



# Virginia 2025 AP<sup>®</sup> School Honor Roll Recognition



The AP School Honor Roll recognizes schools whose AP programs are delivering results for their students.





The AP School Honor Roll, which replaces the previous AP District Honor Roll, offers schools recognition across four levels of distinction: Bronze, Silver, Gold, and Platinum.

For a school to be recognized on the AP School Honor Roll, it must be located within the United States (including U.S. territories) or Canada and:

- Meet each of the following criteria anchored in research-based relationships between AP and college outcomes:
  - ♦ **College Culture:** 40% or more of graduating cohort took at least 1 AP Exam during high school.
  - ♦ **College Credit:** 25% or more of the graduating cohort scored a 3 or higher on at least 1 AP Exam during high school.
  - ♦ **College Optimization:** 2% or more of the graduating cohort took 5 or more AP Exams during high school. At least 1 of those exams was taken in 9th or 10th grade, so that students are spreading their AP experience across grades rather than feeling disproportionate pressure in any single year.
- Have full-time grade-12 enrollments. AP coordinators can update this information online in [AP Registration and Ordering](#).

# As of December 2025, in Virginia

Of 362 qualifying schools, 43% earned a place on the 2025 AP School Honor Roll.<sup>1</sup>

AP SCHOOL HONOR ROLL AWARD	PERCENT OF QUALIFYING VIRGINIA SCHOOLS	PERCENT OF ALL QUALIFYING SCHOOLS: US AND CANADA
 Platinum	13%	8%
 Gold	8%	7%
 Silver	12%	11%
 Bronze	10%	10%

## Overview of AP School Honor Roll Recipients

The average percentage of the 2025 graduating cohort who met criteria:

CRITERIA MET	AVERAGE ACROSS ALL QUALIFYING VIRGINIA SCHOOLS	AVERAGE ACROSS ALL QUALIFYING SCHOOLS: US AND CANADA
Took at least 1 AP Exam	48%	44%
Scored 3+ on at least 1 AP Exam	34%	29%
Took 5+ AP Exams, at least 1 in 9th or 10th grade	13%	9%

Schools can see AP School Honor Roll status in [AP Score Reports for Educators](#). Recognized schools will have access to download a custom celebration kit.

There is no annual application process for schools to be considered for recognition.

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AP gives students opportunity to engage with college-level work, earn college credit and placement, and build professional career skills they can use no matter what path they choose after high school,”

SAID TREVOR PACKER,  
HEAD OF THE AP PROGRAM

“Congratulations to this year’s AP School Honor Roll recipients for proving it’s possible to expand participation in these rigorous courses and still drive strong performance.”

<sup>1</sup> Note that schools had the choice to “opt-out” of being publicly recognized on the AP School Honor Roll, so some schools who met the award requirements may not be included in these percentages.

## New AP School Honor Roll Recognitions

The AP School Honor Roll launched in 2023. Now in its third year, the number of schools recognized has grown from 4,570 schools in 2023 to 5,723 schools in 2025.

### Notably:

- 36% of all eligible 2025 Honor Roll schools received Honor Roll recognition
- Of all 2025 Honor Schools, 15% of schools were new to the Honor Roll
- 19% of 2025 Honor Roll schools rose one or more tiers compared to their status last year

In the list that follows, schools that are being recognized on the AP School Honor Roll for the first time are noted with a star (★) following their name. Schools that have moved up one or more tiers, compared to their status in the prior year, are noted with a triangle (▲) following their name.

## 2025 Virginia AP School Honor Roll Recipients

DISTRICT	SCHOOL NAME	OVERALL TIER
Albemarle County Public Schools	Albemarle High School	Bronze
Albemarle County Public Schools	Western Albemarle High School	Gold
Alexandria City Public Schools	Alexandria City High School	Bronze
Arlington Public Schools	H B Woodlawn	Platinum
Arlington Public Schools	Wakefield High School	Silver
Arlington Public Schools	Washington Liberty High School	Platinum
Arlington Public Schools	Yorktown High School	Platinum
Bedford County School District	Jefferson Forest High School ▲	Silver
Charlottesville City Schools	Charlottesville High School	Silver
Chesapeake Public Schools	Grassfield High School	Bronze
Chesapeake Public Schools	Hickory High School ★	Bronze
Chesterfield County Public Schools	Clover Hill High School	Bronze
Chesterfield County Public Schools	Cosby High School ▲	Silver
Chesterfield County Public Schools	James River High School	Bronze
Chesterfield County Public Schools	Manchester High School ★	Bronze
Chesterfield County Public Schools	Midlothian High School	Silver
Chesterfield County Public Schools	Monacan High School ★	Bronze
Diocese of Arlington Education Office	Bishop Ireton High School	Gold
Diocese of Arlington Education Office	Bishop O'Connell High School	Platinum
Diocese of Arlington Education Office	Saint John Paul the Great High School	Gold
Diocese of Arlington Education Office	St Paul VI Catholic High School	Silver
Diocese of Richmond Education Office	Benedictine College Preparatory	Gold
Diocese of Richmond Education Office	Catholic High School	Gold
Diocese of Richmond Education Office	Peninsula Catholic High School ▲	Platinum
Diocese of Richmond Education Office	Walsingham Academy	Platinum
Example District	Sue Landers High School	Platinum
Fairfax County Public Schools	Centreville High School	Silver
Fairfax County Public Schools	Chantilly High School	Gold
Fairfax County Public Schools	Fairfax High School	Gold
Fairfax County Public Schools	Falls Church High School	Bronze
Fairfax County Public Schools	Hayfield Secondary School	Gold
Fairfax County Public Schools	Herndon High School ▲	Silver
Fairfax County Public Schools	James Madison High School	Platinum

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▲ Moved up to a higher tier on the Honor Roll this year.

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DISTRICT	SCHOOL NAME	OVERALL TIER
Fairfax County Public Schools	Lake Braddock Secondary School	Gold
Fairfax County Public Schools	Langley High School	Platinum
Fairfax County Public Schools	McLean High School	Platinum
Fairfax County Public Schools	Oakton High School ▲	Platinum
Fairfax County Public Schools	South County High School	Silver
Fairfax County Public Schools	Thomas Jefferson High School for Science and Tech	Platinum
Fairfax County Public Schools	West Springfield High School	Silver
Fairfax County Public Schools	Westfield High School	Silver
Fairfax County Public Schools	Woodson High School ▲	Platinum
Falls Church City School District	Meridian High School	Bronze
Fauquier County Public Schools	Fauquier High School	Silver
Fauquier County Public Schools	Kettle Run High School	Silver
Goochland County School District	Goochland High School ★	Platinum
Hanover County Public Schools	Atlee High School	Silver
Hanover County Public Schools	Hanover High School	Bronze
Hanover County Public Schools	Mechanicsville High School	Bronze
Hanover County Public Schools	Patrick Henry High School ★	Bronze
Henrico County Schools	Deep Run High School	Gold
Henrico County Schools	Douglas S Freeman High School	Silver
Henrico County Schools	Glen Allen High School	Silver
Henrico County Schools	John Randolph Tucker High School	Bronze
Henrico County Schools	Mills E Godwin High School	Silver
Loudoun County Public Schools	Broad Run High School	Gold
Loudoun County Public Schools	Dominion High School	Gold
Loudoun County Public Schools	Freedom High School ▲	Platinum
Loudoun County Public Schools	Heritage High School	Silver
Loudoun County Public Schools	Independence High School ▲	Platinum
Loudoun County Public Schools	John Champe High School	Gold
Loudoun County Public Schools	Lightridge High School	Gold
Loudoun County Public Schools	Loudoun County High School	Silver
Loudoun County Public Schools	Loudoun Valley High School	Silver
Loudoun County Public Schools	Potomac Falls High School ▲	Gold

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Loudoun County Public Schools	Riverside High School	Platinum
Loudoun County Public Schools	Rock Ridge High School	Gold
Loudoun County Public Schools	Stone Bridge High School	Gold
Loudoun County Public Schools	Tuscarora High School	Silver
Loudoun County Public Schools	Woodgrove High School ▲	Gold
Montgomery County Public Schools	Blacksburg High School	Gold
Newport News City Public Schools	Menchville High School	Bronze
Norfolk Public Schools	Granby High School ★	Silver
Norfolk Public Schools	Matthew F Maury High School	Silver
Poquoson School District	Poquoson High School	Bronze
Powhatan County School District	Powhatan High School	Bronze
Prince William County Public Schools	Battlefield High School	Gold
Prince William County Public Schools	C D Hylton Senior High School ▲	Silver
Prince William County Public Schools	Colgan High School	Silver
Prince William County Public Schools	Forest Park High School	Silver
Prince William County Public Schools	Gainesville High School	Gold
Prince William County Public Schools	Osborn Park Senior High School	Silver
Prince William County Public Schools	Patriot High School	Silver
Prince William County Public Schools	Woodbridge Senior High School ▲	Silver
Richmond Public Schools	Open High School	Platinum
Richmond Public Schools	Richmond Community High School	Gold
Roanoke County Public Schools	Cave Spring High School	Bronze
Roanoke County Public Schools	Glenvar High School	Bronze
Salem City School District	Salem High School	Silver
Spotsylvania County Schools	Riverbend High School ★	Silver
Stafford County Public Schools	Colonial Forge High School	Bronze
Virginia Beach City Public Schools	First Colonial High School ▲	Silver
Virginia Beach City Public Schools	Floyd E Kellam High School	Silver
Virginia Beach City Public Schools	Frank W Cox High School	Bronze
Virginia Beach City Public Schools	Ocean Lakes High School	Bronze
Virginia Beach City Public Schools	Princess Anne High School	Bronze
Virginia Beach City Public Schools	Salem High School	Bronze
Virginia Department of Education	Appomattox Regnl Governor's Sch Arts and Tech ★	Gold

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Virginia Department of Education	Maggie L Walker Governor's Sch Gov't Int'l Stds	Platinum
Williamsburg-James City County Public Schools	Jamestown High School	Silver
Williamsburg-James City County Public Schools	Lafayette High School ★	Bronze
Winchester Public Schools	John Handley High School	Bronze
York County School Division	Bruton High School	Bronze
York County School Division	Grafton High School	Silver
York County School Division	Tabb High School	Silver
York County School Division	York High School ★	Bronze
	BASIS Independent McLean	Platinum
	Broadwater Academy	Bronze
	Cape Henry Collegiate	Platinum
	Carlisle School	Silver
	Collegiate School	Platinum
	Dayspring Christian Academy	Silver
	Eastern Mennonite High School ★	Bronze
	Episcopal High School	Gold
	Evergreen Christian School ★	Platinum
	Fairfax Baptist Temple Academy	Silver
	Fairfax Christian School ▲	Platinum
	Flint Hill School	Platinum
	Foxcroft School	Platinum
	Fredericksburg Academy ▲	Platinum
	Greenbrier Christian Academy ★	Bronze
	Hampton Roads Academy	Platinum
	Hargrave Military Academy ★	Bronze
	Highland School	Platinum
	Ideaventions Academy for Mathematics and Science	Platinum
	Immanuel Christian School	Platinum
	Loudoun School for Advanced Studies	Platinum
	Millwood School	Platinum
	Nansemond-Suffolk Academy	Gold

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	New Covenant Schools ★	Bronze
	Norfolk Academy ▲	Gold
	Norfolk Christian High School	Platinum
	Norfolk Collegiate School	Platinum
	North Cross School	Platinum
	Oak Hill Academy ★	Bronze
	Randolph-Macon Academy	Gold
	Renaissance School ★	Platinum
	Saint Annes-Belfield School	Gold
	Saint Catherine's School ▲	Silver
	Saint Christopher's School	Platinum
	Saint Stephen's and Saint Agnes School	Platinum
	Stonebridge High School ★	Bronze
	Stuart Hall School	Platinum
	Tandem Friends School	Silver
	The Carmel School	Platinum
	The Madeira School	Platinum
	The Miller School of Albemarle ▲	Platinum
	The Potomac School ▲	Silver
	The Steward School	Platinum
	Trinity Christian School	Platinum
	Veritas Collegiate Academy National Landing ★	Platinum
	Virginia Episcopal School	Platinum
	Wakefield Country Day School	Gold
	Wakefield School	Platinum
	Woodberry Forest School	Silver

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