



OWEN D. YOUNG CENTRAL SCHOOL
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Owen D. Young Central School District Profile

CEEB: 335-720

Community & School

The Owen D. Young Central School District, home of the "Wildcats", serves approximately 200 students in grades K-12. All students are housed under one roof in the hamlet of Van Hornesville, NY. The school is about thirty minutes southeast of Utica, NY at the eastern-most part of Herkimer County. The majority of students reside in Herkimer County, with a small percentage residing in Otsego and Montgomery Counties. Our geographical area covers 66.653 square miles of some of the most beautiful countryside Central New York has to offer. Most district residents commute to Richfield Springs, Cooperstown, Herkimer, and other parts of the Mohawk Valley area for employment – about 25 to 30 minutes of travel.

Curriculum

The ODY academic program is organized into a six day alpha-rotation. Each day consists of ten class periods with forty minutes of instruction per period. Students are required to enroll in at least six credit hours per academic year, unless approved by the superintendent. Core curriculum in English, Math, Social Studies, Science and Spanish are offered in addition to various electives in Technology, Art and Music. Upperclassmen have the opportunity to attend Herkimer BOCES for Career and Technical Educational coursework their junior and senior years. *College Now* courses are offered in-house through a concurrent enrollment agreement with Herkimer College.

Grading, GPA, Class Rank and Graduation Requirements

GPA and Class Rank reflect courses completed during the regular school year. Class Rank is determined at the completion of the third quarter of the senior year, based on students' weighted GPAs. Our practice is to not include Physical Education in the rank average. Grades for any course(s) taken during summer school are not factored into Rank or GPA. Regent's coursework in Algebra II, Physics and Chemistry is weighted 1.07, along with Foreign Language III. All other full- year coursework is weighted at 1.0. Please note, yearly GPAs on the transcript and report cards are un-weighted. Students at Owen D. Young are required to earn **24** credits in order to meet graduation requirements and are encouraged to take exploratory elective coursework, which can include distance learning opportunities.

Class of 2020 Profile

Class size: 22 students

Advanced Regents Diploma: 5/22

Valedictorian Weighted GPA: 97.5

Diplomas Earned: 21

Regents Diploma: 12/22 Local Diploma: 4/22 IEP/CDOS Credential: 0/22

Top Ten Students Weighted GPA Range: 97.5% – 84.3%

Non-Completer(s): 1

<u>Post Graduation Plans</u>	<u>Percentage/Number of Students</u>
Attending 4 year colleges/universities	32% (7/22 students)
Attending 2 year colleges	18% (4/22 students)
Attending Trade School/Certificate Programs	0% (0/20 students)
Enlisting in the Military	11% (2/22 students)
Entering the Workforce	23% (5/22 students)