



Lawrence North High School

Achieving Excellence, Building Character, Serving Others

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Accreditation

*Indiana Department of Education
*North Central Assoc.

Membership

*College Board
*NACAC/INACAC
*ASCA
*Metropolitan Interscholastic Conference (MIC)

School & Community

The Metropolitan School District of Lawrence Township, one of the state's most innovative school districts, is located in the northeast corner of the greater Indianapolis metropolitan area within close proximity to cultural, educational and sporting events held year-round in Indianapolis. The MSDLT is comprised of 16 schools—11 elementary schools, 2 middle schools, 2 senior high schools and a career/technology center—serving 15,000+ students. Lawrence North is academically progressive and innovative, making a conscious effort to focus on student achievement, life-long learning and building a sense of community among all stakeholders.

Profile 2020-2021

*4-year comprehensive public high school with an enrollment of approximately 2,770 students.

*124 certified staff, 49 Support Staff

*The Class of 2020 graduated 636 students.

*Named a 4-Star School by the IN Department of Education

*National "School District of Character" Award Recipient

*1-to-1 Student-to-Computer District Initiative

*Spanish Immersion Program—LN is an International Spanish Academy recognized by the Ministry of Education & Science of Spain. MSDLT provides Spanish Immersion instruction in grades K-12.

*McKenzie Center for Innovation and Technology (MCIT) offers nationally recognized, award-winning Career & Technical Education, including a pre-engineering program, a biomedical science program and a number of dual credit courses and national certifications.

*Freshman School Program delivers a 'school within a school,' providing academic and social support to meet the unique needs of freshmen.

*International Baccalaureate (IB) is a full diploma program, beginning with the Class of 2006. AP Capstone diplomas awarded to first class in 2019.

*Curriculum of over 180 courses reflecting a broad spectrum of honors, Gifted/Talented, college preparatory—including IB, AP—Advanced Placement, ACP—Advanced College Project dual-credit courses, career & technical, ESL and Special Education disciplines.

**Eight-period alternating-day 4-block schedule on a semester calendar; 8:50-3:40 daily.

Ethnic/Racial Composition (2020-2021)

Asian	1%
Latino	26%
Black	43%
Caucasian	24%
Multi-racial	6%

Socioeconomic Composition (2020-2021)

Free/Reduced Lunch	61%
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Grading Scale and Class Rank

Class rank is determined by grade point average (GPA). GPA is calculated by dividing quality points by the number of credits attempted.

A+ = 4.33	A = 4.00	A- = 3.67
B+ = 3.33	B = 3.00	B- = 2.67
C+ = 2.33	C = 2.00	C- = 1.67
D+ = 1.33	D = 1.00	D- = 0.67

Beginning in the 2009-10 school year, a weighted grading system was implemented. AP, dual credit and college level courses receive an extra (1.0) point of value. Honors courses receive an extra (0.5) point of value.

The grading scale is as follows:

A +/- = 90-100	B +/- = 80-89	C +/- = 70-79
D +/- = 60-69	F = 59 & below	

National Merit / National Achievement Scholarships

National Merit Scholars (Class of 2020) 2
National Merit Commended (Class of 2020) 3
National Hispanic Recognition (Class of 2020) 1

Advanced Placement

*25 AP Courses are available across the curriculum
*431 AP Exams administered in May 2020 (COVID impact)

AP Scholars Recognized 81

AP Subject	AP Subject	AP Subject
Biology	French	Spanish Lang
Calc AB	Micro Econ	Spanish Lit
Calc BC	Mu Theory	Statistics
Chem	Physics 1	Studio 2D
Comp Sci	Physics 2, C	Studio Draw
Eng Lang	Psych	US Govt
Eng Lit	Research	US History
Env Sci	Seminar	Wld Hist

Class of 2020 Data:

Int'l Baccalaureate Diplomas Awarded	7
AP Capstone Diplomas Awarded	6
% of Academic/Technical Honors Diplomas	35%
% of Core 40 Diplomas	59%
% of General Diplomas	3%
% attending 4-year college	65%
% attending 2-year college	24%
% entering military/work force	11%
% of Seniors taking SAT	66%
Average SAT Score (CR+ M)	998
% of Seniors taking ACT	53%
Average ACT Score	21

Scholarship Offers & Awards (2020):

Total awarded to class: \$19,000,000+
Total Scholarships awarded: 400+
Including:

(2) Lilly Endowment Scholarship

- Full Tuition
- (2) Questbridge Scholars
- Full Cost of Attendance
- Notre Dame and USC

Butler University—\$165,000 (multiple)
Cheatham-White Full Cost of Attendance
DePauw University—\$124,000 (multiple)
Founder Scholarship (multiple)
IU Hudson & Holland (multiple)
Lugar Academic Recognition Award
Marian University (multiple)
Presidential Scholarships (multiple)

Lawrence North High School Curriculum

Curriculum Level:

Course level designations beyond the regular college preparatory curriculum include:

G/T—most selective courses for Gifted/Talented students (9th & 10th)

AP—Advanced Placement (CEEB) courses designed to prepare students for College Board Advanced Placement Exams which may lead to college credit

IB—International Baccalaureate courses designed to prepare students for IB exams which may lead to college credit and/or IB Diploma award

ACP or CC—College Credit/Dual Credit course which allows LN students to enroll in and receive college credit from Indiana colleges in addition to high school credit.

H—Honors courses

Diploma Requirements:

Students are required to earn a minimum of 44 credits to graduate. Each semester course is worth 1 credit unless otherwise indicated on the transcript. Students must also pass ISTEP examinations in English and mathematics.

Indiana Core 40 Diploma

English	8 Credits
Mathematics	6-8 Credits
Science	6 Credits
Social Studies	6 Credits
Health/PE	3 Credits
Electives	13-15 Credits
Total	44 Credits

Indiana Core 40 with Academic Honors Diploma

English	8 Credits
Mathematics	8 Credits
Science	6 Credits
Social Studies	6 Credits
World Language	6-8 Credits
Fine Arts	2 Credits
Health/PE	3 Credits
Electives	8-11 Credits
Total	47 Credits

English

AP/IB Eng Language & Comp
AP/IB Eng Literature & Comp
ACP Advanced Composition
ACP Speech & Communications
Humanities (AP Eng Lang/Comp & AP US Hist)
IB 20th Century Literature
Creative Writing
Film in Literature
Genres of Literature-Hip Hop Discourse
Speech
Debate
English 9-10-11
English Honors 9-10-11
English G/T 9-10
English Composition
World Literature
Theatre Arts/Adv. Theatre Arts
Basic Skills Development/Eng.

Math

Calculus AP/IB AB
Calculus AP/IB BC
AP Statistics/IB Math Studies
Precalculus Honors
Precalculus
Trigonometry
Finite
IB Mathematics
Probability & Statistics
CCR Bridge Math
Algebra II Honors
Algebra II
Geometry Honors
Geometry
Algebra I Honors
Algebra I
Business Math

Science

AP Chemistry II
IB Chemistry
AP/IB Physics II Mechanics "C"
AP Physics
ACP Chemistry
AP/IB Biology
IB Sport, Exercise & Health Science
AP Environmental Science
Core 40 Chemistry
Core 40 Physics
Biology II—Human Anatomy/Physiology
Biology II—Vertebrate Zoology
Biology II—Invertebrate Zoology
Integrated Chemistry/Physics

Science Con't.

Honors Biology
Biology
Earth/Space Science
Environmental Science
Social Studies
AP Government & Constitutional Law
AP Microeconomics
AP/IB Psychology I
IB Psychology III-IV
AP World History/Spanish AP World History
AP US History
ACP US History
Humanities (AP Eng Lang/Comp & AP US Hist)
IB 20th Century Americas
US Government
Economics
US History
Honors Geography/History of the World
Geography/History of the World
Sociology
Indiana History
Topics in History—Ethnic Studies
Topics in History—Genocide through Film
Law Education

Visual Arts

2-D Art
3-D Art
Painting I & II
Drawing I & II
Ceramics & Sculpture
Art History
Digital Design
Fine Arts Photography
Visual Communications
Fine Arts Connection
AP/IB Studio Art

Communications

Yearbook—Beginning/Advanced
Newspaper—Beginning/Advanced
Radio & TV I & II
Intro to Photography
Advanced Photography
Journalism

Physical Education

Physical Education I-II
Advanced Physical Ed—Weight Training
Advanced Physical Ed—Leadership
Health

Course Offerings:

World Languages

AP/IB French
AP/IB German
AP/IB Spanish Language
AP Spanish Literature
French I-IV
German I-IV
Spanish I-IV
Spanish Immersion I-III
World Cultures (Spanish)
Culture & Diversity (Spanish)
Spanish Lang/Culture/Theatre
ENL—Eng as a New Lang.

Music & Performing Arts

Instrumental:
Concert Band
Symphonic Band
Wind Ensemble
Jazz Ensemble/Adv. Jazz
Orchestra:
Sinfonia
Sonatina
Concertino
Chamber
Chorus:
Bellabravada
Chamber
Treble Singers
Legacy
Sounds of Praise
Piano I-IV
AP/IB Music Appreciation
Music Appreciation
Hip Hop History & Theory
Musical Theatre
Advanced Dance-Colorguard Performance
Advanced Dance
Intermediate Dance
Beginning Dance

Multi-Disciplinary

AVID I-IV
Education Professions
Peer Tutoring
College Entrance Prep
Internship
IB Theory of Knowledge
IB CAS

Business

ACP Advanced Business Management
ACP Finance
ACP Principles of Business Management
Accounting
Business Law & Ethics
Intro to Business
Personal Finance
Computer Programming I-II
Web Design
Principles of Marketing/Management
Entrepreneur
Merchandising
Sports & Entertainment Marketing

Career & Technical

ACP A+ Computer Electronic Services
Network +
Security +
AP Computer Science
Auto Service Technology I-II
Civil Air Patrol/Jr. ROTC
Collision Repair I-II
Construction Trades I-II
Cosmetology I-II
Criminal Justice I-II
Interactive Media I-II
Culinary Arts I-II
Health Careers I-II
JAG I-II
Principles of Biomed Science
Human Body Systems
ACP Medical Interventions
ACP Biomedical Innovations
Biotechnical Engineering
Principles of Engineering
Civil Engineering & Architecture
Intro to Engineering Design
Computer Integrated Manuf. Systems
Digital Electronics
Engineering Design & Development
Robotics
Strategic Marketing
Work-Based Learning—Field Experience
Prep for College & Careers

Family and Consumer Science

Child Development
Intro to Culinary Arts
Culinary Arts
Fashion & Textiles
Housing & Interiors

Colleges Receiving 2020 LNHS Graduates

Alabama State University
Ball State University
Benedict College
Bethel University
Bluffton University
Bradley University
Butler University
BYU Hawaii
Case Western University
Central State University
Chamberlain College
Chamberlain University
Columbia College Chicago
DePauw University
Findlay University
Full Sail University
George Washington University
Hanover College

Indiana Baptist College
Indiana State University
Indiana University
IUPUI
IUPUI Herron School of A & D
International Business College
Ivy Tech Community College
Ivy Tech—Hoosier Links
Kentucky State University
Loyola University (Chicago)
Manchester University
Marian University
Miami University (Ohio)
Michigan State University
Mass Inst of Technology (MIT)
Moody Bible College

North Carolina Central Univ
Ohio University
Olivet Nazarene University
Purdue University
Purdue University-Fort Wayne
Saint Louis University
St. Joseph's College
Texas Southern University
Texas State University
Trine University
Tuskegee University
Union College
University of Bergen
University of Cincinnati
University of Dayton
University of Illinois-Chicago

University of Indianapolis
University of Iowa
University of Kentucky
University of Louisville
University of Miami
University of Michigan
University of Notre Dame
University of Pernambuco
University of So. Calif (USC)
University of Tampa
University of Texas
Valparaiso University
Vincennes University
Wabash College
Western Kentucky University
Winston Salem State
Xavier University