

# DELSEA REGIONAL HIGH SCHOOL

## Franklinville, NJ 08322

Type: Public

Enrollment: 1039

Teaching Staff: 82 Instructional Aides: 18

2019-2020 Graduating Class: 264

**Dr. Piera Gravenor**  
Superintendent  
**Fran Ciociola**  
Principal

**Dr. Melissa Williams**  
Assistant Superintendent  
**Melissa Pilitowski**  
Director of HS Guidance

**Accreditation: NJ State Department of Education**  
**CEEB Code: 310403**

### SCHOOL DISTRICT & COMMUNITY

Delsea Regional High School serves the students of Franklin, Elk, and Newfield Townships. The regional district, located in the southern part of Gloucester County, spans 78 square miles. It is a predominately-rural area with some light industry. Our vision is educating, inspiring, and empowering our students and staff to excellence. The pride of the community. The BEST in the nation.

### ACADEMIC FACILITIES

Delsea utilizes state of the art technology. Each classroom in the high school has Internet access. Our school houses traditional classrooms, science labs, technology labs modern physical education and exercise facilities, performance art facilities, and studio art rooms. All computer systems are tied into a central network. Three science labs use MAC computers for data collection and analysis. A TV studio is in operation and offers students the opportunity to obtain technological communication skills associated with TV cameras, monitors, and editing machines. Our Business and Technology departments offer courses which use state of the art technology and software. Our district's wireless LAN allows for the school's laptop and tablet devices to be utilized anywhere throughout the building. With the 1:1 personal student technology initiative all students in grades 7-12 have a school issued Chrome Book. Delsea Regional High School was named a 2018 Future Ready School.

### PROGRAM

The district is a collaborative learning community that is passionately committed to educating all students; our mission is to develop life-long learners who demonstrate character and become valuable members of our community, country, and world. The philosophy of education is based on the concept of a total and equal education for each student and is achieved through a balanced curriculum in both scope and sequence. Delsea is a comprehensive school system, which provides multiple track programs to meet the various individual needs of students. In the core areas of math, science, social studies, language arts, and foreign language courses, students are grouped into subject levels according to their interests, past academic achievements, and standardized test scores. Our program levels are considered open enrollment and a student may, with parental permission, pursue a level for which he/she is not recommended. The curricular tracks and descriptions include: **Honors and Advanced Placement:** Accelerated and fast-paced programs emphasizing independent work; **A Level Program:** Four-year college and career readiness sequence with an in-depth approach to units of study; **B Level Program:** prepares students for two and four-year colleges as well as other venues of post-secondary education.

**COVID-19 Note.** Our school utilized remote learning from March 2020-June 2020. We started the 2020-2021 school year fully remote with plans to return to hybrid in October.

### DIPLOMA REQUIREMENTS

A total of 130 credits are required for graduation. The following minimum course requirements must be met:

4 Years of English	½ Year of Personal Financial Literacy
1 Year of World History	1 Year of Fine or Performing Art
2 Years of U.S. History	1 Year of Technical or Practical Art
3 Years of Mathematics	½ Year of Career Education*
3 Years of Science	*(infused)
2 Years of World Language	
4 Years of Health & P.E.	

### GRADING SYSTEM

A numerical system is used for evaluating student achievement.

98-100 =	A+ Superior
95-97 =	A Excellent
93-94 =	A- Commendable
90-92 =	B+ Very Good
87-89 =	B Good
85-86 =	B- Above Average
82-84 =	C+ Slightly Above Average
79-81 =	C Average
75-78 =	C- Low Average
72-74 =	D+ Below Average
70-71 =	D Passing
65-69 =	D- Poor but Passing
64-00 =	F Failing

### CLASS RANK

The class ranking system maintains a standard process for assigning a weighted value for each course and course grouping. It incorporates a value scale, which differentiates and reflects the degree of difficulty of the various subjects and includes a consistent statistical range between the variables of course weights and student grades for the course.

### COLLEGE ADMISSIONS TEST SCORES

All students are encouraged to register for the SAT.

### SAT REASONING TEST

Class of 2020  
Mean ERW Score = 549  
Mean Math Score = 548

### COLLEGE ATTENDANCE

Seventy two percent of students attend two-year (34.8%) and four-year (37.5%) colleges. Delsea graduates successfully complete degree programs at public and private colleges, Ivy League universities, military academies, and technical training institutes. Additionally, graduates enlist in the military (4.2%) and join the workforce.

(as reported by the exiting senior class)

# CURRICULUM FEATURES

## ENGLISH (H/AP, A, B)

**Honors and AP levels:** Honors 1 and 2, AP 3 and 4

**CP English:** A & B(4 only) Levels

**CP Electives:** Creative Writing 1 & 2, Reading the Movies, Public Speaking, Race, Gender, Ethnicity in Contemporary Literature, Modern Sports Literature, Language & Lyrics

## FOREIGN LANGUAGE (AP/Advanced, H, A)

Spanish, French, Italian including Honors 1, 2, 3H, and 4AP

## MATHEMATICS

**Honors and AP Levels:** Honors Geometry, Honors Algebra 2, Honors Pre-Calculus, Honors Calculus, and AP Calculus, AP Statistics

**CP Mathematics:** Algebra 1, Algebra 2, Geometry, Trigonometry, Interactive Algebra 1, Interactive Algebra 2, Interactive Geometry, and Interactive Trigonometry

**Other Math Courses:** College Prep Math

## SOCIAL STUDIES (H/AP, A, B)

**Honors and AP Levels:** Honors World History, Honors U.S. History 1, U.S. History 2 AP, Modern European History AP, U.S. Government & Politics AP, and Psychology AP,

**CP History:** A & B Levels

**CP Electives:** Sociology, Psychology, Race Gender & Ethnicity in American History, Tomorrow's Teachers, World History of Genocide.

## SCIENCE

**Honors and AP Levels:** Honors Biology, AP Biology, Honors Chemistry, AP Chemistry, Honors Physics, and AP Physics I and II.

**CP Levels:** Environmental Science, Academic Biology A & B, Anatomy & Physiology, Physics, and Chemistry

**Other Electives:** Horticulture 1, 2, 3, and 4, Forensics

## COMPUTER/BUSINESS COURSES

**CP Electives:** Computer Science: Programming in Visual Basic, Programming in C++, Programming in Python H, and Programming in Java AP, Computer Science Principles AP.

**Electives:** Accounting 1, 2, College Accounting, Foundations of Marketing, Marketing applications, Marketing Management, Retail Store Management, Advertising & Design I, II, and III, Foundations of Technology, Web Design and Development I, II, III, and IV, and Personal Financial Literacy, Structured Learning Experience, Nursing Allied Health Pathway.

## CO-CURRICULAR PROGRAMS

Anime Club, Anglers Club, Art Club, Athenaeum League, Band, Black Cultural League, Bible Club, Club Interact, Crafts Club, Cheerleading, Concert Choir, DECA: Distributive Education, Delsonian, Delta Eta Sigma, Drama Club, Fellowship of Christian Athletes, Foreign Language Club, Future Educators of America, Future Farmers of America, Gay Straight Alliance, Glamour Gals, National Art Honor Society, National Honor Society, Renaissance, Rowan Mentoring, Mock Trial, National Art Honor Society, Student Government Association, STEP Team, and Yearbook.

## INTEGRATED TECHNOLOGY ARTS

**Electives:**, Computer Aided Drafting, Computer Aided Architecture, Computer Aided Engineering, Interior Design, Basic Computer & Networking, Computer Systems and Networking I & II, Technology Internship, TV Video I, II, & III, and i-STEM I, II, & III, Fix It, Building Construction Technology I and II.

## ART

**Honors and AP Levels:** Studio Art AP I & II

**Electives:** Art 1, Cultural Arts, Graphics, Design, Painting and Drawing, 3-D Arts I and II, Digital Arts I, II, & III.

## MUSIC

**Honors and AP Levels:** Music Theory AP

**Electives:** Instrumental Music (Band), Vocal Music (Chorus), Concert Choir, Exploration in Music Theory, and Music Technology 1, 2, and 3.

## PERFORMING ARTS

**Electives:** Theater Arts and Advanced Theater Arts

## JROTC

The Junior ROTC 9, 10, 11, and 12 courses offer four levels of instruction, which may fulfill either the NJ State PE requirement or CCTV requirement.

## PHYSICAL EDUCATION

Four levels of Physical education are offered in addition to Health (I, III, IV), Driver's Education, Unified PE, and Sports Medicine.

## NJSLA PREPARATION

Reading/Writing and Math courses are offered to prepare for the NJSLA exam.

## SPECIAL EDUCATION PROGRAM

Resource Center, Main Stream Program, Self-Contained Classes (SAVE), Practical Applications of Computer Tech.

## VOCATIONAL PROGRAM

A shared-time program with Gloucester County Institute of Technology is available for senior students.

## ATHLETIC PROGRAMS

Interscholastic programs are available for male and female students in grades 9-12. Delsea is a member of the Tri-County Conference.

### FALL

Tennis (girls)  
Soccer  
Cross Country  
Field Hockey  
Football

### WINTER

Wrestling  
Swimming/Diving  
Winter Track  
Weightlifting  
Basketball

### SPRING

Golf  
Tennis (boys)  
Track & Field  
Softball  
Baseball

*The Board of Education shall provide equal and bias-free access for all students to all school facilities, courses, programs and services, regardless of race, creed, color, national origin, ancestry, age, marital status, affectional or sexual orientation, gender, gender identity or expression, religion, disability or socioeconomic status. No qualified handicapped or disabled person shall, on the basis of handicap or disability, be excluded from participation in, be denied the benefits of, or be subjected to discrimination in activity or vocational opportunities sponsored by the Board of Education.*

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