



Northview
High School

"My Northview experience has been great. Administration is so caring about every student, they truly want you to succeed, and push you to do your best. There is a large range of activities to get involved in which helps build community."

Student

Public School

Northview High School - Kent ISD Michigan

Northview High School is a public high school in Grand Rapids offering strong academics, extensive arts and athletics, and highly equipped facilities. The school supports college and career readiness through AP courses, dual enrollment, and vocational pathways.



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Quick Facts

Founded: 1962

Niche.com Score: A-

Students: Co-educational

Climate: Cold winters / Warm summers

Population: 200,000

High School Population: 1,060

Accepting students: Grade 9-12

Diploma Year offered: No

Interview required? No

English as Second Language (ESL) support: No

University Acceptance rate: 91%

Academic Excellence

Northview High School provides a comprehensive academic program that includes **Advanced Placement courses, dual enrollment options with local colleges, and career-focused pathways supported by vocational training.** With a student-teacher ratio of 20:1, students receive individual guidance as they progress through challenging coursework in STEM, humanities, and the arts. The school also offers strong support for diverse learners, including dedicated services such as the Deaf and Hard of Hearing Program. Graduates go on to competitive universities, reflecting the school's emphasis on academic readiness and real-world skills.

Student Accomplishments

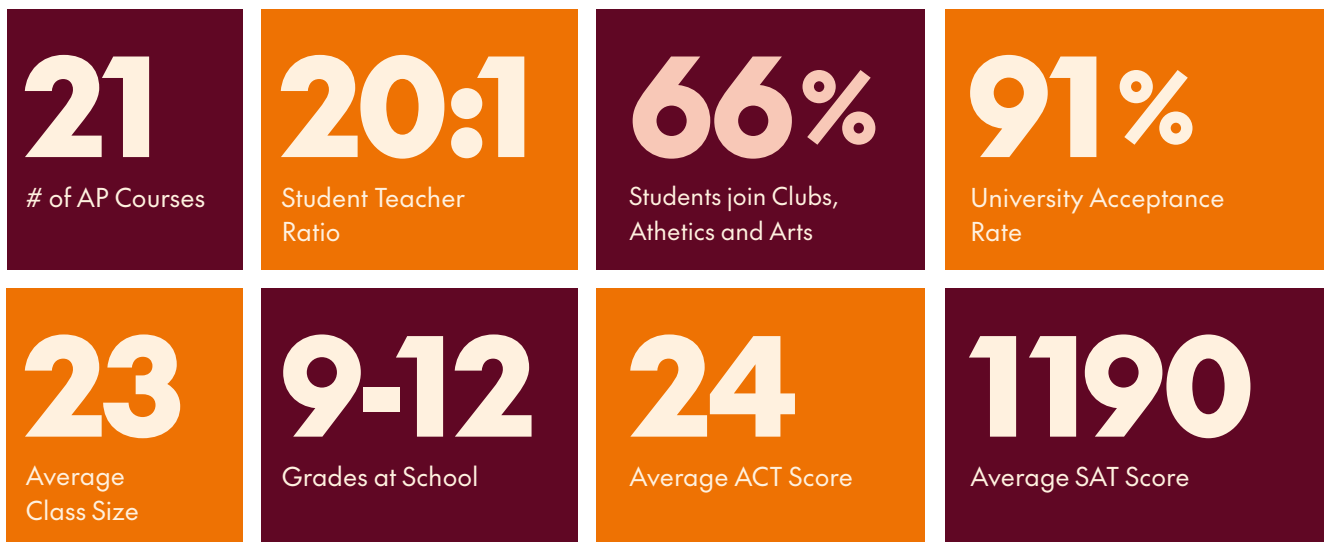
- Students consistently earn recognition in academic competitions.
- Athletics teams frequently reach state-level competition.
- Arts students earn honors supported by the Performing Arts Center.

Recent University Acceptances

- Arizona State University
- Barnard College
- Boston University
- Brigham Young University
- Calvin College
- Concordia University
- DePauw University
- Duke University
- Embry-Riddle Aeronautical University
- Fashion Institute of Technology
- George Mason University
- Johns Hopkins University
- Northeastern University
- Northwestern University
- Purdue University
- Savannah College of Art and Design
- Stanford University
- University at Buffalo (SUNY)
- University of Chicago
- University of Notre Dame
- Wheaton College
- Yale University



Stats



Campus Facilities

The school features advanced academic and extracurricular facilities, including a **Performing Arts Center, Aquatic Center, Fitness Center, and multiple specialized labs and classrooms.** These modern spaces support instruction in science, technology, engineering, visual arts, theater, and music. Collaborative learning areas and updated athletic facilities further enhance the student experience, ensuring access to spaces that support both academic development and personal growth. Outdoor areas and well-designed communal spaces contribute to a vibrant and active campus environment.

Athletics and Arts

Northview has a strong athletic culture with high participation and competitive teams, especially in football and basketball. Student-athletes train in well-equipped facilities and compete throughout the region.

Northview's arts program is supported by its Performing Arts Center and features strong music, theater, and visual arts pathways. Students engage in performance, studio work, and design courses.



Highlights

Sports: American Football, Baseball, Basketball, Bowling, Cheerleading, Cross Country Running, Golf, Lacrosse, Skiing, Soccer, Softball, Swimming, Tennis, Track, Volleyball, Wrestling

Arts: 2D Art and Design, Drawing, Studio Art – 3D Design

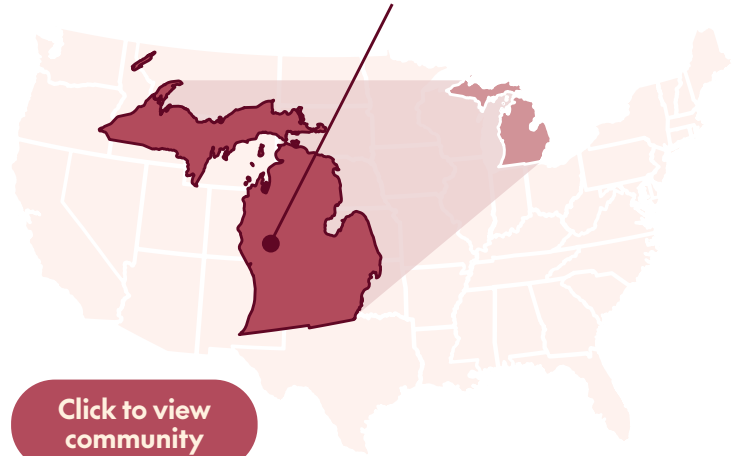
Advanced Placement courses:
Calculus AB, Chemistry, Computer Science Principles, English Language and Composition, English Literature and Composition, Environmental Science, Macroeconomics, Microeconomics, Physics C: Mechanics, Psychology, Research, Seminar, Statistics, US Government and Politics, US History, World History

Languages Offered:
French, Spanish

Tech & innovation courses:
Computer Science Principles, Studio Art – 3D Design

Community

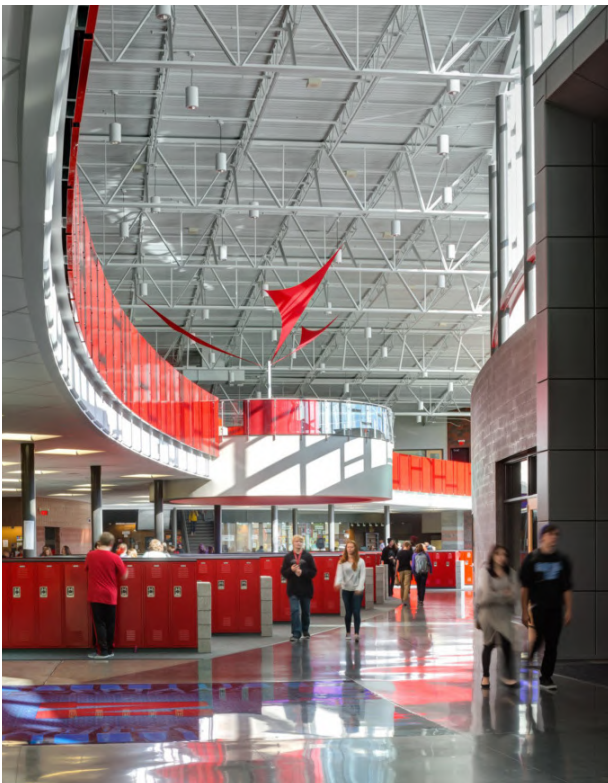
Northview is located in Grand Rapids, a metropolitan area of over 200,000 residents known for its cultural diversity and outdoor recreation. Students have access to museums, arts venues, nature trails, and community events throughout the city. The area is served by Gerald R. Ford International Airport (GRR), offering convenient travel for international students. Attractions such as the Frederik Meijer Gardens & Sculpture Park and the downtown arts district contribute to a lively community environment.



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Climate in Grand Rapids

Four-season climate with cold, snowy winters and warm summers.



Video

Learn more about the school

