

# Chamblee Charter High School

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## SCHOOL INFORMATION FOR 2017-2018

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### COUNSELOR ASSIGNMENTS

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Chamblee Charter High School is located in Chamblee, Georgia; a suburb of Atlanta. It is a public school in the DeKalb County School District and includes grades 9 through 12. The student body is composed of local attendance area students, as well as students drawn from throughout the county by way of selection to either the **Charter Program** or **Magnet Program for High Achievers**. The student body is culturally and economically diverse. Enrollment at the beginning of the 2017-2018 school year was approximately 1,725, including 347 students in the graduating class of 2018.

**COURSES:** The school year is divided into two 18-week semesters. Students attend 7 periods per day, five days per week. Courses are designed for college preparation, vocational, and career development. Many subjects are taught at an accelerated and/or magnet level. A variety of Advanced Placement opportunities are offered from ninth through twelfth grades. Advanced Placement courses include: Language/Composition, Literature/Composition, Biology, Environmental Science, Chemistry, Physics 1, Calculus AB, Calculus BC, Statistics, Human Geography, Psychology, Microeconomics, Macroeconomics, World History, US History, Studio Art : 2D, Studio Art: 3-D, Studio Art: Drawing, Music Theory, Computer Science A, Spanish Language, and German Language.

**GRADING SYSTEM:** The grade point system is based on a 4.0 scale. Advanced Placement and Move on When Ready/Dual Enrollment courses are graded on a 5.0 scale.

GRADE SCALE KEY	POINT VALUE	
	4.0 Scale	5.0 Scale
<b>A</b> = 90 – 100	4 points	5 points
<b>B</b> = 80 – 89	3 points	4 points
<b>C</b> = 71 – 79	2 points	3 points
<b>D</b> = 70	1 point	2 points
<b>F</b> = Below 70 ( <i>failing</i> )	0 points	0 points

**ACCREDITATION:** AdvancED/Southern Association of Colleges and Schools (SACS); Georgia Accrediting Commission

**REQUIREMENTS FOR GRADUATION:** Graduates must satisfactorily complete 24 prescribed units. All students must take the Georgia Milestones End of Course (EOC) assessments in Ninth Grade Language Arts, American Literature, Coordinate Algebra, Analytic Geometry, United States History, Economics, Physical Science, and Biology.

**HONORS 2016-2017:** 8 *National Merit Finalists*. 3 *Governor's Honors Program Finalists*. The Chamblee Math Team ranked second in the state. Three math students were selected for the American Regional Mathematics League Team. Fifty six members of the class of 2017 graduated with a 4.0 GPA or higher and fifty-seven percent qualified for the *HOPE* or *Zell Miller Scholarship*. Our school newspaper & website, the *Blue and Gold*, continues to receive a superior rating from the GA Scholastic Press Association. The *National Council of Teachers of English* rated our literary magazine, *ETCETERA*, superior. Our yearbook, *The Chamhian*, was awarded the Gold Medal from Columbia Scholastic Press Association. CCHS is a Simon Certified High School with 16 Simon Scholars. One student was selected as a Posse Scholar. Twenty students received the Deutsches Sprachdiplom, the DSD II, proof of German proficiency to fulfill the language requirement for attending any university or college in Germany.

# TESTING PROFILE

## Class of 2017 SAT scores

Chamblee Charter HS Mean Total Score = 1131

DeKalb County Mean Total Score = 994

State of Georgia Mean Total Score 1050

## Class of 2017 ACT scores

Chamblee Charter High School      24.9

Georgia      21.4

### **SAMPLE 2017 AP SCORES ( 1123 Exams )**

<b>Calculus BC</b>	100% earned scores of 3 or higher	<b>Human Geography</b>	80% earned scores of 3 or higher
<b>Statistics</b>	91% earned scores of 3 or higher	<b>Psychology</b>	67% earned scores of 3 or higher
<b>Literature/Comp</b>	73% earned scores of 3 or higher	<b>World History</b>	80% earned scores of 3 or higher
<b>Calculus AB</b>	100% earned scores of 3 or higher	<b>Macroeconomics</b>	79% earned scores of 3 or higher
<b>Language/Comp</b>	67% earned scores of 3 or higher	<b>Physics C Mech.</b>	93% earned scores of 3 or higher
<b>Microeconomics</b>	100% earned scores of 3 or higher	<b>Music Theory</b>	100% earned scores of 3 or higher
<b>Biology</b>	74% earned scores of 3 or higher	<b>Spanish Language</b>	100% earned scores of 3 or higher
<b>Studio Art:2D</b>	100% earned scores of 3 or higher	<b>German Language</b>	100% earned scores of 3 or higher

## GRADUATION YEAR 2017

**TOTAL NUMBER OF GRADUATES = 311**

(95 % Graduation Rate per CCHS calculation)

ATTENDING POST-SECONDARY INSTITUTION      90%

*Attending Two Year and Tech Colleges      10 %*

*Attending Four Year Colleges      80 %*

EMPLOYED, MILITARY, OTHER      10%

### **RECENT COLLEGE MATRICULATION**

American University	George Washington University	Oglethorpe University
Boston University	Georgia Institute of Technology	Ohio State University
Brown University	Georgia State University	Rice University
Carnegie Mellon University	Howard University	Spelman College
Clemson University	Kennesaw State University	Stanford University
Cornell University	Loyola University	Syracuse University
Emory University	Massachusetts Institute of Technology	University of Chicago
Florida A & M University	Mercer University	University of Georgia
Georgetown University	New York University	Univ. of Pennsylvania
University of Southern California	Northwestern University	US Air Force Academy