



PROFILE 2024-2025 BARNSTABLE HIGH SCHOOL

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WEIGHTED GPA & ACADEMIC STANDING REPORTED ON DECILE

Weighted GPA is calculated on a 4.0 scale, awarding an additional 0.5 point to every honors level course and an 1.0 point to every AP level and Dual Enrollment course.

A+, A, A- 4.0 | B+, B, B- 3.0

C+, C, C- 2.0 | D+, D, D-, 1.0 | F 0

Barnstable is accredited by the Massachusetts Department of Elementary and Secondary Education and by the New England Association of Schools and Colleges. Calendar year runs September – June. Student are scheduled for seven classes with four marking periods.

Course Placement Philosophy

A core value at BHS is that all students are appropriately challenged and supported both in terms of the work in individual classes and more broadly across a student's schedule. As students consider their course load, we support them in finding an appropriate level of stretch and balance within their classes.

Dual Enrollment

BHS offers dual enrollment courses in partnership with local colleges and universities, providing students with the opportunity to earn both high school and college credit credits simultaneously. Each dual enrollment course completed with a passing grade is awarded high school credit. A three credit college course is equivalent to one high school credit. The Dual Enrollment courses are weighted at the same academic level as AP.

Advanced Placement (AP) Courses

BHS offers an extensive selection of 26 Advanced Placement (AP) courses across various disciplines. To receive the AP designation on their transcript, students are required to complete the corresponding AP exam. Students can enroll in an AP course as early as the 9th grade, if they meet the necessary prerequisites.

Seal of Biliteracy

The State Seal of Biliteracy is an award provided by state approved districts that recognizes high school graduates who attain high functional and academic levels of proficiency in English and a world language in recognition of having studied and attained proficiency in two or more languages by high school graduation.

QUICK FACTS: Grades Served 8-12 | Total Enrollment 1800 | Senior Class 333

STUDENT DEMOGRAPHIC

First Language not English – **33.6%**

English Language Learners – **17.6%**

Low Income – **53.5%**

Student With Disabilities – **16.7%**

African American – **10.5%**

Asian – **1.8%**

Hispanic/Latinx – **29.7%**

Native American – **0.6%**

White – **51.5%**

Native Hawaiian, Pacific Islander – **0.1%**

Multi-Race, Non-Hispanic – **5.9%**

CLASS OF 2024

- Four Year College – 51%
- Two Year College/Tech School – 19%
- Military – 3%
- Employed – 20%

GRADUATION REQUIREMENTS

- English – 4 Credits
 - History/Social Sciences – 3 Credits (Including World, U.S. History I & II)
 - Mathematics – 4 Credits (through Algebra II)
 - Science – 3 Credits (all lab-based)
 - World Language – 2 Credits (same language)
 - Arts – 1 Credit
- TOTAL CREDITS 22 CREDITS**

ACADEMIC LEVELS

Program of Studies

- Advanced Placement (AP)
- Honors (H)
- College Preparatory (CP)
- Standard/Basic

Advanced Placement (AP) Courses Offered

- African American Studies
- Biology
- Calculus AB
- Calculus BC
- Chemistry
- Chinese Lang. and Culture
- Computer Science A
- Computer Science Principles
- Economics: Macro and Micro
- English Language & Composition
- English Literature & Composition
- Environmental Science
- European History
- French Language and Culture
- Human Geography
- Latin:Vergil
- Physics 1
- Physics 2
- Pre-Calculus
- Psychology
- Spanish Lang. and Culture
- Statistics
- Studio Art: Drawing 2D
- United States Government
- United States History
- World History

Class of 2024 Matriculation

(bold indicates more than one student attending)

Anna Maria College

Babson College

Bentley University

Bridgewater State University

Bunker Hill Community College

Carnegie Mellon University

Cape Cod Community College

Colgate University

College for Creative Studies

College of Charleston

College of the Holy Cross

Cornell University

Curry College

Dickinson College

Elon University

Emmanuel College

Endicott College

Fairfield University

Fitchburg State University

Florida Atlantic University

Florida South Western University

Framingham State University

Howard University

Indiana University in Bloomington

Johnson & Wales University

Keene State College

Lake Forest College

Lesley University

Massachusetts Maritime Academy

Massachusetts College of Art & Design

Merrimack College

New York University

Northeastern University

Norwich University

Parsons School of Design | The New School

Penn State University

Plymouth State University

Pratt Institute

Providence College

Purdue University

Quinnipiac University

Rivier University

Roger Williams University

Sacred Heart University

Saint Anselm College

Salem State University

San Diego State University

Springfield College

Stonehill College

Suffolk University

Syracuse University

The University of Maryland

United States Naval Academy

University College Dublin

University for the Creative Arts

University of California Santa Barbara

University of Colorado, Boulder

University of Maine

University of Massachusetts, Amherst

University of Massachusetts, Boston

University of Massachusetts, Dartmouth

University of Massachusetts, Lowell

University of Montana

University of New England

University of New Hampshire

University of North Carolina, Charlotte

University of Rochester

University of Tampa

University of Vermont

Wentworth Institute of Technology

Westfield State University

Worcester Polytechnic Institute

Worcester State University

Yale University