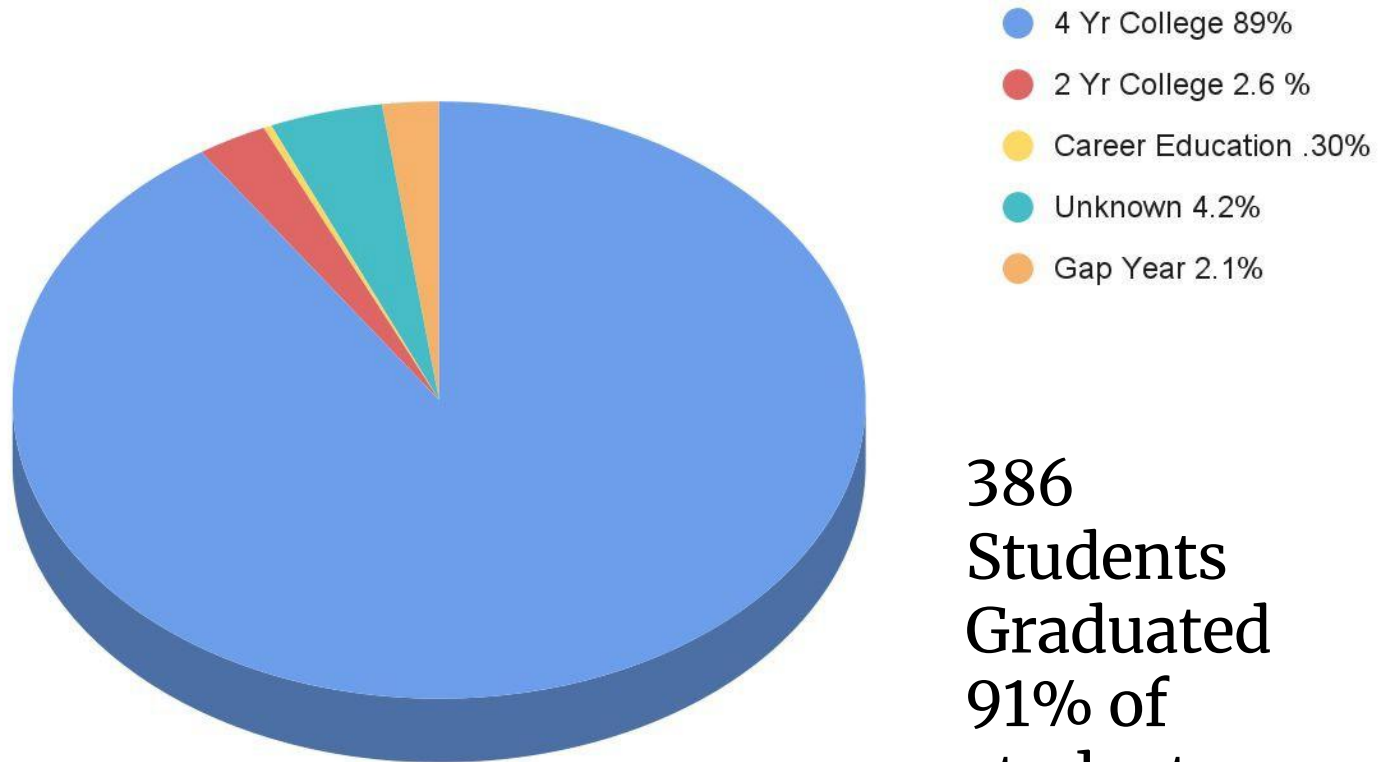




Portrait of an MHS Graduate

Presented by Cory Delgado
Director of School Counseling & Student Wellness
April 29, 2025

MHS Class of 2024 Snapshot



386
Students
Graduated
91% of
students are
continuing
with education

5 Years of Class Profiles

	2024	2023	2022	2021	2020
Graduating Class Size	386	409	374	423	399
Average GPA	90.47	90.79	90.6	90.6	90.2
Average PSAT	1211	1247	1225	1236	1228
Average SAT	1346	1358	1335	1344	1347
Average ACT	28	28	28	30	29
Number of College Apps Submitted	4281	5233	4653	4491	3714
Average Number of Apps per Student (based on 0-34 apps)	11.2	12.8	12.4	10.6	9.4
Percentage Accepted	42%	32%	32%	39%	43%

Data from Naviance & Genesis

2023-2024



CollegeBoard

Advanced Placement
Program

Advanced Placement Courses Offered 2023-2024

Art History

Biology

Calculus AB

Calculus BC

Calculus C

Chemistry

Computer Science A

English Lang. & Composition

English Lit & Composition

Environmental Science

French Language

German Language

AP Economics (Macro/Micro)

Physic 1

Physics C (Elec & Mag/Mechanics)

Spanish Language

Statistics

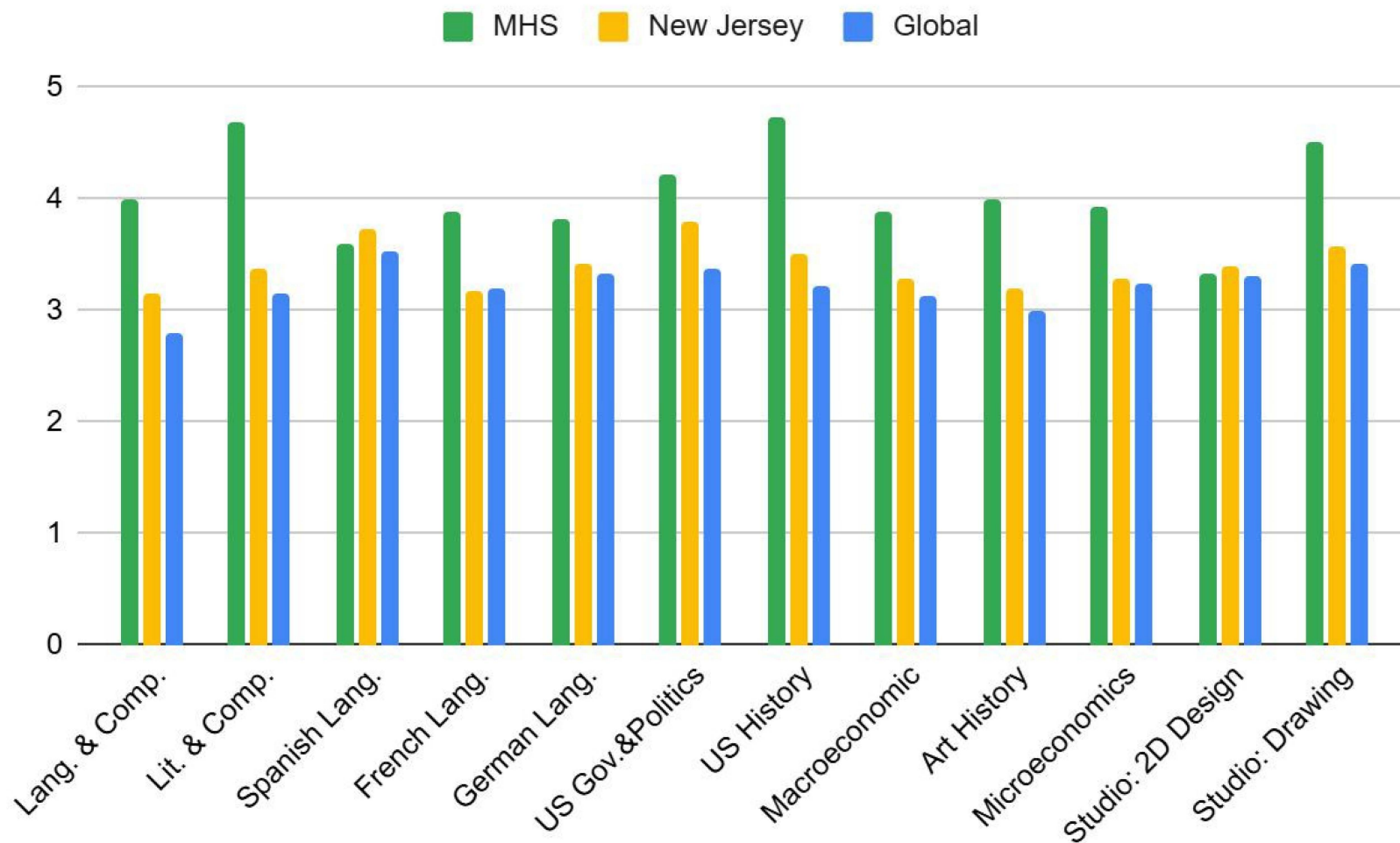
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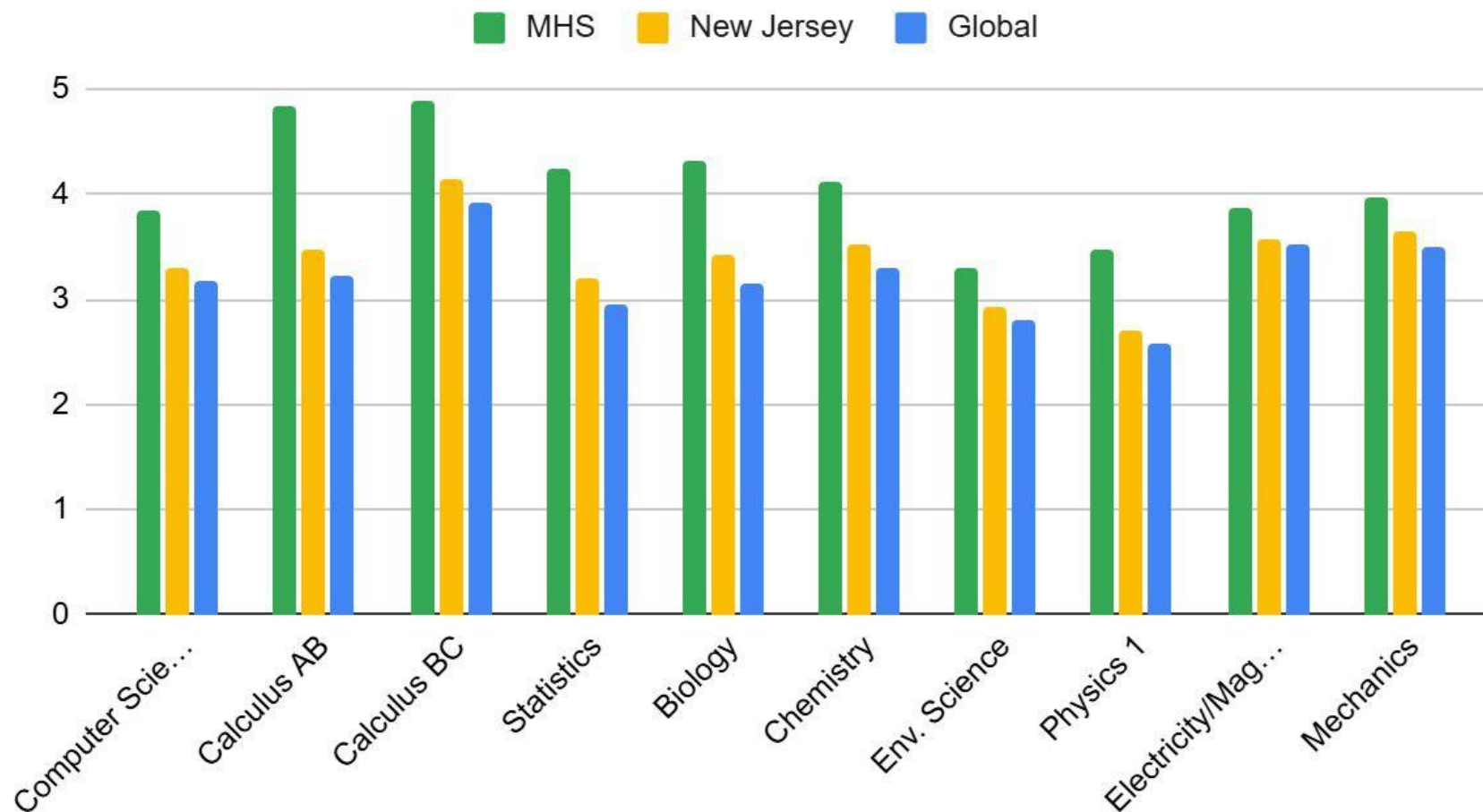
US Government & Politics

US History

2024 Advance Placement Mean Scores



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2023–2024



The SAT tests reasoning and verbal abilities and is designed to assess students' academic readiness for college.

Math– 800

Evidence-based Reading & Writing– 800

Class of 2024 SAT Scores (mean)



SAT Scores 2020-24

	2024	2023	2022	2021	2020
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Evidence Based Reading and Writing SAT Scores

MHS	648	661	647	640	647
NJ	531	538	543	562	541
Total Group	519	520	529	533	528

Math SAT Scores

MHS	669	677	669	660	673
NJ	519	528	537	563	540
Total Group	505	508	521	528	523

2023-2024



The ACT is an achievement test, measuring what a student has learned in school.

Composite Score- 36

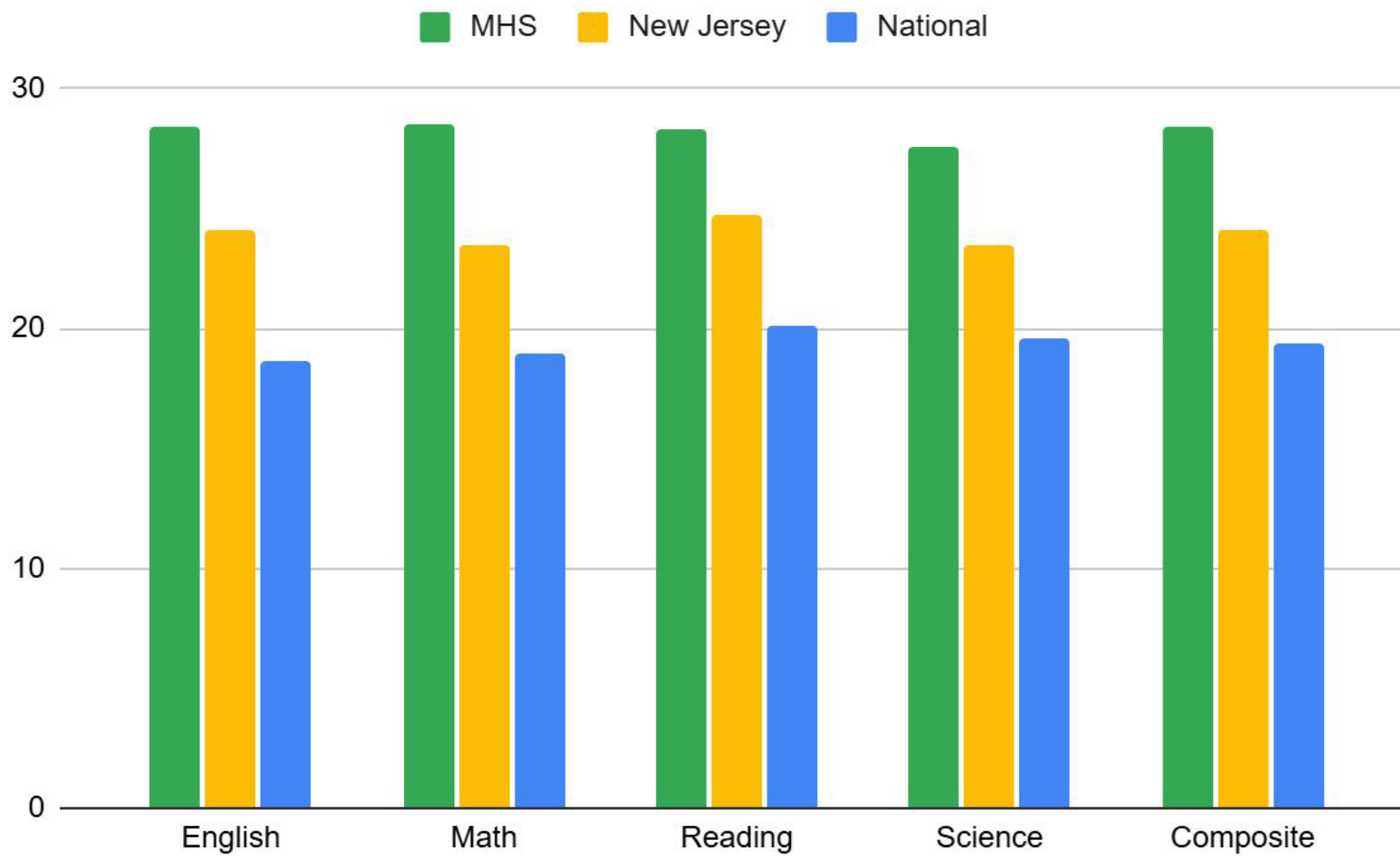
English

Math

Reading

Science

Class of 2024 Mean ACT Scores



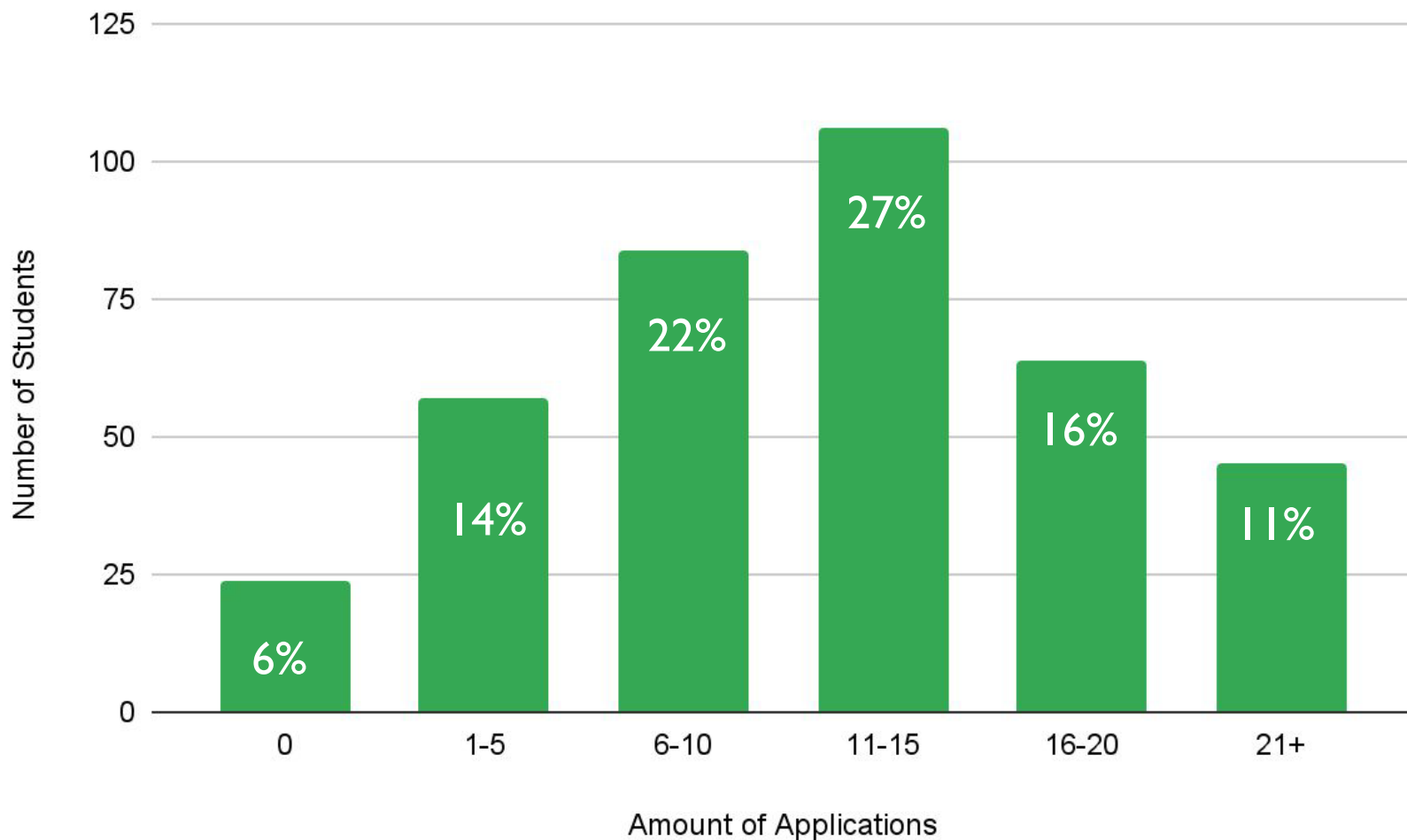
ACT Composite Scores 2020-24

	2024	2023	2022	2021	2020
MHS Composite	28.4	28.2	28.1	29.3	27.8
NJ Composite	24.1	24.4	24.6	25.1	24.4
National Composite	19.4	19.5	19.8	20.3	20.6

New Admissions Landscape

- **SAT/ACT Test Optional** - Contributed to increase in applicants. More selective schools are trending towards reinstating standardized test requirement.
- **Popularity of the Common Application** - large increase in applications, easy to apply and number of applications rose, more schools joined CA (Rutgers)
- **State/Public Universities** - continued increases overall, in-state tuition is less than private, students staying closer to home
- **Deferrals and Waitlists** - getting larger due to strong early applicants
- **International Applicants** - continues to increase, pay full tuition
- **Demonstrated Interest** - more important - ED and EA, college tours, online engagement is often tracked

College Applications per Student Class of 2024



Data from *Naviance*

Where Are We Applying - Top 15

College	Net Apply	Accept	% Accept	Attend	% Attend (Yield)
Rutgers University-New Brunswick	266	160	60%	68	43%
Northeastern University	115	41	36%	4	10%
Pennsylvania State University- Main Campus	119	84	71%	14	17%
The College of New Jersey	110	88	80%	21	24%
University of Maryland-College Park	106	25	24%	2	8%
University of Pittsburgh	100	76	76%	4	5%
Drexel University	85	69	81%	14	20%
New Jersey Institute of Technology	81	58	72%	2	3%
New York University	76	12	16%	6	50%
University of Michigan-Ann Arbor	72	7	10%	2	29%
Boston University	69	14	20%	1	7%
University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign	67	18	27%	4	22%
Purdue University-Main Campus	62	28	45%	8	29%
Georgia Institute of Technology	63	6	10%	2	33%
Cornell University	61	2	3%	1	50%

Where Are Students Going - Top 15

College	Attend
Rutgers University-New Brunswick	68
The College of New Jersey	21
Drexel University	14
Pennsylvania State University-Penn State Main	14
Indiana University-Bloomington	13
Rutgers University-Newark	11
Purdue University-Main Campus	8
New York University	6
Franklin and Marshall College	5
Rensselaer Polytechnic Institute	5
Rider University	5
University of Connecticut	4
University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign	4
Northeastern University	4
University of Pittsburgh-Pittsburgh Campus	4



- 77,000 First-year applications for Fall 2025 - Record Number
- 90% increase in applications over the past two years
- 50% decrease in acceptances overall
- MHS Class of 2024 - 60% acceptance
- 2025 - largest number of MHS applicants - 310

New for MHS

Career Exploration - Lunch and Learn Series

Guest speakers once a month for student career awareness

Enhancing College Prep Services

Access to free SAT/ACT Practice tests, college seminars and tutoring

Concurrent Enrollment - students are now participating

[Seton Hall Project Acceleration Link](#)

School Counseling Website

Enhanced with new resources [Counseling Website](#)

FAFSA Requirement

Must be completed as a NJ graduation requirement 2025



