

# Woodland Park High School



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## Profile 2017 – 2018

### The Community

The Woodland Park School District fall of 2016 enrollment was 3,111 students in grades K-12. The town of Woodland Park (approx. pop. 8000) is a small mountain community in Teller County. The school district encompasses 293 square miles. The majority of students live in the rural area of the district or the small surrounding communities. Many residents are employed in the Colorado Springs area, approximately 20 miles east of Woodland Park.

### The School

Woodland Park High School is a four-year public high school which is accredited by the Colorado Department of Education. The high school offers a strong college preparatory curriculum and participates in an area vocational program and several concurrent enrollment classes through Pikes Peak Community College and University of Colorado in Colorado Springs. Vocational classes along with community service programs and internships are also offered on our own campus. The fall 2016 enrollment of 926 students included 245 seniors. 2016-2017 faculty included 51 certified staff (42 classroom teachers) with a student/teacher ratio of 22/1 and student/ counselor ratio of 308/1. 2016-2017 student attendance rate was 93.85%.

### The Program

- WPHS school year is divided into 2 semesters (Aug. – Dec. and Jan. – May) with 2 quarters in each semester. Students may earn up to 3.5 credits per semester or 7 credits per year.
- WPHS offers an academic program that includes 9 Advanced Placement courses and 5 Honors courses.
- The needs of the exceptional student are supported through Special Education, 504 programming and intervention programs.

### Classroom Grading Scale

Letter/Grade	Regular	Honors	AP
<b>A</b> (90 – 100%)	4	4.5	5
<b>B</b> (80 – 89%)	3	3.5	4
<b>C</b> (70 – 79%)	2	2.5	3
<b>D</b> (60 – 69%)	1	1	1
<b>F</b> (59% and below)	0	0	0

### GPA Calculation

Grades are computed on a 4.0 scale. All classes awarding a letter grade are calculated in the weighted and un-weighted GPA.

Repeat courses (previously passed) are not GPA weighted and do not receive credit – the earned grade is recorded on the transcript.

State testing passes receive an additional ¼ credit.

Advisory Passes receive an additional ¼ credit.

### Rank

Rank is calculated at the end of each semester. Both a weighted and un-weighted grade point average and rank are reported on the final transcript.

- Concurrent Enrollment through Pikes Peak Community College to earn high school and college credit: English Comp 121, Literature 115.
- Concurrent Enrollment through UCCS Succeed program to earn high school and college credit: Calculus and Physics.

**AP Authorized Courses****Offered at WPHS in 2015-2016**

U.S. Government, U.S. History,  
English Lit. & Comp., Biology,  
Chemistry, Environmental Science,  
Physics 1, Calculus AB, World History

**Advanced Placement Results**

In May, 2017, 126 students participated  
in the AP exam program. A total of  
142 AP exams were taken in 10 subjects.  
In May 2017, 65 received a score of 3  
or better.

**Honors Courses Offered**

English 1  
American Literature  
Algebra 2  
Geometry  
Pre-Calculus

Student access to AP courses determined by satisfactory completion of coursework, prerequisites, and by student requests.

**Standardized Test Results 2016-17**

*SAT State Test – April 2017*

189 students tested

School mean score: 983

**EBRW mean score 501**

**Math mean score 583**

**Class of 2017**

Grade distribution for 172 full-time seniors:

19 students earned a 4.0+

31 students earned a 3.50 - 3.99

37 students earned a 3.00 - 3.49

30 students earned a 2.50 – 2.99

28 students earned a 2.00 – 2.49

27 students earned less than a 2.0

**Post-Secondary – Graduating Class of 2017**

76% of the graduating seniors plan to enter college, with 48% attending a four-year institution and 25% attending a two-year college. Vocational/technical schools attracted 3% while 7% reported plans to enter the military, 14% of seniors planned to enter immediately into the work force.

Scholarships were awarded to 48 graduates with a dollar value in Excess of \$4,250,000. Class of 2017 matriculation included acceptances at the following colleges:

Adams State University, CO

American University, Washington D.C.

Baldwin Wallace University, OH

Baylor University, TX

Beloit College, KS

Benedictine College, KS

Bethany College, KS

Black Hills State, SD

Bluefield College, VA

Bradley University, IL

California Baptist University, CA

Carnegie Melon, PA

Catawba College, NC

Centre College, KY

Colorado Christian University, CO

Colorado Mesa University, CO

Colorado Mountain College, CO

Colorado School of Mines & Technology, CO

Colorado State University (2 campuses)

Columbia College, IL

Cons. of Recording Arts & Sciences, AZ

Cornell College, IA

Drake University, IA

Emerson College, MA

Fairleigh Dickinson University, NJ

Fort Lewis College, CO

Georgian Court University, NJ

Grand Canyon University, AZ

Hastings College, NE

Hendrix College, AR

Hofstra University, NY

Hope College, MI

Indiana University

Ithaca College, NY

Jacksonville University, FL

James Madison University, VA

Johnson & Wales University, CO

Kansas State University

Knox College, IL

LeTourneau University, TX

Long Island University, NY

Luther College, IA

Marymount Manhattan College, NY

Metropolitan State University, CO

MidAmerica Nazarene University, KS

Montana State University

New York University

North Carolina State University

Northern Arizona University

Northern Kentucky University

Ohio Wesleyan University

Oklahoma Christian University

Oklahoma State University

Oregon State University

Pikes Peak Community College

Point Park University, PA

Purdue University, IN

Rockford University, IL

Roosevelt University, IL

U.S. Military: Air Force, Army, Navy, Marine Corps

Rose-Hulman Institute of Tech., IN

Saint Mary's College TX

San Diego State University, CA

Seton Hill University, PA

South Dakota School of Mines, SD

Southwestern University, TX

St. Andrews University, NC

Sterling College, KS

Texas Tech University, TX

The University of the Arts, PA

University of Alabama

University of Alaska

University of Colorado (3 campuses)

University of Denver

University of Evansville, IN

University of Jamestown, ND

University of Montana

University of Nebraska

University of New Hampshire

University of New Mexico

University of North Florida

University of Northern Colorado

University of Oklahoma

University of South Florida

University of Wyoming

Western State Colorado University

Westminster College, PA