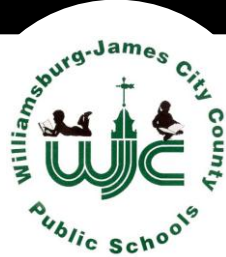


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Jamestown High School

Community Profile

Jamestown High School serves a portion of Williamsburg and part of James City County, Virginia. The community is known for Colonial Williamsburg, Jamestown Settlement, The College of William and Mary, and Busch Gardens. The Anheuser-Busch Brewery, Williamsburg Pottery, Ball Metal Containers, Owens-Brockway, and numerous brand name outlet stores are located in the two jurisdictions.

James City County, America's oldest, is among Virginia's fastest growing counties. Williamsburg, founded in 1699, is one of America's first planned cities. While retaining its rural character, the area is quickly becoming suburban with its own economic base. The county is centrally located between Richmond and Norfolk.

School Profile

Jamestown High School celebrated its first senior class and graduation with the class of 1999. A student's reported rank in class, using all completed coursework except pass/fail and audit courses, is calculated each semester. A final class rank is determined after the conclusion of senior year.

CLASS OF 2011

- **64% enrolled in four-year colleges or universities**
- **24% enrolled in two-year community, business, or junior college**
- **12% enrolled in trade, tech, military, or work**

SAT Scores	JHS	Virginia	National
Verbal	560	512	497
Math	551	509	514
ACT Scores	JHS	Virginia	National
English	24.0	22.0	20.6
Mathematics	24.4	22.2	21.1
Reading	23.6	22.7	21.3
Sci. Rsnng.	23.3	21.8	20.9

Curriculum

Jamestown High School offers a comprehensive curriculum in all disciplines to meet the needs of a diverse population. Advanced courses are provided in most subject areas. The school uses a hybrid 4x4 semester block schedule with year-long courses embedded as A/B alternating days. Students can earn up to four units of credit per semester.

Students in advanced mathematics may begin with algebra in middle school and end with AP Calculus or AP Statistics in high school. Interdisciplinary courses in American Studies meet requirements for credits in American History and American Literature. At least five credits in French, Spanish, Latin, and German as well as three units of American Sign Language are available to students. The fine arts, including music, art, speech, and drama, are an integral part of the curriculum.

Advanced Placement courses are offered in English, Human Geography, United States History, United States Government, Comparative Government, Microeconomics, Calculus AB and BC, Statistics, Physics, Biology, Chemistry, Spanish, Latin, French, German, Music Theory, and Studio Art. Advanced level Theater and literary arts courses are offered. Advanced courses in Biology/Chemistry, Physics, Statistics, and Environmental Sciences with appropriate mentorships are available through the New Horizons Governor's School for Science & Technology in Hampton.

Students may enroll in concurrent courses at The College of William and Mary, Christopher Newport University, and Thomas Nelson Community College. Dual enrollment credit is offered for many technical and academic classes. Students may enroll in a Constitutional Law class in partnership with The College of William & Mary Law School. The Department of Applied Science at W&M offers a summer and academic year internship in Neuroscience to one senior from each high school.

The Health and Physical Education Department offers the two-credit sequence required by the state, as well as electives. The Technology Education Department offers three Career and Technical Education exploration courses and a three-credit sequence in technical and computer-based drawing. Career and Technical Education courses include Marketing and Cooperative Business Education. Some technical courses lead to industry certification. Licensed Practical Nursing is available at Lafayette High School. Participation in the New Horizons Regional Education Center and York County School of the Arts enhances the opportunities for challenging and diverse experiences for Jamestown students. Special Education classes and alternative classes are available both on-site and off-site.

Secondary School Record Supplement

Grading Scale		Grade Distribution (Class of 2010)
A	90-100	939
B	80-89	597
C	70-79	229
D	60-69	129
F	0-59	50
Lowest Passing Mark: D (60)		
Point Value of GPA is based on: 4.00		

Block Schedule (1994-2011) with hybrid 4x4 block (beginning 2011-2012 school year)	
Number of Terms per school year	2
Minimum number of academic classes a student can take per term	3
Maximum number of classes a student can take per term	4
Average number of academic classes a student takes per term	4
Total Number of Credits Per Year (Beginning 1994-95 School year):	8
Minimum Number of Credits Required to Graduate Beginning with the Class of 2000 for Advanced or Standard Diploma	28

Highest Level Courses Offered: (AP courses are fully weighted A=5.0, B=4.0, C=3.0)

Biological Science	AP Biology
English	AP English Literature, AP English Language
Fine Arts	AP Studio Art
Foreign Languages	AP French, AP German, AP Latin, AP Spanish
Mathematics	AP Calculus AB, AP Calculus BC, AP Statistics
Music	AP Music Theory
Physical Science	AP Chemistry, AP Physics B
Social Studies	AP U.S. History, AP U.S. Government, AP Comparative Government, AP Microeconomics, AP Human Geography

Additional Fully Weighted Courses (A=5.0, B=4.0, C=3.0)

Honors English 11, AP Spanish Literature, Advanced Spanish Conversation and Composition, Spanish Cinema, Advanced German Conversation and Composition, Advanced French Conversation and Composition, and approved college courses beyond the high school curriculum continuum

Academic Enrichment Programs available to JHS students:

Governor's School for Science and Technology
Summer Residential Governor's Schools

York County School of the Arts
Summer Governor's School Foreign Language

WJCC HONORS PROJECT	Extending student learning through a self-selected, self-directed, ongoing exploration of sustained interest
Academic Preparation	Successful completion of seven AP courses and AP exams representing four core disciplines
Community Service	Successful completion of at least 25 documented hours on a self-designed service project
Individual Exploration	Successful research-based final product demonstrating depth of understanding subject to evaluation by a panel of professionals within the discipline

Courses and/or Grades Excluded in Determining Class Rank and/or GPA: Audit courses; Pass (P) Grades

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