

Dexter High School

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Our Community

The city of Dexter is located in southeastern Michigan on the Huron River, just five miles northwest of Ann Arbor. Dexter Community Schools boundaries cover portions of eight townships, the largest of which are Webster, Scio, Dexter and Lima. Light industry, publishing houses, and high tech firms form Dexter's industrial base. Dexter is within minutes of the University of Michigan, Washtenaw Community College, Eastern Michigan University, Concordia University, and Cleary University.

Dexter High School

Dexter High School is consistently ranked as one of the top comprehensive public high schools in the state of Michigan. Alma mater to numerous National Merit Scholars, Dexter offers a challenging curriculum which offers many educational options to the students including the International Baccalaureate Diploma Programme, numerous Advanced Placement courses, and technical education programs available through the country-wide consortium. Our music programs garner top honors year after year and we hold multiple state championships in a myriad of sports. Top that off with state and national awards for our journalism, debate, forensics, robotics, Quiz Bowl, and Ocean Bowl clubs, and it's easy to understand our Dreadnaught pride!

Memberships

Dexter High School is accredited by the North Central Associates (NCA) and is a member of the Southeastern Conference (SEC). Other member districts include Adrian, Ann Arbor, Chelsea, Lincoln, Monroe, Saline, Tecumseh, Temperance-Bedford, and Ypsilanti.

Curriculum: AP, IB, and Advanced Courses



DHS reports weighted and unweighted grade point averages (GPSs) and class rankings. Courses that are externally assessed will have 1.0 honor points added to the unweighted grade of D- or higher. Weighted grades will apply only to AP, IB, and Honors courses. Accelerated courses are designated by **ADV, Honors, AP** and **IB** on official transcripts. DHS offers one Honors course, **Humanities**, and 10 Advanced Placement courses: **Biology, Calculus (AB), Chemistry, Macro/Micro Economics, English Language, English Literature, Government, Physics, Statistics**, and **U. S. History**. DHS students have the opportunity to achieve the Diploma of the International Baccalaureate. Our IB course offerings include: **Biology, Business Management, Chemistry, English, Film Studies, French, Math Studies,**

DHS Grading System

Mathematics, Physics, Psychology, Spanish, Sports Exercise & Health Science, Theater, Theory of Knowledge, and World Religions.

A	93%	4.00	C	73%	2.00
A-	90%	3.67	C-	70%	1.67
B+	87%	3.33	D+	67%	1.33
B	83%	3.00	D	63%	1.00
B-	80%	2.67	D-	60%	0.67
C+	77%	2.33	E	59%	0.00

All courses are used in calculating both the weighted and unweighted GPAs and Class Ranks **except** the following types: AU (audit), CR (credit), P (pass), online courses (online AP courses are included with their weighted value), correspondence courses, dual-enrollment classes, and coursework transferred from other districts.

Graduation Requirements and GPA

GPA is computed using the above quality points. Beginning with grade nine, all subjects, whether passed or failed are included in the computation. Grades are recorded on the transcript and the GPA is calculated in January and June.

A minimum of 22 credits are required for graduation: English - 4, Mathematics - 4, Physical Education/Health - 1, Science - 3, Social Studies - 3, World Language - 2, Arts - 1, Electives - 4.

Standardized Test Results

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Test	Dexter High School	
ACT	2018	2017
	TBA	24.2
SAT	TOTAL 1113	TOTAL 1161
	EBWR 562	EBWR 585
	MATH 552	MATH 576

Dreadnaught Pride

- ◆ AP Achievement Award recipient
- ◆ AP Honor Roll District
- ◆ Band and Orchestra programs receive straight 1s at Festival
- ◆ The Squall (newspaper) is a MIPA Hall of Fame Inductee
- ◆ Multiple State Cross Country Championships
- ◆ Quiz Bowl State Runner-Up
- ◆ Ocean Bowl National Finalist
- ◆ Swim and Dive State Champions
- ◆ Niegelmuller Best Debate Team in State Award
- ◆ National Forensic League Finalist
- ◆ Graphic Communications State Finalist
- ◆ NCTE National Achievement in Writing
- ◆ The Dreadbots robotics team is a regular state and national competitor

DHS Alumni Attend

Colleges Attended by Dexter High School Graduates from the Last Four Years		
Amherst College	Kettering University	Tulane
Arizona State	Lawrence Tech	Vanderbilt
Baylor	Lehigh University	V.M.I
Boston College	Michigan State	Washington-St. Louis
Brown University	Michigan Tech	Wellesley College
Case Western	Miami of Ohio	Western Michigan
Central Michigan	M.I.T.	West Point
College for Creative Studies	New York University	U.S. Air Force Academy
Cornell	North Carolina-Chapel Hill	U. S Naval Academy
Columbia	Northern Michigan	University of Chicago
Dartmouth	Northwestern	University of Calif-Berkley
DePaul	Notre Dame	University of Colorado
Denison	Oberlin College	University of Florida
Eastern Michigan	The Ohio State University	University of Kentucky
Grand Valley	Penn State	University of Maryland
Harvard	Purdue	University of Michigan
Indiana University	Rensselaer	University of Virginia
Kalamazoo College	Standford	University of Wisconsin
Kenyon College	Syracuse	Vassar College