



Dr. Brian Otott
Superintendent

FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE:

April 13, 2018

PCSD High Schools Named State AP Honor Schools for 2018

State Superintendent Richard Woods has named all five Paulding County School District high schools to the list of Advanced Placement (AP) Honor Schools for 2018. In a press release on April 12, 2018, Superintendent Woods announced that East Paulding High School, Hiram High School, North Paulding High School, Paulding County High School, and South Paulding High School all received honors in one or more AP categories.

The following is a list of the Paulding County schools and the AP categories where they were recognized:

AP Access and Support Schools: **Hiram High School** and **Paulding County High School**. These are schools with at least 30 percent of AP exams taken by students who identified themselves as African-American and/or Hispanic and 30 percent of all AP exams earning scores of 3 or higher. Statewide, 69 schools received this honor in 2018.

AP STEM Schools: **East Paulding High School, North Paulding High School, Paulding County High School, and South Paulding High School**. These are schools with students testing in at least two AP math courses and two AP science courses (AP Calculus AB, AP Calculus BC, AP Statistics, AP Biology, AP Chemistry, AP Environmental Science, AP Physics 1, AP Physics 2, AP Physics C, AP Computer Science A). Statewide, 213 schools received this honor in 2018.

AP STEM Achievement Schools: **East Paulding High School, Paulding County High School and South Paulding High School**. These are schools with students testing in at least two AP math courses and two AP science courses and at least 40 percent of exam scores on AP math and science exams earning scores of 3 or higher. Statewide, 146 schools received this honor in 2018.

AP Humanities Schools: **North Paulding High School and Paulding County High School**. These are schools with students testing in the following AP courses: at least one ELA course, two social sciences courses, one fine arts course and one world language course. Statewide, 134 schools received this honor in 2018.

“This recognition validates the outstanding work our schools are doing not just to offer a wide range of AP courses, but to ensure that students excel in those courses,” said Paulding County School District Superintendent Dr. Brian

PCSD AP HONOR SCHOOLS

East Paulding High School

2018 AP STEM Schools
2018 AP STEM Achievement Schools

Hiram High School

2018 AP Access and Support Schools

North Paulding High School

2018 AP STEM Schools
2018 AP Humanities Schools

Paulding County High School

2018 AP Access and Support Schools
2018 AP STEM Schools
2018 AP STEM Achievement Schools
2018 AP Humanities Schools

South Paulding High School

2018 AP STEM School
2018 AP STEM Achievement Schools

Otott. “I am very pleased that all of our high schools were recognized in at least one area, and I am proud of our AP teachers and students for meeting the high standards of excellence set by the state for these honors.”

More information about the 2018 Georgia Advanced Placement Honors Schools can be found here:

<http://www.gadoe.org/External-Affairs-and-Policy/communications/Pages/PressReleaseDetails.aspx?PressView=default&pid=604>

Press Inquiries Please Contact:

Paulding County School District Communications Office
communications@paulding.k12.ga.us
(770) 443-8000