**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 +1**
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; AP Music Theory; AP Studio Art: 3-D Design; AP Studio Art: 2-D Design

**Honors Courses +0.5**
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 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
Grading Scale and Quality Points prior to 2015-2016 school year

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

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

WF = 0.0
WP = 0.0
FF = 0.0
P = 0.0
INC = 0.0

Student Demographics 2017-2018 (approximate):
- African American – 13%
- Caucasian- 64%
- Hispanic- 17%
- Other- 6%

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 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

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<td>Class of 2017</td>
<td>Total Score = 1108 Evidence-Based Reading &amp; Writing = 562, Math = 546</td>
<td>English = 20.2, Math = 20.1, Reading = 21.4, Science = 20.9, Composite = 20.8</td>
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<td>Class of 2016</td>
<td>Reading = 526, Math = 530, Writing = 505</td>
<td>English = 20.8, Math = 21, Reading = 22.5, Science = 21.5, Composite = 21.6</td>
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<td>Class of 2015</td>
<td>Reading = 503, Math = 512, Writing = 486</td>
<td>English = 19.2, Math = 20.1, Reading = 20.1, Science = 20.1, Composite = 20</td>
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Senior Graduate Post-Secondary Plans

58% of 2018 graduates attended a 4 year University*
31% of 2018 graduates attended a 2 year Community College *

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