



CARL SANDBURG HIGH SCHOOL

2020-21 PROFILE

Carl Sandburg High School is one of three schools in Consolidated High School District 230. Opened in 1954, Carl Sandburg High School serves communities in the southwest suburbs of Chicago including: Orland Park, Palos Park, Tinley Park, Orland Hills and Oak Forest.

- America's Most Challenging High Schools by The Washington Post
- America's Best High Schools by Newsweek's The Daily Beast
- Top 20 Public High Schools in Cook County, Illinois by Chicago Magazine
- Best Public High Schools by Niche.com
- U.S. Office of Education Secondary School of Excellence Award
- Accredited by the State of Illinois

ENROLLMENT

TOTAL	CLASS OF 2020
2,856	763

FACULTY

TOTAL	MASTERS +
236	94%

GRADUATION RATE

CLASS OF 2020
96%

ATTEND COLLEGE

WITHIN 2 YEARS OF GRADUATION	FRESHMEN TO SOPHOMORE PERSISTENCE
87%	92%

NATIONAL MERIT

FINALIST	SEMI-FINALIST	COMMENDED	SCHOLAR
2	2	12	13

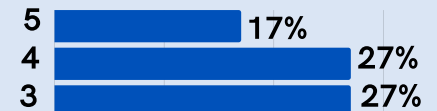
SAT

AVERAGE SCORE
CLASS OF 2020
1,071

ADVANCED PLACEMENT

TOTAL SCHOLARS	NATIONAL SCHOLAR
196	13
WITH HONORS	WITH DISTINCTION
49	132

A.P.
1,389 students enrolled in AP courses.
1,049 students took 1,836 tests



CO-CURRICULARS

PARTICIPATION	TEAMS	SPORTS
68%	75	20
	CLUBS & ACTIVITIES	
	70	

GRADUATION REQUIREMENTS

- 21.5 credits
- Classes meet for 18 weeks and earn .5 credit per semester
- 25 hours of service learning

Required Credits

English	4
Mathematics	3
Science	2
U.S. History	1
Government	0.5
Social Studies	0.5
Health	0.5
Consumer Education	0.5
Art, World Language, Music or Vocational Education	1
Physical Education (7 semesters)	3.5

MARKING SYSTEM

Grade	Honors/AP	Academic/Basic
A+	99-100.5.3.	4.3
A	92-98.5.0.	4.0
A-	90-914.7.	3.7
B+	88-89.4.3.	3.3
B	82-874.0	3.0
B-	80-813.7	2.7
C+	78-793.3	2.3
C	72-773.0	2.0
C-	70-712.7	1.7
No weighting for grades less than C-		
D+	68-69.1.3	1.3
D	62-671.0	1.0
D-	60-61.0.7	0.7

QUINTILE RANKING

Class standing is based on the cumulative GPA and will be reported by quintile bands on the transcript beginning the third semester. District 230 does not publish numeric class rank. Parents may request numeric class rank from the Guidance Director.

PASS - GRADE OPTION

11th and 12th grade students may elect Pass/Grade for one course per semester. A "C" or higher earns a "P" for pass, less than a "C" earns the grade.

REPEAT COURSE OPTION

Students may repeat a course for a higher grade. Both grades remain on the transcript. No credit or qualifying points are issued for the lower grade per semester.

OFFERINGS

27 AP Courses

AP is an open enrollment program

- AP Studio Art
- AP Language & Composition
- AP Literature & Composition
- AP Calculus AB
- AP Calculus BC
- AP Statistics
- AP Computer Science Principles
- AP Computer Science
- AP Music Theory
- AP Biology
- AP Chemistry
- AP Physics I
- AP Physics C - Mechanics
- AP Physics C - Mechanics/ Electricity & Magnetism

23 Honors Courses

- Accounting
- Freshman English
- Sophomore English
- Math 1,2,3
- Biology
- Chemistry
- Anatomy & Physiology
- Global Issues
- French 2,3,4
- German 2,3,4
- Latin 2,3,4
- Spanish 2,3,4

Course guide at d230.org

- AP Environmental Science
- AP US Government and Politics
- AP Microeconomics
- AP Macroeconomics
- AP European History
- AP Human Geography
- AP Psychology
- AP US History
- AP World History
- AP French Language
- AP German Language
- AP Spanish Language
- AP Spanish Literature

MOST FREQUENT COLLEGE ENROLLMENTS

2-Year

- Moraine Valley Community College
- Joliet Junior College

4-Year

- Augustana College
- Benedictine University
- Bradley University
- Carthage College
- Columbia College Chicago
- DePaul University
- Eastern Illinois University
- Grand Valley State University
- Illinois Institute of Technology
- Illinois State University
- Illinois Wesleyan University
- Indiana University Bloomington
- Lewis University
- Loyola University Chicago
- Marquette University
- North Central College
- Northern Illinois University
- Olivet Nazarene University
- Purdue University-West Lafayette
- Robert Morris University
- Saint Louis University
- Saint Xavier University
- Southern Illinois University Carbondale
- St Ambrose University
- University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign
- University of Illinois at Chicago
- University of Iowa
- University of Missouri at Columbia
- University of Wisconsin-Madison
- Valparaiso University
- Western Illinois University
- Western Michigan University



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School Counselors

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- Tom Johnson
- Matt Matkovich
- Amanda Miranda
- Larry Moran
- Michelle Perez
- Donna Skach
- Kristi Strelow
- Susan Vogel