

NEENAH HIGH SCHOOL

Neenah, Wisconsin ♦ 2024-25 School Profile

Accomplishments

- Opened a new high school in the fall of 2023. The school consists of unique, flexible learning spaces with elective courses positioned in the high-traffic areas of the school.
- Exceeded expectations on the Wisconsin state report card in 2023-24 for the third straight year. The student achievement score of 68.7 ranked in the top 79.5% of 9-12 schools in the state.
- Offers a unique project-based learning curriculum called "Fusion Academy" for about 100 freshmen and sophomores.
- Offers an entrepreneurial IncubatorEDU and AcceleratorEDU class where students create and pitch a project to potential investors.
- Has a graduation rate of 97.2%, which is higher than the state average of 92.0%.
- Requires graduating seniors to earn college credit while in high school.

Neenah High School is proudly positioned in the heart of the Fox River Valley in East Central Wisconsin. With an enrollment of 1,979 students and a dedicated teaching and counseling staff of 135 and a support staff of 55, Neenah continues to be a frontrunner in many areas, including academics, athletics and the arts. The school calendar consists of two semesters, each 18 weeks in length. Neenah High School is accredited by the Wisconsin Department of Public Instruction.



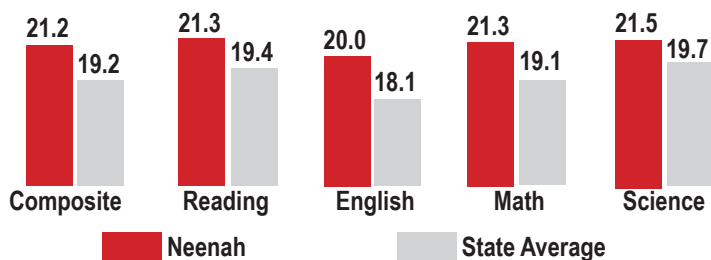
Programs

- Diversified curriculum to meet needs of students of all abilities. Course selections include standard and advanced classes.
- Numerous courses available for college credit through local or neighboring colleges and universities.
- Optional academies offered that provide comprehensive education toward a specific career field in Business and Information Technology, Health Careers, Hospitality and Culinary Arts, Manufacturing and Engineering and Visual Arts.
- Academic Advisement and Career Planning assists students with college and career planning and academic success.
- Over 50 clubs and activities, including highly-successful varsity athletics, drama and music programs
- Course description guide available at: <https://tinyurl.com/mry9mex2>.

ACT Profile

The 2024 Neenah High School graduating class posted a **21.2 composite ACT score**. The score was higher than the state average of 19.2 and Neenah students outperformed state averages in each content area. Neenah's scores have annually ranked the highest among public school districts in the Fox Valley area.

Neenah's students were above the state averages in college readiness in each content area as well.



Graduation Requirements

Subject	Credits
English	4.0
Math	3.0
Science	3.0
Social Studies	3.0
Physical Education	1.5
Practical Arts	0.5
Fine Arts	0.5
Health Education	0.5
Personal Financial Literacy	0.5
Electives	6.0
Total	22.5

Grading Scale

Target Avg. Range	Grade
2.80-3.00	A
2.70-2.79	A-
2.60-2.69	B+
2.50-2.59	B
2.40-2.49	B-
2.30-2.39	C+
2.20-2.29	C
2.10-2.19	C-
2.00-2.09	D+
1.90-1.99	D
1.80-1.89	D-
< or = 1.79	F

Neenah High School students have access to over 40 courses in which they can earn college credit through a variety of institutions.

See a complete list of dual credit opportunities in the Course Description and Program Guide: <https://tinyurl.com/mry9mex2>

Where the Class of 2024 is headed...

- Colleges & Universities - 66%
- Technical Colleges - 14%
- Military - 3%
- Direct Employment - 7%
- Trade/Apprenticeship - 9%

Neenah Joint School District Proficiency Scale

Students receive ongoing feedback related to or connected to each learning target throughout the duration of the course. In addition, students' future readiness is measured in the areas of respect, responsibility and curiosity using the same grading metric as the academic grade.

For each learning target, students will receive feedback using a three-level scale. **Proficient** means that the student demonstrates and applies a **comprehensive** understanding of the learning target at that point in the school year. **Developing** means that the student demonstrates and/or applies a **partial** understanding of the learning target at that point in the school year. **Beginning** means that the student demonstrates **minimal** understanding of the learning target at that point in the school year.

ADVANCED PLACEMENT®

The College Board's Advanced Placement (AP) Program provides academically prepared students the opportunity to take rigorous college-level courses while still in high school and to earn college credit, advanced placement or both for successful performance on the AP exams.

In 2024, a total of 415 students took 676 AP exams across 23 different subjects.

A total of 78 percent of students attempting an AP exam achieved a passing score of 3 or higher.

Neenah High School Advanced Placement Courses			
English Language and Composition	English Literature and Composition	U.S. Government and Politics	Comparative Government
Biology	Calculus AB	Calculus BC	World History
Computer Science Principles	Computer Science A	Psychology	Human Geography
Microeconomics	Macroeconomics	European History	United States History
Drawing	2D Art and Design	3D Art and Design	Seminar
Research	Statistics	Physics 1	Spanish
French	Pre-Calculus		

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ADVANCED COURSE OFFERINGS

Several classes at Neenah High School have an advanced designation, are articulated with a technical college, receive college credit or help prepare students for an advanced placement exam. All of these courses are noted on the transcript with an asterisk.

English	Math	Science
Pre-AP English 1 Pre-AP English 2 AP English Language and Composition AP English Literature and Composition Advanced Theater Studies I Fundamentals of Communications Modern American Literature Written Communication AP Seminar AP Research Composition for Journalistic Publication College Reading Strategies	AP Calculus AB / BC Statistics and Probability AP Pre-Calculus Calculus 3 Linear Algebra College Mathematics AP Statistics College Tech Math	Advanced Foundations of Physics Advanced Biology Chemistry 101 Chemistry Study Chemistry 105 AP Biology Advanced Physics Concepts AP Physics 1 Hydroponics
Technology and Engineering	Social Studies	Family and Consumer Science
Digital Electronics Introduction to Engineering Design Principles of Engineering Computer Integrated Manufacturing Advanced Manufacturing Materials and Processing Advanced Welding Intro to Welding Woods Manufacturing 1 Gas Metal Art Welding Gas Tungsten Art Welding Automotive Technology 2 Automotive Technology 3 Automotive Technology 4 Automotive Technology 5 Welding and Fabrication CADD/CNC Manufacturing 2	AP Microeconomics AP Human Geography AP U.S. Government and Politics AP Comparative Government and Politics AP United States History AP European History AP World History AP Macroeconomics AP Psychology Economics and Personal Financial Literacy Sociology and Social Issues	Culinary Arts 1/Pro-Start 1A Nutrition and Healthy Cooking Health Careers 1 Health Careers 2 Certified Nursing Assistant Human Relations Child Development Infant and Toddler Development Breakfast, Potatoes and Pasta/Pro-Start 2A Early Childhood Education: Health, Safety, and Nutrition Foundations of Early Childhood Education
World Languages	Art	Business/Computer Science & Info Tech.
French 3/4 AP French Language and Culture (French 5) French 6 Spanish 3/4 AP Spanish Language and Culture (Spanish 5) Advanced Spanish for Communication Chinese 3/4 Chinese 5	Explorations in Visual Art Art History Glass and Creative Forms II AP 2D Art and Design AP 3D Art and Design AP Drawing Advanced Studio Art	Business Finance Accounting Management Entrepreneurship AP Computer Science Principles AP Computer Science A Business Law Advanced Topics in Business and Marketing INCubator EDU Accelerator EDU
Music	Other Courses	Physical Education
Advanced Jazz Ensemble Advanced Music Theory Wind Symphony Symphony Orchestra Advanced Chamber Choir Cantare	Leadership Educational Leadership Educational Policy: Truths and Myths	Lifeguard Training - CPR Adventure, Challenge and Cooperative Activities in Physical Education Contemporary Issues in Coaching