



MONTICELLO HIGH SCHOOL

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OUR SCHOOL AND COMMUNITY

Monticello High School (MoHS) is one of three comprehensive public high schools in Albemarle County. Named for Thomas Jefferson's historical mountainside estate, "Monticello" means "little mountain" in Old Italian. Monticello High School is located two hours south of Washington, D.C. and one hour west of Richmond, VA. Monticello High has an enrollment of approximately 1150 students, servicing grades 9-12. Monticello operates on a modified block schedule. Classes are offered either yearlong, meeting every other day or for one semester, meeting every day.

CURRICULUM

Monticello High offers a comprehensive curriculum that stresses academics, but includes ample opportunity for students to study the fine arts as well as vocational courses at the local CATEC School. Our programs with University of Virginia and Piedmont Virginia Community College allow students to enroll in college courses for dual credit. In addition, extracurricular opportunities through groups like the Key Club, Robotics Team, and Habitat for Humanity Club, as well as all of the honors societies, give students a chance to get involved in the school and the community.



Advancement Via Individual Determination is a college readiness system for elementary through higher education that is designed to increase school wide learning and performance. The AVID College Readiness System (ACRS) accelerates student learning, uses research based methods of effective instruction, provides meaningful and motivational professional learning, and acts as a catalyst for systemic reform and change." - AVID.org



The Charlottesville Albemarle Technical Education Center is a regional technical education center serving students in central Virginia. They are jointly operated by Albemarle County Public Schools and Charlottesville City Public Schools. High school students can study Pharmacy Technology, Dental Assistance, Music Industry Technology, Auto Body Repair, Auto Technology, Barbering, Cosmetology, Culinary Arts, Building Trades, Masonry, EMT/Firefighting, and Nurse Assistant. CATEC classes are taught during the regular school day.

HONORS CLASSES: English 9,10,11; World History II, World Geography, Geometry, Algebra II, Trigonometry/Math Analysis, Math Analysis/Pre-Calculus, Earth Science, Biology, Chemistry, Animal Studies, Anatomy/Physiology, French IV, Spanish IV, German IV, Latin III, and Latin IV.



The Health and Medical Sciences Academy (HMSA) is designed to prepare students for college and/or career pathways in the Health Sciences. Academy students will explore an integrated curriculum through the lens of Health Sciences and Research. During their junior and senior year, students will have additional opportunities to support their academic aspirations in Health Science Careers that may include but are not limited to: Case Studies, Internships, Clinical Rotations, Site Visits/Tours, and College Visits.



ADVANCED PLACEMENT CLASSES: English Language, English Literature, US History, US Government, European History, World History, Human Geography, French, Spanish, Latin, German, Psychology, Statistics, Calculus AB/BC, Biology, Chemistry, Physics 1 and 2, Environmental Science, and Microeconomics.



DUAL ENROLLMENT CLASSES: English 111/112, US History 121/122, Political Science 211, US Government 212, Psychology 200/230, Principles of Management 200, Culinary Arts, and Architectural Drafting 121.

Honors, HMSA, AP, and PVCC courses move at a faster pace and go beyond the curriculum of the advanced level courses. Honors, HMSA, AP, and PVCC courses place major responsibility for student progress on the student. Students are expected to engage in self-instruction, independent work, readings, projects, and research. Courses where AP and PVCC are both offered (US/VA History, US/VA Government, English 12, and Psychology), we consider AP to be the highest options offered.

2016 GRADUATION REQUIREMENTS

Standard Diploma	
English	4 credits
Mathematics	3 credits
Science	3 credits
Health/PE	2 credits
World History	1 credit
US/VA History	1 credit
Government	1 credit
Fine Art/CTE	1 credit
Electives	6 credits
Total	22 credits
Verified Credits	6 credits

Advanced Diploma	
English	4 credits
Mathematics	4 credits
Science	4 credits
Health/PE	2 credits
World History	2 credits
US/VA History	1 credit
Government	1 credit
Fine Art/CTE	1 credit
World Language**	3-4 credits
Electives	2 credits
Total	26 credits
Verified Credits	9 credits

Grading Scale

A = 90-100
B = 80-89
C = 70-79
D = 60-69
F = 0-59

Grade Distribution 2015-2016

Grade 12 : 266
Grade 11 : 274
Grade 10 : 274
Grade 09 : 329

** (3 years of 1 or 2 years each of 2)

GPA

Albemarle County determines GPA by dividing the total grade points received by the total number of credits attempted in earning the points. The points are 4 for an A, 3 for a B, 2 for a C, 1 for a D, and 0 for an F. The highest unweighted GPA is 4.0. Students receiving a "pass" in a course designated as pass/fail are credited with completion of the course, but the grade from such a course is not included in the calculation of the GPA. Students receiving a "fail" in a pass/fail course receive a grade point of zero, which is included in the calculation of the GPA.

GRADES	Honors, Dual, AP	Standard, Adv, A/A
A	5	4
B	4	3
C	3	2
D	2	1
F	0	0

COLLEGE ENTRANCE EXAM SCORES

SAT Results (2015)	Critical Reading	Math	Writing
Monticello High	520	519	497
Virginia	518	516	499
National	495	511	484

AP STATISTICS (2015)

626 AP tests were taken
60% of scores 3 or higher
30% of scores level 4 or 5

NATIONAL MERIT COMPETITION

2014	2015
Commended : 8	Commended : 4
Semifinalists : 1	Semifinalists : 3

2015 STATISTICS AND GRADUATES' FUTURE PLANS

Graduate Plans
62% Four-Year Colleges and Universities
23% Two-Year Colleges and Vocational Schools
15% other education programs and Military

Student Demographics
Male 49.3% Female 50.7%
White 66.2% Black 13.1% Hispanic 12.5%
Limited English Proficiency 6.5% Disadvantaged 33.6%
Students with disabilities 13.8% Gifted 14.9%

2015 MONTICELLO GRADUATES WERE ACCEPTED TO THE FOLLOWING INSTITUTIONS

Appalachian State University	Dickenson University	Johns Hopkins University	Roanoke College	University of North Carolina, Chapel Hill
Ashland University	Duke University	Liberty University	Purdue University	University of Richmond
Bluefield College	Eastern Mennonite	Longwood University	The Ohio State University	University of South Carolina
Bowling Green State University	Elon University	Lynchburg College	University of Alabama	University of Tennessee
Bridgewater College	Emory & Henry	Marquette University	University of California, Berkeley	University of Virginia
College of William and Mary	Florida State University	Marshall University	University of California, Los Angeles	University of Wisconsin
Central Connecticut St University	George Mason University	Mary Washington University	University of California, Santa Barbara	University of Wisconsin, Milwaukee
Central Michigan University	Georgia State University	Michigan State University	University of Colorado, Boulder	Virginia Tech
Central Washington University	Georgia Tech	Morgan State University	University of Connecticut	Virginia Commonwealth
Christopher Newport	Hampden-Sydney College	New York University	University of Georgia	Virginia State University
Clark-Atlanta University	Hampton University	Norfolk State University	University of Illinois	Virginia Union University
Clemson University	High Point University	North Carolina State University	University of Manchester	Wake Forest University
Costal Carolina University	Howard University	Old Dominion University	University of Mississippi	West Virginia University
College of Charleston	Indiana University	Radford University		
Dartmouth University	James Madison University	Randolph Macon College		