

# West Ridge Community Area 2024 Snapshot



## 9th Grade Enrollment

803

first-time 9th graders from West Ridge enrolled in a CPS high school in 2023–2024.

### In which high schools do West Ridge's 2023–2024 9th graders enroll?

High School	Number of 9th Graders	Percentage of 9th Graders	High School Type
Mather	255	32%	Neighborhood
Senn	101	13%	Neighborhood
Von Steuben	70	9%	Citywide
Lane Tech	61	8%	Selective enrollment
Chi Itnl Northtown	59	7%	Charter
Other High Schools	257	32%	

### How do I use this dataset?

This report provides a snapshot of important milestones on the path to college completion for students from West Ridge. The report can be a starting place to ask deeper questions about West Ridge's data, like:

- What are the current milestone rates? How do these rates differ for different student groups?
- How have trends in these milestones changed overtime? What historical context and factors may have affected these rates?
- What additional context about student experiences can help me better understand these milestone rates?

Take a deeper dive into the data at <https://toandthrough.uchicago.edu/tool/>

## High School Graduation

87%

of 2020–2021 first-time 9th graders from West Ridge graduated high school by spring of 2024.

### How has the High School Graduation rate for students from West Ridge changed over time?



## College Enrollment



of 2024 high school graduates from West Ridge enrolled in college in fall of 2024.

### In which colleges did 2024 CPS graduates from West Ridge enroll?

	Graduates Enrolled	URM Grad Rate	IGR	Institution Type
University of Illinois Chicago	90	53%	62%	4 year
Northeastern Illinois University	46	17%	22%	4 year
University of Illinois Urbana-Champaign	43	74%	85%	4 year
Loyola University Chicago	35	70%	73%	4 year
City Colleges of Chicago-Harry S Truman College	34	30%	32%	2 year

URM = underrepresented minority, IGR = institutional graduation rate

### How has the College Enrollment rate for students from West Ridge changed over time?

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This happens when, in two or more of the most recent five years, data was not available or there were fewer than 10 students in a group.

## College Persistence



of 2023 immediate enrollees from West Ridge were enrolled in the fall of 2024.

### Where are 2023 CPS graduates from West Ridge after 4 semesters?

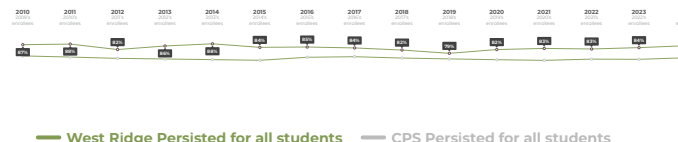
**2-year enrollees**  
2023 Immediate Enrollees from West Ridge

3% transferred to 4-year college  
68% remained in a 2-year college  
29% did not persist

**4-year enrollees**  
2023 Immediate Enrollees from West Ridge

85% remained in a 4-year college  
5% transferred to a 2-year college  
10% did not persist

### How has the College Persistence rate for students from West Ridge changed over time?



## College Completion



of 2018 immediate enrollees from West Ridge completed a degree or credential by spring of 2024.

### What credentials did 2018 CPS graduates from West Ridge complete and how did college completion from West Ridge compare to completion across CPS?

#### College Completion by 2024

2018 Immediate Enrollees from West Ridge  
51% completed bachelor's degree  
9% completed associate degree or certificate  
40% did not complete college

#### College Completion by 2024

2018 Immediate Enrollees from CPS  
38% completed bachelor's degree  
10% completed associate degree or certificate  
52% did not complete college

### How has the College Completion rate for students from West Ridge changed over time?

