South Carolina

University of Tennessee, Knoxville

University of Utah

University of Washington

University of Wisconsin, Madison

University of Wisconsin, Oshkosh

University of Wisconsin, Platteville

University of Wisconsin, Stevens Point

University of Wisconsin, Whitewater

University of Wyoming

Valparaiso University

Vassar College

Villanova University

Washington University in St. Louis

Waubonsee Community College

Western Illinois University

Western Michigan University

Wheaton College IL

William Rainey Harper College

Xavier University

Xavier University of Louisiana

Yale University

## **TEST SCORE INFORMATION**

| SAT  | READING & WRITING | MATH | TOTAL | % TESTED |
|------|-------------------|------|-------|----------|
| 2018 | 553               | 556  | 1,109 | 99%      |
| 2017 | 563               | 561  | 1,124 | 99%      |

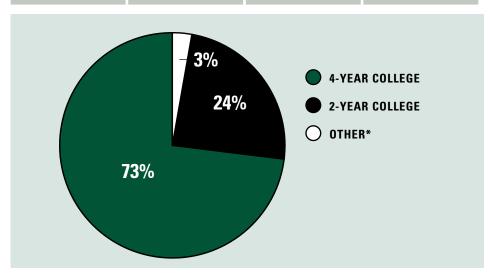
Note: Starting in 2017, the SAT exam became the official standardized test for the state of Illinois.

| ACT  | ENGLISH | MATH | READING | SCIENCE | COMPOSITE | % TESTED |
|------|---------|------|---------|---------|-----------|----------|
| 2016 | 22.0    | 22.4 | 22.2    | 22.4    | 22.5      | 99%      |
| 2015 | 22.6    | 23.1 | 23.4    | 23.0    | 23.2      | 99%      |
| 2014 | 23.1    | 23.2 | 23.8    | 23.2    | 23.4      | 99%      |

| ADVANCED PLACEMENT       | 2018              | 2017              | 2016              |
|--------------------------|-------------------|-------------------|-------------------|
| # Candidates             | 1,155             | 1,144             | 1,034             |
| # Examinations           | 2,249             | 2,316             | 2,151             |
| % grades 3 or higher     | 76%               | 76%               | 80%               |
|                          |                   |                   |                   |
|                          |                   |                   |                   |
| NATIONAL MERIT           | 2018              | 2017              | 2016              |
| NATIONAL MERIT Commended | <b>2018</b><br>15 | <b>2017</b><br>17 | <b>2016</b><br>12 |
|                          |                   |                   |                   |

# **CLASS OF 2018 POST-HIGH SCHOOL PLANS SURVEY**

| 2-YEAR COLLEGE | 4-YEAR COLLEGE | OTHER | RESPONDENTS |  |
|----------------|----------------|-------|-------------|--|
| 134            | 416            | 16    | 566         |  |



Source: Naviance graduation survey. Only reflects data from respondents.

## **EXTRACURRICULAR OPPORTUNITIES**

Glenbard West High School offers a wide variety of extracurricular activities, including interscholastic athletics, student government, publications, clubs and service organizations. A student must be carrying a normal class schedule and maintain a record of good school citizenship.

<sup>\*</sup> Other includes Military, Employment, Career Ed, Year off and Other.