NEGAUNEE HIGH SCHOOL

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2010 – 2011 SCHOOL PROFILE



THE COMMUNITY

Negaunee High School is located in Negaunee, Michigan which has a population of 4,576. The name Negaunee comes from a Native American word nigani (Ojibwa tribe) meaning "foremost, in advance, leading". Negaunee was incorporated as a town in 1865 after the Jackson Mine was established to mine the ore in the area. Mining is still one of the primary professions in the Negaunee area today.

MISSION STATEMENT

The primary purpose of our school is teaching and learning. It is our responsibility to develop the intellectual, vocational, physical, creative, cultural, and social capabilities of all our students to their maximum potential. Our schools belong to the people of the community, and we further realize that productive schools are built on partnerships of citizens, parents, and staff.

THE SCHOOL

Negaunee High School is a four-year high school enrolling 450 students in grades nine through twelve. NHS is accredited by the State of Michigan Education YES! program. The new high school was opened in 1986 in a unique renovation of an abandoned underground mine. A new pool and science wing was constructed and few would recognize the former Mather B site. Construction of a new, state of the art auditorium was completed in 2009.

PROFESSIONAL STAFF

Principal: Robert Bonetti

Assistant Principal: Mark Marana

NHS professional staff includes:

- 3 Secretaries
- 33 Classroom teachers

(25 with Master's degree or beyond)

- 1 Guidance Counselor
- 1 Athletic Director
- 1 Technology Coordinator

Ratio of instructional staff to students: 1:13

GRADUATION REQUIREMENTS

Negaunee High School offers a 2-semester year. Classes meet each day for 52 minutes with a 7 period day. Any course successfully completed for one semester is given one-half credit (.5) Any course successfully completed for the entire year is given one full credit (1.0). Credit is granted on a semester basis for all courses; that is, a student is required to successfully complete a minimum of one semester to receive credit.

Graduation from Negaunee High School requires the successful completion of twenty-two (22) credits and the Michigan Merit Curriculum standards.

Graduation requirements include:

- 4 credits English;
- 4 credits Math;
- 3 credits Science;
- 3 credits Social Studies;
- ½ credit Physical Education;
- ½ credit Health;
- ½ credit Computers;
- 1 credit of Visual/Performing/Applied Arts;
- 5.5 credits of electives.

ACCOMPLISHMENTS

- Recognized as one of the 100 Best Communities for Young People in the United States
- Official Michigan Green School
- Met Adequate Yearly Progress in all categories
- MDOT Trac Civil Engineering Bridge Project State and National Champions
- Excellence in Education Award 2004, 2007

- High School Bowl UP Champions
- Athletic Awards
 - Numerous Conference, District, Regional and UP Championships
 - Football State Champs, Division 6, 2002
 - Basketball State Champs, 1930, 1957, 2000
 - Numerous Academic All State awards

CLASS RANKING/GRADES

Rank is determined on the basis of semester grades. The highest GPA in the class has a ranking of 1 and each student is ranked downward from that point. We do not include PE or Drivers Education in GPA calculation. We do not have a weighted GPA system.

A+ = 4.333

A = 4.000

A = 3.667

B+ = 3.333

B = 3.000

B - = 2.667

C+ = 2.333

C = 2.000

C = 1.667

D+ = 1.333

D = 1.000

D - = 0.667

F = 0.000

CR = Credit / 0.000

NC = No Credit / 0.000

P = Pass / 0.000

R = Retake

TESTING

National Merit Scholarship

Class of 2011

2 National Merit Commended Scholars

1 National Merit Semifinalist

American College Testing (ACT)

Average Score for the Class of 2011: 20.8 Average State of MI Score for Class of 2011: 19.5

Advanced Placement Testing (AP)

Ten students tested in 2010: Calculus AB, French, English/Lang Comp, Chemistry, Biology, U.S. History

Michigan Merit Exam (MME)

Class of 2011

Reading

Advanced and Proficient (Score 1&2) - 74%

Writing

Advanced and Proficient (Score 1&2) - 53%

<u>Math</u>

Advanced and Proficient (Score 1&2) – 64%

<u>Science</u>

Advanced and Proficient (Score 1&2) - 71%

Social Studies

Advanced and Proficient (Score 1&2) - 92%

EXTRA CURRICULARS

Athletics

Cross Country Tennis
Football Girls Volleyball
Wrestling Cheerleading
Gymnastics Swimming
Bowling Boys Hockey
Girls Softball Boys Baseball
Track Golf
Basketball

Clubs/Organizations

ACTion Troupe
Flag Corp
Forensics
High School Bowl
Orchestra
Student Council
Zonta Club
Big Brothers/Big Sisters
Concert/Symphonic/Jazz Band
Global Awareness Committee

Health Occ. Students of America

National Honor Society Youth Advisory Committee

COLLEGES ATTENDED/SCHOLARSHIPS GRANTED

Class of 2010 reporting post high school plans: 84% enrolled in post-secondary education 12% immediate employment 4% military

Kettering University

Class of 2010 reported plans to attend the following colleges:

Lake Superior State University Alma College Bay De Noc College Michigan Technological University Central Michigan University North WI Technical College Northern Michigan University Ferris State University Finlandia University Spring Arbor University Gonzaga University University of Michigan Grand Valley State University University of Montana Indiana University (Purdue/Ft. Wayne) Valparaiso University Kendall College of Art and Design

- The Class of 2010 had 50% of students graduate with Honor or High Honor status.
- The Class of 2010 reported to have 47% of the graduates earn a college-level scholarship.

Negaunee High School Course Listing

BUSINESS EDUCATION	Business Ed. Services Technology (BEST)	Accounting and Finance
DUSINESS EDUCATION	CSS Level 1/Windows	Advanced Accounting & Comp.
	CSS Level 2/Tech	Business & Personal Finance
	CSS Level 3/Internet	Business Law
ENGLISH	English 9	College Prep Humanities I
ENGLISH	English 10	College Prep Humanities II
	Speech Communications	Poetry
	English 11	Creative Writing
	Individual Literature	creative writing
ADT	Art 1 & 2	
ART	Advanced Art	
	Ceramics & Arts/Crafts	
MUCIC	Mixed Chorus	
MUSIC	Concert Band	
	Symphonic Band	
	Jazz Band	
INDUCTORAL	Orchestra Congrel Profiting	Woodworkings Lovels L IV
INDUSTRIAL	General Drafting	Woodworking: Levels I - IV
TECHNOLOGY	Mechanical CAD	Metal Fabrication
	Arch. Design CAD Advanced CAD	Machine Tech: Levels II - IV
MATH	Math Foundations	
	Algebra 1	
	Geometry	
	Algebra 2	
	Pre-Calculus	
	Calculus	
PHYSICAL EDUCATION	Health Education	
	General Physical Education	
	Advanced Physical Education	
DIRECTED STUDY	Directed Study 9 th – 12 th grade	
	Directed Studies in Math/Science	
FOREIGN LANGUAGES	Spanish: Levels I - IV	
	French: Levels I - IV	
SCIENCES	Physical Science-Chemistry	
	Physical Science-Physics	
	Biology	
	Advanced Biology	
	Chemistry	
	College Prep Chemistry	
	College Prep Chemistry II	
	Physics	
HUMAN SERVICES	Health Care Assistant Program	
SOCIAL STUDIES	Current Events	
SOCIAL STUDIES	World History	
	American History	
	American Government	
	Economics	
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