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Homestead Student Earns Perfect Score on ACT

Junior Sam Griswold Scores 36 Out of 36

MEQUON, Wis. — Homestead High School junior Sam Griswold scored a perfect 36 on the ACT exam. The ACT is a national college entrance exam that tests in the areas of English, reading, math, and science. Griswold took the test in December.

Nationally, one-tenth of one percent of students who take the ACT earn the top score. In 2017, fewer than 3,000 students from a group of over 2 million earned a composite score of 36.

“We are immensely proud of Sam and this rare achievement,” said Principal Brett Bowers. “Throughout his time at Homestead, Sam has remained a focused and dedicated student. Just as importantly, he has been a positive contributor to the culture and community of our school. He is both a distinguished student and a great young man.”

Griswold is involved in Kids for Kids, Best Buddies, Student Council, and Model UN, and is enrolled in several advanced placement courses.

“I attribute my success on the ACT to the classes I have taken at Homestead,” said Griswold. “We do a fair amount of work in class that teaches us how to break down and analyze a problem, which is a skill that has apparently served me well. Along with that, I did some practice in an ACT prep book and tried my best during the test.”

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