

Colleges & Universities

A sampling of college acceptances
from recent classes

Albright College
Alvernia University
American University
American InterContinental University
Amherst College
Appalachian State University
Arcadia University
Arizona State University
Bard College
Belmont University
Baptist Bible University
Binghamton University
Bloomsburg University
Boston College
Boston University
Bridgewater College
Bryant University
Brown University
Bryn Athyn College
Bucknell University
Cabrin College
California University of Pennsylvania
Cape Fear Community College
Carnegie Mellon University
Cedar Crest College
Central Michigan University
Central Pennsylvania College
Centenary University
Champlain College
Chatham University
Chestnut Hill College
Cheyney University of Pennsylvania
Clarion University
Clark University
Clemson University
Coastal Carolina University
Colgate University
College of New Jersey
Colorado School of Mines
Colorado State University
Columbia University
Cornell University
Culinary Institute of America
Dartmouth College
Delaware Valley University
DeSales University
Devry University
Dickinson College
Drew University
Drexel University
Duke University
Duquesne University
East Carolina University
Eastern University
East Stroudsburg University
Edinboro University
Elizabethtown College
Elon University
Embry Riddle Aeronautical University
Elmira College
Emerson College
Fairleigh Dickinson University

Florida Atlantic University
Florida International University
Fordham University
Franklin & Marshall College
Gannon University
George Mason University
George Washington University
Georgetown University
Gettysburg College
Goucher College
Grace College
Grove City College
Guilford College
Gwynedd Mercy College
Hamilton College
Harcum College
Hartwick College
Harvard University
High Point University
Hillsborough Community College
Hofstra University
Holy Family University
Howard University
Image International Modeling & Acting Center
Immaculata University
Indiana University of Pennsylvania
Institute of Audio Research
Ithaca College
James Madison University
Johns Hopkins University
John Roach Honors College
Johnson and Wales University
Juilliard School
Juniata College
Kean University
Kenyon College
Keystone College
King's College
Kutztown University
Lackawanna College
Lafayette College
La Salle University
Lebanon Valley College
Lehigh Carbon Community College
Lehigh University
Liberty University
Lincoln Culinary Institute
Lincoln Technical Institute
Lipscomb University
Lock Haven University
London Metropolitan University
Los Angeles City College
Loyola University Maryland
Lycoming College
Mansfield University of PA
Marist College
Maryville University
Marywood University
Massachusetts College of Pharmacy and Health Sciences
Massachusetts Institute of Technology

McCann Business School
McDaniel College
McGill University
Messiah College
Metro Beauty Academy
Miami University
Millersville University
Misericordia University
Monmouth University
Montclair State University
Montgomery County Community College
Moore College of Art and Design
Moravian University
Mount Olive College
Muhlenberg College
New York University
Northampton County Community College
Northeastern University
North Harris College
Northwestern University
Nova Southeastern University
Pace University
Palm Beach Atlantic University
Penn State University
Pennsylvania College of Technology
Philadelphia University
Phoenix University
Point Park University
Princeton University
Purdue University
Quinnipiac University
Rensselaer Polytechnic Institute
Rider University
Robert E. Cook Honors College
Robert Morris University
Rochester Institute of Technology
Rutgers University
Saginaw Valley State University
Saint Joseph's University
Saint Peter's University
School of Audio Engineering
School of Visual Arts
Schreyer Honors College
Seton Hall University
Shippensburg University
Slippery Rock College
Stanford University
State College of Florida
State University of New York
Stevens Institute of Technology
Stockton University
Stonehill College
Stony Brook University
Susquehanna University
Syracuse University
Temple University
The Art Institute of Philadelphia
The Military College of South Carolina
The Citadel

The New School
The Ohio State University
The Visions Beauty School
Triangle Tech
Trinity College
Tufts University
Tulane University
Tyler School of Art
United States Coast Guard Academy
United States Naval Academy
University of Akron
University of Alabama
University of Buffalo
University of California, Los Angeles
University of Central Florida
University of Cincinnati
University of Colorado
University of Connecticut
University of Delaware
University of Georgia
University of Illinois
University of Maryland
University of Massachusetts
University of Memphis
University of Michigan
University of Minnesota
University of Nebraska
University of New Haven
University of Oklahoma
University of Pennsylvania
University of Pittsburgh
University of Puerto Rico
University of Rhode Island
University of Richmond
University of Santo Tomas
University of Scranton
University of South Carolina
University of Texas
University of Toledo
University of the Arts
University of Vermont
Ursinus College
Vassar College
Villanova University
Virginia Polytechnic Institute
Wagner College
Washington and Jefferson College
Webber International University
Wesley College
West Chester University
West Coast University
West Virginia University
Western Carolina University
Westminster Choir College
Wheelock College
Widener University
Wilkes University
William Patterson University
Xavier University
Yale University
York College of Pennsylvania

Freedom High School

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SCHOOL PROFILE

FREEDOM HIGH SCHOOL

Freedom High School has an enrollment of nearly 2,000 students grades 9 through 12 and is one of two high schools in the Bethlehem Area School District. It is located in the northeastern section of Bethlehem. The school was built in 1967 and now includes an addition of eleven classrooms, fitness room, aerobics room, and a state of the art gymnasium was built and dedicated in 2006. It is a comprehensive four year high school accredited by the Pennsylvania Department of Education and the Middle States Association of Colleges and Secondary Schools. A vocational and technical education is available at the Bethlehem Area Vocational Technical School for grades 9 through 12. The attendance area for Freedom includes a small portion of Northeastern Bethlehem, South Bethlehem, and Bethlehem Township.

COMMUNITY

Bethlehem is a community of approximately 76,000 people. The sixth largest city in Pennsylvania located 80 miles west of New York City and 50 miles North of Philadelphia. The campuses of Cedar Crest College, Desales University, Lafayette College, Lehigh University, Moravian College, Muhlenberg College, Penn State University, and Northampton County Area Community College provide an academic dimension to the city. Transportation facilities are readily available to Philadelphia, New York City, and New Jersey communities.

ACTIVITIES & ATHLETICS

All co-curricular activities are an integral part of our school community. Students have the opportunity to participate in over 35 organizations and 22 interscholastic sports at the AAAA/AAA level of competition. Freedom's athletic teams compete in the Lehigh Valley Interscholastic Conference. Sports include field hockey, cross country, cheerleading, football, golf, lacrosse, rifle, soccer, basketball, swimming, baseball, softball, tennis, track & field, volleyball and wrestling. A sampling of our clubs include Anime, Art, Astronomy, Chess, Debate, Young Democrats, Engineering, Environmental Awareness, Future Business Leaders of America, French, Gay/Straight Alliance, German, Hackey Sack, Freedom Forum Newspaper, Photography, SADD, Ski, Student Council, Theatre Company, Yearbook, Science Olympiad, Scholastic Scrimmage, Band, Twirlers, Orchestra, Choir, and Les Chanteurs.

ARTICULATING PROGRAMS

Many of our students participate in Dual Enrollment programs offered at Northampton Community College. We also offer a University Scholars Program for our top students at Lehigh University, Moravian College, Lafayette College and DeSales University. Our Fine and Practical Arts Department offers a certificate program for students who plan to pursue a career in Early Childhood Education. There are two honors-weighted programs offered to seniors through our Vocational and Technical School- The Academy for Applied Engineering, in cooperation with Lafayette College and The Academy for Medical Sciences, through Lehigh Valley Health Network and St. Luke's University Hospital.

CAREER PATHWAYS OFFERED AT FREEDOM HIGH SCHOOL



Business, Finance, & Law



Arts, Humanities, & Communication



Education



Science, Technology, Engineering, & Math



Health & Social Services

ADMINISTRATION

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PRINCIPAL

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MR. NATHAN STANNARD

STUDENT AND GRADING SUMMARY

GRADE	GRADE POINTS	% EQUIVALENCY
A+	4.3	97-100
A	4	93-96
A-	3.7	90-92
B+	3.3	87-89
B	3	83-86
B-	2.7	80-82
C+	2.3	77-79
C	2	73-76
C-	1.7	70-72
F	0	<70

GRADING AND CLASS RANK

Honors Courses and Advanced Placement courses, as noted on the transcript, receive one additional grade point unit (A=5.0, B=4.0, etc.) Academic subjects meet five days per week for periods of 85 minutes for one semester. There are two marking periods each semester. Final grades are calculated as follows: two marking periods at 40% of grades for each plus 20% for the final examination. For grades 9, 10, 11, and 12, students receive letter grade assessments. The standard for passing is 70%.

Class rank is computed at the end of each semester for all students. An official class rank is computed at the end of each school year. All students are ranked together by grade. Community service is exempt from the rank.

FREEDOM'S CEEB CODE

390322

Graduation Requirements

Required Courses	Credit
English	4.0
Social Studies	3.0
Mathematics	3.0
Science	3.0
Math or Science	1.0
Computer Science	0.5
Physical Education	2.0 (0.5 per year)
Health	1.0 (0.5 per year)
Freshman Seminar	0.5
Sophomore Seminar	0.5
Art and Humanities	1.0
General Electives	6.0
Community Service	0.5 (60 Hours)

HONORS LEVEL COURSES

ENGLISH 9, 10, 11, 12
 UNITED STATES HISTORY 2
 GLOBAL STUDIES
 US GOVERNMENT & ECONOMICS
 GEOMETRY
 ALGEBRA 1
 ALGEBRA 2
 PRE-CALCULUS
 BIOLOGY
 CHEMISTRY
 HUMAN ANATOMY & PHYSIOLOGY
 CIVIL ENGINEERING & ARCHITECTURE
 CAPSTONE
 ENGINEERING DESIGN & DEVELOPMENT
 MEDICAL INTERVENTIONS
 BIOMEDICAL INNOVATION CAPSTONE
 FRENCH 4
 GERMAN 4
 SPANISH 4

**AP EQUITY AND
EXCELLENCE 17.3**

ADVANCED PLACEMENT COURSES

LANGUAGE & COMPOSITION
 LITERATURE & COMPOSITION
 CALCULUS AB & BC
 STATISTICS
 FRENCH
 SPANISH
 BIOLOGY
 CHEMISTRY
 ENVIRONMENTAL SCIENCE
 PHYSICS 1 & 2
 COMPARATIVE GOVT & POLITICS
 US GOVERNMENT & POLITICS
 PSYCHOLOGY
 MACROECONOMICS
 WORLD HISTORY
 COMPUTER SCIENCE A
 COMPUTER SCIENCE PRINCIPLES
 MUSIC THEORY

LAST YEAR'S GRADUATES: CLASS OF 2022

2021-2022 Standardized Test Scores

SAT Mean Score	1079
ACT Composite Mean Score	23.7

Class of 2022 Post-High School Placement

4-Year College	44%
2-Year College/Trade School	30%
Military	4%
Work	7%
Other/Homemaker/Uncertain	15%

NATIONAL MERIT SCHOLARSHIP 2022

1 COMMENDED STUDENT