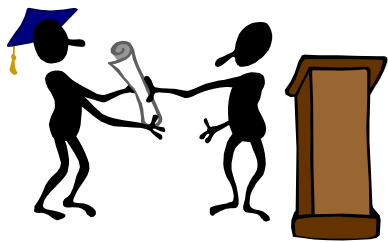
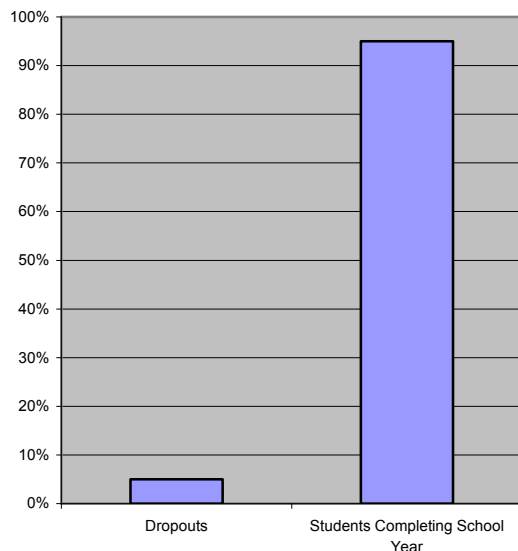


## 2008 Graduation Results

Graduates	240
NC Academic Scholars	37
National Honor Society Members	52
Vocational and Technical Honor Society Members	58



High School Completion Rate



## 4.0 Grading Scale

A = 93-100  
B = 85-92  
C = 77-84  
D = 70-76  
F = 69 and below

General Classes  
A = 4 Quality Points

Advanced/Honors Classes  
A = 5 Quality Points

Advanced Placement (AP) Classes  
A = 6 Quality Points

Environmental Science  
Spanish  
U.S. History  
French  
English Composition  
English Literature  
Biology  
Calculus  
Statistics  
Physics



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## Tuscola High



**Dale McDonald**  
**Principal**

“Our mission is to achieve student success through focusing on the whole child as a lifelong learner.”

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- **Jason Heinz, Asst. Principal**
- **Pamela Justice, Ed.D, Asst. Principal**
- **Wendy Rogers, Asst. Principal**

**H**aywood County School System is the largest school system west of Buncombe County. It is comprised of nine elementary schools, three middle schools, and three high schools.

The total enrollment for the system is 7848. Tuscola has over eleven hundred students enrolled. Tuscola is located in the Great Smokey Mountains, about 25 miles west of Asheville, NC.

Tuscola High school has a traditional seven period day schedule. Classes meet for fifty minutes and credits are awarded at the end of the academic year. Tuscola is accredited by the Southern Association of Colleges and Schools.

Athletic teams compete in the 3A Mountain Athletic Conference. Numerous athletic opportunities are available to students.

## N.C. Graduation Requirements

Students must complete a Course of Study in order to get a high school diploma. North Carolina offers 4 Courses of Study which are College/University, College/Tech Prep, Career

### Tuscola High School Graduation Requirements 4 - Year College Bound Seniors

- 4 English Credits
- 4 Math Credits (Shall be Algebra I, Algebra II, Geometry, and a higher level course for which Algebra II is a prerequisite and one must be successfully completed in the senior year)
- 3 Social Studies Credits (U.S. History, World History, Civics and Economics)
- 3 Science Credits (Earth/Environmental, Biology, and a physical science)
- 2 Foreign Language Credits in either French or Spanish
- 1 Health and PE Credit
- 7 Elective Credits
- 24 Total Credits



Students must also pass:

- North Carolina Competency Test of Reading
- North Carolina Competency Test of Mathematics
- Performance Computer Competency Test
- Multiple Choice Computer Competency Test
- Students must also complete a graduation project

## 2008 Anticipated Status of Graduates

Status	% Of Students
Public University	24%
Private University	5%
Community College	24%
Private Jr. College	0%
Military	1%
Employment	7%
Other	10%

### SAT Scores

2007-2008	Verbal	Math
Tuscola	519	563
NC	496	511
National	502	515
2006-2007	Verbal	Math
Tuscola	512	536
NC	495	495
National	502	502
2005-2006	Verbal	Math
Tuscola	506	541
NC	501	504
National	508	539

### PSAT/NMSQT

2007-2008

1 National Merit Finalist

2006-2007

1 National Merit Semi-Finalist  
2 Letters of Commendation

2005-2006

1 National Merit Semi-Finalist

