

COMSEWOGUE HIGH SCHOOL

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School Profile 2023 - 2024

COMSEWOGUE HIGH SCHOOL MISSION STATEMENT

The Mission of Comsewogue High School is to enlighten and empower students in becoming lifelong learners through enduring personal connections with each stakeholder; by creating a collaborative environment where students, teachers, administrators and community members partner in creating a well-rounded academic, athletic and social environment; where people are inspired to reach their maximum potential and become leaders in society.

HIGH SCHOOL

Comsewogue High School is a comprehensive four-year public high school enrolling over 1,300 students in grades 9 through 12 and we have a professional teaching staff of approximately 90. The school opened in the Fall of 1971 and graduated its first senior class in the Spring of 1972. Comsewogue High School has a strong commitment to excellence in education. Our current senior class consist of about 309 students.

COMMUNITY

Situated on the North Shore of Long Island, the Comsewogue School District is comprised primarily of the Port Jefferson Station and Terryville areas of northern Brookhaven Town in Suffolk County, approximately sixty miles from New York City. Our school district educates approximately 4,000 students in the four elementary schools, a middle school, and a high school. Our community holds high expectations for an outstanding education and Comsewogue High School delivers while inspiring in each student a passion to excel.

ADMINISTRATION

Michael J. Mosca, Principal
John Roche, Assistant Principal
Christopher Cherouvis, Assistant Principal

COUNSELING CENTER

Clarissa Porrello, Subject Leader of Guidance
Brenda Hirko, Counselor
Jeannine Jorgensen, Counselor
Melissa Fiore, Counselor
Sean Tremblay, Counselor

GRADUATION REQUIREMENTS

SUBJECTS	REGENTS/ADVANCED DIPLOMA
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	Credits
English	4
Social Studies	4
Mathematics	3
Science	3
Second Language	3
Health	½
Art and/or Music	1
Electives	½
Physical Education	2
Total Credits	22

DIPLOMAS AWARDED

Regents Diplomas: Students must also pass 5 required Regents examinations with a score of 65 or better as follows: 1 math, 1 science, 1 social studies, ELA and 1 Pathway Assessment.

Advanced Regents Diploma: Students may meet the assessment requirements in order to earn a Regents Diploma with Advanced Designation by passing any one of the following combinations of Regents examinations and/or Department approved alternatives if applicable:

- Traditional Combination:** ELA, Global History and Geography, US History and Government, 3 mathematics, 2 science, 1 must be life science and 1 must be physical science)=8 Assessments
- Pathway Combination** (other than STEM); ELA, 1 social studies, 3 mathematics, 2 science (1 must be life science and 1 must be physical science), 1 Pathway (other than science or mathematics)=8 Assessments
- STEM (Mathematics) Pathway ⁽²⁾ Combination** ELA, 1 social studies, 4 mathematics, 2 science (1 must be life science and 1 must be physical science)=8 Assessments
- STEM (Science) Pathway ⁽²⁾ Combination:** ELA, 1 social studies, 3 mathematics, 3 science (1 must be life science and 1 must be physical science)=8 Assessments

In addition a student must pass either a locally developed Checkpoint B LOTE examination or complete a 5 unit sequence in the Arts or CTE.

Regents Diploma with Honors and Advanced Regents with Honors: Students must meet all assessment requirements for the Regents Diploma or Advanced Regents Diploma with a computed average score of 90 or better and fulfill all credit requirements.

THE TRANSCRIPT

All final grades earned, including those earned in summer school, are recorded on the high school transcript. Course grades in physical education classes are not calculated towards the student's cumulative GPA. Minimum passing grade is 65; P = Passed, F = Failed, S = Satisfactory, U = Unsatisfactory.

COVID-19 PANDEMIC

In response to the unprecedented circumstances surrounding the COVID-19 Pandemic, during the 2019-2020 students were exempt from any Regents exams they were scheduled for in June and August 2020 as well as January, June, and August 2021. Additionally, New York State canceled the January 2022 United States History and Government exam and were granted an exemption. Exemptions are reflected on the transcript as "EX".

Due to the continued impact of the pandemic, the NYS Board of Regents extended the existing process to file an appeal to graduate with a lower score on one or more Regents exams through a special appeal. Special appeals are reflected on the transcript as "SA".

EVALUATION OF SENIOR PERFORMANCE

In accordance with Comsewogue School District's policy, we do not rank students. In place of traditional ranking, we calculate a weighted and unweighted grade point average for each senior which is recorded on his or her transcript.

GRADE CONVERSION TABLE/COHORT GROUP

NUMERIC EQUIVALENT	LETTER
97 to 100	A+
94 to 96	A
90 to 93	A-
87 to 89	B+
84 to 86	B
80 to 83	B-
77 to 79	C+
74 to 76	C
70 to 73	C-
67 to 69	D+
65 to 66	D
64 or below	F

HONOR SOCIETIES

Comsewogue High School is a charter member of the National Honor Society. Students who are enrolled in Art, French, Italian, Music (Tri-M), English, Spanish, Social Studies, Math and Science may apply for membership to the National Honor Societies.

College Level Courses: Qualified High School juniors and seniors may take college level courses offered by St. John's University, SUNY Farmingdale, Suffolk Community College and Stony Brook University. Students can earn college credits while learning in the high school environment.

CLASS OF 2023 PERFORMANCE STATISTICS

Diploma Information

* Regents – 38%

* Advanced Regents – 41%

* Advanced Regents w/Honors – 20%

*Skills & Achievement Commencement Credential [SACC] – 1%

Graduate Placement

- Total Graduates – 259
- 4 year -52%
- 2 year – 32%
- Employment – 12%
- Military – 1%
- Other – 3%

COMSEWOGUE HIGH SCHOOL CLASS OF 2023

COLLEGES ACCEPTANCES

Adelphi University	SUNY Broome Community College	Delaware State University
University of Alabama in Huntsville	Brown University	University of Delaware
The University of Alabama	Bryant University	University of Denver
Alaska Pacific University	Bucknell University	DeSales University
Albany College of Pharmacy and Health Sciences	Cabrini University	Drexel University
Albertus Magnus College	Caldwell University	Duke University
Alfred State College	California Institute of Technology	D'Youville University
Alfred University	University of California-Berkeley	East Carolina University
Alliance University	University of California-Los Angeles	East Stroudsburg University of Pennsylvania
Alvernia University	University of California-San Diego	Eastern Connecticut State University
American International College	Carnegie Mellon University	Elon University
American University	Cazenovia College	Embry-Riddle Aeronautical University-Daytona Beach
Aquinas College	University of Central Florida	Emerson College
Arcadia University	Charleston Southern University	Emmanuel College
Arizona State University-Tempe	College of Charleston	Emory University
University of Arizona	Chicago State University	Erie Community College-North Campus
Art Center College of Design	University of Chicago	Fairfield University
Auburn University	Christopher Newport University	Fairleigh Dickinson University-Metropolitan Campus
Augusta University	CUNY City College	Farmingdale State College
Ball State University	Clark University	Fashion Institute of Technology
Bard College	Clarkson University	Felician University
Barton College	Clemson University	Fitchburg State University
CUNY Bernard M Baruch College	Coastal Carolina University	Flagler College
Baylor University	Colby-Sawyer College	Florida Atlantic University
Belmont Abbey College	Colgate University	Florida Gulf Coast University
Bentley University	University of Colorado Boulder	Florida Institute of Technology
Berklee College of Music	Colorado State University-Fort Collins	Florida International University
Berry College	Columbia University in the City of New York	Florida Southern College
Binghamton University	Commonwealth University - Bloomsburg, Lock Haven and Mansfield	Florida State University
Binghamton University (School of Management)	Connecticut College	University of Florida
Boston College	University of Connecticut	Fordham University
Boston University	Cooper Union for the Advancement of Science and Art	Framingham State University
Boston University (College of Arts and Sciences)	Cornell University	Franklin Pierce University
Bowie State University	The City University of New York - CUNY	Gannon University
University of Bridgeport	Curry College	George Mason University
Bridgewater College	Daemen University	Georgia Institute of Technology-Main Campus
The University of British Columbia	Dartmouth College	University of Georgia
CUNY Brooklyn College		Gordon College

Hamilton College	Manhattan College	University of New Hampshire-Main Campus
University of Hartford	Manhattanville College	University of New Haven
Hartwick College	Marist College	New Jersey Institute of Technology
Harvard University	Mars Hill University	The College of New Jersey
Hawaii Pacific University	University of Maryland-Baltimore County	New School of Architecture + Design
High Point University	University of Maryland-College Park	New York Institute of Technology
Hillsdale College	Marymount Manhattan College	New York University
Hofstra University	Marymount University	Niagara University
Hudson Valley Community College	Marywood University	Nichols College
CUNY Hunter College	Massachusetts College of Art and Design	The University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill
University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign	Massachusetts College of Liberal Arts	University of North Carolina at Charlotte
Indiana University of Pennsylvania-Main Campus	Massachusetts College of Pharmacy and Health Sciences	University of North Carolina Wilmington
Iona University	University of Massachusetts-Dartmouth	North Carolina State University at Raleigh
Ithaca College	Massachusetts Institute of Technology	University of North Florida
James Madison University	University of Massachusetts-Amherst	Northeastern University
CUNY John Jay College of Criminal Justice	University of Massachusetts-Boston	Northwestern University
Johns Hopkins University	University of Massachusetts-Lowell	Norwich University
Johnson & Wales University-Charlotte	McGill University	Notre Dame of Maryland University
Johnson & Wales University-Providence	Medaille College	University of Notre Dame
Kean University	CUNY Medgar Evers College	Nova Southeastern University
Keene State College	Mercy University	Oregon State University
Keiser University - Flagship Campus, FL	Mercyhurst University	Pace University, New York City Campus
Keuka College	Merrimack College	Pennsylvania State University-Penn State Main Campus
Keystone College	University of Miami	Pennsylvania State University-Penn State Abington
King's College	Michigan State University	University of Pennsylvania
Kutztown University of Pennsylvania	University of Michigan-Ann Arbor	Pepperdine University
La Salle University	Middlebury College	University of Pittsburgh-Pittsburgh Campus
Lander University	Millersville University of Pennsylvania	Plymouth State University
Lasell University	University of Mississippi	Pratt Institute-Main
Le Moyne College	Molloy University	Princeton University
Lebanon Valley College	Monmouth University	Providence College
Lees-McRae College	Montclair State University	SUNY at Purchase College
Lehigh University	Moravian University	Purdue University-Main Campus
CUNY Lehman College	Morgan State University	CUNY Queens College
Liberty University	College of Mount Saint Vincent	CUNY Queens College (Macaulay Honors College)
Long Island University - Post	Nassau Community College	Quinnipiac University
Louisiana State University	New College of Florida	Rensselaer Polytechnic Institute
Loyola University Maryland	New England College	Rhode Island College
University of Maine	University of New England	Rhode Island School of Design

University of Rhode Island	Springfield College	The University of Texas at Dallas
Rice University	St Bonaventure University	Culinary Institute of America
Roanoke College	St. Francis College	The George Washington University
Rochester Institute of Technology	St. John Fisher University	The New School
University of Rochester	St. John's University-New York	Ohio State University-Main Campus
Roger Williams University	St. Joseph's University, New York - Long Island Campus	University of Toronto
Rollins College	St. Joseph's University - New York	Tufts University
Rowan University	St. Lawrence University	Union College (NY)
Russell Sage College	Stanford University	University at Albany, SUNY
Rutgers University-Camden	State University of New York at New Paltz	University at Buffalo
Rutgers University-Newark	Upstate Medical University	University of Oregon
Sacred Heart University	College of Staten Island CUNY	Utica University
Saint Joseph's College of Maine	Stetson University	Vanderbilt University
Saint Joseph's University	Stevens Institute of Technology	Vassar College
University of Saint Joseph	Stonehill College	University of Vermont
Saint Leo University	Stony Brook University	Villanova University
Saint Michael's College	Suffolk County Community College	Virginia Tech
Salisbury University	SUNY Brockport	University of Virginia-Main Campus
Salve Regina University	SUNY Buffalo State	Wagner College
University of San Diego	SUNY College of Agriculture and Technology at Cobleskill	Wake Forest University
University of San Francisco	SUNY Cortland	Washington College
Savannah College of Art & Design - SCAD	SUNY College at Geneseo	Washington University in St Louis
School of Visual Arts	SUNY Morrisville	Wellesley College
University of Scranton	SUNY College at Old Westbury	Wells College
Seton Hall University	SUNY Oneonta	Wentworth Institute of Technology
Shenandoah University	SUNY College at Potsdam	Wesleyan University
Shippensburg University of Pennsylvania	SUNY College of Technology at Canton	West Chester University of Pennsylvania
Siena College	SUNY College of Technology at Delhi	Western Connecticut State University
Skidmore College	SUNY at Fredonia	Western New England University
Smith College	SUNY Maritime College	Westfield State University
The Sophie Davis School of Biomedical Education	SUNY College at Oswego	Widener University
South Carolina State University	SUNY College at Plattsburgh	Wilkes University
University of South Carolina-Columbia	SUNY Polytechnic Institute	William & Mary
University of South Florida-Main Campus	Syracuse University	Wingate University
Southern California Institute of Architecture	The University of Tampa	University of Wisconsin-Madison
University of Southern California	Temple University	Worcester State University
Southern Connecticut State University	The University of Tennessee-Knoxville	Yale University
University of Southern Maine	Texas A & M University-College Station	York College of Pennsylvania
Southern New Hampshire University	The University of Texas at Austin	CUNY York College