



OAKDALE HIGH SCHOOL

2020-2021 PROFILE FOR COLLEGE AND UNIVERSITY ADMISSIONS

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MISSION STATEMENT

The mission of the Oakdale High School Community is to develop thoughtful, lifelong, global citizens through an innovative, rigorous, and supportive learning environment.

ENROLLMENT

Oakdale High School opened in August 2010 as the result of a countywide redistricting process. Anticipated enrollment for the 2020-2021 school year is approximately 1,350 students. The school serves an area that is primarily a residential suburb located approximately 6 miles east of Frederick, Maryland.

SCHEDULE

We operate on a two-semester block schedule. Students may complete up to four credits each semester in 80-minute classes. Courses are distinct entities earning full credit in one semester. There are two semesters in each academic school year creating exceptional academic opportunities for students. For example, it is possible for a student to complete both Spanish 1 and Spanish 2 in the same school year or both AP Calculus AB and AP Calculus BC. The schedule also provides additional time for student enrichment. Student Enrichment Time (SET) is a 35-minute interval embedded into the school day to provide students with support to meet the demands of increased academic rigor and to enrich their learning experience.

CURRICULUM

To receive a Maryland High School Diploma, students must earn 25 credits. These include, 4 credits of English, 4 credits of Mathematics (Algebra 1 and Geometry required), 3 credits of Science (Biology required), 3 credits of History, (American Studies, Government, Modern World History required), .5 credit of Health and .5 credit of Fitness, .5 credit of financial literacy, 1 credit of Technology and 1 Fine Art credit. In addition, students must complete a course of study in the area of a world language, advanced technology or a career and technology program. In accordance with Maryland State standards, students must also meet proficiency status on the Maryland assessment exams including HSA and PARRCC and meet the required 75 hours of student service learning or community service.

HONORS and ADVANCED PLACEMENT COURSES

Students are eligible for Honors or AP courses after meeting course and grade pre-requisites, all students who take an AP course are encouraged to take the AP exam. Oakdale High School offers honor level courses in each core academic subject and World Language. Dual Enrollment and virtual courses are available for students to pursue interests in subject areas not currently offered in the school.

DUAL ENROLLMENT PROGRAM

Our students have the opportunity to access college courses for credit through a partnership with Frederick Community College. The student transcript reflects credits earned through the college dual enrollment program.

DEMOGRAPHICS

Approximate enrollment of 1,350 students. Approximately 72% white, 10% Hispanic, 6% Black/African American, 7% Asian and 5% other minority. Approximately 9% qualify for free or reduced lunch.

COVID-19

Due to COVID-19, Frederick County Public Schools (FCPS), transitioned to virtual Continuity of Learning for the remainder of the 2019-20 school-year on March 16, 2020. Students completed the school year in virtual learning, opting for traditional grades (A, B, C, D, F) or P (pass) or INCL (incomplete) for term 4. Most final grades for semester 2 are traditional grades after 3rd and 4th terms were averaged. For the 2020-21 school-year, FCPS will be implementing a more structured virtual learning approach for semester 1 with asynchronous and synchronous learning.

GRADING SYSTEM

A	90-100%	C=70-79%
B	80-89%	D=60-69%
		F=59%

HI = Home Instruction
P = Pass

GPA/RANK

Unweighted	A=4.00
	B=3.00
	C=2.00
	D=1.00

Weighted*	A=5.00
	B=3.75
	C=2.50
	D=1.25

TEST SCORES

Advanced Placement Exams

292 students took 478 exams and 78 percent scored a “3” or better

SAT

2019 results are the latest available:

Critical Reading: 562

Math: 555

Mean total Score: 1117

OAKDALE HIGH SCHOOL LEADERSHIP ACADEMY

The Oakdale High School Leadership Academy empowers tomorrow’s leaders today, by equipping students with the skills and processes necessary to effectively lead in the dynamic world in which we live.

ADVANCED PLACEMENT (AP) OFFERINGS:

English Language & Composition, English Literature & Composition, Government & Political Science, US History, Psychology, World History, Human Geography, Biology, Environmental Science, Chemistry, Physics, Calculus 1 & 2, Statistics, Computer Science, Macroeconomics, Spanish, and French.

Oakdale High School currently offers 19 Honors courses and 18 Advanced Placement courses.

DUAL ENROLLMENT OFFERINGS 2020-21:

English 101, English 102, Biology 101, Elementary Statistics 206, Information Systems and Technology CIS 101.

STUDENT ACTIVITIES

Athletics

Baseball, Basketball, Cheerleading, Cross Country, Field Hockey, Football, Golf, Indoor & Outdoor Track, Lacrosse, Soccer, Softball, Swim & Diving, Tennis, Unified Sports, Volleyball, Wrestling

Fine & Performing Arts

Marching Band, Concert Band, Intro to Theatre, Acting, Advanced Acting, Piano, Guitar, Vocal Ensemble, Concert Choir. Dance and Poms Teams.

Clubs & Organizations

Academic Team, American Sign Language, American Red Cross, Animation, Anime/Manga, Arts and Crafts, Book, Chemistry, Chess, Creative Writing, English National Honor Society, Equestrian, Fellowship of Christian Athletes FCA, French, Freshman Class, Future Business Leaders of America, Future Farmers of America, Future Teachers of America, History of Rock and Roll, Ice Hockey, Indoor Percussion and Indoor Guard, Interact, Junior Class, Classics, Mathematics National Honor Society, Mock Trial, Model United Nations, Multicultural, National Honor Society, Necktie, Oakdale Ambassadors, Polar Plunge, Robotics, Science National Honor Society, Senior Class, Sexuality and Gender Alliance, Show Choir, Sing It, Sophomore Class, Spanish Club, Spanish National Honor Society, Start Up Frederick, Students for Environmental Action, Travel, Vegetarian, Walking and Getting Active, Yoga