



NJ'S TOP PUBLIC HIGH SCHOOLS

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1	20	Chatham	Morris	280.5	10.1	19	47.5	74.3	54	88.8	99%	92
2	33	Haddonfield Memorial	Camden	170	5.0	17	45.4	77	59	88	98%	92
3	22	Northern Highlands Regional (Allendale)	Bergen	317.5	9.4	19	31.8	77	49	95.8	99%	88
4	45	West Morris Mendham (Chester) ^{IB}	Morris	371.5	10.2	23	36.3	73.3	54	87.9	99%	89
5	8	Millburn	Essex	352	11.4	24	47.2	79.8	57	97.2	99%	88
6	1	New Providence	Union	141	7.8	16	35.8	69.7	46	94.8	97%	90
7	18	Pascack Hills (Montvale)	Bergen	207	8.8	16	30.6	68.7	42	90.5	99%	89
8	4	Glen Rock	Bergen	170	9.1	16	45.7	72.3	43	83.9	99%	87
9	123	Marlboro	Monmouth	477	11.4	17	33.5	69.1	45	88.7	99%	90
10	10	Rumson-Fair Haven Regional	Monmouth	194	8.6	18	37.6	76.7	53	87.1	98%	85
11	56	West Morris Central (Chester) ^{IB}	Morris	350	8.6	26	33.3	65.9	45	90	96%	88
12	13	Holmdel	Monmouth	246.5	9.0	17	29.8	74.4	36	93	96%	88
13	9	Ridge (Bernards Township)	Somerset	422	12.4	22	38.3	71.6	50	96.8	97%	87
14	27	Moorestown	Burlington	354	12.3	21	40.1	71.7	46	83.8	98%	88
15	11	Bernards	Somerset	190	9.8	19	38.4	61.1	40	79.3	97%	89
16	24	Livingston	Essex	432.5	11.0	22	33.5	71.2	48	96.4	96%	88
17	3	Tenafly	Bergen	326	9.0	14	50.5	85.1	55	93.2	97%	84
18	29	Cresskill	Bergen	119.5	8.4	14	57.4	63.6	40	80.1	97%	88
19	7	Mountain Lakes	Morris	176.5	10.5	18	43.6	64.2	47	84.6	97%	87
20	5	Kinnelon	Morris	166	10.8	15	32.9	62.2	41	87.4	99%	89
21	49	Westfield	Union	443	10.0	18	36.5	71.8	50	91.6	95%	89
22	30	Ramsey	Bergen	243	8.4	14	23.7	60.7	40	84.9	97%	89
23	32	West Windsor-Plainsboro North	Mercer	379.5	11.7	17	47.5	83.2	56	93.3	96%	87
24	17	Ramapo	Bergen	296	9.2	17	36.6	58.3	38	84.6	97%	87
25	16	West Essex (North Caldwell)	Essex	249	9.9	19	31.4	50.9	35	84.3	98%	88
26	57	Hanover Park	Morris	220.5	9.3	13	35.0	57.3	41	79.4	99%	87
27	12	Glen Ridge	Essex	138	9.5	13	36.3	68.9	35	89.6	97%	86
28	28	Ridgewood	Bergen	405.5	12.4	18	34.0	80.5	50	85.3	97%	88
29	25	Pequannock Township	Morris	147.5	7.9	12	34.6	65.9	46	83.2	97%	86
30	80	John P. Stevens (Edison)	Middlesex	580	14.1	17	51.8	71.3	53	92.6	97%	87
31	104	River Dell Regional	Bergen	263.5	7.7	12	27.5	54.7	35	78.6	98%	89
32	6	Madison	Morris	170	11.7	14	37.0	66.9	53	86	97%	93
33	61	Montgomery	Somerset	427.5	13.6	19	39.9	82	53	93.2	96%	88
34	83	Sparta	Sussex	285	10.0	17	31.9	53.1	32	86.9	97%	87
35	62	West Windsor-Plainsboro South	Mercer	401.5	13.1	17	49.9	82.1	62	95.4	96%	86
36	36	Governor Livingston (Berkeley Heights)	Union	263.5	11.4	17	35.3	62.4	42	85	97%	86
37	14	Park Ridge	Bergen	93	6.9	11	33.3	50.6	31	84	98%	86
38	15	Summit	Union	269	11.5	18	57.9	68.4	45	88.7	96%	85
39	73	Pascack Valley (Montvale)	Bergen	307.5	10.4	15	21.5	57.7	37	85.1	97%	88
40	98	Cherry Hill East	Camden	513	15.7	18	23.2	74.1	49	94.8	98%	87
41	31	Hopewell Valley Central (Pennington)	Mercer	293	11.7	17	26.7	72.9	46	97.5	96%	86
42	34	Northern Valley Regional (Demarest)	Bergen	294	10.0	15	40.4	76	51	73.5	98%	82
43	48	Voorhees (Lebanon)	Hunterdon	269.5	9.5	18	38.3	68.2	42	81	97%	81
44	84	Hunterdon Central Regional (Flemington)	Hunterdon	716.5	8.0	21	27.0	64.8	44	81.9	95%	85
45	66	North Hunterdon (Clinton)	Hunterdon	431.5	10.4	21	37.1	67.5	47	85.7	95%	85
46	38	Whippany Park	Morris	165.5	10.2	13	34.2	57.4	40	76.3	99%	84
47	121	East Brunswick	Middlesex	695.5	12.3	21	27.9	64.2	40	92.7	96%	87

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48	142	Shawnee (Medford)	Burlington	378	10.7	16	14.9	60.5	34	94.6	97%	89
49	51	Cranford	Union	270	11.4	24	45.8	57.8	39	81.8	98%	82
50	44	Watchung Hills Regional (Warren)	Somerset	486	11.2	17	51.0	63.9	43	87.2	98%	80
51	39	Montville	Morris	330.5	11.3	16	23.4	64.1	39	91.7	98%	84
52	46	James Caldwell (West Caldwell)	Essex	184	9.8	13	25.4	59.9	37	91.4	96%	85
53	138	South Brunswick	Middlesex	670	13.6	23	29.4	66.8	40	91.3	96%	86
54	60	Scotch Plains-Fanwood	Union	348.5	12.6	17	39.7	58.3	42	79.7	98%	85
55	53	Northern Valley Regional (Old Tappan)	Bergen	325	10.2	15	30.3	68.8	43	73.2	97%	83
56	70	Verona	Essex	146	12.3	14	47.5	51.1	31	70.8	99%	90
57	111	Paramu	Bergen	319	9.0	18	29.9	56.8	35	79.3	97%	81
58	23	Parsippany Hills	Morris	275	10.5	15	23.2	60.6	36	90.7	96%	85
59	110	Robbinsville	Mercer	204	13.8	16	21.0	56.8	32	85.5	99%	92
60	43	Indian Hills (Oakland)	Bergen	301.5	11.0	16	30.9	74.2	43	87.2	94%	85
61	134	Shore Regional (West Long Branch) ^{IB}	Monmouth	165	11.3	15	34.7	43.9	33	75.4	96%	90
62	2	McNair Academic (Jersey City)	Hudson	174	12.9	19	100.0	88.6	73	77.7	100%	76
63	37	Randolph	Morris	421	12.7	17	21.4	70.7	48	94.3	96%	85
64	79	Morris Knolls ^{IB}	Morris	419.5	9.3	29	23.7	50.9	29	86.7	97%	80
65	35	Wayne Hills (Wayne)	Passaic	323	11.2	17	23.8	55	36	90.9	95%	85
66	199	Freehold Township	Monmouth	554.5	11.0	17	23.8	50.6	34	71.3	96%	87
67	59	Princeton	Mercer	343.5	11.6	18	67.3	83.2	64	91.6	93%	82
68	103	Colts Neck	Monmouth	375.5	10.2	14	34.0	62	40	91.3	94%	83
69	55	Mahwah	Bergen	237.5	8.1	16	20.7	71.7	49	90.9	94%	79
70	65	Fair Lawn	Bergen	395.5	11.8	21	19.4	50.5	34	85.3	96%	86
71	42	Morris Hills (Rockaway)	Morris	267	9.0	16	20.1	45.7	30	93.2	96%	80
72	116	Science Park (Newark)	Essex	166	11.5	16	45.3	57.3	46	58.4	99%	80
73	54	Waldwick	Bergen	102	7.3	10	20.7	37.2	30	72.5	97%	85
74 T	67	Highland Park	Middlesex	114	10.4	10	38.4	54.4	32	94.1	94%	84
74 T	106	Hillsborough	Somerset	584.5	12.2	20	20.0	66.7	41	91.4	95%	82
76	113	Bridgewater-Raritan Regional	Somerset	668.5	12.6	22	28.1	66.4	44	94.5	94%	82
77	19	Metuchen	Middlesex	140	9.2	9	23.0	58.1	36	89.7	94%	85
78	68	Midland Park	Bergen	97	6.4	8	28.5	49.4	26	82.5	93%	87
79	143	Lenape (Shamong)	Burlington	464	9.5	17	14.2	48.2	28	89.8	94%	86
80	157	Cherokee (Marlton)	Burlington	506	9.6	16	12.0	47.3	26	92	96%	83
81	97	Fort Lee ^{IB}	Bergen	231	10.5	21	45.1	58.6	34	59	96%	80
82	124	Monroe Township	Middlesex	448.5	10.6	16	24.5	51.9	29	72.1	96%	82
83	78	Point Pleasant Beach	Ocean	104.5	9.2	10	22.6	59.6	34	70.2	95%	85
84	95	Ocean Township	Monmouth	274	10.0	18	30.8	45.6	31	62.1	92%	89
85	77	Emerson	Bergen	84	8.8	8	29.1	36.8	23	64	98%	86
86	40	Arthur L. Johnson (Clark)	Union	191.5	10.5	16	22.1	38.7	24	73.1	97%	85
87	115	North Warren Regional (Blairstown)	Warren	155	8.6	10	30.4	44.3	23	66.9	96%	85
88	41	Red Bank Regional ^{IB}	Monmouth	275	11.2	27	33.3	46.2	26	63.1	97%	81
89	164	Freehold Borough	Monmouth	362.5	10.3	12	23.5	49.6	36	88.6	93%	85
90	137	Wall	Monmouth	282	9.4	15	24.3	50.9	5	69.9	96%	87
91	64	Wayne Valley (Wayne)	Passaic	381	11.2	15	28.6	50.9	31	87.3	95%	82
92	105	Middletown South	Monmouth	325.5	12.6	18	21.7	56.3	32	66.8	95%	87
93	152	Manalapan	Monmouth	501	11.8	17	25.5	50.2	31	65.9	95%	86
94	52	Leonia	Bergen	163	10.6	20	43.5	58.5	34	63	93%	82

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95	81	Mainland Regional (Linwood)	Atlantic	354	9.5	21	32.6	47.4	29	69.6	93%	83
96	47	Columbia (Maplewood)	Essex	414.5	11.7	20	28.9	54.1	33	85.2	90%	85
97	69	Mount Olive	Morris	336	10.0	17	17.5	51.5	40	89.5	89%	84
98	154	Point Pleasant Borough	Ocean	227	9.8	13	23.6	44.1	32	83.6	92%	85
99	114	Cinnaminson	Burlington	187	8.6	10	14.4	44.4	19	53.7	98%	86
100	21	South Hunterdon Regional (Lambertville)	Hunterdon	46.5	4.8	5	38.3	56.8	18	94.4	92%	81
101	118	Dumont	Bergen	235	12.4	12	33.20	54.1	30	72.1	97%	81
102	93	Roxbury	Morris	389	12.0	17	11.30	46	27	86.7	94%	86
103	74	Cedar Grove	Essex	93	11.1	7	18.60	34.1	32	81.6	98%	83
104	117	Eastern Regional (Voorhees)	Camden	534	12.6	17	20.70	63.6	40	86.1	95%	79
105	86	Parsippany	Morris	233.5	10.4	12	20.40	47.1	29	79.3	95%	81
106	58	Westwood Regional (Washington Township)	Bergen	178	10.3	15	22.60	43	28	80.6	95%	80
107	187	Howell	Monmouth	595	11.7	17	16.30	43.4	25	71.3	96%	83
108	50	Haddon Township	Camden	133	12.4	9	21.00	46	31	74.2	96%	85
109	144	Clearview Regional (Mullica Hill)	Gloucester	343	11.3	15	21.30	45.8	26	85.2	94%	82
110	76	Somerville	Somerset	290.5	11.0	12	32.90	61.7	38	78.6	90%	83
111	119	Seneca (Tabernacle)	Burlington	272	8.2	16	15.10	43.7	20	76.7	96%	79
112	87	Lakeland Regional (Wanaque)	Passaic	277	8.2	12	19.80	43.4	23	60.5	95%	82
113	26	Jonathan Dayton (Springfield)	Union	131	13.8	17	43.10	43.2	25	61.7	92%	91
114	82	Lawrence	Mercer	270.5	10.1	14	22.80	44.7	24	87.5	91%	82
115	188	Jackson Memorial	Ocean	402.5	11.8	15	24.70	45.3	26	78.8	95%	82
116	75	Morristown	Morris	348	13.4	20	29.50	63.3	36	82.4	89%	84
117	189	Belvidere	Warren	151	8.3	8	7.10	46.6	25	84.8	97%	79
118	63	Ocean City	Cape May	297	8.3	16	24.30	39.2	22	71.1	96%	76
119	148	Elizabeth	Union	161	14.0	15	98.30	33.7	39	28.9	96%	84
120	99	Montclair	Essex	497	12.4	22	24.40	58.6	40	84.6	90%	80
121	211	Jefferson Township	Morris	267	10.9	11	13.70	39	23	90.5	96%	80
122	139	Bergenfield	Bergen	306	10.6	17	29.00	30.2	20	59.2	97%	77
123	129	Monmouth Regional (Tinton Falls)	Monmouth	255	8.9	17	13.10	38.8	24	76.9	91%	84
124	71	Rutherford	Bergen	183	7.9	10	18.8	51.9	27	69.5	91%	82
125	135	Allentown	Monmouth	312.5	14.7	12	21.40	49.3	24	79.2	95%	83
126	161	Hightstown	Mercer	337.5	12.1	15	19.30	56.7	31	82	93%	80
127	182	Colonia	Middlesex	361.5	9.0	18	12.50	41.8	31	79	93%	75
128	218	Jackson Liberty	Ocean	321	10.8	13	16.20	37.6	23	71.4	97%	80
129	132	John F. Kennedy (Woodbridge)	Middlesex	356.5	12.0	16	15.90	40.4	29	71	96%	80
130	140	Nutley	Essex	351	12.1	17	22.20	43.1	25	60.6	95%	81
131	169	New Milford	Bergen	164	10.6	11	22.30	43.8	22	67.8	95%	81
132	112	Dunellen	Middlesex	79	7.7	6	29.50	35.1	16	60.8	94%	82
133	89	Kittatinny Regional (Newton)	Sussex	167	10.7	7	18.70	40.6	20	80.5	96%	80
134	108	Vernon Township	Sussex	325.5	11.3	14	20.70	48.4	27	77.9	94%	77
135	174	Edison	Middlesex	512.5	12.3	17	26.90	42.3	25	81.4	90%	81
136	128	Middletown North	Monmouth	361.5	10.7	18	15.90	37.1	21	66	92%	85
137	185	Woodstown	Salem	192.5	7.6	8	12.90	47.6	23	82.8	93%	77
138	72	Hasbrouck Heights	Bergen	143	10.4	12	8.90	46.7	25	90	94%	78
139	92	Matawan Regional	Monmouth	247.5	11.2	15	26.40	39.9	25	81.9	91%	78
140	131	Delaware Valley Regional (Frenchtown)	Hunterdon	242	11.7	13	31.00	54.8	30	81.1	93%	73
141	156	Northern Burlington Regional (Columbus)	Burlington	293	11.3	15	16.20	41.5	21	83.2	94%	79

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142	88	High Point Regional (Sussex)	Sussex	225.5	7.6	10	22.20	38.7	23	74.4	87%	81
143	145	Manasquan	Monmouth	215	12.8	10	19.30	48.9	31	82.4	90%	83
144	217	Piscataway Township	Middlesex	562.5	12.0	15	18.30	34.8	24	79.2	92%	84
145	158	North Brunswick Township	Middlesex	419	12.5	18	12.20	50.2	30	83.7	89%	81
146	163	West Milford Township	Passaic	294	8.9	14	16.70	43	22	71.9	94%	72
147	101	Henry Hudson Regional (Highlands)	Monmouth	60	5.3	6	25.30	41.7	19	58.8	94%	74
148	204	Hamilton East - Steinert	Mercer	351.5	10.2	13	18.90	41.3	17	68.3	93%	80
149	165	Washington Township	Gloucester	639	10.5	16	8.70	43.4	25	77.5	94%	76
150	210	Kingsway Regional (Woolwich)	Gloucester	365	11.3	11	16.10	41.9	22	76.3	94%	80
151	193	New Egypt	Ocean	128.5	8.5	5	9.50	37.9	14	85.2	95%	80
152	219	West Deptford	Gloucester	217	10.0	12	16.30	39.8	28	81.7	93%	72
153	85	Pompton Lakes	Passaic	165	11.2	9	19.90	46.5	23	85.1	95%	68
154	228	Toms River North	Ocean	542	13.2	12	18.20	44.5	23	75.8	91%	82
155	90	Secaucus	Hudson	157	10.1	8	21.10	27.7	19	58.8	96%	79
156	126	Teaneck	Bergen	297	8.1	12	9.80	23.1	15	73.6	92%	82
157	227	South Plainfield	Middlesex	297	11.3	11	10.10	33.9	20	87.6	93%	81
158	178	Old Bridge	Middlesex	783.5	13.1	17	15.70	43.5	24	78.8	92%	78
159 T	170	Woodbridge	Middlesex	344	8.3	18	18.00	29.2	30	64.1	90%	74
159 T	102	Spotswood	Middlesex	210	11.3	13	9.50	41.7	21	68.6	95%	79
161	146	Cherry Hill West	Camden	395	13.5	20	24.20	47.2	25	70	90%	76
162	94	Butler	Morris	139	8.6	8	15.80	38.2	16	83.7	92%	75
163	241	Sayreville War Memorial (Parlin)	Middlesex	428	12.0	9	18.30	39.5	22	82.4	91%	80
164	260	Absegami (Galloway)	Atlantic	439	11.3	12	19.40	35.7	23	79.8	91%	77
165	162	Lyndhurst	Bergen	141	11.2	9	12.70	17.8	15	75	95%	81
166	175	Raritan (Hazlet)	Monmouth	252.5	11.4	9	19.70	29.8	15	54.2	96%	79
167	—	Central Jersey College Prep Charter School (Somerset)	Somerset	39	9.8	2	8.60	15.4	19	0	100%	82
168	130	Newton	Sussex	193	9.4	9	18.70	35.5	17	89.3	88%	77
169	230	Delran	Burlington	212	10.4	8	17.50	32.5	22	69.7	94%	75
170	136	West Orange	Essex	466.5	11.9	20	19.90	34.7	21	78.6	86%	79
171	225	Toms River East	Ocean	390.5	11.7	12	19.50	39.3	25	76.8	90%	76
172	168	Warren Hills Regional (Washington)	Warren	289	12.6	14	32.80	46.4	25	70.2	87%	77
173	213	Egg Harbor Township	Atlantic	632	10.3	21	12.10	37.8	20	66	93%	70
174	255	Rancocas Valley Regional (Mount Holly)	Burlington	469	15.5	10	19.80	43.4	25	72	90%	80
175	209	Arthur P. Schalick (Pittsgrove)	Salem	150.5	7.5	8	23.10	37	17	41.7	93%	69
176	96	Ridgefield Memorial	Bergen	146	7.2	7	15.60	38.5	17	67.3	88%	79
177	155	Middlesex	Middlesex	168	10.8	6	8.50	31.5	22	73.5	95%	78
178	203	Burlington Township	Burlington	326	10.7	9	5.50	28.1	16	54	95%	82
179	—	Charter Tech For The Performing Arts (Somers Point)	Atlantic	70	9.8	0	0.00	31.3	12	0	95%	86
180	120	Lenape Valley Regional (Stanhope)	Sussex	185.5	12.1	9	14.20	42.1	21	75.4	92%	78
181	147	Audubon Junior/Senior	Camden	144	8.8	8	14.40	26.4	19	57.8	89%	81
182	246	Timber Creek Regional (Sicklerville)	Camden	352	11.9	10	16.10	38.3	21	68.7	92%	78
183	215	Phillipsburg	Warren	372	10.5	17	13.00	44.1	23	86.7	83%	69
184	125	Wallkill Valley Regional (Hamburg)	Sussex	188	8.8	10	12.90	46.1	19	78	88%	73
185	173	Pinelands Regional (Tuckerton)	Ocean	232	6.8	10	26.00	41.3	13	64.5	87%	70
186	183	Barnegat	Ocean	242	10.5	9	11.80	35.5	24	83.3	89%	75
187	192	Woodbury Junior/Senior	Gloucester	93.5	7.9	13	44.10	30.1	11	39.1	85%	73

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188	269	Brick Township Memorial	Ocean	437.5	12.1	11	13.10	32.5	14	70.1	91%	81
189	91	Weehawken	Hudson	73.5	10.4	5	15.40	25.5	16	65	91%	80
190	133	Dwight Morrow/Academies (Englewood)	Bergen	238.5	11.4	10	20.70	39.4	24	61.7	84%	80
191	122	Roselle Park	Union	145	7.7	7	17.30	24.5	23	44.8	94%	67
192	236	Southern Regional (Manahawkin)	Ocean	462.5	13.6	11	10.10	44	22	78.6	93%	71
193	200	Bordentown Regional	Burlington	163	13.8	5	12.40	33.9	21	90.5	92%	74
194	127	David Brearley (Kenilworth)	Union	101.5	9.8	5	19.80	32.3	15	46.8	93%	74
195	141	Gateway Regional (Deptford)	Gloucester	134	6.5	6	5.90	35.5	17	80	92%	71
196	149	North Arlington	Bergen	122	7.8	6	10.70	20.5	9	36.8	96%	71
197	247	Oakcrest	Atlantic	270.5	9.0	12	24.00	25.5	20	55.3	84%	73
198	100	Pitman	Gloucester	110	7.5	6	14.20	34.1	15	83.3	90%	68
199	190	Technology High (Newark)	Essex	114	9.8	5	39.30	9.6	11	20.4	93%	74
200	259	Bogota Junior/Senior	Bergen	96	5.8	5	20.40	14.9	9	38.6	95%	68
201	250	Union Senior	Union	608	13.6	15	9.60	22	10	80.2	92%	79
202	150	Henry P. Becton Regional (East Rutherford)	Bergen	117.5	11.1	7	17.00	29.6	17	63.4	92%	74
203	263	Franklin	Somerset	454	12.0	16	19.50	32.5	20	64.6	85%	76
204	303	Alexander Hamilton Preparatory (Elizabeth)	Union	194	11.4	14	33.80	10.1	13	32.1	91%	73
205	153	Saddle Brook Middle/High School	Bergen	115.5	10.5	6	9.70	30.6	21	87.5	89%	74
206	261	Brick Township	Ocean	349	11.3	10	14.00	37.2	17	76.7	83%	79
207	151	Haddon Heights Junior/Senior	Camden	156	9.3	2	18.80	39.7	23	53.4	87%	77
208	262	Collingswood	Camden	184	8.7	8	18.70	41.6	27	68.8	83%	67
209	237	Ridgefield Park Junior/Senior	Bergen	214.5	11.3	8	10.30	28.8	18	95.2	91%	70
210	257	Lacey Township	Ocean	321	8.9	8	11.60	36.2	19	53.9	87%	76
211	216	Hackettstown	Warren	237	13.5	9	17.20	44.8	30	51.3	88%	77
212	109	Boonton	Morris	146	13.2	6	17.20	27.3	20	45.5	94%	77
213	—	Leap Academy University Charter (Camden)	Camden	57	11.0	3	39.10	5.2	7	8.8	93%	79
214	248	Memorial Senior (Elmwood Park)	Bergen	175	13.1	7	11.60	34.5	15	83	88%	79
215	191	Rahway	Union	190	9.9	11	29.30	21.9	11	44.3	85%	72
216	226	Keyport	Monmouth	105.5	5.8	5	27.60	27.3	10	37.9	85%	71
217	221	Bloomfield	Essex	454.5	11.8	12	14.40	22.7	18	56.3	90%	75
218	234	Hawthorne	Passaic	178	12.1	6	11.90	38.5	21	55.4	93%	71
219	—	School Of Health Science (Paterson)	Passaic	66	8.0	0	0.00	0	8	0	96%	78
220	245	Manchester Township	Ocean	233	8.5	7	9.10	33.6	18	74.5	85%	71
221	231	Glassboro	Gloucester	130	11.5	8	13.00	24.1	16	66.7	91%	74
222	275	Hamilton West-Watson	Mercer	270	9.6	11	16.20	24.7	8	51	86%	75
223	239	Wallington Junior/Senior	Bergen	98	13.4	5	22.80	36	17	14.6	95%	68
224	194	Middle Township (Cape May Court House)	Cape May	210.5	10.0	10	17.50	35.1	23	71	83%	66
225	202	Passaic Valley Regional	Passaic	335	12.6	9	5.60	30.6	16	71.2	92%	73
226	254	Rosa L. Parks School Of Fine & Performing Arts (Paterson)	Passaic	65	7.6	1	7.60	4.1	3	18.2	98%	68
227	249	South River	Middlesex	152	7.6	7	13.00	20.4	12	58	80%	78
228	167	Long Branch	Monmouth	246	9.7	5	26.30	7.3	10	29.9	92%	71
229	288	Hammonton	Atlantic	339	13.8	9	14.20	41.2	21	76.7	90%	68
230	229	Toms River South	Ocean	374	11.7	12	12.70	32.4	15	55.7	88%	74
231	276	Hamilton North-Nottingham	Mercer	258.5	10.8	13	7.20	29.3	12	71.4	85%	74
232	176	Wood-Ridge	Bergen	69	10.6	6	18.70	33.3	14	52.9	87%	76
233	235	Delsea Regional (Franklinville)	Gloucester	275.5	12.9	12	14.10	32.2	19	72.4	91%	67

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234	266	Sterling	Camden	222	10.4	5	12.60	26.5	14	58.5	88%	77
235	289	Hopatcong	Sussex	158	11.4	5	9.00	33.7	14	58.1	88%	79
236	243	Lower Cape May Regional	Cape May	259	9.0	9	16.50	30.5	11	60.7	89%	65
237	171	University (Newark)	Essex	106	11.7	5	32.50	14.9	15	23.4	93%	68
238	223	Dover	Morris	169	10.9	6	13.50	35.9	20	86	79%	67
239 ^T	264	Central Regional (Bayville)	Ocean	274.5	10.4	8	14.20	26	17	55.2	85%	72
239 ^T	274	Clifton	Passaic	792	12.5	9	14.40	29.5	14	66.9	83%	77
241	271	Triton Regional (Camden)	Camden	390	11.3	10	11.20	35.2	18	69.5	85%	71
242	206	Hackensack	Bergen	448.5	12.9	19	11.10	25.2	15	70.8	88%	68
243	208	Dr. Charles E. Brimm Medical Arts (Camden)	Camden	51	9.4	4	19.20	5.8	2	10.5	94%	69
244	224	Kearny	Hudson	411	10.8	10	12.00	24.9	11	47.2	88%	71
245	172	South Amboy Middle/High School	Middlesex	72	9.6	2	14.60	26.8	12	65	86%	71
246	107	Palisades Park Junior/Senior	Bergen	96	15.3	11	19.30	30.1	21	61	90%	64
247	233	Cicely L. Tyson Community (East Orange)	Essex	90	10.7	2	8.70	10.1	6	15.8	93%	77
248	240	Arts (Newark)	Essex	142	11.0	5	11.20	3.3	5	35.9	95%	69
249	—	Camden Academy Charter	Camden	98	11.4	6	14.80	14.1	11	18.9	95%	63
250	166	Hillside	Union	173.5	9.3	7	17.40	6.6	5	10.9	80%	79
251	198	American History (Newark)	Essex	61	9.9	8	30.30	5.3	7	13	91%	60
252	212	Ewing	Mercer	240.5	12.3	5	5.90	25.6	13	78.6	82%	78
253	326	Linden ^{IB}	Union	407.5	13.1	17	10.10	12.1	7	73.8	84%	73
254	284	Highland Regional (Blackwood)	Camden	248	12.1	8	9.20	29.1	16	60.4	86%	75
255	159	Pennsville Memorial	Salem	130.5	6.7	5	9.30	21.3	11	63.6	88%	65
256	251	Penns Grove (Carneys Point)	Salem	121.5	8.0	6	35.50	11.3	4	15.1	73%	67
257	295	Williamstown	Gloucester	442	12.9	12	6.50	29.1	14	62.1	87%	71
258	220	Florence Township Memorial (Burlington)	Burlington	110	14.7	5	14.20	34.8	14	58.6	83%	74
259	242	Deptford Township	Gloucester	239	9.8	6	8.40	26.2	19	63	82%	68
260	222	Palmyra	Burlington	70	7.7	3	5.70	16	12	62.5	87%	70
261	296	Carteret	Middlesex	249	10.4	4	3.80	20.8	15	75.9	84%	72
262	214	Atlantic City	Atlantic	423.5	10.6	16	18.40	23.5	12	51.5	67%	61
263	317	Bayonne	Hudson	513.5	11.8	10	11.40	24.2	18	58.7	82%	71
264	297	Vineland Senior	Cumberland	527.5	7.7	11	13.20	28.1	9	28	74%	62
265	—	School Of Science, Technology, Engineering & Mathematics (Paterson)	Passaic	108	8.4	5	17.60	7	2	2.4	83%	74
266	207	North Plainfield	Somerset	242	10.9	9	10.20	23.8	12	52.3	90%	61
267	281	Maple Shade	Burlington	97	12.2	4	3.60	25.4	13	77.8	87%	70
268	186	Liberty	Hudson	44	8.8	2	21.80	13.2	7	32	84%	69
269	272	Passaic County-Manchester Regional (Haledon)	Passaic	186	8.9	5	13.40	14.2	9	31.3	81%	70
270	179	Gloucester City Junior/Senior	Camden	132	9.2	5	21.60	17.9	14	22.2	83%	55
271	299	Winslow Township	Camden	301	10.7	10	9.10	21.4	11	40	78%	70
272	238	International High (Paterson)	Passaic	118	9.7	3	6.30	6.3	5	9.1	94%	66
273	184	Clayton	Gloucester	77	8.7	4	11.30	21.3	15	11.8	85%	66
274 ^T	298	Hoboken	Hudson	129	10.0	10	18.80	8.1	2	24.6	85%	58
274 ^T	312	Cumberland Regional (Seabrook)	Cumberland	276.5	13.9	5	9.30	28.5	8	49	86%	72
276	197	Burlington City	Burlington	106	7.3	7	13.00	22.7	6	40	78%	61
277	201	Manville	Somerset	80	9.5	2	6.50	23.9	11	54.5	88%	64
278	286	Lodi	Bergen	226	10.9	4	9.20	21.3	10	40	83%	74
279	—	Paterson Charter School For Science/Technology	Passaic	80	13.2	1	7.60	7.1	10	16.7	75%	81

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^{IB} Indicates schools offering the International Baccalaureate program.

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280	307	Memorial (West New York)	Hudson	339	9.8	5	9.40	11.8	8	53	78%	70
281	181	Keansburg	Monmouth	82	7.7	4	12.40	16.7	10	18.2	76%	65
282	253	Overbrook Senior (Pine Hill)	Camden	151	8.2	4	7.00	20.9	10	11.1	78%	70
283 ^T	196	Lindenwold	Camden	114	10.1	7	15.50	18.6	10	44.4	80%	53
283 ^T	—	University Academy Charter (Jersey City)	Hudson	95	10.5	0	0.00	7.4	5	0	91%	70
285	244	Wildwood	Cape May	59.5	4.3	5	14.10	10	7	25	79%	49
286	322	North Bergen	Hudson	583	13.3	3	5.60	14.4	10	55.4	85%	71
287	293	New Brunswick	Middlesex	307.5	10.2	7	21.50	11	7	42.6	61%	64
288	—	Team Academy Charter (Newark)	Essex	64	11.3	5	15.90	4.9	11	6.2	79%	73
289	205	Harrison	Hudson	167	12.6	5	8.90	17.3	14	34.7	91%	58
290	290	Bound Brook	Somerset	123.5	10.5	4	8.80	20.8	13	42.9	79%	69
291	308	Millville Senior	Cumberland	425.5	10.8	8	4.20	19.4	9	60.5	82%	62
292	283	Neptune	Monmouth	310.5	13.1	9	11.80	13	6	36.8	77%	75
293	195	Pemberton Township	Burlington	225	10.0	6	3.70	18.5	6	59.3	84%	56
294	160	Belleville	Essex	380	12.3	0	6.90	20.4	10	59	85%	65
295	301	Riverside	Burlington	99	7.8	3	0.50	27.8	10	0	83%	65
296	316	Buena Regional	Atlantic	212	12.1	5	6.00	31.1	11	54.2	85%	61
297	256	Cliffside Park	Bergen	229.5	12.5	5	8.90	21.4	10	53.6	80%	69
298	310	Pennsauken	Camden	361	11.4	9	8.60	15	11	52.8	82%	61
299	270	James J. Ferris (Jersey City)	Hudson	327	9.9	5	9.30	6.8	6	26.5	73%	70
300	277	Central (Newark)	Essex	193	9.9	6	24.10	2.3	4	0	80%	54
301	323	Union City	Hudson	675	14.2	9	8.60	9.4	11	55	79%	69
302	—	Trenton Central - West Campus	Mercer	132	10.9	2	9.40	21.3	8	53.8	78%	66
303	—	School Of Earth & Space Science (Paterson)	Passaic	64	8.8	0	0.00	0	8	0	88%	67
304	302	William L. Dickinson (Jersey City)	Hudson	402	12.1	9	8.50	10.5	8	39.4	62%	72
305	232	Orange	Essex	229.5	9.1	5	12.20	3.1	2	5.4	80%	57
306	315	Abraham Clark (Roselle)	Union	156	9.8	5	8.60	4.4	3	38.9	75%	64
307	321	Garfield	Bergen	270.5	11.1	5	7.80	13.2	7	39.3	78%	65
308	265	Salem	Salem	74	6.6	4	2.50	10.5	6	20	75%	51
309	278	Paulsboro	Gloucester	99	5.5	2	6.70	9.6	5	0	77%	56
310	291	Malcolm X Shabazz (Newark)	Essex	129	9.0	6	14.10	1.1	7	0	71%	43
311	267	Pleasantville	Atlantic	198.5	4.6	5	9.30	4.3	2	13.5	70%	49
312	—	School Of Education & Training (Wayne)	Passaic	121	8.4	3	10.60	0	0	0	73%	66
313	177	Asbury Park	Monmouth	68	7.4	4	5.30	1.9	0	25	51%	69
314	300	Woodrow Wilson (Camden)	Camden	174	11.4	2	0.30	0	2	100	50%	49
315	305	School Of Government (Paterson)	Passaic	132	10.0	4	6.30	0	0	0	88%	49
316	319	East Side (Newark)	Essex	305	12.4	10	9.60	6.5	6	27.5	73%	54
317	282	Passaic # 12	Passaic	650	12.1	9	5.60	4.7	3	40.5	71%	65
318	280	Plainfield	Union	271.5	10.8	7	8.70	2.7	1	10.2	80%	60
319	279	Henry Snyder (Jersey City)	Hudson	133	11.2	2	15.30	4	2	25	53%	67
320	252	Willingboro	Burlington	222	14.7	5	2.20	7.4	4	22.2	73%	67
321	328	Thomas Jefferson Arts Academy (Elizabeth)	Union	155	10.1	5	9.90	3.3	3	18.2	63%	60
322	320	Perth Amboy	Middlesex	451	11.5	0	10.30	11.9	8	39.6	59%	62
323	327	Thomas A. Edison Career & Technical Academy (Elizabeth)	Union	92	10.2	4	11.40	4	2	7.9	76%	59
324	324	Lakewood	Ocean	209	9.2	0	11.70	6.1	4	4	71%	43
325	258	Weequahic (Newark)	Essex	177	10.1	6	11.00	0	5	0	64%	43

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326	268	West Side (Newark)	Essex	227	9.6	4	7.30	2.3	8	3.7	65%	48
327	313	Barringer (Newark)	Essex	273	8.9	4	2.80	0.7	6	20	49%	47
328	294	Lincoln (Jersey City)	Hudson	160	11.2	0	4.20	1.7	4	0	62%	68
329	306	John E. Dwyer Technology Academy (Elizabeth)	Union	189	11.7	8	6.50	3.7	3	23.9	60%	55
330	—	School Of Architecture & Construction Trades (Paterson)	Passaic	94	8.4	0	0.00	0	0	0	70%	55
331	309	Irvington	Essex	268	11.5	4	6.70	5.6	3	7.9	60%	64
332	—	School Of Business Technology (Paterson)	Passaic	105	8.4	0	0.00	0	1	0	65%	54
333	—	Trenton Central - Main Campus	Mercer	311	11.4	2	6.50	3.3	2	23.8	51%	62
334	273	Bridgeton	Cumberland	173	12.5	3	18.70	5.5	5	4.5	68%	46
335	311	Admiral William F. Halsey Jr. Leadership Academy (Elizabeth)	Union	201	11.6	6	9.80	1	2	4.4	61%	56
336	314	School Of Information Technology (Paterson)	Passaic	140	10.7	0	0.00	0	0	0	78%	51
337	318	East Orange Campus	Essex	377	15.3	6	7.70	4.1	3	12.7	70%	50
338	325	School Of Culinary Arts, Hospitality & Tourism (Paterson)	Passaic	103	11.0	4	4.30	0	0	0	67%	59
339	287	Camden	Camden	111	8.7	0	0.00	2.5	1	0	47%	43

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METHODOLOGY

HOW WE COMPILE THE SCHOOL RANKINGS

Data for the New Jersey Monthly ranking of the state's high schools were obtained from the state Department of Education's most recent New Jersey School Performance Reports (covering the 2012-2013 school year). Only public high schools were included in the rankings. Among the 339 high schools ranked are seven charter schools. A handful of schools lacking sufficient data were excluded.

Leflein Associates, an independent research company in Ringwood, analyzed the data by first standardizing individual indicator scores so that small differences did not have a disproportionate impact on the ranking, but very large differences were not minimized in the relative scores. These indicators were grouped into three categories: School Environment (with a weight of 1); Student Performance (with a weight of 1.5); and Student Outcomes (with

a weight of 2.1). The weighted summary scores for each category were added together to arrive at the final overall score. The schools were ranked according to that score.

Here are the categories and indicators used in the ranking:

School Environment: The sum of the standardized rank scores for student/faculty ratio; number of AP and/or International Baccalaureate (IB) tests offered; and percent of 11th- and 12th-grade students taking at least one AP or IB test in English, math, social studies or science. (Grade 12 enrollment is shown in the published charts for reference only; it is not part of the scoring.)

Student Performance: The sum of the standardized rank scores for students scoring 1,550 or better on the SATs; the combined percentage of students showing advanced proficiency on the HSPA exams; and the percentage of students scor-

ing a 3 or higher on AP tests or 4 or higher on IB tests.

Student Outcomes: The sum of standardized rank scores for four-year adjusted cohort graduation rate (the number of four-year graduates divided by the number of first-time ninth-graders who entered the cohort four years earlier) and the percentage of students enrolled in a two- or four-year college 16 months after high school graduation.

Special Note: For certain districts where there were obvious errors in the data (Madison Borough, Monmouth Regional, Piscataway Township, Palisades Park, Paterson City and Paterson Charter School for Science and Technology), corrections were obtained directly from the districts or were based on prior rankings.