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## Profile Data

### Administration

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### Community

Grayslake Central High School, one of two high schools in District 127, is a four-year comprehensive public high school in Lake County, which offers challenging programs for students of all ability levels. It has 10 public and private sender schools from communities within the townships of Avon, Fremont, Grant, Lake Villa and Warren. Sending districts include Grayslake, Woodland, and Fremont. Grayslake, a residential community, is located 50 miles northwest of Chicago.

### School

GCHS has an enrollment of 1,460 students. The academic school year consists of two semesters. The school day is divided into eight, 50-minute periods.

### School Enrollment

Seniors	388
Juniors	370
Sophomores	364
Freshmen	<u>342</u>
Total	1,460

Average Class Size:	District:	22
	State:	22

### Class of 2015 Graduates = 353

# of Students	Decisions	% of Class
322	2 and 4 year college	91.22 %
8	Work	2.27 %
8	Military	2.27 %
15	Undecided	4.24 %

### 2015 Grayslake Central AP Scholar Recognitions

AP Scholar	AP Scholar with Honor	Scholar with Distinction	National AP Scholar
63 students	33 students	84 students	24 students

### Affiliations and Recognitions

District 127 is recognized by the Illinois State Board of Education and is a member of the College Board and the Association for Supervision and Curriculum Development. District 127 is renowned for academic excellence. Grayslake Central was ranked 15<sup>th</sup> in Illinois and 262 in the country in the Newsweek "America's Top High Schools" report and 15<sup>th</sup> in Illinois for the Washington Post Challenge. In addition, District 127 is a recipient of the Bright Red Apple Award for educational excellence and has received Financial Recognition Status for eleven consecutive years, the highest financial recognition awarded by the Illinois State Board of Education.



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### Testing Profile

**CEEB: 142-135**

### Class of 2015

**GCHS Core or More ACT Composite: 24.7**

#### Overall Average ACT:

	English	Math	Composite
GCHS average:	22.7	22.7	22.9
State average:	20.3	20.7	20.7

#### PSAT - Juniors: 88 Tests Administered

Critical Reading mean:	56.3 / 80
Math mean:	60 / 80
Writing mean:	55.4 / 80

#### PSAT - Sophomores: 98 Tests Administered

Critical Reading mean:	52.2 / 80
Math mean:	56 / 80
Writing mean:	51 / 80

### Advanced Placement Test Results

In May of 2015, a total of 427 students wrote 967 exams. Of the exams taken in May, 2014, 89.2% of the scores were 3 or better. The following AP courses are available:

Biology	Human Geography
Calculus AB	Music Theory
Calculus BC	Physics I
Chemistry	Physics II
Economics Macro	Physics C: Electricity and Magnetism
Economics Micro	Physics C: Mechanics
English Language	Psychology
English Lit. & Comp.	Spanish Language
Environmental Science	Statistics
European History	U.S. Government & Politics
French Language	U.S. History

### Graduation Requirements

(District 127 Board of Education Policy 6:300)

Applied Arts	½ year	0.5 unit
Consumer Education	½ year	0.5 unit
Driver Education	½ year	0.5 unit
English	4 years	4.0 units
Fine Arts	1 year	1.0 unit
Health Education*	½ year	0.5 unit
Mathematics	3 years	3.0 units
Physical Education*	3 ½ years	3.5 units
Science	2 years	2.0 units
Social Studies	3 years	3.0 units
Electives		4.5 units

- Students must successfully complete one year of United States History and pass tests on the Illinois and Federal Constitutions.
- Students must demonstrate college and career readiness on a state proficiency exam.
- One Carnegie Unit must be earned in art, world language, music and/or technical education courses. A total of 23 Carnegie Units are required.
- \*Students must pass life fitness every semester in which they are enrolled except in the semester they are enrolled in health or when they are exempted by Board Policy.

### Grade Point Average and Class Rank

#### Grading Scale

District 127 has a standardized grading scale throughout the district. The following grading scale and corresponding grades are used by all the teachers:

90–100 = A	60–69 = D
80–89 = B	59 & below = F
70–79 = C	

**Class Rank:** District 127 is no longer publishing class rank on student transcripts sent after November 13, 2015. During the transition, some student transcripts may contain class rank and some may not.

**Grade Point Average (G.P.A.):** A student's G.P.A. is computed using semester grades. G.P.A. is determined by averaging the grades which students receive in most of their classes. All courses are figured into the G.P.A. except the following: Independent Study Courses, Correspondence Courses, Physical Education, Pass/Fail Courses, Independent Project and Work Study.

#### Weighting of Grades

AP Level	Honors Level	All Other Courses
A 5.0	A 4.5	A 4.0
B 4.0	B 3.5	B 3.0
C 3.0	C 2.5	C 2.0
D 1.0	D 1.0	D 1.0