

West Branch High School

School Profile 2021-2022

CEEB # 361-785

West Branch High School is a comprehensive, public high school, part of the Mahoning County School System, located in southwest Mahoning County housing grades 8-12. Students are from a three-county area—Columbiana, Mahoning, and Portage. Rural and small town in nature, this consolidated school district has been in existence since 1960 and has a present enrollment of 2,240 (High School enrollment 675). The high school has a 98% graduation rate. An estimate of 35% of students attend a 4-year college after graduation and 20% attend a 2-year or technical school. Our students have a 95.1% attendance rate.

Building Mission

Reading, writing, and problem solving across the curriculum will prepare all learners for their tomorrow, today.

Course Offerings

English

English 9/Honors English 9
English 10/Honors English 10
English 11/Honors English 11
English 12
College Writing I & II (CCP)
Mythology
Public Speaking/Debate
Studies in Young Adult Literature
Creative Writing I & II

Fine Arts

Foundations of Art
Drawing
Painting
Advanced Art
Computer Graphics I and II
Band
Jazz Ensemble
Concert Choir
Women's Choir

Foreign Language

Spanish 1, 2, 3, 4

Math

Algebra 1
Geometry/Honors Geometry
Algebra 2/Honors Algebra 2
Advanced Math/Honors Advanced Math
Statistics (CCP)
AP Calculus AB
Applied Algebra
Math Models & Quantitative Reasoning

Business (CCP)

Financial Accounting
Microeconomics/Macroeconomics

Business

Comp Apps for Prof (CCP)
Accounting I and II
Creative Apps for Computers I
Basic Web Design I
Digital Marketing
Financial Literacy
Business Foundations

Health and Physical Education

Health
Sports Conditioning 1 & 2
Team Sports/Individual Sports

Science

Physical Science
Biology
Chemistry
Anatomy (Anatomy CCP)
Marine Science
Physics
AP Biology
Honors Biology
Human Biology (CCP)
PLTW Biomedical Science
PLTW Biomedical Science II

Technology and Vocational

Wood Technology
Construction Technology
Agricultural Mechanics
Career Based Intervention
Animal & Plant Science
Vocational Agricultural Business I and II
PLTW Intro to Engineering
PLTW Engineering Design

Social Studies

Modern World History
American History/AP US
American Gov/AP Gov
Western Civilization
Geography & Global Issues
Psychology/AP Psychology

Computer Science

PLTW Comp Science Essentials
AP Computer Science

*Mahoning County Career and Technical School

is our county's vocational school. Some of our students enroll in their vocational programs.

PLTW = Project Lead the Way

WBHS Demographics

- * Average annual family income is \$33,068.
- * 38% of the students are on free or reduced lunch.
- * Racial Diversity
 - 96.5% Caucasian
 - 2.0% Multi-racial
 - 0.6% African American
 - 0.6% Hispanic
 - 0.3% Asian

Grading Scale

(Through 2019-2020/Beginning 2020-2021)

Letter Grade	Percentage	Quality Points
A	93-100/90-100	4
B	85-92/80-89	3
C	75-84/70-79	2
D	65-74/60-69	1
F	below 60	0

$$\text{GPA} = \frac{(\text{Quality points} * \text{course credit})}{\text{total credits attempted}}$$

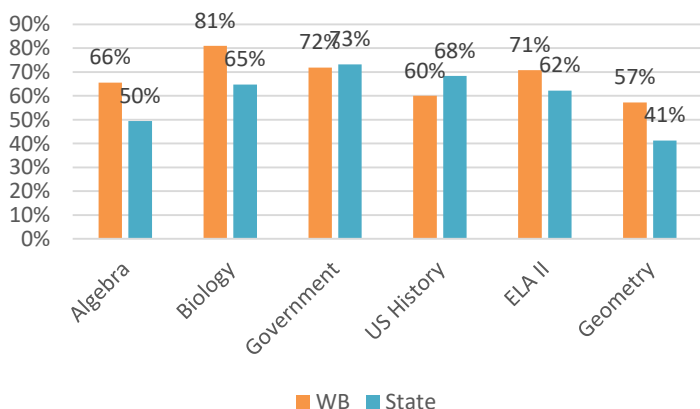
*No weighted courses

The grading scale has been adjusted beginning in the 20-21 school year

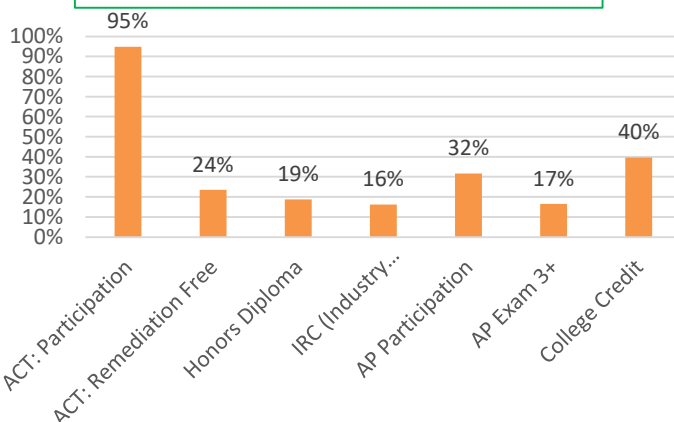
Credit Requirements for Graduation

English: 4 credits
Math: 4 credits
Science: 3 credits
Social Studies: 3 credits
Health: .5 credits
Physical Education: .5 credits
Financial Literacy: .5 credits
Electives: 5.5 credits
Total: 21 credits

End of Course Testing 2021 Comparison Data Showing WB vs. State Scores



WB High School Graduates - How Prepared are They? Class of 2021





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West Branch High School - Home of the Warriors -

WEST BRANCH HIGH SCHOOL

AP Courses at West Branch (not weighted)

AP Biology, AP US History, AP Government, AP Psychology, AP Calculus AB, AP Computer Science

College Credit Plus Options for Students

West Branch offers many opportunities for our students to gain college credit, while still in high school. The following options are available:

Kent State University – Salem Campus

Students take any eligible courses on campus

CCP English offered at West Branch – College Writing I and II (6 college credits)

CCP Math offered at West Branch – Statistics (4 college credits)

Stark State University

Multiple business courses, Intro to Anatomy & Physiology, Human Biology

TOTAL CCP CREDITS EARNED = 782

College Credits Earned by the Class of 2020 (reported in semester hours)

University of Mount Union - 30

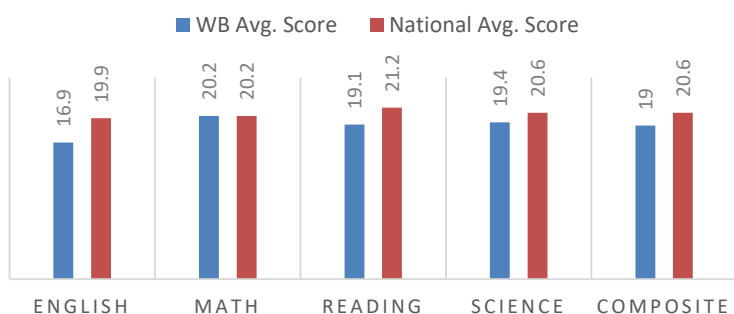
Kent State University - 540

Stark State College - 294

Extra-Curricular Activities

- * Baseball; Basketball (Boys and Girls); Cross Country (Boys and Girls); Football; Golf; Softball; Soccer (Boys and Girls); Tennis (Boys and Girls); Track (Boys and Girls); Wrestling; Volleyball (Girls); Cheerleading
- * Marching Band; Pep Band; Jazz Band; School Musical; Theatre Productions; Drama Club; “Young and Alive” (Show Choir)
- * Future Homemakers of America; Future Farmers of America; Rising Educators; Environmental Club
- * Student Council; Academic Challenge; National Honor Society, Cognitia
- * Pep Club; S.A.D.D.; Fellowship of Christian Athletes; Junior Ruriteens; LEO Club; Peer Tutoring; PA Crew; Newspaper Staff; Yearbook Staff, Aultman Ambassadors

ACT SCORE COMPARISON 2021



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