

CONESTOGA HIGH SCHOOL

Tredyffrin/Easttown School District



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General Information

Grades	9 - 12	Length of Semester	20 Weeks
Enrollment	2,326	Type of School.	Public
Teaching Faculty.	148	Teacher to Student Ratio	1:15

Community

Located 15 miles west of Philadelphia in eastern Chester County, Tredyffrin and Easttown Townships form a suburban school district whose residents primarily engage in professional and business occupations.

Curriculum

Students must earn 24 credits to meet graduation requirements. An individual program is developed for each student, and courses are offered at varying levels of difficulty. In the 2019 - 2020 school year, 89% of Conestoga students enrolled in at least one Honors level course, and 53% of Conestoga students enrolled in at least one Advanced Placement (AP) course.

Independent study, self-directed learning, and other enrichment opportunities are available in all disciplines. Qualifying seniors (98%) participate in a four-week career internship program in May and June.

Instructional Levels

Students are grouped by instructional levels in all academic departments: English, Mathematics, Social Studies, Science, and World Languages.

Levels are designated on the transcript as follows:

AP/H* - Advanced Placement H - Honors X - Accelerated A - Academic
 Students are heterogeneously grouped in other departments, except where Advanced Placement courses are offered.

National Merit Recognition 2020

- 29 National Merit Scholarship Semifinalists
- 27 National Merit Commended Students
- 1 National Hispanic Scholar

College Board Advanced Placement

In May 2020, 952 Conestoga students completed 2,017 AP tests. For the Class of 2020, 67% of students took at least one AP test during high school and scored a 3 or better. Among the Class of 2020:

Recognition	Students	Mean score
National AP Scholars	53	4.61
AP Scholars with Distinction	143	4.30
AP Scholars with Honor	22	3.76
AP Scholars	33	3.23

Advanced Placement Courses

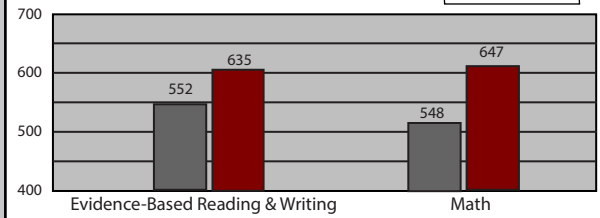
Eng. Lang. & Comp.	European History	Seminar
Eng. Lit. & Comp.	World History	Research
French Language	Psychology	Calculus AB
German Language	Econ. Micro & Macro	Calculus BC
Italian Language	Biology	Computer Science A
Latin	Chemistry	Computer Sci Principles
Spanish Language	Physics C: Mechanics	Art History
U.S. Gov & Politics	Physics C: Elec & Mag	Studio Art: Drawing
Comp. Gov & Politics	Environmental Science	Studio Art: 2-D Design
U.S. History	Statistics	Music Theory

2020 AP Scores

Score	# exams	% exams
5	648	32%
4	678	34%
3	384	22%
Total	1,630	88%

2,017 AP Exams - Mean Score: 3.8

Class of 2020 SAT Mean Scores



Class of 2020 ACT

	CHS	State
English	27.9	23.4
Math	27.6	23.2
Reading	28.2	24.3
Science	27.1	23.4
Composite	27.8	23.7



Grading System

A 90 -100	O Outstanding	WP Withdraw Passing
B 80 - 89	S Satisfactory	WF Withdraw Failing
C 70 - 79	N Needs Improvement	TR Transfer Credit
D 65 - 69	U Unsatisfactory	MX Medically Excused
F < 65	IN Incomplete	CP Cert. Oral Presenter
	P Passing	
	F Failing	

Grade Point Average (GPA)

The GPA is cumulative, including only leveled courses taken at Conestoga valued at 0.5 credit or more. The Unweighted GPA is reported on the transcript along with the Weighted GPA. Due to COVID-19 during the spring of the 2019-20 school year, Conestoga students achieving a passing grade for the fourth quarter were assigned the numeric grade earned only if it improved the student's final average. Students not achieving a passing grade for the fourth marking period were assigned the grade they earned.

Weighted/Unweighted GPA

The **Unweighted GPA** is computed on a traditional 4.0 system in which grades are valued as follows: A (90-100) 4.0, B (80-89) 3.0, C (70-79) 2.0, D (65-69) 1.0. The **Weighted GPA** is adjusted to reflect levels of instruction.

2020 Senior Class Weighted GPA/SAT Bands

> 4.70	1462	32%
4.69 - 4.20	1321	30%
4.19 - 3.70	1211	19%
3.69 - 3.20	1094	16%
3.19 - 2.69	1069	7%
< 2.68	971	2%

Key: GPA BAND SAT MEAN SCORE

Highlights for the Class of 2020

- Class of 2020 attending college: 4-year 95% 2-year 1%
- Conestoga High School ranked among the best high schools nationally in numerous commercial publications including *Newsweek*, *The Washington Post* and *Niche.com*
- Ten students recognized by the Pennsylvania Music Educators Association as All-Region Band, Orchestra or Choir
- Thirty-one Central Athletic League Titles , Seven PIAA District Two Titles, and Two State Titles in Boys Soccer while the class of 2020 attended Conestoga (2016-2020)

College Destinations for the Class of 2020

Members of the Conestoga High School Class of 2020 have matriculated to the colleges and universities listed below. In a typical year, more than 75% of Conestoga graduates attend colleges listed in *The Best 378 Colleges*, a publication of the Princeton Review. Where more than one student enrolled, the number of students is indicated in parentheses.

American University	Emory University (2)	Pennsylvania State University (68)	University of California-Berkeley
Arizona State University	Fairfield University	Point Loma Nazarene University	University of California-Los Angeles
Auburn University	Fairleigh Dickinson University	Pratt Institute	University of Chicago (2)
Babson College	Florida International University	Princeton University (3)	University of Cincinnati
Baylor University (2)	Florida State University	Purdue University (3)	University of Colorado Boulder (5)
Belmont University	Fordham University (3)	Rice University	University of Connecticut
Bloomsburg University (5)	Franklin and Marshall College	Rider University	University of Delaware (15)
Boston College (3)	George Washington University (3)	Rochester Institute of Technology	University of Florida (3)
Boston University (2)	Georgetown University (2)	Rosemont College	University of Georgia (2)
Brandeis University	Gettysburg College (6)	Royal Institute of Technology (Sweden)	University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign (3)
Bryant University	Hamilton College	Saint Joseph's University (2)	University of Maryland (2)
Bryn Mawr College (2)	Harvard College	Salisbury University	University of Miami (2)
Bucknell University (6)	Haverford College (4)	San Diego State University (4)	University of Michigan (5)
Cabrini University (3)	Indiana University of Pennsylvania	Savannah College of Art and Design	University of Minnesota
California State Polytechnic University	Indiana University-Bloomington (4)	School of the Art Institute of Chicago	University of North Carolina
Carnegie Mellon University (3)	Ithaca College (2)	Shippensburg University	University of Notre Dame (2)
Case Western Reserve University (3)	James Madison University (5)	Southern Illinois University	University of Pennsylvania (10)
Catholic University of America	Jefferson University	Southern Methodist University (2)	University of Pittsburgh (28)
Clark University	Johns Hopkins University	Stanford University	University of Redlands
Clemson University (5)	Kutztown University (3)	Stevens Institute of Technology	University of Rhode Island
Colgate University	La Salle University (3)	Stonehill College	University of Richmond (4)
College of Charleston (4)	Lafayette College	Susquehanna University	University of Rochester (2)
College of the Holy Cross	Lehigh University (9)	Swarthmore College (2)	University of South Carolina (8)
Columbia University (2)	Loyola University Maryland	Syracuse University (3)	University of Southern California (2)
Community College of Philadelphia	Manhattan School of Music	Temple University (28)	University of the Arts
Connecticut College	McGill University	Texas A&M University	University of the Sciences
Cornell University (6)	Miami University-Oxford	Texas Christian University	University of Vermont (7)
CUNY Hunter College	Michigan State University	The Ohio State University	University of Virginia (6)
Davidson College	Middlebury College	The Peabody Institute of The Johns Hopkins University	Unsinus College (4)
Delaware College of Art and Design	Missouri University of Science and Technology	The University of Alabama (4)	Utrecht University (The Netherlands)
Delaware County Community College (4)	Morgan State University	The University of Memphis	Villanova University (11)
Delaware Valley University (3)	Muhlenberg College	The University of Scranton	Virginia Commonwealth University
Denison University	Neumann University	The University of Tampa	Virginia Tech (5)
Dickinson College	New England Institute of Technology	The University of Tennessee-Knoxville	Wake Forest University (3)
Dixie State University	New York University (4)	The University of Texas at Austin (2)	Washington and Lee University (2)
Drexel University (14)	North Carolina State University	The University of the Arts (3)	Washington College
Duke University	Northeastern University (8)	Towson University (2)	Washington University in St Louis (4)
East Carolina University (2)	Northwestern University (2)	Tufts University	Waynesburg University
Eastern University (2)	Oberlin College	Tulane University (4)	West Chester University (19)
Elizabethtown College	Occidental College	Union College	West Virginia University (3)
Elon University (5)	Ohio University	United States Military Academy at West Point	Wheaton College
Embry-Riddle Aeronautical University	Pace University	University at Buffalo (SUNY)	William and Mary (3)
Emerson College		University of California, San Diego	Yale University (5)
			York College of Pennsylvania