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AMERICA'S MOST CHALLENGING HIGH SCHOOLS

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Of the 22,000 high schools across the country, there are 1,900 schools on the America's Most Challenging High Schools list, the top 9 percent nationally.

According to the Washington Post criteria for America's Most Challenging High Schools, Eastview ranks in the top 3% in the country and as a top comprehensive high school in Minnesota.

<u>RANK</u>	<u>SCHOOL</u>	<u>CITY</u>	<u>STATE</u>	<u>E&E%</u>	<u>SUBS. LUNCH</u>	<u>INDEX</u>
1	Southwest	Minneapolis	MN	41.00	34.00	5.071
2	St. Louis Park	St. Louis Park	MN	58.00	33.00	4.355
3	Edina	Edina	MN	61.70	10.00	3.764
4	Central	St. Paul	MN	40.00	56.00	3.267
5	South	Minneapolis	MN	37.20	51.00	3.112
6	Eastview	Apple Valley	MN	57.50	14.00	2.666
7	Chaska	Chaska	MN	37.00	21.00	2.608
8	Chanhassen	Chanhassen	MN	40.00	7.00	2.594
9	Eden Prairie	Eden Prairie	MN	40.00	14.00	2.569
10	Armstrong	Plymouth	MN			2.556

America's Most Challenging High Schools ranks schools through an index formula that's a simple ratio: the number of Advanced Placement, International Baccalaureate and Advanced International Certificate of Education tests given at a school each year, divided by the number of seniors who graduated that year. A ratio of 1.000 means the school had as many tests as graduates.

The index score is the number of college-level tests given at a school in 2012 divided by the number of graduates that year. Also noted are the percentage of students who come from families that qualify for lunch subsidies (Subs. lunch) and the percentage of graduates who passed at least one college-level test during their high school career, called equity and excellence, (E&E). A (P) next to the school's name denotes a private school.



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