Coopersville High School

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SCHOOL FACTS

- Founded in 1853, Coopersville High School is a four-year, comprehensive high school. Even then, the community members valued a good education for their children, a tradition that holds true today.
- Coopersville Area Public Schools has developed into one of the top school districts in the state.
- Coopersville High School received the Michigan Exemplary Schools Blue Ribbon status in 2004.

MISSION STATEMENT

 We inspire all students to embrace a life-long love of learning, to achieve their goals and to be compassionate citizens who contribute to the global community.

COMMUNITY & FACILITY

 The Ottawa County (N.E. corner) district consists of 100 square miles of rural, agricultural area located 15 minutes from Grand Rapids and 15 minutes from the Lake Shore. The high school covers 236,000 square feet. It has become the centerpiece of education in the area, housing outstanding facilities for art, music, theater, athletics, the industrial arts, and technology.

GRADE POINT AVERAGE (GPA) AND CLASS RANK

- Grades, GPA, and class rank are computed and recorded on the transcript at the end of each semester.
- Students are ranked based on their GPA. All grades are included and weighted equally except for AP classes which are computed on a 5.0 scale.
- The lowest grade that a student can earn credit for is a D- (60%).
- Students may have a CR or NC in the Winter 2020 semester due to COVID.

A – Excellent	90 – 100%	A = 4.0
B – Above	80 – 89%	B = 3.0
C – Average	70 – 79%	C = 2.0
D – Below	60 – 69%	D = 1.0

SCORES

- Average SAT score: 927 class of 2025, 985 class of 2024, 985 class of 2023, 987 class of 2022, 1010 class of 2021
- Median GPA (12th grade): 2.86 class of 2024, 3.3 class of 2023, 3.334 class of 2022, 3.149 class of 2021
- Highest GPA (12th grade class of 2025): 4.261

ENROLLMENT (2024-25)

- Total Enrollment (9-12): 901
- 12.08% Excluding White not of Hispanic Origin (12.89% 2023-24)
- Faculty Members: 46

ADVANCED PLACEMENT

- Total AP students: 174 (2023-2024), 127 (2022-23), 150 (2021-22), 164 (2020-2021)
- Number of exams: 227 (2023-2024), 150 (2022-23), 167 (2021-22), 197 (2020-2021)
- % of AP students with scores 3+: 71% (2023-2024), 63% (2022-23), 54% (2021-2022), 59% (2020-2021)
 - *AP Physics was not offered in the year 2022-23 due to low demand

SELF-REPORTED POST-SECONDARY PLANS

	Class of 2021	Class of 2022	Class of 2023	Class of 2024
Entered 4-year colleges/universities	50%	37%	45%	55%
Entered 2-year colleges/trade schools	23%	20%	28%	20%
Entered military	3%	2%	3%	2%
Entered directly to the workforce	23%	42%	24%	23%

CURRICULUM

- CHS an AB block schedule in the years 202-21 and 2021-22. Students attended four, 90 minute periods per day. Students take eight courses per semester, each meeting every other day.
- CHS returned to its ABC block schedule in 2022-23.

- Students hold eight classes on their schedule, meeting with five 70-minute long classes per day.
- Every class meets two out of every three days except seminar which meets one out of every three days.
- Seminar is required of all freshmen and sophomores. A junior or senior in AM Tech Center will not have a seminar. No homework is assigned in Seminar, however, teachers do follow a grading scale based on staying productive and keeping all assignments turned in for other classes. Seminar is only worth .25 credit/semester or .5/year because it meets half as much as all other classes on a student's schedule.
- Students must earn 26 credits and attend 8 semesters to graduate.
- There is no limit to the number of AP courses a student can take.
- We currently offer 10 AP courses depending on student interest.

Subject	<u>Courses</u>		AP Courses
ENGLISH Four credits required	English 9, 10, 11, & 12 Honors English (grades 10-11) Creative Writing College Writing	Speech Communications Online options available	AP Lit/Composition
SOCIAL SCIENCE Three credits required	American History World History Economics American Government	Psychology (not in 22-23) Sociology Current Issues Online options available	AP American History AP World History AP US Gov & Politics

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MATHEMATICS	Geometry		AP Calculus
Four credits required	Algebra 1		AP Statistics
	Algebra 2		
	Personal Finance (require class of 2028)		
	Statistics		
	Pre-Calculus		
	Online options available		
	See course catalog in or additional classes that al credit.		
SCIENCE	Biology	Agriscience/Applied	AP Biology (offered
Three credits required	Chemistry 1 & 2	Biology (obsolete after 2022-23)	every year)
·	Physics 1 & 2	Agricultural Science (added 2022-23) Can be used in place of biology as a graduation requirement or as an elective	AP Chemistry (offered every other
	Anatomy & Physiology		year)
	Engineering 1 & 2		AP Physics (not offered in 2022-23)
	Forensic Science	Natural Resources (obsolete after 2022)	
	Plastics 2 Computer Science for Robotics	Botany (obsolete after 2022) Plant Science (added 2022-23)	
		Zoology (Obsolete after 2022)	
		Animal Science (added 2022-23)	
		Online options available	
		See course catalog in order to see list of additional classes that are considered science credit.	

FOREIGN LANGUAGES	Spanish 1, 2, 3, and 4	Online options available	AP Spanish
COMPUTER .5 required	Computer Repair/Networking (obsolete after 2022) Computer Applications Intro to Java	Multimedia Introduction to Business Computer Science for Robotics Online options available See course catalog in order to see list of additional classes that are considered computer credit.	AP Computer Science Principles
HEALTH/PHYSICAL ED .5 Health required .5 Phys. Ed. required	Health Sports Activity (-2023) Fitness (-2023)	Adv Sports Activity (-2023) Weight Training (-2023) Introduction to Bronco Strength (2023-) Bronco Strength (2023-)	