



ADMINISTRATION

Mr. Cory Caughlan, Principal

Mr. Graham Roan, Assistant Principal

Mr. Ben Richards, Assistant Principal

Mr. Justin Sanford, Activities Director/HS Manager

Mount Vernon High

2024-2025 School Profile

CEEB CODE 363-565

COUNSELORS

Mrs. Jacqueline Wihl (P-Z), Dept Chair

Mrs. Myrna Kennerly (A-G)

Mrs. Eryn Fawcett (H-O)

COMMUNITY

Mount Vernon, located 45 miles northeast of Columbus, Ohio, is the largest city in Knox County and is the county seat. Agriculture is the largest industry complemented with a diverse manufacturing industry. All levels of socio-economic background are represented. The population of Mount Vernon is approximately 14,500. Kenyon College, Mount Vernon Nazarene University and Central Ohio Technical College-Knox Campus are in close proximity to the high school. Several high school students take advantage of College Credit Plus opportunities or guest student status at these neighboring institutions.

SCHOOL

Mount Vernon High Schools is a public school accredited by the North Central Association Commission on Accreditation and School Improvement. Approximately 35% of the juniors will choose to enter a two-year program at the Knox County Career Center. Another 5-10% of the class will enroll in a one-year program at the Knox County Career Center. Of the remaining seniors, an estimated 55% will matriculate to two year and four-year colleges. The school year is composed of two semesters (four 9-week grading periods). The school day consists of seven 46-minute academic class periods. Many students participate in extracurricular activities at school and in the community.

GRADUATION REQUIREMENTS

The Mount Vernon Board of Education requires that students graduate with a minimum of 20 credits. All students must meet the following credits to graduate.

English	4 units	Science	3 units (1 Biology, 1 Physical Science and 1 additional credit)
Math	4 units	Health	1/2 unit
Social Studies	3 units	Physical Education	1/2 unit (2 semesters or meet waiver requirements)

ADVANCED PLACEMENT/ENRICH PROGRAMS			
Students with the necessary prerequisites and staff approval may take Advanced Placement. View course information guide here .			
Calculus	Biology	English	Physics
Statistics	2D Art and Design	Drawing	Comparative Government/US Govt

DUAL ENROLLMENT CLASSES		
Classes with Central Ohio Technical College		
Advanced Composition	Pre-Calculus	Psychology
Human Physiology	Financial Literacy	Speech

KAP (Kenyon Academic Partnership) CLASSES				
Students enrolled in these courses are given an introduction to the rigors of college work in familiar, supportive settings, and are offered more advanced and varied courses than normally found in high school. Students enrolled in these courses are awarded credit from Kenyon College in addition to satisfying graduation requirements.				
KAP American History	KAP French	KAP English	KAP Spanish	KAP Chemistry

CLASS PROFILE
Class of 2024
277 graduates
41% enrolled in a four-year college
12% enrolled in a two-year college
3% enlisted in the Military
26% entered the workforce

NATIONAL MERIT SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM		
2023-2024	3 Finalists	2 Commended Students
2022-2023		1 Commended Student
2021-2022	2 Finalists	

ACT	
2023-2024	18.8 Mean Composite
2022-2023	19.0 Mean Composite
2021-2022	19.7 Mean Composite