

SCHOOL PROFILE & LIST OF COURSES 2022-2023



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2022-2023 Student Body

- Serves approximately 600 students in grades 9 through 12.
- Draws students from over 70 middle schools throughout the Madison metropolitan area and communities up to 50 miles distant and overseas.
- 41% of students receive financial assistance.
- 17%* American students of color.
- 3% International students of color.
- 1 to 10 teacher to student ratio.

**Students of color constitute approximately 58% of the Madison public school's K-12 enrollment.*

Graduation Requirements

English: 4.0 credits
Mathematics: 3.0 credits
Science: 3.0 credits
Social Studies: 3.0 credits
Religious Studies: 4.0 credits
Physical Education / Health: 3.0 credits
Fine Arts: 1.0 credit
Public Speaking: 0.5 credit
Electives: 7.0 credits
Community Service: 100 hours

COVID-19 Statement

97% of Edgewood High School students maintained academic and attendance expectations through the sudden shift to virtual learning as a result of COVID-19. Therefore, letter grades were issued for the Spring 2020 semester.

Overview

Edgewood High School of the Sacred Heart is a Catholic co-educational school founded in 1881 by the Congregation of the Dominican Sisters of Sinsinawa. Edgewood educates the whole student for a lifetime of learning, service and personal responsibility through a rigorous curriculum based on the values of truth, compassion, justice, community and partnership. Enrollment is open to students regardless of educational or religious background.

Accreditation & Memberships

Independent Schools Association of the Central States (ISACS); National Association of College Admission Counseling; Wisconsin Association of College Admission Counseling. Edgewood High School complies fully with the NACAC Statement of Principles of Good Practice.

Advanced Placement Tests

Edgewood High School offers 13 AP courses*

2022:	Number of students taking 1 or more exams: 172; Exams with a score of 3 or higher: 75%
2021:	Number of students taking 1 or more exams: 140; Exams with a score of 3 or higher: 71%
2020:	Number of students taking 1 or more exams: 149; Exams with score of 3 or higher: 71%

Advanced Schooling

2022: Post-Secondary School: 93%; 4-Year Colleges: 90%, UW System: 34%
2021: Post-Secondary School: 96%; 4-Year Colleges: 91%, UW System: 37%
2020: Post-Secondary School: 97%; 4-Year Colleges: 91%, UW System: 25%

ACT Results

2022: Edgewood: 24.3; Wisconsin: N/A; National: N/A
2021: Edgewood: 25.0; Wisconsin: 19.1; National: 20.3
2020: Edgewood: 24.9; Wisconsin: 20.5; National: 20.7

National Merit Honors

2022: 3 Finalists; 2 Recipients; 3 Commended
2021: 4 Finalists; 1 Recipient; 3 Commended
2020: 3 Finalists; 2 Recipients; 1 Commended

Class Rank

It is the policy of the Edgewood High School Board of Trustees that class rank is not routinely provided. All Edgewood High School students complete a demanding course of study and are strong candidates for college admission.

Class of 2022 Academic Statistics

GPA ranges (after 6 semesters): Highest weighted GPA: 4.33;
Lowest weighted GPA: 2.73; Average GPA: 3.83

Disciplinary Action

For the purposes of college applications, Edgewood High School will report significant disciplinary infractions with discretion, however students are advised to self-report all disciplinary infractions in the application process.

New Schedule Ramifications

Beginning in 2022-2023, Edgewood High School has adopted a new bell schedule. Although our graduation requirements have not changed, the new schedule does not allow students as much room to take as many courses per semester/year as they have in the past. We encourage college admissions offices to keep this in mind when evaluating rigor in applicants' senior year schedules in comparison to EHS applicants from prior years.

Grading System

EHS uses a four-point grading system:

A (93-100%) 4.0; A- (90-92.9%) 3.5
B (83-89.9%) 3.0; B- (80-82.9%) 2.5
C (73-79.9%) 2.0; C- (70-72.9%) 1.5
D (63-69.9%) 1.0; D- (60-62.9%) 0.5
F (59.9% and below) 0

CR/NC - Credit/No Credit*; W - Withdraw**

Honors, Advanced Placement, Dual Credit, and Pre-Approved College Courses are graded on a 5.0 system.

*Given for assistantships, independent studies, and in extenuating circumstances.

**Given in instances of academic misconduct, dropping past posted deadlines, and/or as noted on transcript.

Curriculum Offerings

Courses are listed in order of typical sequence based on grade level and increasing level of rigor, where sequential

Required courses are in **BOLD**; .5 credit courses are in *ITALICS*

BUSINESS & COMPUTERS DUAL CREDIT

(School Years Offered & Partnering Institutions)

Accounting

(19-20, 20-21 - Madison Area Technical College)

Business Law

(22-23 - Edgewood College)

Exploring Entrepreneurship

(21-22 - Edgewood College)

Introduction to Business

(21-22, 22-23 - Edgewood College)

Jumpstart to Computing with Python

(20-21, 21-22, 22-23 - Edgewood College)

Marketing

(19-20, 20-21 - Madison Area Technical College;

22-23 - Edgewood College)

Personal Finance

(19-20, 20-21 - Madison Area Technical College)

CLASSICS

Classics Honors

COMMUNICATION ARTS

Public Speaking

Advanced Public Speaking

Acting

ENGLISH

English I

English II or English II Honors

American Literature

American Multicultural Literature

Creative Writing (not offered 21-22, offered 22-23)

Dystopia & Science Fiction

Film & Analytical Writing (not offered 21-22, offered 22-23)

Great Literature: Voices of Change

Modern Drama and Playwriting

(offered 21-22, not offered 22-23)

Modern Journalism: Research and Writing

(offered 21-22, not offered 22-23)

Introduction to Shakespeare - Dual Credit

(not offered 21-22, offered 22-23 in partnership

with University of Wisconsin-Whitewater)

AP English Language and Composition

AP English Literature and Composition

LANGUAGES

Latin I, II, III, IV, AP

Spanish I, II, III, IV, AP

(Edgewood's French Program was discontinued upon conclusion of the 19-20 school year)

MATHEMATICS

Algebra I or Algebra I Accelerated

Geometry or Geometry Accelerated

Algebra II or Algebra II Accelerated

Algebra III

Pre-Calculus (formerly College Algebra for Seniors) or Pre-Calculus Honors

AP Statistics§

AP Calculus AB

AP Calculus BC

MUSIC

Edgewood Chorus

Concert Band

Concert Choir

Crusader Singers

Jazz Ensemble

Orchestra

Piano (Beginning, Second Year, Intermediate, Advanced)

PHYSICAL EDUCATION

Physical Education I

Health Education

Recreational Activities

Team Sports

Fitness & Wellness for Life (formerly Flex/Stability Ball)

Introduction to Athletic Training/Advanced Athletic Training

Lifeguarding Speed, Agility and Plyometrics

Sports Psychology and Careers

Weightlifting I, II & III

RELIGIOUS STUDIES

Survey of Religious Studies

Literature & History of the Christian Scriptures

Literature & History of the Hebrew Scriptures

Moral Philosophy and Christian Ethics

Peace & Justice Studies

Survey of Religious Studies

Church History

Comparative World Religions

Peer Ministry

Personal, Moral, and Social Psychology (Religion Elective through 21-22

school year; curriculum updated to meet Social Studies Elective standards

starting in 22-23 school year)

Prayer & Spirituality in Modern Culture

SCIENCE

Biology

Chemistry or Chemistry-Honors

Astronomy

Biophysics (not offered 22-23, offered 21-22)

Earth Science

Forensic Science (not offered 21-22, offered 22-23)

Genetic Biotechnology

Human Anatomy and Physiology

Physics or Physics Honors

Physics of Light & Electromagnetism - Dual Credit

(not offered 21-22, offered 22-23 in partnership with Edgewood College)

AP Biology

AP Chemistry

AP Environmental Science

AP Physics C: Mechanics

Environmental Field Education/Advanced (not offered in 20-21 or 21-22 due

to COVID-19)

SOCIAL STUDIES

U.S. History

World History or World History Honors

American Political Systems (not offered 21-22, offered 22-23)

Global Issues (offered 21-22, not offered 22-23)

Economic Principles

Law

Recent American History

AP European History

AP U.S. History

VISUAL ARTS

Visual Arts Foundations (formerly 2D Studio Art 1)

Digital Arts Foundations (formerly 3D Studio Art 1)

2D Studio Art II/III/IV

3D Studio Art II/III/IV

Photography I/II/III/IV

Yearbook Publishing

Advanced Art