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Harrison High School

Proud Home of the Hoyas

Helping Our Youth Achieve Success

Cobb County School District

The Cobb County School District (CCSD) is the second largest school system in Georgia. It serves nearly 113,000 students in a diverse, constantly changing suburban environment.

CCSD mission is One Team, One Goal: Student Success.

CCSD vision is a school district of excellence where all students succeed.

Harrison High School

Harrison High School is a 4-year, public high school. It has been distinguished by CCSD as an AP Demonstration School and the Georgia DOE as an AP Merit School for AP enrollment, participation in AP testing, and student achievement on AP exams.

Harrison High School is proud to provide a safe and positive learning environment for high school students in ninth through twelfth grade. As a Georgia School of Excellence, we exemplify excellence in academics and offer highly ranked curriculum and programs.

Enrollment Information

Total Enrollment: 2,204
 Enrollment Class of 2024: 515
 Highest GPA class of 2024: 4.64
 2023 Graduate Profile:
 84.3% 4-Year College
 6.5% 2-Year College
 *Self-reported data

Counseling Staff: [Counseling Website](#)

Ansley Schmit; Last Names: A – CL
 Gillian Moody; Last Names: CM – G; Lead
 Tamara Campbell; Last Names: H – L; STEM
 Jason Evans; Last Names: M – R
 Katie Hoptruff; Last Names: S – Z
 Audra Skalski, School Counseling Clerk
 Stephanie Gardner, School Counseling Clerk

4x4 Block Scheduling

Four, 90-Minute Blocks; M-F; Semesters:
 S1 or S2: 18 Weeks (1 unit of credit)
 Q1, Q2, Q3, Q4: 9 Weeks (.5 unit of credit)
 FY: 36 Weeks (1 unit of credit) Final grades are posted at the end of each 18 week semester, except for FY classes, which post at the end of the school year.

Grading Scale

A = 90 - 100 B = 80 - 89 C = 74 - 79
 D = 70 - 73 F = 69 & below

Class Rank and GPA Calculation

CCSD does not numerically rank students. GPA is cumulative for four years and includes all classes. CCSD utilizes a weighted 4.0 GPA scale, in that some courses receive additional quality points due to the level of difficulty. Additional quality points are calculated into the cumulative GPA and are not reflected in numerical averages:

A = 4.0 B = 3.0 C = 2.0 D = 1.0 F = 0

One additional quality point for completing:

Any AP or IB course
 Any 4th, 5th, or 6th year language

One half (.5) additional point for completion of Accelerated, Honors, or Pre-IB level course

Curriculum

25 Honors and 22 AP Courses, including:

AP Language
 AP Literature
 AP Seminar
 AP Statistics
 AP Pre-Calculus
 AP Calculus AB; AP Calculus BC
 DE ACL Calculus 2; DE ACL Calculus 3
 AP Biology
 AP Environmental Science
 AP Chemistry
 AP Physics I; AP Physics II;
 AP U.S. History
 AP World History
 AP US Government/Politics
 AP Microeconomics
 AP European History
 AP Human Geography
 AP Psychology
 AP French, AP Spanish
 AP Studio Art

Testing Profile

2022 Average SAT Scores			
Harrison	District	State	National
1119	1111	1052	1028

2022 Average ACT Scores			
Harrison	District	State	National
23.4	23	21.6	19.8

2023 Advanced Placement Exams	
Exams Given	1138
% of total AP students who scored 3 or higher	78%

Graduation Requirements

English	4.0
Mathematics	4.0
Science	4.0
Social Studies	3.0
Health	0.5
Personal Fitness	0.5
CTAE/Language/Fine Art	3.0
Electives	4.0
Total Units	23.0

Georgia Milestones Assessment

Courses for which there is a state end of course assessment, the score accounts for 20% of the final course average. The following courses require an assessment; American Literature; Biology; GSM Algebra; US History

Harrison High School offers a competitive **STEM Bioengineering program**.

More information can be found: <https://harrisonstem.weebly.com/>

Course Offering 2023-2024

English

9th Grade Literature/Comp*
 World Literature/Comp*
 American Literature/Comp*
 British Literature/Comp*
 Dramatic Writing
 AP Literature
 AP Language
 AP Seminar
 H/AP Humanities
English Electives
 Mythology
 Journalism/Annual

Mathematics

GSM Algebra
 GSM Foundations of Algebra
 GSM Geometry
 GSM Advanced Algebra
 College Readiness
 GSM Pre-Calculus
 GSM AP Pre-Calculus
 Calculus
 Adv Math Decision Making
 Statistical Reasoning
 AP Statistics
 AP Calculus AB
 AP Calculus BC
 DE ACL Calculus 2
 DE ACL Calculus 3

Mathematics Electives

GSE Geometry Support

Science

Astronomy
 Biology*
 Chemistry*
 Environmental Science
 Forensic Science*
 Human Anatomy/Phys
 Physics*
 Zoology
 AP Biology
 AP Chemistry
 AP Physics I
 AP Physics II
 AP Environmental Science

Social Studies

World History*
 US History*
 Economics*
 Government*
 AP World History
 AP US History
 AP Microeconomics
 AP Government/Politics

Social Studies Electives

Current Issues
 Psychology
 Sociology
 World Geography
 AP European History
 AP Human Geography
 AP Comparative Government
 AP Psychology
 Sports in United States History

Health/Physical Education

Health (required)
 Personal Fitness (required)
 Body Sculpting
 Exercise & Weight Mgt
 Physical Conditioning
 Advanced Physical Cond
 Recreational Games
 Team Sports
 Advanced Team Sports
 Weight Training
 Advanced Weight Train

World Languages

French I, II
 French III, IV, V Honors
 AP French Language
 Spanish I, II*
 Spanish III, IV Honors
 Spanish V (Pre-AP)
 Spanish VII (Culture & Civ)
 AP Spanish Language

Fine Arts Course Information

Fine Arts – Band

Concert Band
 Symphonic Band
 Band Percussion
 Wind Ensemble

Fine Arts – Chorus

Advanced Mixed Chorus
 Intermediate Women's
 Advanced Women's Chorus

Fine Arts – Orchestra

Orchestra I (Concert)
 Interm Orchestra (Classic)
 Adv Orchestra (Chamber)

Fine Arts – Theatre

Fundamental of Drama
 Acting
 Musical Theatre
 Advanced Drama

Fine Arts – Visual

Visual Arts Comprehensive
 Drawing I and II
 Drawing/Painting I and II
 Painting I, Painting II
 Pottery/Ceramics
 Photography
 Applied Design
 AP Music Theory

Career Education Course Information

CTAE – Audio Video Tech

Audio Video Tech Film 1, 2, 3
 Broadcast Video Applications

CTAE – Business & Technology

Intro to Bus and Technology
 Business Technology
 Business Communications

Intro to Software Technology
 AP Computer Science Principles
 AP Computer Science A

CTAE – Teaching as a Profession

Examining Teaching as a Profession
 Contemporary Issues in Education
 Teaching as a Profession Practicum

CTAE – Graphic Design

Intro to Graphics & Design
 Graphic Design & Production
 Advanced Graphics Design
 Adv Graphic Output Process

CTAE – JROTC Naval Sci

NJROTC I, II, III, IV

CTAE – Sports and Entertainment Marketing

Marketing Principles
 Intro Sports & Entertainment
 Adv Sports & Entertainment

CTAE – Therapeutic Services/Sports Medicine

Intro Healthcare Science
 Essentials of Healthcare
 Sports Medicine

General Electives

Community Service Learn
 Events & Leadership Intern
 Mentorship (SPA)
 Minimum Day (no credit)

Supported Classes

Study Skills I, II, III, IV

CV – Cobb Virtual

GV – Georgia Virtual

DE – Dual Enrollment

AOC – Credit Recovery

Pathways

Students who complete three courses in an eligible CTAE course of study are considered to have completed a CTAE Pathway. Pathway completion does not affect a student's graduation status

Course descriptions can be found at:

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For information regarding Special Student Services or an Individual Education Plan (IEP), please contact
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