

Numerous in-class and extra-curricular activities are available to encourage students to be involved and active in their community and the world around them.

CO-CURRICULAR

Art Club
Spanish Club
French Club
Masterminds
Yearbook
Technology Club
Drama Club
Student Council
Science Fair
Chamber Singers
Science Olympiad
All County Chorus and Band
National Honor Society

INTERSCHOLASTIC SPORTS

Fall

Cross Country
Soccer
Football
Field Hockey
Cheerleading

Winter

Indoor Track
Basketball
Wrestling
Volleyball

Spring

Outdoor Track
Softball
Baseball
Golf

District Mission

Our mission is to encourage growth of individual talent, confidence, and pride in an environment where each person can develop skills and attitudes to become a responsible, understanding, and productive member of a changing society.

Community

Cato Meridian Schools serve grades Pre-K-12 with a school population of 887 students. The district encompasses over 300 square miles in rural upstate New York, twenty-five miles west of Syracuse along State Rte 370.

1 Jr/Sr High School (7-12) 392 students

1 Elementary School (Pre-K-4) 495 students

Cato-Meridian Jr./Sr. High School Profile 2021-22

Cultivating Minds, Character, Skills



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High School Principal

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Class Profile

Current 2022 seniors:	59
2021 Graduates:	75
2021 Regents or Advanced Diplomas:	100%
College-bound:	69%
Four-year:	48%
Two-year:	20%
Military:	.04%
Employment:	27%
Mean SAT 2020-21:	1200

Grading Policy

Grades are based on a traditional 100-point system. Minimum passing grade is 65. Grades are due in 4 marking periods with the final exam computed as 1/5th, or approximately 20% of the final grade.

Honor roll:	85+ High
Honor roll	90+
Principal's High Honor	94+

Grade conversions would be as follows:

A =	90-100 ≈ 4.0
B =	80-89 ≈ 3.0
C =	70-79 ≈ 2.0
D =	65-69 ≈ 1.0
F =	64 & below

Curriculum

The school program is designed to address a variety of student needs, including college preparatory work and technical career training.

Honors: Honors English, Social Studies & Science; Accelerated study is available in Math and Science;

Advanced Placement: United States History, European History, Chemistry

Dual Enrollment Cayuga Community

College: College English 101& 102; Math 104 (College Algebra/Trig.), 106 (Pre-Calculus), 108 (Calculus) & 214 (Statistics); Spanish 101, 102, 201 & 202, French 101 & 102, 201 & 202 and Cayuga 101 Foundations for College Success.

Dual Enrollment Onondaga

Community College: Communications 210: Public Speaking.

Pre-Engineering credits through "Project Lead the Way" offered with RIT credit; college credit available in New Visions program in medical study.

Rank

We do rank students based upon overall weighted GPA, with a Valedictorian and Salutatorian named after 7 semesters. Advanced Regents courses are weighted 1.1; honors 1.15; college and AP 1.2; all weighted according to amount of credit.

NYS Graduation Requirements

Diploma:	Regents	Distinction
English	4 credits	4 credits
Social Studies	4 credits	4 credits
Science	3 credits	3 credits
Foreign Language	1 credit	3 credits
Art/Music	1 credit	1 credit
Health	.5 credit	.5 credit
Physical Education	2 credits	2 credits
Electives	3.5 credits	1.5 credits
Total	22	22

In addition to specific courses and credits, students in NYS need to pass Regents Exams in order to graduate.

Diploma:	Regents	Advanced Designation
English	1 exam	1 exam
Global Studies	1 exam	1 exam
US History	1 exam	1 exam
Science	1 exam	2 exams
Math	1 exam	3 exams
Foreign Language	N/A	1 exam*

Due to COVID, students were exempt from any exam associated with courses in the 2020 & 2021 school year if they passed and earned credit in the course.

Questions? (315) 626-3439