



Suffield High School Profile 2025-2026



Home of the Wildcats

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THE SCHOOL

Suffield High School is a four-year comprehensive high school offering curricular and co-curricular programs to approximately 640 students in grades 9 – 12. Accredited by the New England Association of Schools and Colleges and the Connecticut State Department of Education, the high school offers an extensive variety of courses to prepare students for a wide range of college and career opportunities. The high school is also the site of a regional Agriscience Center which provides a unique and exciting educational opportunity for our students, as well as students from surrounding towns. Suffield High School takes pride in its fine record of student achievement and ambitious academic standards. Our graduates continue to be accepted at an impressive variety of competitive institutions of higher education and perform well when they get there. A state-of-the-art facility offers our students a first class environment in which to grow and learn.

Administration

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Dr. Laura Norbut
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Dr. Diana Kelley
Director of Special Services
Anthony Hibbert
Principal
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Assistant Principal
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THE COMMUNITY

The town of Suffield covers an area of 43.1 square miles and is located within commuting distance of Hartford, CT to the south and Springfield, MA to the north. Suffield is a picturesque town with an historic main street leading to diverse residential, commercial, industrial, and agricultural areas. With a population of 13,000, composed largely of professional and junior executive families, Suffield is a most desirable place to live and raise a family.

REGIONAL AGRISCIENCE PROGRAM

Education in agriculture is provided to students from ten area towns by cooperative agreement between the Suffield School System, the cooperating school system and the State Department of Education. The Agriscience program is designed to assist in exploring career opportunities in agriscience and agribusiness. Upon graduation students may be prepared for direct job placement or be better prepared for further education. Today's high-tech agriculture includes: biogenetics, agricultural sales, forestry, aquaculture, equine management, veterinary science, and business management, as well as the traditional plant and animal production careers and many more. A modern Agri-Science facility, funded by the State of Connecticut, includes: five classrooms, a three section greenhouse, a plant laboratory, an animal laboratory and grooming facility, an aquatics laboratory, an agricultural mechanics shop, a food science facility and a large animal facility. A 75 acre forest and nature land laboratory is nearby. A twenty-six passenger bus provides transportation to area agricultural businesses and farms for "hands-on" agricultural experience. This program is designed to serve the agricultural educational needs of students in grades 9 – 12 from the towns of Suffield, Avon, Canton, East Granby, East Windsor, Enfield, Granby, Hartford, Hartland, Simsbury and Windsor Locks.

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"Portrait of a Graduate"

Suffield Public Schools' adoption of the Portrait of the Graduate acknowledges that in our rapidly changing world, education needs to evolve to fulfill our mission of supporting student success in school and in life. Our Portrait of a Graduate prioritizes the development of skills that will empower students to be productive citizens of a global community and successful in the workforce of the future.

GPA/QPA

The Quality Point Average (QPA) is what determines a student's decile rank. The final grade for each course is averaged to determine the QPA. The final QPA for seniors is calculated at mid-year. All courses given credit and numerical grades are included with a few exceptions; please refer to Board of Education Policy number 6146.1 for full explanation of exceptions. Transfer credits will be designated as a "T" on the transcript.

Grade	Description	GPA	QPA (A)	Honors Added Value	QPA (H)	AP/EC E Added Value	QPA (AP/ECE)
A+	96.5-100	4.3	4.3	0.43	4.73	0.86	5.16
A	92.5-96.4	4	4	0.4	4.4	0.8	4.8
A-	89.5-92.4	3.7	3.7	0.37	4.07	0.74	4.44
B+	86.5-89.4	3.3	3.3	0.33	3.63	0.66	3.96
B	82.5-86.4	3	3	0.3	3.3	0.6	3.6
B-	79.5-82.4	2.7	2.7	0.27	2.97	0.54	3.24
C+	76.5-79.4	2.3	2.3	0.23	2.53	0.46	2.76
C	72.5-76.4	2	2	0.2	2.2	0.4	2.4
C-	69.5-72.4	1.7	1.7	0.17	1.87	0.34	2.04
D+	66.5-69.4	1.3	1.3	0.13	1.43	0.26	1.56
D	62.5-66.4	1	1	0.1	1.1	0.2	1.2
D-	59.5-62.4	0.7	0.7	0.07	0.77	0.14	0.84
F	0-59.4	0	0	0	0	0	0

Graduation Requirements

25 credits in the following areas:

- 9 Credits in Humanities
- 4 credits in English
- 3 credits in Social Studies, including (1) credit in Civics
- 1 credit in the Arts
- 1 credit in Humanities Electives including (.5) credit in Personal Finance beginning with class of 2027
- 9 Credits in STEM
- 4 credits in Math
- 3 credits in Science
- 2 credits in STEM electives
- 2 Credits in Career and Life Skills
- 1 credit in Physical Education
- 1 credit in Life Education (Health)
- 1 Credit in World Languages
- 4 Credits in Additional Electives

Suffield High School Class Profile- Class of 2025

AP Scores May 2025

Of the 169 students who sat for 294 Advanced Placement Examinations, 85% scored a 3 or better.

Exam	1	2	3	4	5	3 or Better %
Biology	1	4	7	4	5	76%
AP Calculus AB	0	1	1	8	4	93%
AP Calculus BC	1	2	1	4	6	79%
Chemistry	0	3	10	11	3	89%
English Language	0	2	18	14	1	92%
English Literature	1	0	8	7	4	95%
French Language	1	0	1	3	1	83%
Human Geography	0	2	3	5	9	90%
Macroeconomics	1	3	4	2	0	60%
Microeconomics	2	5	2	1	0	30%
Physics I	0	3	1	3	3	70%
Psychology	2	2	7	16	13	90%
Spanish Language	0	1	1	0	0	50%
Statistics	2	5	11	5	7	82%
US Gov & Politics	0	0	4	8	18	100%
US History	0	0	2	4	1	100%

AP Courses

Biology
 Calculus AB
 Calculus BC
 Chemistry
 English Language
 English Literature
 French Language
 Human Geography
 Macroeconomics
 Microeconomics
 Physics I
 Psychology
 Spanish Literature
 Statistics
 US Government & Politics
 US History

SAT I

in graduating class: 152
 # taking SAT: 158
 Mean scores: Math 509
 Mean scores: EBRW 539
 SAT's are administered to all 11th grade students

PSAT/NMSQT

Members of the class of 2025 were recognized with Letters of Commendation as well as National Merit Semi Finalist and Merit Finalist considerations.
 PSAT's are administered to all 9-11th grade students

Future Plans

84.9% attending 2yr/4yr school
65.8% attending 4yr
19.1% attending to 2yr
15.1% military, trade school, gap year / service, work experience/ employment opportunities.

Student Enrollment

Enrollment 2025-2026
 Class of 2026: 140
 Class of 2027: 166
 Class of 2028: 168
 Class of 2029: 166
 Total Enrollment: 640

Schedule

Suffield High School follows a drop two schedule, offering instruction for approximately 230 minutes in each full credit course per week.

Class of 2025 attending colleges

Auburn University
 Bennington College
 Bentley University
 Bryant University
 Central Connecticut State University
 Clemson University
 Coastal Carolina University
 Colgate University
 Connecticut College
 CT State Community College
 Curry College
 Eastern Connecticut State University
 Elms College
 Franklin Pierce University
 Goodwin University

Hofstra University
 Ithaca College
 Lasell University
 Lincoln Technical Institute
 Marist College
 Merrimack University
 Mitchell College
 Montana State University
 Nichols College
 Northeastern University
 Plymouth State University
 Purdue University
 Quinnipiac University
 Rutgers University

Saint Anselm College
 Salem State University
 Salve Regina College
 San Diego State University
 Southern Connecticut State University
 SMU
 Springfield College
 St. John's University
 St. Peter's University
 Syracuse University
 Texas Technical University
 Trinity College
 UCLA
 Union College
 University of Connecticut

University of Hartford
 University of Illinois
 University of Maine
 University of New Hampshire
 University of New Mexico
 University of Rhode Island
 University of Southern Maine
 University of Tampa
 University of Toronto
 University of Vermont
 University of West Florida
 Wentworth Institute of Technology
 Western New England University
 Westfield State University
 Worcester Polytechnic Institute