

DELSEA REGIONAL HIGH SCHOOL

Franklinville, NJ 08322

Type: Public

Enrollment: 1082

Teaching Staff: 83 Instructional Aides: 15

2016-2017 Graduating Class: 288

Dr. Piera Gravenor
Superintendent

Dr. Melissa Williams
Assistant Superintendent

Paul J. Berardelli
Principal

Melissa Pilitowski
Director of HS Guidance

Accreditation: NJ State Department of Education
CEEB Code: 310403

SCHOOL DISTRICT & COMMUNITY

Delsea Regional High School serves the students of Franklin, Elk, and Newfield Townships. The regional district, located in the southern part of Gloucester County, spans 78 square miles. It is a predominately rural area with some light industry. Our vision is educating, inspiring, and empowering our students and staff to excellence. The pride of the community. The BEST in the nation.

ACADEMIC FACILITIES

Delsea utilizes state of the art technology. Each classroom in the high school has Internet access. Our school houses traditional classrooms, science labs, technology labs modern physical education and exercise facilities, performance art facilities, and studio art rooms. All computer systems are tied into a central network. Three science labs use MAC computers for data collection and analysis. Our world language computer lab offers computer interface between teacher and student. A TV studio is in operation and offers students the opportunity to obtain technological communication skills associated with TV cameras, monitors, and editing machines. Our Business and Technology departments offer courses which use state of the art technology and software. Our district's wireless LAN allows for the school's laptop and tablet devices to be utilized anywhere throughout the building. With the 1:1 personal student technology initiative all students in grades 7-12 have a school issued Chrome Book.

PROGRAM

The district is a collaborative learning community that is passionately committed to educating all students; our mission is to develop life-long learners who demonstrate character and become valuable members of our community, country, and world. The philosophy of education is based on the concept of a total and equal education for each student and is achieved through a balanced curriculum in both scope and sequence. Delsea is a comprehensive school system which provides multiple track programs to meet the various individual needs of students. In the core areas of math, science, social studies, language arts, and foreign language courses, students are grouped into subject levels according to their interests, past academic achievements, and standardized test scores. Our program levels are considered open enrollment and a student may, with parental permission, pursue a level for which he/she is not recommended. The curricular tracks and descriptions include: **Honors and Advanced Placement:** Accelerated and fast-paced programs emphasizing independent work; **A Level Program:** Four-year college and career readiness sequence with an in-depth approach to units of study; **B Level Program:** prepares students for two and four-year colleges as well as other venues of post-secondary education.

DIPLOMA REQUIREMENTS

A total of 130 credits are required for graduation. The following minimum course requirements must be met:

4 Years of English	½ Year of Personal Financial Literacy
1 Year of World History	1 Year of Fine or Performing Art
2 Years of U.S. History	1 Year of Technical or Practical Art
3 Years of Mathematics	½ Year of Career Education*
3 Years of Science	*(infused)
2 Years of World Language	
4 Years of Health & P.E.	

GRADING SYSTEM

A numerical system is used for evaluating student achievement.

98-100 =	A+ Superior
95-97 =	A Excellent
93-94 =	A- Commendable
90-92 =	B+ Very Good
87-89 =	B Good
85-86 =	B- Above Average
82-84 =	C+ Slightly Above Average
79-81 =	C Average
75-78 =	C- Low Average
72-74 =	D+ Below Average
70-71 =	D Passing
65-69 =	D- Poor but Passing
64-00 =	F Failing

CLASS RANK

The class ranking system maintains a standard process for assigning a weighted value for each course and course grouping. It incorporates a value scale which differentiates and reflects the degree of difficulty of the various subjects and includes a consistent statistical range between the variables of course weights and student grades for the course.

COLLEGE ADMISSIONS TEST SCORES

All students are encouraged to register for the SAT.

SAT REASONING TEST

Class of 2017
Mean ERW Score = 520
Mean Math Score = 530

COLLEGE ATTENDANCE

Eighty two percent of students attend two-year (47%) and four-year (35%) colleges. Delsea graduates successfully complete degree programs at public and private colleges, Ivy League universities, military academies, and technical training institutes.

(as reported by the exiting senior class)

CURRICULUM FEATURES

ENGLISH (H/AP, A, B)

Honors and AP levels: Honors 1 and 2, AP 3 and 4

CP English: A & B(4 only) Levels

CP Electives: Creative Writing 1 & 2, Reading the Movies, Public Speaking, SAT Preparation, Journalism, Modern Sports Literature, and Origins of Popular Literature.

FOREIGN LANGUAGE (AP/Advanced, H, A)

Spanish, French, Italian including Honors 1, 2, 3H, and 4AP

MATHEMATICS

Honors and AP Levels: Honors Geometry, Honors Algebra 2, Honors Pre-Calculus, Honors Calculus, and AP Calculus, AP Statistics

CP Mathematics: Algebra 1, Algebra 2, Geometry, Trigonometry, Interactive Algebra 1, Interactive Algebra 2, Interactive Geometry, and Interactive Trigonometry

Other Math Courses: SAT Prep and College Prep Math

SOCIAL STUDIES (H/AP, A, B)

Honors and AP Levels: Honors World History, Honors U.S. History 1, U.S. History 2 AP, Modern European History AP, U.S. Government & Politics AP, and Psychology AP,

CP History: A & B Levels

CP Electives: Sociology, Psychology, Race Gender & Ethnicity

SCIENCE

Honors and AP Levels: Honors Biology, AP Biology, Honors Chemistry, AP Chemistry, Honors Physics, and AP Physics I and II.

CP Levels: Environmental Science, Academic Biology A & B, Anatomy & Physiology, Physics, and Chemistry

Other Electives: Horticulture 1, 2, 3, and 4, Forensics

COMPUTER/BUSINESS COURSES

CP Electives: Programming in Visual Basic, Programming in C++, Programming in Python H, and Programming in Java AP

Electives: Accounting 1, 2, College Accounting, Foundations of Marketing, Marketing 1 & 2, Retail Store Management, Advertising & Design I, II, and III, Foundations of Technology, Entrepreneurship, Careers in Sports, Web Builder: Dream Weaver I, II, III, and IV, and Personal Financial Literacy

CO-CURRICULAR PROGRAMS

Anime Club, Anglers Club, Art Club, Athenaeum League, Band, Black Cultural League, Cheerleading, Concert Choir, DECA: Distributive Education, Delsonian: School Newspaper, Drama Club, Foreign Language Club, Future Educators of America, Future Farmers of America, Gay Straight Alliance, Interact, Mock Trial, National Honor Society, Glamour Gals, National Art Honor Society, Student Government Association, and Yearbook.

INTEGRATED TECHNOLOGY ARTS

Electives: Computer Aided Drafting, Computer Aided Architecture, Computer Aided Engineering, Basic Computer & Networking, CISCO Networking I & II, TV Video I, II, & III, and i-STEM I, II, & III.

ART

Honors and AP Levels: Studio Art AP I & II

Electives: Art 1, Cultural Arts, Graphics, Design, Painting and Drawing, Ceramics, Digital Arts I, II, & III

MUSIC

Honors and AP Levels: Music Theory AP

Electives: Instrumental Music (Band), Vocal Music (Chorus), Concert Choir, Exploration in Music Theory, and Music Technology 1, 2, and 3.

PERFORMING ARTS

Electives: Theater Arts and Advanced Theater Arts

JROTC

The Junior ROTC 9, 10, 11, and 12 courses offer four levels of instruction which may fulfill either the NJ State PE requirement or CCTV requirement.

PHYSICAL EDUCATION

Four levels of Physical education are offered including Health, Driver's Education, and Fitness for Life.

PARCC PREPARATION

Reading/Writing and Math courses are offered to prepare for the N.J. High School Proficiency Assessment and PARCC.

SPECIAL EDUCATION PROGRAM

Resource Center, Main Stream Program, Self-Contained Classes (SAVE).

VOCATIONAL PROGRAM

A shared-time program with Gloucester County Institute of Technology is available for senior students.

ATHLETIC PROGRAMS

Interscholastic programs are available for male and female students in grades 9-12. Delsea is a member of the Tri-County Conference.

FALL

Tennis (girls)
Soccer
Cross Country
Field Hockey
Football

WINTER

Wrestling
Swimming/Diving
Winter Track
Weightlifting
Basketball

SPRING

Golf
Tennis (boys)
Track & Field
Softball
Baseball

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