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### *Students Today, Leaders Tomorrow, Chargers Forever*

#### ***Vision Statement***

Northwood High School envisions an educational community that fosters leadership, creativity, and excellence in Academics, Activities, Arts and Athletics (the Northwood 4 A's). Our vision is to empower technologically literate, lifelong learners who will make valuable contributions to society. Through the collaboration of school, home and community, every Northwood graduate will be prepared for the demands of the 21st century.

#### ***Our Community***

Chatham is a rural county located in the heart of North Carolina. Our proximity to Research Triangle Park and the cities of Raleigh, Durham, Cary and Chapel Hill offers the amenities of urban life while providing the comfort of a suburban setting. At 707 square miles, Chatham is one of the largest counties in North Carolina and is home to approximately 68,000 people. More than 25 colleges, universities, and technical institutes are located within a 50 mile radius of the county, 10 of which offer graduate programs. A few of the most popular universities are UNC-Chapel Hill, Duke, and North Carolina State University.

#### **Course Offerings**

##### **Advance Placement +2**

AP English Literature & Composition; AP English Language & Composition; AP Calculus AB & BC; AP Statistics; AP Environmental Science; AP Biology (offered alternating years); AP Chemistry (offered alternating years); AP US History; AP US Government & Politics; AP Psychology; AP Spanish Language & Culture (offered alternating years); AP Music Theory; AP Studio Art: 3-D Design; AP Studio Art: 2-D Design

##### **Honors Courses +1**

Honors English I, II, III, IV; Honors Speech & Debate; Honors Math II & III; Honors Discrete Mathematics; Honors Pre-Calculus; Honors Earth/Environmental Science; Honors Biology; Honors Chemistry; Honors Physics; Honors Anatomy & Physiology; Honors World History; Honors Civics & Economics; Honors American History I & II; Honors Spanish III and IV; Honors French III and IV; Honors Visual Arts III & IV; Honors Vocal Music III & IV; Honors Band III & IV; Honors Theatre Arts III; Honors Technical Theatre III; Honors Dance III & IV; Honors Career & Technical Education Courses

##### **College Transfer Courses**

Various Courses through North Carolina's Career and College Promise

#### **Future Ready Core Graduation Requirements (28 credits required)**

4 credits of English (I, II, III, IV)

4 credits of Math (Math I, II, III, and higher level course above Math III)

4 credits of History (World, Civics and Economics, Am. History I & II)

3 credits of Science (Earth Science, Biology, and a Physical Science)

1 credit of Health/PE

12 elective credits



# Northwood High School

School Profile 2017-2018

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## Grading Scale and Quality Points prior to 2015-2016 school year

96-100% = 4.0	89% = 3.13	82% = 2.25	75% = 1.38
95% = 3.88	88% = 3.00	81% = 2.13	74% = 1.25
94% = 3.75	87% = 2.88	80% = 2.00	73% = 1.13
93% = 3.63	86% = 2.75	79% = 1.88	72% = 1.00
92% = 3.50	85% = 2.63	78% = 1.75	71% = 1.00
91% = 3.38	84% = 2.50	77% = 1.63	70% = 1.00
90% = 3.25	83% = 2.38	76% = 1.50	<69% = 0.0

## Grading Scale and Quality Points for 2015-2016 school year and beyond

A = 100-90% = 4.0	WF = 0.0
B = 89-80% = 3.0	WP = 0.0
C = 79-70% = 2.0	FF = 0.0
D = 69-60% = 1.0	P = 0.0
F = > 59% = 0.0	INC = 0.0

## Student Demographics 2016-2017 (approximate):

African American – 14%  
 Caucasian- 64%  
 Hispanic- 17%  
 Other- 5%

## GPA and Class Rank

Rank is based on weighted GPA and is calculated at the end of every semester. Classes taken at other high schools outside of Northwood (excluding home school) are listed on the transcript and counted in the GPA. Northwood is on a 4x4 block semester schedule.

## Transcript Note

Northwood High School is not completing the Awards/Achievement and Extra-Curricular Activities sections of the transcripts. SAT and ACT scores are not listed on the transcripts.

## Northwood High School Entrance Exam Results

<b>ENTRANCE EXAM</b>	<b>SAT (Average)</b>	<b>ACT (Average)</b>
Class of 2017	Total Score = 1108 Evidence-Based Reading & Writing = 562, Math = 546	English = 20.2, Math = 20.1, Reading = 21.4, Science = 20.9, Composite = 20.8
Class of 2016	Reading = 526, Math = 530, Writing = 505	English = 20.8, Math = 21, Reading = 22.5, Science = 21.5, Composite = 21.6
Class of 2015	Reading = 503, Math = 512, Writing = 486	English = 19.2, Math = 20.1, Reading = 20.1, Science = 20.1, Composite = 20

## Senior Graduate Post-Secondary Plans

58% of 2017 graduates attended a 4 year University\*

31% of 2017 graduates attended a 2 year Community College \*

\*Based on student reported data



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## Colleges/Universities Attended by Northwood High School Graduates

Adelaide University (Australia)	Methodist University
Agnes Scott College	Michigan State University
Alamance Community College	Missouri State University
Appalachian State University	Morris College
Asheville-Buncombe Technical Community College	Nash Community College
Barton College	North Carolina A&T State University
Bates College	North Carolina Central University
Black Hills State University	North Carolina State University
Bowling Green State University	North Carolina Wesleyan College
Brandeis University	North Greenville University
Brevard College	Ohio University
Bridgewater College	Pfeiffer University
Brigham Young University	Pitt Community College
Brigham Young University Idaho	Purdue University
Brown University	Queens University of Charlotte
Campbell University	Radford University
Cape Fear Community College	Saint Augustine's University
Capitol Technology University	Salem College
Catawba College	Sandhills Community College
Central Carolina Community College	Savannah College of Art and Design
Central Piedmont Community College	Seton Hall University
Chowan University	Shaw University
Coastal Carolina Community College	Smith College
Coastal Carolina University	South Dakota School of Mines and Technology
College of Charleston	St. Andrews University
College of William & Mary	St. Cloud State University
Columbia University	Stetson University
Creighton University	Tarrant County College
Davidson College	The University of Tennessee
DePauw University	University of Alabama
Duke University	University of Colorado Boulder
Durham Technical Community College	University of Florida
East Carolina University	University of Georgia
Elizabeth City State University	University of Hartford
Elon University	University of Kansas
Fayetteville State University	University of Kentucky
Florence-Darlington Technical College	University of Mississippi
Florida Atlantic University	University of Mobile Alabama
Florida Southern College	University of Mount Olive
Furman University	University of North Carolina at Asheville
Gardner Webb University	University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill
George Washington University	University of North Carolina at Charlotte
Greensboro College	University of North Carolina at Greensboro
Guilford College	University of North Carolina at Pembroke
Guilford Technical Community College	University of North Carolina at Wilmington
Hampton University	University of Richmond
High Point University	University of South Carolina
Hollins University	Valencia College
James Madison University	Virginia Commonwealth University
Johnson & Wales University	Virginia Polytechnic Institute and State University
Lees-McRae College	Wake Forest University
Lenoir-Rhyne University	Wake Technical Community College
Liberty University	West Virginia University
Lincoln School of Technology	Western Carolina University
Livingstone College	William Peace University
Louisburg College	Williams College
Maryville College	Wingate University
Mars Hill University	Winthrop University
Meredith College	Winston-Salem State University