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# Post-Secondary Outcomes 2024

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# The State of Admissions: 2024



# Factors in Admissions Decisions

high school grades  
strength of curriculum  
positive character attributes  
the essay or writing sample  
the interview  
work  
extracurricular activities  
recommendations  
student's demonstrated interest



# MLHS College Application Data

	2024		2023		2022		2021	
Post-Secondary Plans	# of Students	Percent	# of Students	Percent	# of Students	Percent	# of Students	Percent
4-Year College	131	86.8%	154	91.7%	172	89.6%	166	89.7%
2-Year College	12	8%	5	3%	11	5.7%	10	5.4%
Employment	3	2%	4	2.4%	5	2.6%	5	2.7%
Technical School	3	2%	1	< 1%	1	< 1%	1	< 1%
Military	1	< 1%	0	N/A	0	N/A	1	< 1%
Gap Year, Other	1	< 1%	4	2.4%	3	1.6%	2	1.1%
	<b>151</b>		<b>168</b>		<b>192</b>		<b>185</b>	

# MLHS Application & Acceptance Data

	2024	2023	2022	2021
Applications Submitted	1333	1511	1645	1504
Avg. Applications per Student	9	11	9	8
Total Acceptances	662	805	871	858
Overall Acceptance Rate	50%	53%	53%	57%

# Acceptance Data, Cont.



## Ivy League

- 13 acceptances (Brown, Columbia, Cornell, Dartmouth, Harvard, Princeton, University of Pennsylvania) 12 enrollments

## Hidden Ivies

- 66 acceptances
- Boston College, Duke, Notre Dame, Tufts, Villanova; see a full list [here](#).

## Public Ivies

- 153 acceptances
- Universities of Florida, Georgia, Indiana, Maryland, and Virginia, see a full list [here](#).

## Honors College Acceptances:

Alabama, Clemson, Lehigh, Northeastern, Richmond, Rutgers, Wisconsin, and more!

# Most Applied vs. Enrolled

## Most Applied to:

- Rutgers University-New Brunswick (57)
- Northeastern University (34)
- Clemson University (28)
- University of Michigan (27)
- Pennsylvania State University (26)
- University of South Carolina-Columbia (26)
- Villanova University (25)
- University of Pittsburgh (21)
- University of Virginia (21)
- University of Delaware (20)
- University of Maryland (20)
- Indiana University-Bloomington (19)
- Cornell University (18)

## Most Enrolled:

- County College of Morris (11)
- Rutgers University-New Brunswick (8)
- Northeastern University (6)
- Lehigh University (4)
- Indiana University-Bloomington (3)
- University of Pennsylvania (3)
- University of Richmond (3)
- University of Tampa (3)
- Boston College, Cornell University, Harvard University, Princeton University, University of Florida, University of Virginia & 16 other universities (2)





# Early Decision

- 61 students applied ED I (40%)
  - 42 students were accepted ED I (69%)
  - 3 student was deferred (5%)
  - 16 students were denied (26%)
- 9 students applied ED II (6%)
  - 2 were accepted (22%)
  - 1 was waitlisted (11%)
  - 6 were denied (66%)



# Early Decision Applications

Early Decision Apps	2024
<b>Applications Submitted</b>	<b>61</b>
<b>Total Acceptances</b>	<b>42</b>
<b>Overall Acceptance Rate</b>	<b>69%</b>

## EARLY DECISION ACCEPTANCES

Boston College  
Boston University  
Brown University  
Bryant University  
Coastal Carolina University  
College of the Holy Cross  
Cornell University  
Drew University  
Duke University  
Emory University  
Gettysburg College  
High Point University  
Lehigh University  
Nazareth University  
New York University  
Northeastern University  
Providence College

Rensselaer Polytechnic Institute  
Rollins College  
Sacred Heart University  
Springfield College  
Stevens Institute of Technology  
Syracuse University  
The College of New Jersey  
The College of Wooster  
The George Washington Univ  
Tufts University  
University of Lynchburg  
University of Miami  
University of Pennsylvania  
University of Richmond  
University of Virginia  
Vassar College  
Worcester Polytechnic Institute

# Athletics

## NCAA Division I

7 students

*Football, Lacrosse, Rowing*

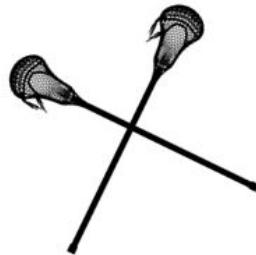
## NCAA Division II

0 students

## NCAA Division III

11 students

*Cross Country/Track & Field,  
Field Hockey, Football, Lacrosse,  
Rowing, Soccer*



# Athletics (Cont)



	2024	2023	2022	2021
<b>NCAA DI</b>	7	4	10	6
<b>NCAA DII</b>	0	1	0	0
<b>NCAA DIII</b>	11	6	19	14
<b>NJCAA</b>	0	0	1	0
<b>Total</b>	<b>18</b>	<b>11</b>	<b>30</b>	<b>20</b>

# Intended Major/Career

Accounting	Data Science & Comp. Engineering	International Affairs & Business
Acting	Design	International Economics
Aeronautical Science	Diesel Mechanics	Journalism and Digital Media
Aerospace Engineering	Digital Media/Business	Management/Marketing
Animal Science	Early Childhood Education	Marine Science
Animation	Economics	Marketing
Architecture	Electrical Engineering	Mathematics
Astrophysics	Engineering	Mechanical Engineering
Automotive Tech	English	Music
Behavioral Neuroscience	Environmental and Business	Neuroscience
Biology	Economics	Nursing
Biomedical Engineering	Environmental Science	Operations Research & Financial Engin.
Business Administration	Finance	Philosophy
Business Management	Game Development	Physician Assistant
Business Marketing	Government/Public Policy	Political Science
Chemistry	Health Sciences	Politics, Philosophy, Economics and Law
Child Development	Hospitality and Tourism	Pre-Med/Medicine/Health Science
Communications	Humanities	Psychology
Computer Science	Industrial Design	Radiography
Creative Writing	Instrumental Performance	Sports Management
Culinary Science	Integrative & Practiced Medicine	Supply Chain Management & Logistics

# College Destinations: Class of 2024



Auburn University  
Boston College  
Boston University  
Brigham Young University  
Brown University  
Bryant University  
Clemson University  
Coastal Carolina University  
College of the Holy Cross  
Columbia University  
Cornell University  
County College of Morris  
Dartmouth College  
Duke University  
Eckerd College

Embry-Riddle Aeronautical University  
Emory University  
Fairfield University  
Florida Gulf Coast University  
Florida State University  
Fordham University  
Gettysburg College  
Hamilton College  
Harvard University  
High Point University  
Indiana University-Bloomington  
Istituto Marangoni, Milano  
Jacksonville University  
Kenyon College  
L3Harris Flight Academy

Lehigh University  
Lincoln Technical Institute  
Monmouth University  
Montclair State University  
Nazareth University  
New Jersey Institute of Technology  
New York University  
Northeastern University  
Ohio State University  
Pace University  
Pennsylvania State University  
Princeton University  
Providence College  
Rensselaer Polytechnic Institute  
Rhodes College

# College Destinations: Class of 2024



Rollins College  
Rutgers University-New Brunswick  
Rutgers University-Newark  
Sacred Heart University  
School of Visual Arts  
Seton Hall University  
Smith College  
South Dakota School of Mines & Tech  
Springfield College  
Stevens Institute of Technology  
SUNY at Purchase College  
Syracuse University  
The College of New Jersey  
The College of Wooster  
The George Washington University

The Royal Conservatory of Music  
The University of British Columbia  
The University of Tampa  
Tufts University  
University at Albany, SUNY  
University of Arizona  
University of Colorado Boulder  
University of Delaware  
University of Florida  
University of Hawaii at Manoa  
University of Illinois  
University of Lynchburg  
University of Maryland-College Park  
University of Miami  
University of Michigan-Ann Arbor

University of Notre Dame  
University of Oregon  
University of Pennsylvania  
University of Pittsburgh  
University of Rhode Island  
University of Richmond  
University of South Carolina  
University of South Florida  
University of Virginia  
University of Wisconsin-Madison  
Vassar College  
Virginia Tech  
Widener University  
Worcester Polytechnic Institute