



Levine Middle College High School
CEEB: 342-526

About LMCHS

Levine Middle College High School (LMCHS) is a Cooperative Innovative High School consisting of 11th, 12th, and 13th grade students who complete their required high school graduation requirements while taking college courses for credit and at no cost. Seniors are able to choose between graduating from high school at the end of 12th grade or staying in high school for Grade 13, with the goal of earning an Associate's Degree or Career Certification through CPCC. Students in Grade 13 have completed all high school graduation requirements and take all of their classes with CPCC. LMCHS students come from over 20 different high schools in Mecklenburg County and operate on a CMS Calendar that is consistent with the CPCC calendar. Our high school day is from 11:20-4:20. Students can take their college classes at any time that does not conflict with their required high school classes.

LMCHS is located on Central Piedmont Community College's Levine campus in Matthews, North Carolina. Enrollment is capped at 100 students per grade level. Entrance requirements are: credits earned in English I, English II, Math I, Math II, World History, Civics & Economics, Health & PE and Biology, and demonstration of college readiness on Accuplacer, PSAT, PLAN, ACT or SAT assessments. Since our first year of operation in 2014-2015, LMCHS has focused on creating a culture of high academic standards and high expectations for character, respect and integrity.

Teaching Staff

All staff members are properly licensed and are Highly Qualified.

100% of Staff Members believe that "my school implements a rigorous academic curriculum" (Insight Survey).

100% of Staff members agree that "There is a low tolerance for ineffective teaching at my school" (Insight Survey).

Curriculum

LMCHS is an honors-level middle college and offers only honors and AP courses to students. Students are expected to complete their required high school graduation requirements in honors and/or AP, and community college courses. Honors level high school courses and most transferable community college courses receive 1 extra quality point, while AP courses receive 2 extra quality points.

Courses Offered

AP: Calculus AB, Calculus BC, Statistics, Environmental Science, U.S. History, European History, English Language and Composition, English Literature and Composition and North Carolina Virtual Public Schools courses not offered at LMCHS
Honors: Math III, Pre-Calculus, English III, English IV, Chemistry, Earth and Environmental Science, American History I & II

Extracurricular Activities Offered

LMCHS does not offer athletics. Students are allowed to participate in athletics and marching band at their home schools. LMCHS offers yearbook, National Honor Society, student government, and academic internships. Students may also participate in the community college's extracurricular activities.

High School Graduation Requirements

English – 4 units; Math – 4 units (Algebra I, Geometry, Algebra II, and one math unit above Algebra II); Science – 3 units (Biology, Earth/Environmental Science, Physical Science); Social Studies – 4 units (World History, Civics & Economics, American History I, American History II); Foreign Language – 2 units; Health/PE – 1 unit; General electives – 8 units.

Class Rank/GPA calculation

Quality points are assigned on the basis of A=4 points; B=3 points; C=2 points; D=1 point; F=0 points. The GPA is calculated by dividing the total quality points by the number of courses attempted. Credit and quality points are assigned at the conclusion of each semester. Class rank is according to descending weighted GPA.

For students with a 9th grade entry year of 2014 or earlier: One additional quality point is added for honors and most transferable community college courses. Two additional quality points are added for Advanced Placement courses.

For students with a 9th grade entry year of 2015 or later: One half additional quality point is added for honors courses. One additional quality points are added for Advanced Placement courses and most transferable community college courses.

Grading Scale

Beginning 2015-2016: = A= 90-100; B = 80-89; C = 70-79; D = 60-69; F = Below 60
Prior to 2015-2016: A = 93-100; B = 85-92; C = 77-84; D = 70-76; F = Below 70

In 2015-16, CMS started using numerical grades. CPCC grades are reported on a student's CMS transcript as follows: A= 95, B= 85, C= 75, D= 65, F= 55.

2016-2017 Statistics

LMCHS ACT Composite: 23.9 vs NC: 18.6

Exceeded average NC AP Scores in 3 of 5 subjects

95% of Students scored a C or higher on NC Final Exams

100% Graduation Rate

Scholarships Earned by Graduating Class of 2017: \$1,513,360

Post-Secondary Institutions

Levine MCHS students have been accepted to the following schools: Appalachian State, Belmont Abbey, Boston University, Brigham Young, Campbell, College of Charleston, Chowan, Clark Atlanta, Clemson, Concord, Davidson, Duke, East Carolina, Elizabeth City State, Elon, Fayetteville State, Gardner-Webb, Georgia State, Hampton, Harvard, High Point, Marshall, Milwaukee School of Engineering, Morehouse, N.C. Central, N.C. A & T, N.C. State, Northeastern, Penn State, Princeton, Queens, Salem, UNC Asheville, UNC Chapel Hill, UNC Charlotte, UNC Greensboro, UNC Pembroke, UNC Wilmington, Univ. of Alabama, Univ. of Chicago, Univ. of Colorado- Boulder, Univ. of Rochester, Univ. of San Francisco, Univ. of South Carolina, Vanderbilt, Western Carolina, Winston-Salem State, Wingate

Student Demographics

Total Students Enrolled: 260		#	%
Gender	Female	171	65.8%
	Male	89	34.2%
Race/ Ethnicity	African American	44	16.9%
	Hispanic	34	13.1%
	American Indian	2	0.8%
	Asian	9	3.5%
	Two or More	9	3.5%
	Pacific Islander	2	0.8%
	White	160	61.5%
Exceptionality	SWD	6	2.3%
	Academically Intellectually Gifted Students	55	21.2%
	Limited English Proficient Students	1	0.4%

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