



# ACADEMIC PROGRAM

Looking for something different? Like thinking outside the box? Enjoy hands-on experiences? Then the rigorous and rewarding academic program at MSSM may be the right fit for you! MSSM courses offer motivated students such as you an academic challenge, encouraging you to learn beyond your perceived limits.

MSSM gives the gifted a peer group



# STUDENT ACTIVITIES

- » Key Club
- » Student Senate
- » Math Team
- » Admission Ambassadors
- » Prom Comm
- » SeaPerch
- » Athletics
- » Rocket Club
- » VEX Robotics
- » Orchestra
- » Chorus
- » Jazz Band

## J-Term

is an innovative ten-day program providing students the opportunity to focus on a particular course or project through on-campus courses, organized trips or internships.

## Students can earn college credit

through agreements with learning institutions such as the University of Maine at Presque Isle, the University of New England and more.

## Unique and advantageous partnerships

exist between MSSM and some of Maine's finest research institutions, including the Jackson Laboratory.

## Excellent academic support

by providing students with an academic and residential advisor whom they meet with regularly.

## Classes are small

with an average size of twelve students, which facilitates an exceptional degree of faculty-student interaction.

## Engaging and knowledgeable faculty

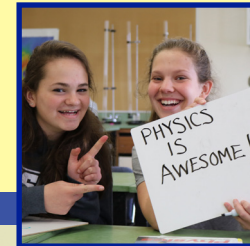
who are specialists in their fields and enthusiastically disseminate information and challenge students to explore the world.

## Prepares students for future studies and for life

by imparting the importance of time management, organization, critical thinking and inquisitiveness, while emphasizing the need to be a positive contributor to the community.



# COURSE EXAMPLES



- » Differential Equations
- » Machine Learning
- » Quantum Mechanics
- » Chinese, French, Spanish
- » Linear Algebra
- » Aquatic Fitness
- » Creative Robotics
- » 3D Rendering & Animation
- » Basic Design in Drawing
- » Complex Analysis
- » Astronomy
- » Applied Genetics & Biotechnology
- » String Ensemble
- » AP Chemistry
- » Religious Genome in Western Lit
- » Accelerated Advanced Math
- » AP Physics
- » Anthropology
- » U.S. History
- » Microeconomics



# STUDENT LIFE



At MSSM you'll find a small, close-knit residential community where students are comfortable being themselves. Lifelong friendships are formed, and the residential life staff is committed to creating a warm, safe, and positive environment.

## The Dormitory

is spacious and bright with high ceilings and large windows. There are convenient laundry facilities and comfortable lounge areas as well as an attached gymnasium and a fitness room.

## Monthly Extended Weekends

offer students from around the state, who are often a long way from home, the opportunity to reconnect with their families and communities.

## Northern Location Promotes Immersive Experience

by offering a safe place where students can grow, both academically and socially, and become an integral part of the academic and residential communities.

## Physical Activity

is encouraged and the school provides a variety of on and off campus events such as biking and skiing. In addition, students are able to participate in varsity and intramural athletics.

## Off-Campus Trips

are planned regularly by the Residential Life Staff. They include local trips such as ice skating, movie nights, skiing in Mars Hill, as well as longer trips to places such as hiking Mt. Katahdin.

## MSSM STUDENTS are...

- » Curious
- » Highly motivated
- » High achievers
- » Looking to be challenged
- » Emotionally prepared for dorm life
- » Risk takers







### ADMISSION EVENTS & CAMPUS VISITS

MSSM hosts open houses during its school year and they usually fall on public school holidays. Attending an open house gives you the opportunity to see the campus, visit classes, schedule an interview, and ask questions in a community panel. Come see how the 2nd best high school in America changes lives.

Visit [www.mssm.org](http://www.mssm.org) to register for an Open House.  
Oct 13 & 14, 2019 - Nov 10 & 11, 2019 - Jan 19 & 20, 2020

### TUITION & FINANCIAL AID

MSSM is **tuition-free** for Maine residents, who are responsible for paying room & board fees. Financial Aid is available by applying online. Please contact us at [FinancialAid@mssm.org](mailto:FinancialAid@mssm.org) for more information or visit [www.mssm.org](http://www.mssm.org).

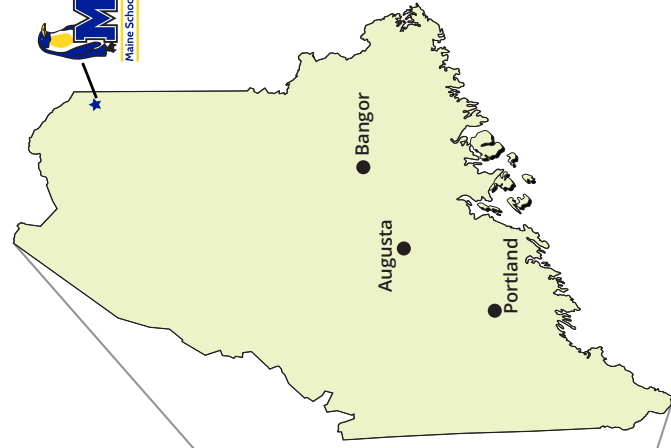
MSSM is a haven for the motivated & exceptional

#### Where do MSSM students attend college?

- M.I.T.
- Bowdoin
- Johns Hopkins University
- University of New England
- Carnegie Mellon University
- Worcester Polytechnic Institute
- CalTech
- Boston College
- Northwestern
- University of Maine
- Florida Institute of Technology
- Smith College
- Tufts University
- Wellesley College
- Colby

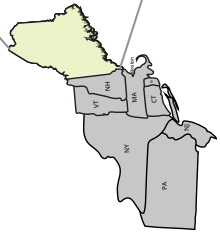
#### Our MSSM graduates pursue a variety of careers...

- Engineering
- Programming
- Entrepreneurship
- Scientist
- Teacher

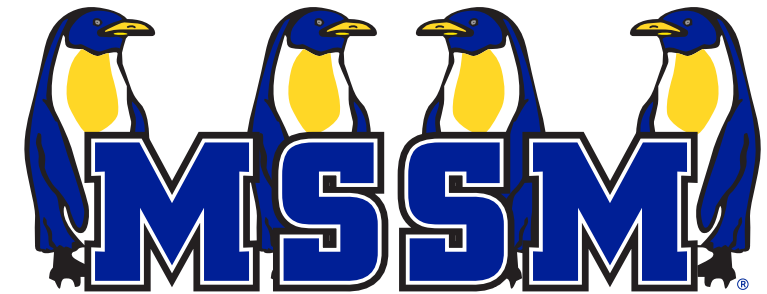


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is in the northeast of the U.S.

Located in Limestone, Maine  
in beautiful  
**Aroostook County**



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## Ranked #2 Best High School in the Nation