Opportunity.
Challenge.
Growth.



FRYEBURG ACADEMY

An independent boarding and day school, serving grades 9-12 and postgraduate.





Fryeburg Academy's 105-acre campus in the heart of Mount Washington Valley is home to students representing over 35 different countries.



Students enjoy various outdoor spaces on campus, including the athletic turf field where many pickup games of soccer and frisbee take place.

A classic New England experience

A HOME AWAY FROM HOME

Fryeburg is a classic New England town, nestled in the foothills of the White Mountains and home to Fryeburg Academy. Fryeburg offers a close-knit community with endless outdoor activities in every season. With the White Mountain National Forest, lakes, rivers, and four major ski resorts nearby the opportunities to explore the region's magnificent natural surroundings are boundless. Fryeburg is also rich in culture and entertainment, thanks to thriving local resort towns like North Conway and the proximity of larger cities like Portland and Boston that are within an hour and 2.5-hour drive respectively.

Founded

1792

One of the oldest schools in the U.S.

690

Student Enrollment

210

Boarding Students

1-Hour Drive

PWM

Portland Int. Jetport | Portland, ME

15-Minute Drive

NOCO

Resort Ski Town | North Conway, NH

2.5-Hour Drive

BOS

Boston Int. Airport | Boston, MA



Robust academics + extensive curriculum offerings

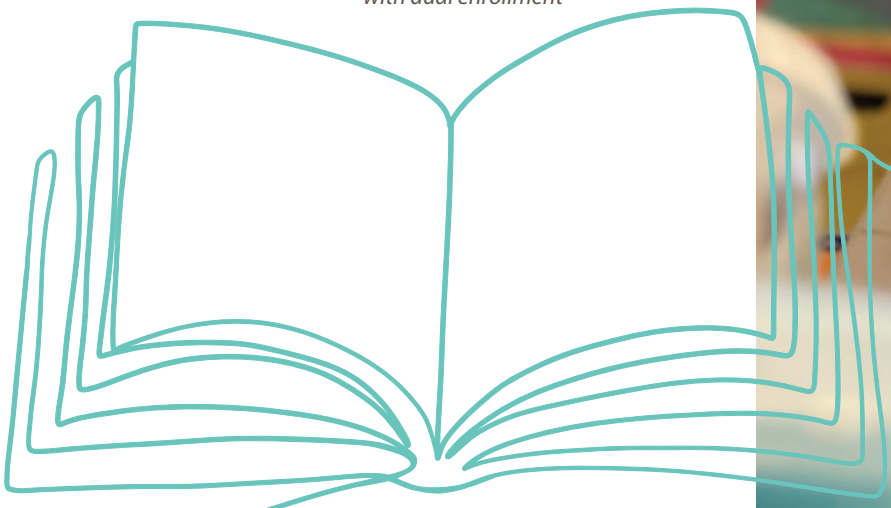
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Course Offerings

80+
May Term Offerings

20
AP & College-Level Courses, including:

- Anatomy/Physiology**
- Biology
- Calculus AB
- Calculus BC
- Chemistry
- Computer Science A
- Digital Photography**
- Drawing
- Micro Economics
- Macro Economics
- English Language
- English Literature
- Environmental Science
- European History
- Music Theory
- Physics C: Mechanics
- Research Design
- Statistics
- U.S. History
- Psychology

***college-level courses with dual enrollment*









Students work one-on-one with their college counselor throughout the year, receiving guidance and support as they navigate every step of the college application process.

Dedicated college advising program

COLLEGE COUNSELING

We believe each student is a unique individual with personal interests and goals. Our experienced college counseling team works closely with students to find the right post-secondary school placement that matches their interests. Students also have the opportunity to meet with more than 100 college representatives who visit campus each year and participate in an Internship Program that offers juniors and seniors the opportunity to gain meaningful, hands-on work experience in career fields that interest them.

TOP 15 SELECTIVE UNIVERSITIES / COLLEGES ATTENDED BY FRYEBURG ACADEMY GRADUATES:

- HARVARD UNIVERSITY
- UNIVERSITY OF CALIFORNIA, LOS ANGELES
- BOSTON UNIVERSITY
- DARTMOUTH COLLEGE
- EMORY UNIVERSITY
- NORTHEASTERN UNIVERSITY
- UPENN UNIVERSITY
- BOWDOIN COLLEGE
- GEORGIA INSTITUTE OF TECHNOLOGY
- MASSACHUSETTS INSTITUTE OF TECHNOLOGY
- STANFORD UNIVERSITY
- COLBY COLLEGE
- UNIVERSITY OF CALIFORNIA, BERKELEY
- GEORGE WASHINGTON UNIVERSITY
- BATES COLLEGE


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Athletic Offerings

FA ATHLETICS

LET'S GO RAIDERS!

Participation in athletics plays a vital role in our students' lives. Our strong, committed coaching staff is dedicated to helping our athletes develop physically, mentally, and emotionally. Try out for a spot on one of our highly competitive varsity teams, practice your skills on a JV team, or join one of many athletic clubs.

FA Teams

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Fall

Field Hockey
Cross-Country Running (Boys / Girls)
Football*
Soccer (Boys / Girls)
Mountain Biking
Golf

Winter

Alpine Skiing (Boys / Girls)
Nordic Skiing (Boys / Girls)
MWV Skiing (Boys / Girls)
Basketball (Boys / Girls)
Ice Hockey (Boys / Girls)
Indoor Track (Boys / Girls)
Wrestling

Spring

Baseball
Lacrosse (Boys / Girls)
Softball
Tennis (Boys / Girls)
Track & Field (Boys / Girls)
Ultimate Frisbee (Boys / Girls)

Lights! Camera...Action!

VISUAL & PERFORMING ARTS

Our Arts Program brings an appreciation of the fine arts into students' lives by discovering individual talents, encouraging original expression, and fostering creative discovery. On campus, students experience live performances in the Leura Hill Eastman Performing Arts Center, see professionally-curated exhibits in the PACE Galleries, and display their own works of art in the Nadler Gallery. Our specialized Certificate of Arts Program provides the opportunity for students to enhance their arts training through course work, portfolios, and extra-curricular offerings on and off campus.

Arts Offerings

30+

- AP Drawing
- AP Music Theory
- A Cappella
- All-School Musical
- Art Portfolio
- Artist-in-Residence
- Band
- Ceramics
- Chorus
- Digital Art
- Filmmaking
- Furniture Making
- Graphic Design
- Guitar
- Improv
- Individual Lessons
- Jazz Ensemble
- Light & Sound Tech
- Metal Design
- One-Act Play
- Painting
- Photography
- Piano
- Pit Orchestra
- Rock Band
- Sculpture & 3D Modeling
- Shakespeare Rap Battle
- String Ensemble
- Theater
- Visual Arts
- Vocal Jazz
- Woodworking



The Leura Hill Eastman Performing Arts Center provides our award-winning music and theater programs with a beautiful, 400-seat theater, two art galleries, and a seminar classroom.



FA students experience a variety of outdoor activities in every season, including hiking, sailing, skiing, canoeing, mountain biking, and rock climbing, to name a few.

Discovering the best you

STUDENT LIFE

Fryeburg Academy takes great pride in offering its students a wide variety of clubs and activities that cater to their diverse interests and passions. These extracurricular activities not only enhance the learning experience but also contribute to personal growth.

Students can participate in academic clubs such as the Math Team, Robotics Club, and the National Honors Society. There are also government and outdoor clubs, including the Model UN and Snow Sports, to name a few, allowing students to explore their interests further. After school, our Enrichment Program offers students opportunities to explore interests beyond the traditional classroom.

Annual events like Homecoming, Prom, Winter Carnival, and Dorm Olympics provide additional opportunities for students to connect and build friendships. In addition, students can enjoy various activities on weekdays and weekends, as well as holiday trips to destinations such as the Maine coast in Portland, historic Boston, Massachusetts, and North Conway in New Hampshire, a local ski resort town.

Enrichment Program Offerings

Adv. Weight-Lifting
Robotics
Ceramics
College Essay
Cooking
Fitness
Basketball
Dance
Science Research
Volleyball
Snow Sports
...and more



Clubs +Activity Offerings

All-School Musical
Biology Club
Dinner Bell
Oragami Club
Jazz Band
Robotics
Cake Decorating
Disc Golf
Billiards
Model UN
Chess Club
Snow Sports
Math Team
FA Film
Scholar Bowl
Photo Club
Tech Arts Club
Ultimate Frisbee
Youth in Government
Raider Patrol
Ice Fishing
National Honors Society
Dungeons & Dragons
...and more

What will you explore next?

SIGNATURE PROGRAMS

Fryeburg Academy offers a variety of Signature Programs designed to provide students with unique learning opportunities. Some of the key programs include May Term, Certificate of Arts, Ski & Study, and the Outdoor Learning & Research Program to name a few. These programs are tailored to provide students with a well-rounded education and to help them develop valuable skills for their future endeavors.



Advanced Course Work

AP, college-level, and honors courses at Fryeburg Academy are advanced classes designed to challenge students and prepare them for college-level work. They cover material in greater depth and at a faster pace than standard classes, requiring rigorous course-work and critical thinking skills. Successful completion may result in college credit or advanced placement in college courses.

Computer Science, Aviation & Technology

Today's job market is competitive, so equipping students with the necessary skills is essential. This program at Fryeburg Academy provides relevant and challenging learning experiences to prepare students for careers in machine fabrication, woodworking, aviation, electrical technology, and agri-culture, meeting the needs of the Maine workforce.





Certificate of Arts

Our program offers a general arts certification for a more concentrated study in performing or visual arts. You will be paired with a faculty mentor who will guide you in your studies throughout your time here. Our program allows you to participate in coursework, independent studies, and capstone projects to showcase your skills. The program also gives you the chance to visit local galleries and meet artists and performers from the area, providing you with real-world experiences and a deeper understanding of what it takes to have a career in the field.

Center for International Students (CIS)



At Fryeburg Academy, international students receive comprehensive support through the Center for International Students (CIS). This program goes beyond ESOL and provides assistance in all aspects of academic and personal life. The CIS team, comprised of expert teachers and counselors, works closely with international students, offering personalized attention for scheduling, grades, classroom concerns, and cultural issues. Additionally, the CIS provides specialized college and social/emotional counseling for student success. The CIS chair oversees international student affairs to ensure that students receive the necessary support to thrive at Fryeburg Academy.



Internships

Discover your potential and gain real-world experience with our Internship program! The program offers junior and senior students a unique opportunity to gain hands-on experience in their field of interest. You'll develop skills that will set you apart from others in

the job market and broaden your knowledge of potential career paths. Upon completion, you'll give a formal presentation and receive .25 or .50 credits, depending on your weekly time commitment. The program lasts for one semester, with the possibility of an extension.

May Term



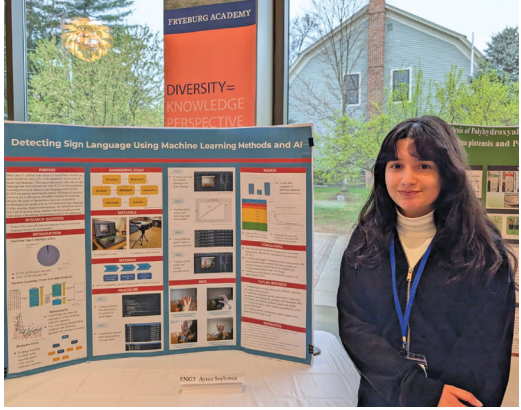
May Term is the perfect opportunity for students to explore a variety of subjects that they might not have access to in other semesters. With over 80 interdisciplinary and experiential offerings, May Term is an authentic way to gain exposure to new topics and engage in hands-on learning. This three-week term is scheduled at the end of the school year, providing students with a unique chance to expand their horizons and deepen their understanding.



Outdoor Learning and Research Center (OLRC)

All Fryeburg Academy students experience the Outdoor Learning & Research Center (OLRC) through a ropes challenge course that fosters social-emotional and leadership skills. They also learn field research principles through a partnership with the FA Science Department, OLRC, and Tin Mountain Conservation Center. Students interested in field science or science fair projects can enroll in Honors Research Design courses and receive support. The school garden is integrated with the science department and extracurricular programs, providing hands-on experience in planning, growing, and preparing a garden and exposure to Maine agricultural disciplines like maple sugaring and forestry. There are two certificate tracts: Adventure Education for students seeking experiences that extend beyond our campus into the mountains and rivers around Fryeburg and Advanced Research Design for highly motivated students who want to develop their academic skills by exploring complex problems and conducting field-based research.

Advanced Research Design



Fryeburg Academy's Advanced Research Design course helps students learn about research methods and improve their analytical skills. The course focuses on key areas like creating research questions, developing hypotheses, choosing the right research methods, and understanding how to collect and analyze data.

Students work on independent projects, applying what they learn to real-life situations. This hands-on approach helps them think critically and explore real-world issues through research.



Summer Term

Fryeburg Academy's Summer Term is a unique program that blends the academic excellence of a New England boarding school with the unforgettable adventures of a classic Maine summer camp. With the guidance of experienced and caring educators, participants from around the globe immerse themselves in a diverse mix of morning classes, engaging afternoon activities, exciting outdoor adventures, and trips to iconic destinations such as Boston, Mount Washington, and Portland. In a warm and inclusive environment, students discover their passions, form new friendships, and create lifelong memories.





With 19 ski resorts in Maine and 28 in nearby New Hampshire, there's plenty of powder to conquer whether you're a novice or a pro skier.

From beginner to pro — we've got the snow sport to fit your skills

SNOW SPORTS

Fryeburg Academy's Snow Sports program is a great opportunity for students of all levels to experience the thrills of skiing and snowboarding while surrounded by the breathtaking winter scenery of Maine.

Led by experienced instructors, the program provides individualized attention and expert guidance to help each student improve their technique and gain the confidence needed to shred the slopes like a pro. But the program is not just about skiing and snowboarding — it also offers a range of other winter activities, including snowshoeing, cross-country skiing, ice climbing, and ice skating.

Whether you are a seasoned pro looking to take your skills to the next level or a beginner eager to learn a new sport, Fryeburg Academy's Snow Sports program is the perfect way to stay active, have fun, and develop a lifelong love for winter sports.

Intro to Snow Sports

Our Snow Sports program welcomes skiers and snowboarders of all levels. We offer afternoon, evening, and weekend trips to nearby ski resorts during the winter season, providing ample opportunity for practice and enjoyment. Additionally, we have partnered with local ski resort, Pleasant Mountain, to offer our students discounted seasonal passes and ski rentals.

Alpine Skiing

We offer alpine teams for both boys and girls. Our teams race Slalom and Giant Slalom at our local ski resort, Pleasant Mountain, which has the largest night skiing in the area. In 2019, the girls' alpine won the Western Maine Conference Championship. In 2024, the boys' alpine team placed second in the Class A Maine State Tournament while the girls' team had a U16 Eastern Champs qualifier for two-consecutive years.

Nordic Skiing

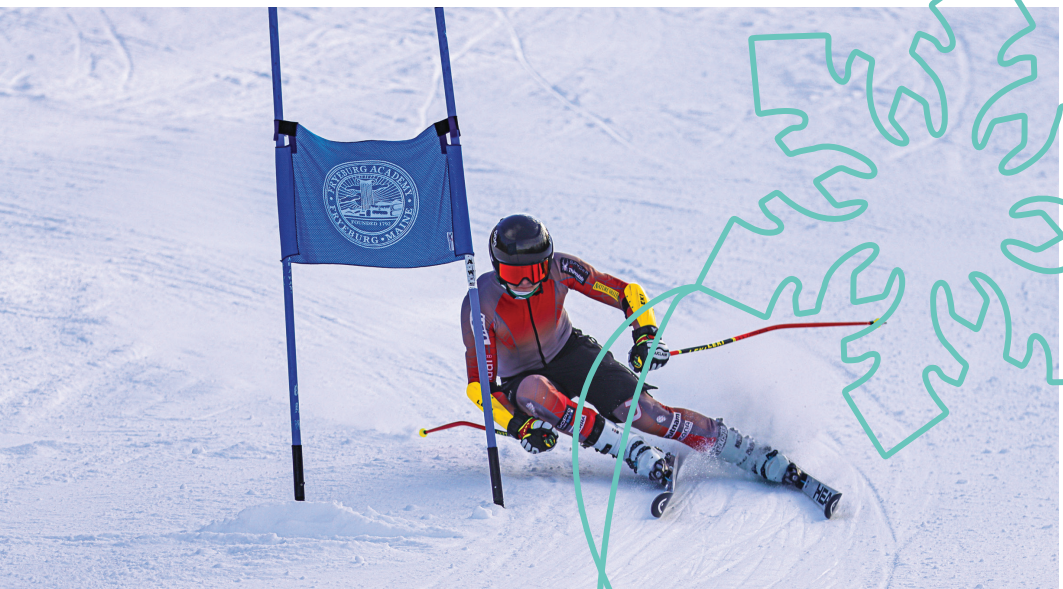
We offer Nordic ski teams for both boys and girls. They compete in the Western Maine Conference in both Classic and Skate races. Our local trails at Stark's Hill provide our skiers with some of the best practice trails and allow us to host many races, including the Regional Championships. In 2024, our boys' Nordic team finished second in the WMC Championship 5.5K Skate Pursuit.

USSA + FIS Skiing

MWV SKI TEAM

In collaboration with the Mount Washington Valley Ski Team (MWVST), this specialized program aims to support motivated U14, U16, and U18 ski racers in their pursuit of both academic and athletic excellence. Students attend classes each morning and dedicate their afternoons to training or competing at various ski resorts in our area. Athletes participate in high-level competitions in Slalom, Giant Slalom, and Super-G, all sanctioned by the U.S. Ski & Snowboard Association (USSA) and the International Ski Federation (FIS).







Our girls' MWV Ski Team has qualified for the U16 Eastern Championships for two-consecutive years.

Take the next step! Contact our admissions team today.

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