

RECENT GRADUATES CURRENTLY ATTEND THESE UNIVERSITIES

Akron, University of
Allegheny College
Ashland University
Baldwin Wallace University
Bowling Green State University
Bucknell University
Capital University
Carnegie Mellon University
Central State University
Cincinnati, University of
Cleveland Institute of Art
Cleveland State University
Dayton, University of
Denison University
DePauw University
Duke University
Findlay, University of
Gannon University

George Washington University
Georgetown University
Hiram College
Illinois at Chicago, University of
John Carroll University
Kent State University
Kentucky, University of
Kenyon College
Liberty University
Malone University
Marietta College
Maryland, University of
Mercyhurst College
Miami, University of
Michigan State University
Michigan, University of
Mount Union College
Northwestern University

Oberlin College
Ohio Northern University
Ohio University
Otterbein University
Purdue University
Slippery Rock University
The Ohio State University
Tiffin University
Toledo, University of
Ursuline College
Utah State University
Valparaiso University
Walsh University
West Liberty University
West Point Military Academy
Wheeling Jesuit University
Wittenberg University
Wright State University
Youngstown State University

PROGRAM OF STUDIES AT OLMSTED FALLS HIGH SCHOOL

ART

Art I
Ceramics
Drawing
Painting
Photography
Portfolio Prep
Sculpture
Visual Communication Design

LANGUAGE ARTS

AP English Literature
and Composition
AP Language and
Composition
Language Arts I-IV
Language Arts I-II, Honors
Publications

MATHEMATICS

Algebra I
Algebra II
Algebra II with Trig., Honors
Algebra Lab
AP Calculus AB
AP Computer Science A
AP Statistics
Geometry
Geometry, Honors
Pre-Calculus, Honors
Pre-Calculus
Statistics

MUSIC

Chorale
Chorale/Wind Ensemble
Combo
Concert Band
Concert Choir
Concert Choir/Band Combo
Jazz Band

Music Theory

Symphonic Band
Treble Choir
Treble/Symphonic Combo
Vocal Jazz Choir
Vocal Jazz Ensemble
Vocal Jazz/Jazz Band Combo
Wind Ensemble

SCIENCE

Advanced General Science
Anatomy and Physiology,
Honors
AP Biology
AP Physics
Biology
Chemistry
Geology
Physics
Physical Science

SOCIAL STUDIES

American Wars
AP European History
AP U.S. History
Applied Economics I-II
Government and Law
History of Greece/Rome
History of 1960's
Psychology
Sociology
Social Studies, I-II
Social Studies I-II, Honors

VOCATIONAL

Occupational Work
Adjustment (OWA)
Occupational Work
Experience (OWE)
Polaris Career Center
(23 Programs)

PROJECT LEAD THE WAY™

Introduction to Education
Computer Networking
Technology
Biomedical Sciences
Principles of Biomedical
Sciences
Human Body Systems
Medical Intervention
Biomedical Innovation
Pathway to Engineering
Introduction to Engineering
Design
Principles of Engineering
Computer Integrated
Manufacturing
Engineering Design and
Development



2013-2014 PROFILE OLMSTED FALLS HIGH SCHOOL

School Code Number: 363940
Continuing the Tradition of Excellence, Teamwork and Pride

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HIGH SCHOOL ADMINISTRATION

Holly Schafer, Principal
Sean Wolanin, Assistant Principal
Sean Baker, Dean of Students

GUIDANCE DEPARTMENT

Maridi Gurtsak, School Counselor
Lisa Palmison, School Counselor
Lauren Peterson, School Counselor

PUPIL PERSONNEL SERVICES

James Tatman,
Student Services Director
Carol Meszaros, School Nurse
Sherry Foulkes, Psychologist
Tina Moreno, Speech Pathologist

PRESENT PUPIL ENROLLMENT

Class of 2014.....310
Class of 2015.....286
Class of 2016.....307
Class of 2017.....296
Total.....1199

The School

Olmsted Falls High School is a comprehensive four-year public high school which operates with the following mission:

The professional staff of Olmsted Falls High School believes that student achievement is based upon shared responsibility of staff, students, parents, and community. It is the mission of Olmsted Falls High School to ensure the following:

1. Encourage students to recognize that seeking knowledge and learning is an important personal responsibility that is an integral part of the life process.
2. Inspire students to become self-directed, productive, and compassionate members of a culturally and ethnically diverse society.
3. Maintain and further promote high academic standards for students.
4. Equip students to compete in a highly technological world which requires collection, management, analysis, and interpretation of information.
5. Provide a safe and supportive environment in which students can accomplish these goals.

Olmsted Falls High School stresses academic excellence as well as physical and social development, and is recognized as one of the highest achieving high schools in Northeast Ohio. The curriculum offers over 93 courses in fine arts, technology, and all academic areas, including courses in advanced placement math, science, language arts, and social studies. Olmsted Falls has been mentioned in [Cleveland Magazine](#) and the [Cleveland Plain Dealer](#) as one of the top schools in Northeast Ohio. In 2011, Olmsted Falls High School was named as one of the top 500 high schools in the nation by [Newsweek Magazine](#).

The present high school building was opened in the fall of 1968 and a 4.6 million dollar renovation was completed in 1997. The high school houses an enrollment of 1199 students in grades 9 through 12.

In addition to the high school curriculum, Olmsted Falls High School is served by Polaris Career Center. At Polaris, 11th and 12th grade students can choose from 23 vocational courses ranging from aeronautics to welding. More information can be obtained by visiting the Polaris website at www.polaris.edu.

An array of activities are available to our students. The school's athletic and academic teams participate in the Southwestern Conference, which includes Amherst, Avon Lake, Berea-Midpark, Brecksville, North Olmsted and Westlake. In addition to athletics and academics, we also offer opportunities in music, drama, forensics and various clubs. Olmsted Falls High School continues to focus on offering a strong, balanced curriculum and co-curricular program.

GRADUATION REQUIREMENTS

Language Arts4 credits	Mathematics 4 credits
Science3 credits	Social Studies 3 credits
Physical Education½ credit	Health ½ credit
Business/Technology, Fine Arts or Foreign Language 1 credit	
Total Required..... 21 credits	

ACT

2012-2013 (N-207)			
MEAN SCORES	OFHS	OHIO	NAT'L
English	22.7	21.2	20.5
Math	24.2	21.5	21.1
Reading	24.0	22.2	21.3
Science	23.6	21.8	20.9
Composite	23.7	21.8	21.1

SAT

2012-2013 (N-93)			
MEAN SCORE	OFHS	OHIO	NAT'L
Critical Reading	539	548	496
Math	567	556	514
Writing	522	531	488
Composite	1628	1635	1498

GRADING

Olmsted Falls High School uses a 4.0 grading scale with the following numerical equivalents:

Regular	Honors	AP
A-4.0	A-4.5	A-5.0
B-3.0	B-3.5	B-4.0
C-2.0	C-2.5	C-3.0
D-1.0	D-1.0	D-1.0
F-0.0	F-0.0	F-0.0

CLASS OF 2013

Distribution of Final Cumulative
Grade Point Average

Range	% of Class
4.0+	9%
3.5-3.99	22%
3.0-3.49	21%
2.5-2.99	18%
2.0-2.49	20%
1.5-1.99	7%
0-1.49	3%

2013 NATIONAL MERIT RESULTS

National Merit:
Semi-Finalists- 2 Commended- 3

2013 ADVANCED PLACEMENT

Number of Exams- 357

% Scoring 3	% Scoring 4	% Scoring 5
34%	28%	13%

Class of 2013 Post High School Plans (N = 256)

	Percent
4-year College Total	68%
2-year College or Career/Technical	18%
Total Furthering Education	86%
Undecided	5%
Armed Forces	3%
Full-time Employment	6%
4-year Ohio Private College	27%
4-year Ohio State College	63%
4-year Out-of-State College	10%