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 and Woodland. Grayslake is a residential community located 50 miles northwest of Chicago.

School
GCHS has an enrollment of 1,418 students. The academic school year consists of two semesters. The school day is divided into eight, 50-minute periods.

School Enrollment
Seniors 371
Juniors 361
Sophomores 342
Freshmen 344
Total 1,418

Average Class Size: District: 21
State: 21

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 21st in Illinois and 449 in the country in the Newsweek “America’s Top High Schools” report and 27th 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 twelve consecutive years, the highest financial recognition awarded by the Illinois State Board of Education.
Profile Data

Testing Profile

CEEB: 142-135

Class of 2016 GCHS Core or More ACT Composite: 24.6

Class of 2016 Overall Average ACT:

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State average: 20.5 20.6 20.8

Class of 2017 PSAT NMSQT - Juniors: 135 Tests

Administered

| English/Reading/Writing mean: | 577 |
| Math mean:                  | 573 |
| Composite mean:             | 1151 |

Class of 2018 PSAT NMSQT - Sophomores: 134 Tests

Administered

| English/Reading/Writing mean: | 551 |
| Math mean:                  | 548 |
| Composite mean:             | 1099 |

Advanced Placement Test Results

In May of 2016, a total of 481 students wrote 1102 exams. Of the exams taken in May, 2015, 81.2% 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
- Computer Science
- Physics C: Electricity and Magnetism
- Economics Micro
- Physics C: Mechanics
- Economics Macro
- Psychology
- English Language
- Spanish Language
- English Lit. & Comp
- Statistics
- Environmental Science
- Studio Art
- European History
- U.S. Government & Politics
- French Language
- U.S. History

Grade Point Average and Class Rank

Grading Scale

District 127 has a standardized grading scale. 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 transcripts sent after November 15, 2015. During the transition, some student transcripts will have class rank and some will 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

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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 demonstrate college and career readiness on a state proficiency exam.
- 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.