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**CEEB CODE NUMBER 471 - 855**

**2011-12 SCHOOL PROFILE**

**SCHOOL AND COMMUNITY:**

Hermitage High School is one of nine high schools and two technical centers located in Henrico County. As part of the Richmond metropolitan area, the Hermitage school zone covers the center section of Henrico County. The area supports light industry in the wholesale manufacturing and retail sectors of industry.

Hermitage High School serves approximately 1800 students in grades 9 through 12 with 133 faculty members. In addition, the Center for the Humanities is located here and houses 142 students with 8 faculty members.

**ACADEMIC CHARACTERISTICS:**

The school year is divided into two semesters. A semester is 18 weeks with two nine-week reporting periods. On Mondays all seven periods meet. Tuesdays through Fridays seven classes meet on alternating days for 90 minutes. Included in the seven classes is a study/activity period. The curriculum provides a variety of course offerings which include:

- **Advanced Placement:** English 11, English 12, Human Geography, VA & U.S. History, VA & U.S. Government, Calculus, Psychology, Environmental Science, Biology, Chemistry, Physics, Spanish, French, Statistics, Art History and European History.
- **Honors:** English 9, 10, 11, 12, World History I, World History II, 20th Century History, Va. & U.S. Government, Theatre, Intro. to Humanities, Geometry, Algebra II, Math Analysis/Trigonometry, Earth Science, Biology, Chemistry, Physics, French IV, Spanish IV, Spanish VI, Intro. to Engineering, Teacher Cadet, Art IV, Art V, Music Theory, Marching Band and Center for the Humanities.
- **A wide variety of offerings** in Business, Family and Consumer Sciences, Marketing, Technology Education, Fine Arts and ROTC
- **Thirty-one programs** at the Technical Centers
- **Work Study Programs:** Co-operative Office Education, Marketing Education, Business Education, and Cooperative Work Experience for Special Needs Students
- **Exceptional Education:** LD, HI, TMH, EMH, ED, TBI, VI
- **English as a Second Language (ESL)**
- **Specialty Center courses in the Center For The Humanities (four year program)**  
The Center for the Humanities offers a comprehensive and challenging academic program specializing in literature, history, philosophy, and the arts. All Center courses emphasize the reading and analysis of primary sources, writing across disciplines, and provide an interdisciplinary approach to the study of the Humanities.

**POST SECONDARY PLANS:**

Four-year College or University	39.5 %
Two-year College or Community College	38.0 %
Technical School/Apprenticeship	3.5 %
Military	5.4 %
Work/Other	13.6 %

**KEY TO TRANSCRIPT SYMBOLS AND TITLES:**

Honors & AP Courses .....	A
College /Career Prep & Standard Academics .....	C or S
First Semester Course .....	G
Second Semester Course .....	H

**GRADING SYSTEM:**

A	=	100 - 93	=	4 Grade Points
B	=	92 - 85	=	3 Grade Points
C	=	84 - 77	=	2 Grade Points
D	=	76 - 70	=	1 Grade Point
F	=	69 and below	=	0 Grade Points for all Courses
I	=	Incomplete	=	0 Grade Points for all Courses
WF	=	Withdrawn Failing	=	0 Grade Points for all Courses
WP	=	Withdrawn Passing	=	0 Grade Points and Not Counted in Rank

**CLASS RANKING:**

Class rank and G.P.A. (Grade Point Average) are determined by the levels of courses taken and the grades earned in those courses. Grades earned in courses prior to ninth grade that were awarded a high school credit will not be counted as part of the high school cumulative grade-point average. The initial class ranking is computed at the end of grade 11 by averaging the final averages of grades 9, 10, and 11. The final ranking is computed mid year of the 12th grade and is based on final averages of grades 9, 10, 11 and the first semester averages of grade 12.

Students who are earning either a Standard or an Advanced Studies Diploma are included in class rank. Students earning a Modified Standard or Special Diploma are excluded from class rank.

Students earning weighted credit will have 0.17 added to their final G.P.A. for each Honors/AP course taken and passed. See the following formula:

$$\text{Cumulative GPA} = \frac{\text{Total Grade Points} + (.17 \times \text{Honors/AP Courses Passed})}{\text{Total Credits Attempted} \times \text{Number of Years}}$$

**GRADE DISTRIBUTION:**

Class of 2011 436 students ranked

Upper Quintile	5.0570 - 3.4767
Second Quintile	3.4751 - 2.7722
Third Quintile	2.7708 - 2.2083
Fourth Quintile	2.2000 - 1.6875
Fifth Quintile	1.6863 - 0.2857

**COLLEGE ENTRANCE EXAMINATION 2011:**

**ACT**

58 Seniors Participated	Hermitage	Virginia	National
English	21.2	22.1	20.6
Math	19.6	22.2	21.1
Reading	22.1	22.7	21.3
Science	20.6	21.8	20.9
Composite	21.0	22.3	21.1

**SAT**

253 Seniors Participated	Hermitage	Virginia	National
Critical Reading Mean	489	512	497
Math Mean	462	509	514
Writing Mean	461	495	489

**ADVANCED PLACEMENT EXAMS 2011:**

295 students participated in 615 exams; 43% scored 3 or better

Scores:	5's (Highest grade)	=	21
	4's	=	83
	3's	=	167