



WASHTENAW INTERNATIONAL HIGH SCHOOL

2024-2025 SCHOOL PROFILE

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THE SCHOOL

Washtenaw International High School (WIHI) is a 9th-12th grade consortium public high school serving students and school districts in Washtenaw County, MI, including Ann Arbor, Chelsea, Lincoln, Manchester, Milan, Saline, Whitmore Lake, Ypsilanti and surrounding school districts. WIHI students participate in a rigorous International Baccalaureate curriculum.

THE INTERNATIONAL BACCALAUREATE DIPLOMA PROGRAM

All students complete two years of IB Middle Years Program course work in 9th and 10th grade and pursue the full IB Diploma in 11th and 12th grade. The IB program's comprehensive courses,, student-centered emphasis, academic standards and inquiry-based curriculum offer an exemplary education based on international standards.

WIHI SCHOOL ACHIEVEMENTS AND RECOGNITION

- Ranked No. 1 High School in Michigan (Niche)
- Top test scores - Ranked no. 1 in Washtenaw County and top-10 in Michigan for SAT & College Readiness Scores
- 16 seniors received 2024 National Merit Scholarship Competition recognition, (12 percent of WIHI competitors, compared to three percent recognized nationwide)
- More than 90 percent of students participate in extra-curricular activities, including interscholastic athletics; home-grown clubs like Black Student Union and Student Government; plus chapters of Model UN, NHS, HOSA and more!
- Multiple overall team championships at Muslim Interscholastic Tournament (Detroit)
- Three-time team honoree at statewide Michigan Forensics Team Competition
- \$1.5 million community-funded endowment for the WIHI Exceptional Learner Scholarship, which rewards academic excellence and promotes our caring and collaborative culture

CLASS OF 2025 DEMOGRAPHICS

White: 38%, Asian: 26%, African-American: 20%,
Hispanic/Latinx: 7%, Other: 9%;

First-Generation College: 28% (approx.)

Economically Disadvantaged: 19% (approx.)



COMMUNITY

WIHI serves students from school districts in Washtenaw County, home to The University of Michigan in Ann Arbor and Eastern Michigan University in Ypsilanti. The county's population is approximately 359,000 people who are employed in a diverse array of medical, technological, manufacturing and educational fields. WIHI is a diverse and inclusive community with students representing a wide range of races, religions and socioeconomic backgrounds. Students speak more than 25 languages at home. No single race represents a majority of the senior class. 19 percent of WIHI seniors are identified as economically disadvantaged.

IB DIPLOMA PROGRAM COMPONENTS

The International Baccalaureate Diploma Program is a two-year, college-level course of study. Students study IB English Literature, IB Mathematics, IB Science, IB Individuals & Societies, IB Language Acquisition, and an additional IB subject of their choosing. In May of the final year of study, all Diploma candidates worldwide sit for examinations. At least three IB examinations are taken at higher level (HL), the remaining three at standard level (SL). The IB Diploma is awarded by the International Baccalaureate Organization to all students who meet the IB requirements and earn qualifying scores on the examinations. The IB Diploma is recognized as one of the most rigorous high school curricula in the world. WIHI students also complete the IB Creativity, Activity, and Service (CAS) Program and the IB Extended Essay (EE). The EE is a 4,000-word independent, self-directed research essay.

RECENT WIHI GRADUATES WERE ACCEPTED TO

Albion College*
American University*
Bard College*
Barnard College
Berklee College of Music*
Bowling Green State University*
Brandeis University*
Brown University*
Bryn Mawr College*
Calif. Ins. Of Tech. (Caltech)*
Carleton College*
Case Western Reserve U.*
Clark University (Mass.)
College for Creative Studies*
Columbia University*
Cornell University
Dartmouth College*
Denison University*
DePaul University*
Duke University*
Eastern Michigan University*
Emory University*
Georgetown University*

Goucher College*
Grand Valley State University*
Hampton University*
Harvard University*
Haverford College*
Howard University*
Indiana University*
Johns Hopkins University
Kalamazoo College*
Loyola University Chicago*
Macalester College*
Madonna University*
McGill University*
Michigan State University*
Michigan Technological U.*
Morehouse College*
Northern Michigan University*
Northwestern University*
Pitzer College*
Princeton University*
Reed College*
Rice University*
Spelman College*

Stanford University*
University of Chicago*
UCLA*
University of California - Santa Cruz*
University of Detroit-Mercy*
University of Limerick*
University of Miami (Florida)*
University of Michigan - Ann Arbor*
University of Michigan - Dearborn*
University of Michigan - Flint*
University of Minnesota - Twin Cities*
University of Pennsylvania*
University of San Francisco*
University of Southern California*
University of Texas - Austin*
University of Windsor*
Washington U. in St. Louis*
Washtenaw Community College*
Wayne State University*
Wellesley College*
Wheaton College (Illinois)*
Xavier University (New Orleans)
Yale University*

** indicates matriculation*



FOUR-YEAR COURSE OF STUDY

All students at WIHI follow the rigorous course of study below as part of the IB Middle Years and Diploma Programs. **The IB Diploma Program at WIHI is composed of six IB courses, including three Higher Level (HL) three Standard Level (SL) and core components. IB exams are conducted in May of 12th grade.**

GRADE 9		GRADE 10		GRADE 11		GRADE 12	
COURSE	CREDIT	COURSE	CREDIT	COURSE	CREDIT	COURSE	CREDIT
Honors World Lit.	1.0	H. American Lit.	1.0	IB1 English Lit.	1.0	IB2 English Lit.	1.0
H. World Studies	1.0	H. American Studies	1.0	IB1 Ind. & Soc. Choice	1.0	IB1 Ind. & Soc. Choice	1.0
H. Biology	1.0	H. Chemistry	1.0	IB1 Science	1.0	IB2 Science	1.0
H. Integrated Math 2 or 3	1.0	H. Integrated Math 3 or IB	1.0	IB1 Math (Standard Level or Higher Level)	1.0	IB2 Math (Standard Level or Higher Level)	1.0
H. Language Acquisition	1.0	H. Language Acquisition	1.0	IB1 Language Acquisition	1.0	IB2 Language Acquisition	1.0
Fine Arts Course	1.0	Fine Arts Course	1.0	IB 6th Subj. Elective	1.0	IB 6th Subj. Elective	1.0
H. Physics	1.0	Communications	.5	IB1 TOK	.5	IB2 TOK	.5
Approach. to Learning	.5	Economics	.5	IB Core (Ex. Essay)	.5	Exam Prep	.5
Physical Education	.5	Health	.5	Government	.5	IB2 Extended Essay	.25
		Mid. Yrs. Prog. Core	.5	Wellness or Perf. Mus.	.5		
				IB1 Extended Essay	.25		

WIHI/IB COURSE NAMES

Honors Integrated Math 2
 Honors Integrated Math 3
 IB Math Applications & Interpretation
 IB Math Standard Level
 IB Math Higher Level
 IB History
 Physical Education
 TOK (Theory of Knowledge)
 IB1 Literature
 IB2 Literature

COMMON COURSE NAMES

Algebra II / Geometry
 Advanced Algebra/Trigonometry
 Pre-Calculus and Applied Math
 Calculus (Comparable to AP Calculus AB)
 Calculus (Comparable to AP Calculus BC)
 20th Century US and World History
 Physical Education/Personal Fitness
 Philosophy
 English Analysis of the Novel
 Analysis of World Poetry and Drama



WIHI CLASS OF 2025 GPA/TESTING DISTRIBUTION*

Unweighted GPA Range	Average PSAT/SAT	# of Students
3.994 to 4.000	1408	30
3.846-3.993	1253	30
3.450-3.845	1116	30
<3.450	919	31

*-Given the high quality of teaching and learning at WIHI, students across the GPA distribution show exceptional college readiness, as evidenced by college admission, outcomes and standardized test data.

GRADING SCALE AND GPAS

WIHI uses a 4.0 grading scale and provides two cumulative GPAs on transcripts – an unweighted GPA and a weighted GPA. Courses marked “IB” on transcripts are weighted, with additional points averaged in to the weighted GPA.

CLASS OF 2025 TEST SCORES - APRIL 2024 SCHOOL TESTING

SAT	WIHI Mean	State	Coll. Readiness
SAT Total	1165	940	
SAT EBRW	597	480	480
SAT Math	569	460	530

% OF CLASS OF 2025 STUDENTS AT/ABOVE SAT COLLEGE READINESS BENCHMARKS

	WIHI	State
EBRW	85%	50%
Math	63%	23%

MAJOR SCHOLARSHIP AWARDS WON BY RECENT WIHI GRADUATES (*-“FULL RIDE”)

Eastern Michigan U.-Presidential*
Kalamazoo College-Lux Esto
U. Michigan-Ann Arbor -Stamps Leadership*
U. Michigan-Dearborn -Chancellor's*

Stanford U. -Type 1 AFROTC*
Washington U. (MO) -Danforth Scholars; Eliot
Wayne State U. -Presidential*
Wittenberg U. -Bill Martin*