WHICH IS YOUR HIGH SCHOOL?

A FAMILY GUIDE TO DCPS HIGH SCHOOLS
ABOUT THIS GUIDE

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Use this guide as a tool to learn about DCPS high schools, the amazing programs offered and how your student can enroll.

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My School DC Lottery

The My School DC lottery gives families the opportunity to apply for available seats in early childhood programs for 3- and 4-year olds, out-of-boundary DCPS schools in grades K-12, and DCPS selective high schools as well as participating charter schools. A single, random lottery is run by My School DC to determine placement for new students at all participating schools. The Office of the Deputy Mayor for Education (DME) oversees the MSDC lottery in collaboration with DCPS, the Public Charter School Board (PCSB) and participating charter schools.

To learn more about schools, selective high school criteria and the lottery process, visit [www.myschooldc.org](http://www.myschooldc.org)

Key Dates

- Monday, December 12, 2016 - SY17-18 High School Application Opens
- Wednesday, February 1, 2017 - SY17-18 High School Application Deadline
**KEY WORDS**

**Feeder-pattern school (also destination school):** a school that a student has a right to attend based on a student’s current school. This assignment only happens during the years a student moves from elementary to middle school, or from middle to high school.

**In-boundary school (also neighborhood school):** a school that a student has the right to attend based on where the student’s guardian lives. To identify your student’s in-boundary school, visit [http://dcatlas.dcgis.dc.gov/schools/](http://dcatlas.dcgis.dc.gov/schools/).

**My School DC application:** an online application families must use to apply for DCPS out-of-boundary schools (K-12), all DCPS preschool (PK3) and prekindergarten (PK4) programs, DCPS application high schools (9-12), and participating public charter schools.

**My School DC common lottery:** a single, random lottery that determines placement for new students at all participating My School DC lottery schools.

**Out-of-boundary school:** a school that a student does not have the right to attend because it is not an in-boundary school or a feeder-pattern school.

**Application high school:** a DCPS high school that requires an application for entry into the school. There are two types of DCPS application schools:

**Citywide:** a school that does not have a boundary and therefore cannot be claimed as an in-boundary school. *Ron Brown is the only DCPS citywide application high school.*

**Selective:** a school that admits students based on specific eligibility criteria. DCPS has six selective application high schools: Banneker, CHEC, Ellington, McKinley Tech, Phelps, School Without Walls.
**ANACOSTIA**

“In freshman seminar, a professor was discussing a book called *They Say, I Say*. The professor asked if anyone knew the terms ethos, pathos and logos. I was the only student in the class that knew and the one that had read *Letter from Birmingham Jail* because of my AP Literature class and teacher at Anacostia.” — Sierra, Class of 2016

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**Why Anacostia High School?**

Anacostia High School completed a building modernization in 2014, providing the community with exceptional facilities to house academic programs focused on preparing students for college and career readiness. The 2016-17 school year is the inaugural year of the Public Safety Academy, where students earn credits toward the MPD Cadet Program. The school has incorporated the ASPIRE enrichment block into the schedule to provide students with academic interventions, character education, and an opportunity to participate in the performing arts. The school strongly encourages students to participate in athletics and after-school programs to bolster college applications.

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**What great courses can I take?**

**Advanced Placement Courses**
- AP English Literature & Composition
- AP English Language & Composition
- AP U.S. History
- AP World History
- AP U.S. Government
- AP Statistics
- AP Environmental Science
- AP Biology

**Career Education Pathways**
- Biomedical Sciences
- Computer Science
- Public Safety Academy

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**What programs can prepare me for college and career?**

- Naviance
- Dual Enrollment
- SAT Test Prep
- College and Career Field Trips
- Employability Skills Training
- Paid Internships

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**What extra-curricular activities can I join?**

- Student Government Association
- National Honor Society

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**School Overview**

**Gender Breakdown**
- Male: 51%
- Female: 48%

**Demographics**
- 99% Black

**SY15-16 Enrollment**
- 597

**Graduation Rate**
- SY15-16: 42%

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**Type**
- Neighborhood
- Application

**Facility Highlights**
- Art Room - Auditorium
- Computer Labs - Gymnasium
- Media Center - Music Room
- Outdoor Recreation Space
  (Track/Field/Stadium)
- Science Labs

**Feeder Schools**
- Kramer Middle School,
  Sousa Middle School

**Uniform**
- Yes
- No
“The transition from high school to college was made significantly easier due to the amount of character and careful preparation for the real world that I received from the administration and staff at Ballo. I am proud to claim it as my Alma Mater.”
— Michael, Class of 2013

Why Ballou Senior High School?
Ballo offers honors and AP courses, grade-level Academies, inclusion classes for special needs students, and more than 50 partnerships with national and community organizations. More than 10 percent of graduating seniors are selected for the Achievers Scholarship from the Bill & Melinda Gates Foundation.

What great courses can I take?
**Advanced Placement Courses**
- AP Studio Art/ Drawing
- AP English Literature & Composition
- AP English Language & Composition
- AP U.S. History
- AP World History
- AP Psychology
- AP U.S. Government
- AP Statistics
- AP Environmental Science

**Career Education Pathways**
- Automotive Technology
- Culinary Arts
- Entrepreneurship
- Academy of Hospitality and Tourism
- Mass Media (Film/Video)

What programs can prepare me for college and career?
- Naviance
- Dual Enrollment
- SAT Test Prep
- College and Career Field Trips
- Employability Skills Training
- Paid Internships

What extra-curricular activities can I join?
- Band
- Football
- Debate Team
- Girls’ Volleyball
- National Honor Society

School Overview
**Gender Breakdown**
- Male: 51%
- Female: 48%

**Demographics**
- Black: 97%
- Hispanic/Latino: 2%

**SY15-16 Enrollment**
- 933

**Graduation Rate**
- SY15-16
- 57%
“When I heard Benjamin Banneker would prepare you for college well before you apply, I was a little skeptical. Now, after almost four years of academics here, I can truly see what they meant.” — James, Class of 2017

Why Benjamin Banneker Academic High School?
Banneker offers one of the District’s most rigorous academic programs. The Teacher-Advisor and Community Laboratory programs offer one-on-one advising and encourage students to engage in relationships that will shape their futures. Students are supported by character- and skills-building extracurricular activities.

What great courses can I take?
Advanced Placement Courses
• AP Art History
• AP English Literature & Composition
• AP English Language & Composition
• AP U.S. History
• AP World History
• AP Macroeconomics
• AP Microeconomics
• AP U.S. Government
• AP Statistics
• AP Environmental Science
• AP Biology
• AP Chemistry
• AP Music Theory

What programs can prepare me for college and career?
• Naviance
• Dual Enrollment
• SAT Test Prep
• College and Career Field Trips

What extra-curricular activities can I join?
• Varsity Girls’ Volleyball
• Varsity Boy’s Soccer
• International Club
• Robotics Club
• Drama Club

School Overview
Gender Breakdown

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Demographics

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SY15-16 Enrollment

- 454 students

Graduation Rate

- 100%
Why Cardozo Education Campus?
Cardozo creates educational and social experiences that prepare students with the knowledge and skills necessary for success in the global community. In addition to a newly renovated, state-of-the-art building, Cardozo provides a safe, supportive, and nurturing environment that fosters the growth of all educational stakeholders through a social contract based on teamwork, work ethic, integrity, respect and leadership.

What great courses can I take?
**Advanced Placement Courses**
- AP Studio Art/ Drawing
- AP English Literature & Composition
- AP English Language & Composition
- AP U.S. History
- AP U.S. Government
- AP Spanish Language & Culture
- AP Statistics
- AP Biology
- AP Computer Science A (Level III)

**Career Education Pathways**
- TransSTEM Academy

What programs can prepare me for college and career?
- Naviance
- Dual Enrollment
- SAT Test Prep
- College and Career Field Trips
- Employability Skills Training
- Paid Internships

What extra-curricular activities can I join?
- Boys and Girls Soccer
- Boys and Girls Basketball
- Baseball and Softball
- Choir and Band
- PRIDE Club
- Technology Student Association

School Overview
**Gender Breakdown**
- 62% Male
- 38% Female

**Demographics**
- 47% Black
- 50% Hispanic/Latino
- 1% White
- 1% Asian
- 1% Multiple races

**SY15-16 Enrollment**
- 783

**Graduation Rate**
- SY15-16
- 59%
CHEC

“CHEC’s rigorous AP programs and my extremely dedicated teachers and numerous internship programs from the start of my junior year really helped me get into one of the most prestigious colleges in the country.” — Andrea, Class of 2014

Why Columbia Heights Education Campus?

CHEC is a unique globally-themed, early college 6-12 dual-language campus that blends rigorous instruction with personalized education, driven by technology, bilingualism and social justice. On April 17, 2016, CHEC was once again named by The Washington Post Challenge Index as one of the top high schools for challenge in the Washington area.

CHEC serves grades 6-12. All students interested in grades 9-12 must apply in the My School DC Lottery to be considered for admission.

What great courses can I take?

**Advanced Placement Courses**
- AP Studio Art2/D Design
- AP Studio Art3D Design
- AP English Literature & Composition
- AP English Language & Composition
- AP U.S. History
- AP Human Geography
- AP U.S. Government
- AP Comparative Government
- AP French Language & Culture
- AP Italian Language & Culture
- AP Spanish Literature & Culture
- AP Spanish Language & Culture
- AP Chinese Language & Culture
- AP Calculus AB
- AP Calculus BC
- AP Statistics
- AP Computer Science Principles
- AP Environmental Science
- AP Biology
- AP Chemistry
- AP Physics 1 Algebra-Based
- AP Music Theory
- AP Computer Science Level III

**Career Education Pathways**
- Computer Science
- Engineering
- Academy of Hospitality and Tourism

What programs can prepare me for college and career?

- Naviance
- Dual Enrollment
- SAT Test Prep
- College and Career Field Trips
- Employability Skills Training
- Paid Internships

What extra-curricular activities can I join?

- World Cultures Academy & International Travel Program (CHEC students travelled to 15 countries in 2016)
- Athletic Department with more than 30 different sports including High School & Middle School (Boys & Girls) Football, Soccer, Swimming, Rugby, Softball, Volleyball and Basketball
- CHEC Robotics Team

School Overview

**Gender Breakdown**
- Male: 51%
- Female: 49%

**Demographics**
- 35% Black
- 62% Hispanic/Latino
- 1% White
- 2% Multiple races

**SY15-16 Enrollment**
- Grades 6-12: 1393

**Graduation Rate**
- SY15-16: 86%
Why Calvin Coolidge High School?
Coolidge is committed to providing “Excellence in Education” for all students. Through program design and rich learning experiences, students will be provided many opportunities to achieve academic excellence, where each student will reach his or her highest potential. Coolidge students will graduate as lifelong learners who will make valuable contributions to society. Through the collaboration of stakeholders, every Coolidge graduate will be well-prepared for the demands of a global society and beyond.

What great courses can I take?
**Advanced Placement Courses**
- AP Studio Art/ Drawing
- AP English Literature & Composition
- AP English Language & Composition
- AP U.S. History
- AP World History
- AP Psychology
- AP U.S. Government
- AP Calculus AB
- AP Physics C Mechanics

**Career Education Pathways**
- Mass Media (Film/Video)
- Academy of Health Sciences (New in SY17-18)

What programs can prepare me for college and career?
- Naviance
- Dual Enrollment
- SAT Test Prep
- College and Career Field Trips
- Employability Skills Training
- Paid Internships
- JROTC Color Guard

What extra-curricular activities can I join?
- Band
- Alpha Leadership (male mentoring)
- Robotics
- Sports

School Overview
**Gender Breakdown**
- 60% Male
- 40% Female

**Demographics**
- 77% Black
- 21% Hispanic/Latino
- 1% White
- 1% Multiple races

**SY15-16 Enrollment**
- 384

**Graduation Rate**
- 66%

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- Bus: 52 53 54 62 63 70 79
- Metro: Takoma

Type
- Neighborhood
- Application

Facility Highlights
- Outdoor recreation space
- Pool
- Media Center
- Art room

Feeder Schools
- Brightwood Education Campus
- LaSalle-Backus Education Campus
- Whittier Education Campus
- Takoma Education Campus

Uniform
- Yes
- No
**DUNBAR**

“I love my AP English class with Ms. Woods. Her class is preparing me for college. I’m heavily involved with several extracurricular organizations, such as Ladies of Dunbar, Poetry Club, Red Cross Club, and Jewels, Inc.” — Alyssa, Class of 2017

**Why Dunbar High School?**

The mission of Dunbar is to provide an all-inclusive instructional program for students that fosters maximum academic achievement, enabling them to enjoy lifelong learning while becoming productive citizens. All students are encouraged to be well-rounded scholars by participating in Dunbar’s numerous extracurricular activities.

**What great courses can I take?**

**Advanced Placement Courses**
- AP Studio Art/Drawing
- AP English Literature & Composition
- AP English Language & Composition
- AP U.S. History
- AP World History
- AP Psychology
- AP Calculus AB
- AP Biology
- AP Physics 1 Algebra-Based

**Career Education Pathways**
- Early Childhood Education
- Academy of Engineering

**What programs can prepare me for college and career?**

- Naviance
- Dual Enrollment
- SAT Test Prep
- College and Career Field Trips
- Employability Skills Training
- Paid Internships
- JROTC

**What extra-curricular activities can I join?**

- Basketball
- Football
- Poetry
- Robotics
- Swimming
- Drama Club
- Chess Club
- Soccer
- Volleyball
- Baseball
- Softball
- Girls’ Flag Football
- Math Club
- Poetry Club
- Choir
- Band
- Ladies of Dunbar

**School Overview**

**Gender Breakdown**
- Male: 54%
- Female: 46%

**Demographics**
- Black: 95%
- Hispanic/Latino: 4%

**SY15-16 Enrollment**
- 653

**Graduation Rate**
- SY15-16: 74%
ELLINGTON

“There are powerful phoenix stories at this school, and a teacher attached to every single one of them. Ellington’s faculty taught me the art of self-encouragement. They taught me to be confident, hard-working, diligent, detail-oriented...all the skills you really need to succeed.” — Yahzarah, Class of 1998

Why Duke Ellington School of the Arts?

Ellington is the only high school in DC that combines a full college-preparatory curriculum with intensive pre-professional arts training in one of eight majors: Dance, Instrumental Music, Literary Media and Communications, Museum Studies, Technical Design and Production, Theatre, Visual Arts, Vocal Music. Ellington serves diverse and talented students from all Wards of the city. Presently, Ellington is operating from its temporary locations in the Shaw – U Street corridor. Ellington will return to its newly renovated R Street, NW location in Georgetown for SY17-18.

What great courses can I take?

Advanced Placement Courses
- AP Art History
- AP Studio Art/Drawing
- AP English Literature & Composition
- AP English Language & Composition
- AP U.S. History

- AP World History
- AP U.S. Government
- AP Calculus AB
- AP Statistics
- AP Biology
- AP Chemistry
- AP Music Theory

What programs can prepare me for college and career?

- Naviance
- Dual Enrollment
- SAT Test Prep

- College and Career Field Trips
- College Summit

What extra-curricular activities can I join?

- Band
- Alpha Leadership (male mentoring)
- Yearbook
- Flag football

- Girl Talk
- Men of Strength
- Student Government Association
- Show Choir
- Marching Band

School Overview

Gender Breakdown

- Male: 33%
- Female: 67%

Demographics

- Black: 77%
- Hispanic/Latino: 11%
- White: 7%
- Asian: 3%
- Multiple races: 2%

SY15-16 Enrollment: 525

Graduation Rate: 96%
Why Eastern High School?
Eastern provides engaging coursework and extracurricular activities that ensure all students graduate with the knowledge, character and confidence to be leaders. With support from teachers and partners, students set a course of excellence. Our vision is to be the highest-performing comprehensive high school in DCPS by 2020.

What great courses can I take?
Advanced Placement Courses
- AP English Language & Composition
- AP English Language & Composition
- AP U.S. History
- AP Human Geography
- AP Psychology
- AP Computer Science Principles
- AP Environmental Science
- AP Chemistry

Career Education Pathways
- Health and Medical Sciences Academy

What programs can prepare me for college and career?
- Naviance
- Dual Enrollment
- SAT Test Prep
- College and Career Field Trips
- Employability Skills Training
- Paid Internships

What extra-curricular activities can I join?
- Girls Soccer
- Blue and White Marching Machine (Band)
- Girls and Boys Basketball
- Football
- Volleyball

School Overview
Gender Breakdown
- 51% Male
- 49% Female

Demographics
- 98% Black
- 1% Hispanic/Latino
- 1% White

SY15-16 Enrollment
- 967

Graduation Rate
- SY15-16 79%
Why McKinley Technology High School?

McKinley Tech is home to Washington, DC’s young creators, innovators, and STEM scholars. McKinley Tech offers courses in Engineering, Biotechnology, and Information Technology. With a focus on academic rigor, extra-curricular involvement, and real-world experience, McKinley Tech works to develop students who are well-rounded and well-prepared for a four-year college experience.

What great courses can I take?

**Advanced Placement Courses**
- AP English Literature & Composition
- AP English Language & Composition
- AP U.S. History
- AP World History
- AP Human Geography
- AP Psychology
- AP Calculus AB
- AP Computer Science Principles
- AP Biology
- AP Physics 1 (Algebra-Based)

**Career Education Pathways**
- Biotechnology
- Academy of IT
- Academy of Engineering

What programs can prepare me for college and career?

- Naviance
- Dual Enrollment
- SAT Test Prep
- College and Career Field Trips
- Employability Skills Training
- Paid Internships
- School-Sponsored College Tours

What extra-curricular activities can I join?

- Robotics Team
- Drumline/Pep Band
- Debate Team
- Track & Field
- Football
- Dance Team
- Photography Club
- Swimming
- Video Game Club
- Basketball

School Overview

**Gender Breakdown**
- 40% Male
- 60% Female

**Demographics**
- 89% Black
- 6% Hispanic/Latino
- 2% White
- 1% Asian
- 2% Multiple races

**SY15-16 Enrollment**
- 656

**Graduation Rate**
- 99%

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Facility Highlights
- Lunch Courtyard - Robotics Lab - Engineering Labs - 3D Printer Room - Greenhouse - Computer Lab

Type
- Neighborhood
- Application

Uniform
- Yes
- No
PHELPS

“Phelps helped me realize the many opportunities in life by providing numerous college tours and visits for the entire school.” — DeAndre, Class of 2016

Why Phelps Architecture, Construction and Engineering High School?

Phelps is a comprehensive application high school with a rigorous, innovative academic program. We aim to prepare students for higher education and careers in architecture, construction and engineering. Phelps’ new building also boasts computers in every classroom, a virtual heavy equipment simulation lab and Wi-Fi accessibility.

What great courses can I take?

**Advanced Placement Courses**
- AP Studio Art/Drawing
- AP English Literature & Composition
- AP English Language & Composition
- AP U.S. History
- AP Physics 1 Algebra-Based

**Career Education Pathways**
- Architecture/Design
- Carpentry
- Electrical
- HVAC
- Academy of Engineering
- Networking/IT
- Plumbing
- Welding/Sheet Metal

What programs can prepare me for college and career?

- Naviance
- Dual Enrollment (Georgetown and George Washington University)
- SAT Test Prep
- College and Career Field Trips
- Employability Skills Training
- Paid Internships
- JROTC

What extra-curricular activities can I join?

- Debate Team
- Robotics Team
- Varsity Boys & Girls Basketball
- Varsity Football
- YMOP (Young Men of Phelps) Leadership Team
- Marching/Concert Band
- Cooking Club
- Girls Volleyball
- Girls Softball
- Modeling Club
- Girls Flag Football
- HerStory – Girls
- US Navel Be ya Stars and Stripes Mentoring

School Overview

Gender Breakdown

- Male: 63%
- Female: 37%

Demographics

- Black: 96%
- Hispanic/Latino: 4%

SY15-16 Enrollment: 306

Graduation Rate: 94%
RON BROWN

“Ron Brown has limited distractions, with many opportunities for one-on-one time with teachers because of small class sizes. I really enjoy my English I class because Ms. G makes the content engaging and relevant to me.” — Daequan, Class of 2020

Why Ron Brown College Preparatory High School?
Ron Brown is an all-male public high school in Washington, DC that recognizes the importance of educating and developing the entire young man. Ron Brown will provide a rigorous and comprehensive college preparatory curriculum that infuses culturally responsive teaching and social emotional instruction to ensure that all young men are prepared to successfully navigate their post high school pursuits. Driven by the pillars of Character, Scholarship, and Service, Ron Brown seeks to: Prepare young men to be compassionate, honest, disciplined, respectful, and courageous men; Foster a community of academically curious young men who develop grit, perseverance towards academic challenges and who grow into lifelong learners; and Prepare the young men to be tireless servants to their community.

What programs can prepare me for college and career?
- Naviance
- Dual Enrollment
- SAT Test Prep
- College and Career Field Trips

What extra-curricular activities can I join?
- Various Competitive Sports (Cross-Country, Indoor/Outdoor Track, Baseball, Basketball, Swimming, Wrestling, Flag Football, Lacrosse, etc.)
- Competitive Chess
- Band
- Computer Science, Web Design, Gaming, & Programming
- Arts, Beats, and Life
- Debate
- Comic Book Club

School Overview
Gender Breakdown
100% Male

Demographics
100% Black

SY15-16 Enrollment
103

Graduation Rate
New School

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Metro: Deanwood

Type
- Neighborhood
- Application

Facility Highlights
Media production classroom

Uniform
- Yes
- No
ROOSEVELT

“Roosevelt provided a family a family environment in which I felt comfortable talking to all staff about college readiness and making an informed decision”
— Isaiah, Class of 2016

Why Theodore Roosevelt Senior High School?

Theodore Roosevelt High School Global Studies Campus engages students in an educational experience that fosters international understanding and welcomes diversity of thought while preparing students for a globally interconnected world. Roosevelt’s mission is to value all students’ unique talents and encourages and challenges students to become intellectually curious, world language proficient, internationally aware, and globally responsive. With our new International Academy program, we serve scholars now to the United States. For families and students seeking a globally-focused career and college preparatory experience and want to be a part of a transformative movement, Roosevelt is the multicultural comprehensive neighborhood high school of choice.

What great courses can I take?

Advanced Placement Courses
- AP English Literature & Composition
- AP English Language & Composition
- AP U.S. History
- AP World History
- AP Psychology
- AP U.S. Government
- AP Calculus AB
- AP Biology

Career Education Pathways
- Culinary Arts
- Entrepreneurship

What programs can prepare me for college and career?
- Naviance
- Dual Enrollment
- SAT Test Prep
- College and Career Field Trips
- Employability Skills Training
- Paid Internships

What extra-curricular activities can I join?
- Men’s Football
- Men’s and Women’s Basketball
- Student Government Association
- Marching Band
- Men’s and Women’s Soccer

School Overview

Gender Breakdown
- 63% Male
- 37% Female

Demographics
- 62% Black
- 36% Hispanic/Latino
- 1% White

SY15-16 Enrollment
- 482

Graduation Rate
- SY15-16
- 59%
"School Without Walls has given me the ability to take challenging classes in subjects that are interesting to me. For example having the opportunity to enroll in George Washington University classes has given me exposure to what college is like, and I have a head start on college because of my School Without Walls experience." — Matthew, Class of 2017

**Why School Without Walls High School?**

School Without Walls will provide every student with a rigorous, college preparatory, humanities program that incorporates global and local resources in an experiential and interdisciplinary methodology to teaching and learning.

**What great courses can I take?**

- **Advanced Placement Courses**
  - AP Art History
  - AP Studio Art/Drawing
  - AP English Literature & Composition
  - AP English Language & Composition
  - AP U.S. History
  - AP World History
  - AP Human Geography
  - AP Psychology
  - AP U.S. Government

- **AP French Language & Culture**
- **AP Latin**
- **AP Spanish Language & Culture**
- **AP Chinese Language & Culture**
- **AP Calculus AB**
- **AP Calculus BC**
- **AP Statistics**
- **AP Environmental Science**
- **AP Biology**
- **AP Physics 1 Algebra-Based**
- **AP Physics 2 Algebra Based**

**What programs can prepare me for college and career?**

- **Naviance**
- **Dual Enrollment**
- **SAT Test Prep**
- **College and Career Field Trips**

**What extra-curricular activities can I join?**

- **Boys & Girls Soccer**
- **Boys & Girls Lacrosse**
- **Boys & Girls Basketball**
- **Girls Volleyball**
- **Boys & Girls Cross Country**
- **Ski Club**
- **Boys Baseball**
- **Girls Softball**
- **Student Government Association**
- **Model UN**
- **Debate Club**

**School Overview**

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**Metro/Bus Service**

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**Metro:** Foggy Bottom/GWU

**Type**

- Neighborhood
- Application

**Facility Highlights**

Access to GW facilities - Promethean boards in every classroom

**Uniform**

- Yes
- No
“Our best programs are the SAT prep class and the Academic Athletic Achievement Academy, which teaches us discipline and sports management. The career and counseling center is great. They give a lot of advice on colleges and help us use Naviance.”
— Marquis, Class of 2017

**Why Woodrow Wilson High School?**

In 2011, Wilson underwent a complete modernization and was later honored with Gold LEED certification. More than 90% of graduates attend college, and last year’s graduates were collectively offered over $31 million in scholarships. Wilson offers 31 AP courses and 13 honors courses, and fields 40 DCIAA teams and 25 club teams.

**What great courses can I take?**

**Advanced Placement Courses**
- AP Studio Art/Drawing
- AP Studio Art 2-D Design
- AP English Literature & Composition
- AP English Language & Composition
- AP U.S. History
- AP World History
- AP Macroeconomics
- AP Microeconomics
- AP Human Geography
- AP Psychology
- AP U.S. Government
- AP Comparative Government
- AP French Language & Culture
- AP French Literature and Culture
- AP Spanish Literature & Culture
- AP Spanish Language & Culture
- AP Chinese Language & Culture
- AP Latin
- AP Calculus AB
- AP Calculus BC
- AP Statistics
- AP Computer Science Principles
- AP ULM Computer Science
- AP Environmental Science
- AP Biology
- AP Chemistry
- AP Physics C Mechanics
- AP Physics C Electricity & Magnetism
- AP Physics 1 Algebra-Based
- AP Studio Art: 3-D Design

**Career Education Pathways**
- Biomedical Sciences
- Digital Media
- Engineering
- Finance
- Mass Media (Film/Video)
- Academy of Hospitality and Tourism

**What programs can prepare me for college and career?**
- Naviance
- Dual Enrollment
- SAT Test Prep
- College and Career Field Trips
- Employability Skills Training
- Paid Internships
- JROTC

**What extra-curricular activities can I join?**
- Human Rights Club
- Red Kettle Club
- Gay Straight Alliance
- Debate
- Wilson Players
- Student Government
- Art Club
- Band
- Choir
- Dance Team
- National Honor Society
- Video Game Club
- Gamelan Club
- Live Streaming Club
- Athletic Training Student Aides
- Robotics

**School Overview**

**Gender Breakdown**
- Male: 46%
- Female: 46%
- Other: 8%

**Demographics**
- Black: 35%
- Hispanic/Latino: 23%
- White: 30%
- Asian: 7%
- Multiple races: 5%
- Native American: 1%

**SY15-16 Enrollment**
- Total: 1791

**Graduation Rate**
- SY15-16: 88%
WOODSON

“Woodson has great courses, scholarship opportunities, and programs (especially STEM), that will prepare me for my next steps in life.” — Sumiayah, Class of 2019

Why H.D. Woodson Senior High School?
Woodson is committed to a standards-driven education in which all students succeed. Woodson has a strong academic legacy and a history of impressive athletic achievement. In addition to offering a variety of extracurricular activities, Woodson also offers students AP and accelerated course offerings, Advancement Via Individual Determination (AVID), JROTC, and STEM academies focused in Information Technology (IT)/Engineering.

What great courses can I take?
Advanced Placement Courses
- AP U.S. Government
- AP Statistics
- AP Environmental Science
- AP Computer Science Level III

Career Education Pathways
- Academy of IT
- Academy of Engineering

What programs can prepare me for college and career?
- Naviance
- Dual Enrollment
- SAT Test Prep
- College and Career Field Trips
- Employability Skills Training
- Paid Internships

What extra-curricular activities can I join?
- Football
- Basketball (Girls/Boys)
- Bowling
- Robotics
- Student Government
- Modeling

School Overview
Gender Breakdown
- 66% Male
- 44% Female

Demographics
- 99% Black
- 1% Hispanic/Latino

SY15-16 Enrollment
- 660

Graduation Rate
- SY15-16
- 76%
PREPARING YOUR CHILD FOR SUCCESS IN COLLEGE AND CAREER

OVER 75% of jobs in the DC area require some form of postsecondary education. Within DCPS high schools, we offer many resources to prepare our students to succeed in college and career.

CAREER EDUCATION PATHWAYS:

DCPS offers 21 CAREER EDUCATION PATHWAYS across our high schools. Each Career Education Pathway consists of 3 or 4 courses that students take in addition to their core high school classes.

Career Education Pathways are rigorous, engaging, lead to college, and include the following components:

- Industry-valued certification exams
- Paid internship opportunities
- Employability skills training
- College and career field trips

Students interested in enrolling in a Career Education Pathway should speak with their school’s counselor and teachers.
DCPS GOES TO COLLEGE!

It’s never too early to start preparing for college!
All these resources are available to all DCPS high school students and families.

**Naviance:** Use Naviance to learn more about colleges and career opportunities available to you, and track your progress along the steps to meet your postsecondary goals.
http://dcps.dc.gov/page/create-smart-college-list-naviance

**SAT Test Prep:** Almost all colleges require applicants to submit SAT scores. Practice makes perfect! All DCPS students can take SAT Test Prep for free via the College Board’s Khan Academy: https://www.khanacademy.org/sat.

**DCPS Scholarship & Financial Aid:** College tuition can be expensive – but there are many financial aid and scholarship options available that can make it affordable. DCPS posts all scholarship and financial aid resources in Naviance.

**Dual Enrollment:** In collaboration with local colleges and universities, DCPS offers its students the opportunity to maintain their high school status while enrolling part-time or full-time at a participating college or university.
http://dcps.dc.gov/service/college-prep-programs

For more information on college and career programs go to
http://dcps.dc.gov/collegecareer
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