



# West Essex Regional School District Profile 2020-2021

**West Essex High School** ♦ 65 West Greenbrook Road ♦ North Caldwell, NJ 07006  
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**\*Important Covid-19 Pandemic Information:** ♦From March 2020 - June 2020, NJ had a stay at home order; therefore students received the course curriculums remotely, using an asynchronous model; classes were **not** conducted using live instruction. ♦From March 2020 - August 2020, standardized testings were canceled throughout the state. ♦Grading scales remained constant; there were no changes to grading procedures.

## Mission Statement

The mission of West Essex Regional School District is to produce self-sufficient citizens who are adaptable to change and who possess the self-esteem, motivation, and skills:

- To continue life-long learning and individual growth
- To meet the challenges of the future, both societal and technological
- To think critically and creatively
- To communicate effectively
- To solve complex problems
- To make responsible decisions
- To respect cultural differences

## Graduation Requirements

Students must successfully complete 135 credits including:

4 years of English.....	20 credits
4 years of Physical Education/Health.....	20 credits
3 years of History (World, US History I & II).....	15 credits
3 years of Mathematics.....	15 credits
3 years of Science.....	18 credits
1 year of World Language.....	5 credits
1 year of Visual and Performing Arts.....	5 credits
1 year of 21st Century Life and Career Ed.....	5 credits
1 semester of Financial Literacy.....	2.5 credits

## West Essex Community

- Located in Essex County; part of the New York metropolitan region
- Suburban residential – Population approximately 21,000
- Population is comprised of business leaders, entrepreneurs and other professionals, with an above average socio-economic level
- Primarily comprised of single family homes

## Administrative Team

<b>Superintendent</b> .....	Damion Macioci
<b>Principal</b> .....	Caesar Diliberto
<b>Assistant Principal</b> .....	Juliann Hoebee
<b>Assistant Principal</b> .....	Kimberly Westervelt
<b>Director of Athletics</b> .....	Anthony Minnella

## School Information

- Grades 9-12
- Total enrollment approximately 1100 students
- Class of 2021 comprised of 272 students
- More than 90% of the class of 2020 continued their education at the post-secondary level  
Attending- four-year: 82% two-year: 10%
- Over 27 varsity sports teams
- 40 clubs and activities offered
- 8th Annual AP Honor Roll recipient
- Accredited by the New Jersey Department of Education

## School Counseling Team

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**Director of Guidance** ..... Lisa Hulse  
LHulse@westex.org ..... Ext: 1220

### Counselors:

Lauren Cherny	LCherny@westex.org	Ext. 1216
Riley Gallagher	RGallagher@westex.org	Ext. 1210
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Jonathan Sibia	JSibia@westex.org	Ext. 1214
Alyssa Letsch	ALetsch@westex.org	Ext. 1215

### Secretaries:

Kelly LaRiccia	KLaRicci@westex.org	Ext. 1211
Sarah Pisano	SPisano@westex.org	Ext. 1213

**Decile Ranges - GPA Distribution  
Class of 2021**

First Decile	4.7275 - 4.3797
Second Decile	4.3694 - 4.2142
Third Decile	4.2035 - 4.0694
Fourth Decile	4.0671 - 3.9388
Fifth Decile	3.9382 - 3.8033
Sixth Decile	3.8020 - 3.7238
Seventh Decile	3.7127 - 3.5166
Eighth Decile	3.5159 - 3.3065
Ninth Decile	3.2772 - 3.0203
Tenth Decile	3.0089 - 1.2578

**Standardized Testing Information**

**2019 Cohort Mean ACT Scores**

Mean ACT Scores	West Essex	National
English	24.9	24.3
Mathematics	24.4	24
Reading	25	24.6
Science	23.7	23.6
Composite	24.7	24.2

**2019 Cohort Mean SAT Scores**

Mean SAT Scores	West Essex	National
Evidence Based Reading/Writing	579	531
Math	588	528
Total Overall Mean Score	1168	1059

**Grade Distribution**

Grade	Advanced Placement	Honors	CPA
A+ 98-100	5.33	4.833	4.583
A 93-97	5.0	4.5	4.25
A- 90-92	4.666	4.166	3.916
B+ 87-89	4.333	3.833	3.583
B 83-86	4.0	3.5	3.25
B- 80-82	3.666	3.166	2.916
C+ 77-79	3.333	2.833	2.583
C 73-76	3.0	2.5	2.25
C- 70-72	2.666	2.166	1.916
D+ 67-69	2.333	1.833	1.583
D 63-66	2.0	1.5	1.25
D- 60-62	1.666	1.166	0.916
F 0-59	0	0	0

**Advanced Placement Scores (2020)**

Total AP enrollment	679	% of students who passed exam with 3 or higher	89.4%
% of students who took exam	99.4%	Overall Average Score	3.62

**26 Advanced Placement Courses**

Art History	Environmental Science	Physics 1
Biology	European History	Physics 2
Calculus AB	French	Spanish
Calculus BC	Human Geography	Statistics
Chemistry	Italian	Studio Art
Computer Science A	Latin	US Gov't & Politics
Computer Science Principles	Macroeconomics	US History I
English Lang. & Composition	Microeconomics	US History II
English Literature & Composition	Music Theory	