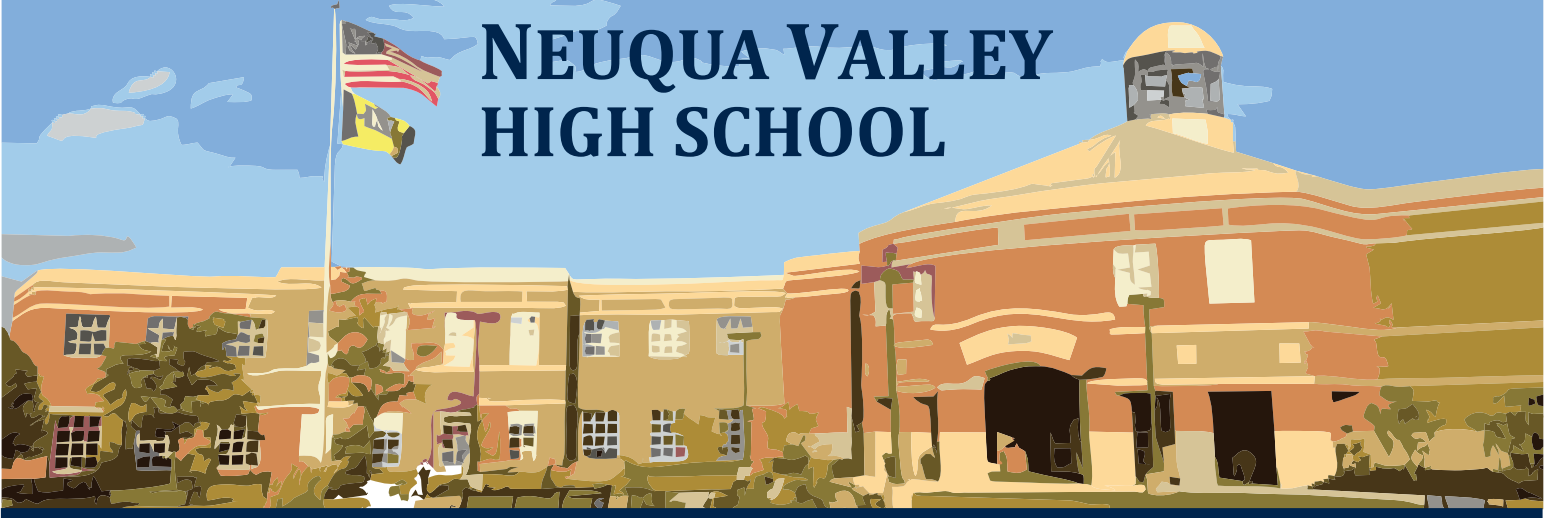


# NEUQUA VALLEY HIGH SCHOOL



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**Enrollment**  
**2016-2017**  
Total: 3709  
Seniors: 894  
Juniors: 979  
Sophomores: 945  
Freshmen: 894

**Neuqua Valley High School** is one of three comprehensive, four-year (Grades 9-12) high schools in Indian Prairie School District #204. The school was established in 1997 and the Class of 2000 was its first graduation class.

Naperville is located in DuPage and Will counties, approximately 30 miles west of Chicago and is in the high-tech corridor of the western suburbs. The majority of residents are engaged in business, professional, managerial and technical fields.

NVHS is fully accredited by the Illinois State Board of Education and is a member of both NACAC and IACAC.

## OUR MISSION

*We believe in fostering a climate that encourages learning & personal growth.*

*We value a  
commitment  
to excellence  
in all  
we do.*

*We value  
active  
involvement  
in our school  
and community.*

*We value  
positive  
relationships  
between  
one another.*

*We value the **opportunities and challenges** Neuqua Valley offers.*

### CLASS of 2016 - By the Numbers

**384**  
Indian Prairie  
Scholars

**38**  
National Merit  
Commended

**19**  
National Merit  
Finalists

**1**  
US Presidential  
Scholar Semifinalist

**5**  
Perfect  
ACT Scores

**79%**  
Will Attend a  
4-year College

**303**  
Illinois State  
Scholars

**21**  
National Merit  
Semi-Finalists

**1**  
National Hispanic  
Recognition Scholar

**4**  
U.S. Presidential  
Scholars

**96%**  
Will  
Attend College

**17%**  
Will Attend a  
2-year College

## MINIMUM GRADUATION REQUIREMENTS

Classes meet 5 times a week for 45 minutes and students earn .5 credits per semester. Students must earn 24 credits and successfully complete the following core requirements to earn an NVHS diploma.

SUBJECT	NO. OF CREDITS
English	4
Math	3
Science	3
Social Studies	2.5
Physical Education	3.5
Health	0.5
Driver's Education	0.5
Consumer Economics	0.5
Elective - Art, Music, World Language or Vocational	1.0

## LATIN HONOR SYSTEM

Neuqua Valley High School uses the Latin Honor System :

**Summa Cum Laude - 4.5 and higher**  
*22 Students from the Class of 2016*

**Magna Cum Laude - 4.2-4.49**  
*59 Students from the Class of 2016*

**Cum Laude - 4.0-4.19**  
*85 Students from the Class of 2016*

## AP TESTING - Grades 9-12

**1161**

*Students who took AP Tests*

**2478**

*Total AP Tests Taken*

**89%**

*Received Scores of 3 and above*

## GRADING SCALE - New percentages beginning 2014-2015

Percentage	Grade	Demonstrates	Grade Points
100-90	A	Outstanding progress	4
89-80	B	Above average progress	3
79-70	C	Average progress	2
69-60	D	Minimum acceptable progress	1
59- 0	F	Unacceptable progress	0
	NG/NC	No Grade/Credit Given	
	CR/P	Credit Given/Pass	
	I	Incomplete	
	W	Withdrew - <i>No Grade Given</i>	
	WF	Withdrew - <i>Failing Grade</i>	

*\*\*All Honors and AP Courses are weighted +1.00*

## ACT

School Year	ACT Composite Score	Percent of Students Tested
2015-2016	25.9	99%
2014-2015	25.6	99%
2013-2014	25.0	99%

## SAT, June 2016

Mean Total Score	Mean ERW Score	Mean Math Score
<b>1456</b>	<b>705</b>	<b>751</b>

## PERCENTILE vs. GPA CLASS OF 2017

Top G.P.A.	4.7143
90th percentile	4.2143
75th percentile	3.907
50th percentile	3.4524
25th percentile	3.0238

## INDIAN PRAIRIE SCHOLAR PROGRAM

Indian Prairie School District has its own local honor society call the Indian Prairie Scholar program. The criteria for membership is to achieve a 3.6 or higher cumulative GPA after 7 semesters. Indian Prairie Scholars are encouraged to perform service activities in the community to enhance their opportunities to grow as young leaders.

# CURRICULUM

Neuqua Valley High School provides a rigorous college preparatory curriculum, offering more than 200 courses to students. These opportunities are centered around the needs of students, Common Core State Standards, and other college-readiness standards.

AP, Honors and PLTW (Project Lead the Way) courses are the most challenging courses offered at Neuqua Valley. These courses are accelerated and weighted by +1.0 on the GPA.

## AP PROGRAM

Art History, Studio Art, Biology, Calculus AB, Calculus BC, Chemistry, Computer Science I, Economics (Macro, Micro), English Language & Composition, English Literature & Composition, Environmental Science, European History, French Language, German Language, Government, Human Geography, Music Theory, Physics, Psychology, Spanish Language, Statistics, U.S. History and World History.

**In addition to AP courses, Neuqua Valley offers the following Honors courses:**

### BUSINESS

Accounting II, Virtual Enterprise International (VEI)

### ENGLISH

Honors English I, Honors English II

### FOREIGN LANGUAGE

Honors Chinese

### MATHEMATICS

Honors Geometry Honors Algebra II-Trig, Honors Precalculus, Calculus III (dual credit through the University of Illinois at Champaign-Urbana)

### MUSIC

Honors Varsity Chamber, Honors Chamber Strings, Honors Wind Ensemble

### SCIENCE

Honors Biology, Honors Chemistry, Honors Physics

### SOCIAL STUDIES

Honors World History

### TECHNOLOGY & ENGINEERING EDUCATION

Auto Servicing, Introduction to Engineering Design, Civil Engineering and Architecture, Principals of Engineering, Digital Electronics, Engineering Design & Development

*Neuqua Valley also offers 175 college preparatory courses.*

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One of the four pillars of the Neuqua Valley Mission Statement is that we value active involvement in our school and community. With more than 75% of students participating in more than 70 clubs and organizations, 30 athletic teams as well as a comprehensive intramural program, our students are living examples of the Mission Statement. Student activities cover a wide range of choices to meet student needs and interests.



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