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2025 - 2026 ANNUAL SCHOOL REPORT

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2025-2030
Strategic Plan

Norwell Public Schools
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Our Mission

Norwell Public Schools, in partnership with the community, is dedicated to providing all students an exceptional education in an inclusive and supportive environment, igniting curiosity, fostering integrity, and empowering students to navigate and contribute to a dynamic, global society.

Our Vision

Anchored in tradition, inspired to learn, confident to explore, prepared to navigate

Our Core Values

Strategic Focus Areas

Priorities that will serve as the core focus of district improvement for the next five years.

- 1 Teaching and Learning
- 2 Safety, Belonging, and Well-Being
- 3 Learning Opportunities
- 4 Finance, Facilities, and Human Capital



Children First

Safety and Well-Being

Excellence and High Expectations

Collaboration and Community Engagement

MANAGING RESOURCES

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The mission of Norwell Public Schools, in partnership with the community, is to provide excellence in education through a challenging and supportive environment, empowering students to be versatile, innovative, and responsible citizens who are prepared to navigate and contribute to a dynamic global society.

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2025 ANNUAL REPORT OF THE SUPERINTENDENT

Calendar year 2025 focused upon the creation of a new five year strategic plan. Norwell Public Schools engaged students, parents, staff, administration, community and community leaders. Stakeholders participated in surveys and focus groups. They were given the opportunity to identify strengths, challenges, and opportunities for the community, schools and students. Through the strategic planning process Norwell Public Schools intended to:

- Engage the public;
- Create a clear Mission, Core Values, and a Vision for Norwell Public Schools;
- Establish action plans with strategic objectives and initiatives to realize the Mission and Vision; and
- Focus on continuous improvement and systemic renewal.

The School Committee approved the new 2025-2030 Strategic Plan on May 19, 2025. The Strategic Plan highlights four Strategic Focus Areas with corresponding objectives: Teaching and Learning - Create rigorous and relevant learning experiences that support student development and prepare students for their future; Safety, Belonging, and Well-Being - Provide a safe and inclusive environment to support social, emotional, and personal growth; Learning Opportunities - Enhance knowledge, foster innovation, and drive continuous improvement; and Finance, Facilities, and Human Capital - Promote collaboration between schools, town government, and the community to address school funding, facility issues, and staff recruitment. Norwell Public Schools looks forward to implementing the 2025-2030 Strategic Plan over the next five years.

Office of Teaching, Learning & Technology: The Office of Teaching, Learning & Technology's major focus area was to complete the first three year Student Opportunities Act (SOA) plan and analyze data to generate the next three year SOA plan. The 2024-2027 SOA plan includes expanding the implementation of High Quality Instructional Materials (HQIM) in English Language Arts (ELA) for grades K-5, training on HQIM through professional development, and developing our early literacy screening and support protocols. Formal communication procedures were developed to inform parents, through the ASPEN portal, of their child's assessment results in an effort to develop early partnerships with families.

Additional content areas at the elementary (K-5) and secondary (6-12) grade spans participated in curriculum resource review. A district committee assembled to structure the implementation of the newly revised Comprehensive Health and Physical Education (CHPE) frameworks. The committee reviewed and selected HQIM including Second Step at the elementary and lessons from HealthSmart at the secondary level. The high school history department began plans to realign its scope and sequence of courses. World History will move to sophomore year, and US History-I will move to freshman year. Fifth grade teachers participated in professional development to understand the science MCAS changes with the new performance task component.

Office of Student Services: The Office of Student Services focused on several areas. One area was the implementation of the new State IEP form, after receiving extensive training the previous year. As part of this transition, the special education department transitioned to digital recordkeeping, digital file submission and the use of e-signatures to increase efficiencies for the provision of IEPs to families. The procedure manuals and forms for special education were updated and digitized as well. In April 2025 the district participated in a State Integrated Monitoring Review of special education, civil rights and English Language Learner records and programs. The support services department completed a review of the new CPHE frameworks and documented the social emotional curriculum and supports available at each school. The department increased the use of Panorama to provide and monitor interventions and supports for students at all levels.

Office of Finance, Operations & Technology: The Office of Finance, Operations & Technology continued to make significant strides in improving the district's facilities, infrastructure, and operations. This year's focus areas included upgrading facilities, enhancing technology, and addressing ongoing maintenance needs.

Facilities Upgrades

- Bleacher Replacement: New bleachers were installed at both elementary schools, providing safer and more comfortable seating for students, staff and community members.
- Presentation Equipment Upgrades: The Cole School (gymnasium) and Middle School (cafeteria) received new projectors, screens and sound equipment, enhancing the learning environment and supporting effective instruction for building-wide meetings.
- Middle School Leaching Field Relocation Study: A feasibility study was completed to explore options for relocating the Middle School's leaching field, due to the closing of the old Town Hall, ensuring the district's continued compliance with environmental regulations.

Technology Enhancements

- WiFi Upgrade: The district's WiFi infrastructure was upgraded across all schools, providing faster and more reliable connectivity for students, staff, and faculty. This was the first update on the WiFi since it was installed in 2012.

Maintenance and Repairs

- Roof Repairs: Significant repairs were completed at the Vinal School, and while progress was made, it is clear that roof repairs and replacements are an ongoing challenge. In fact, all roofs across the district are in need of major repairs or replacement.
- Maintenance Vehicle Purchase: A new maintenance vehicle was purchased to support the district's maintenance team and improve their ability to respond to facilities' needs.

Operational Improvements

- Transition Plan: A transition plan was initiated in the operations department to address the challenges posed by a small staff with siloed responsibilities. This plan aims to enhance collaboration, streamline processes, and ensure operational continuity.
- MSBA Core Program Application: The district's application to the MSBA Core program was accepted, and work on MSBA Module 1 will begin in FY'26. This program will help the district address its facilities needs and plan for future projects.

Food Service

- Free Lunch Program: The state's free lunch program has been fully implemented in Norwell. Free lunch and breakfast are available daily in all four school buildings.

In conclusion, FY'25 was a year of substantial progress for the Office of Finance, Operations & Technology. Focusing on maintenance and infrastructure improvements has laid a strong foundation for the continued growth and safety of the school community.

Sincerely,

Matthew A. Keegan
Superintendent of Schools

NORWELL PUBLIC SCHOOLS

SECTION ONE: TOWN MEETING INFORMATION GUIDE

FY'27 BUDGET MESSAGE

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Managing Resources

During the 2025-2026 school year, the town operational override did not pass. Norwell Public Schools reduced the budget requested by \$2,481,480. Norwell Public Schools operated with the same budget of \$33,398,062 during the FY'26 school year as it did in the FY'25 school year. This resulted in budget cuts and the reduction of 24 staffing positions. These cuts included 1 administrator, 2 district-wide teachers, 11.6 teachers, 7.4 aides, and 2 secretaries. In addition, the new technology cycle did not go forward. The proposed new grade 5 iPads were not purchased; the high school teachers did not receive new laptops; and the elementary schools did not receive the recycled teacher laptops for their laptop carts. This has resulted in access issues with digital testing and access to digital curriculum. Norwell Public Schools have not been able to provide the same level of course offerings and learning support systems for students in grades K-12.

At the same time, the first year implementation of the strategic plan is well under way. The main highlights focus upon the district's full year focus on professional development on the Universal Design for learning, documenting and refining the Norwell Tiered Systems of Support for academics and social emotional support, and the continued work with the MSBA as the High School project has officially entered the Feasibility Study stage.

The Norwell School Committee's FY'27 budget request of \$34,733,925 includes a total increase of 4.00%. This request is a level service budget and does not restore positions that were lost last year due to the failed town operational override. The FY'27 budget addresses contractual obligations, curriculum adoptions, and increased costs due to new gas contracts, and maintenance needs. Due to required special education needs within the Pre-K level, an additional Special Education Aide will be hired to address student Individual Education Plans. At the same time, the Instructional Systems Assistant and Central Office Coordinator Position will be removed from the budget going forward.

The technology cycle continues for the 1:1 iPads cycle in grades 6-12 and classroom iPads in grades K-5. The current budget includes iPads for grades 6, and 9. It is essential that we receive the \$150,000 technology request that will provide 5th grade iPads and teacher laptops for

the High School teachers allowing the current teacher laptops to be reallocated to carts that can be used for state testing and mobile student labs. These items would traditionally be in our operating budget. With the failed override, these purchases were not made last year and are needed for the FY'27 school year.

Norwell Public Schools has been vigilant in addressing facilities' needs and engaging in preventive maintenance work, keeping the facilities up to date in order to maintain a safe environment for students and teachers. In the coming year, we will continue to address small non-capital issues. At the same time, we are collaborating with the Town by asking for engineering studies to gain a better understanding of long-term capital needs. The schools will be requesting support through Capital and Articles:

Capital Requests:

- Exterior site engineering study (NMS)
- HVAC Controls upgrade (Cole/Vinal)
- Town/School building assessment

Article Requests:

- Technology Cycle
- CRG - Mapping of buildings for EMS

CPC Request:

- Clipper Community Complex restroom project

Academic excellence, overall student safety and wellbeing, and engagement and collaboration with the community remain core values of Norwell Public Schools. We are extremely appreciative of the ongoing cooperation from our faculty, staff and various organizations that support our schools (Boosters, Norwell Arts, Norwell Education Foundation, Special Education Parent Advisory Council, School Improvement Councils and PTOs) and the community at large, especially over the past difficult year where they bridged many gaps. We look forward to continued alliances in the year ahead.

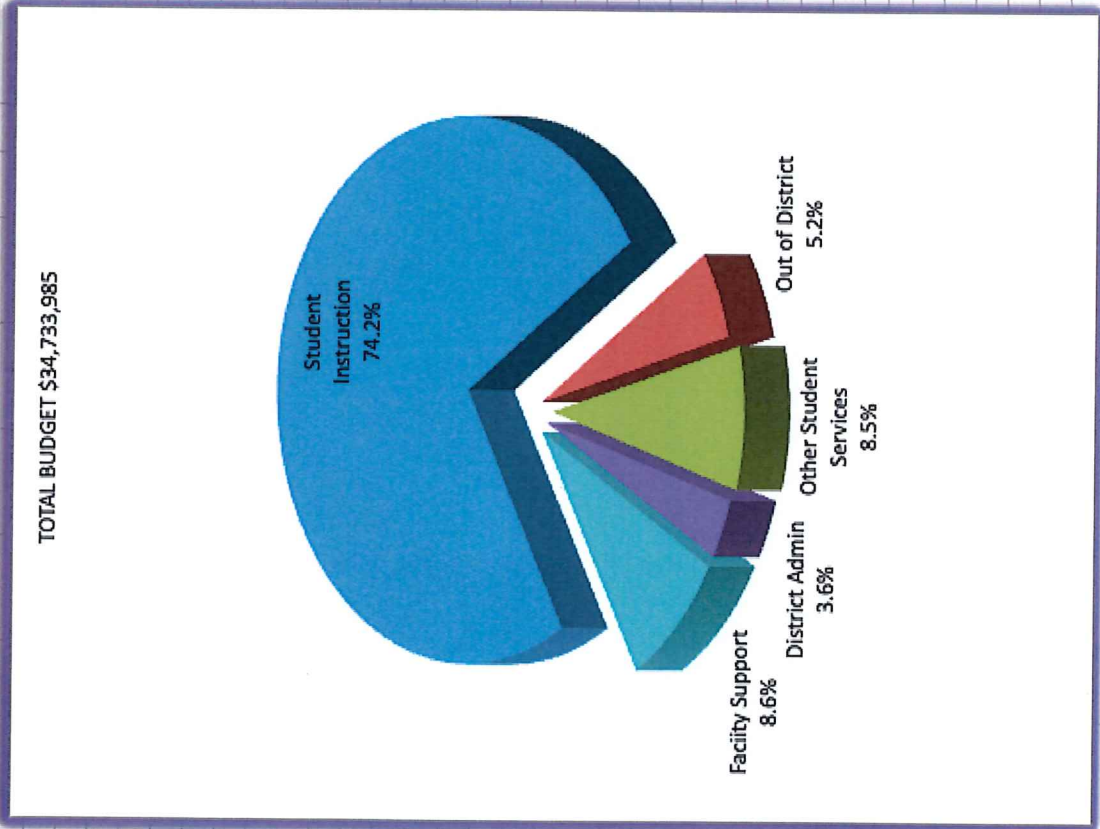
Student Instruction
\$25,901,886
Activities related to the Development, Support, Supervision and Assessment of Instruction. Includes expenditures for:
+ All Classroom Instruction
+ Textbooks
+ Instructional Technology
+ Social Health
+ Principal's Office
+ Library
+ Professional Development
+ Guidance & Psychological Services

Out of District
\$1,750,000
Includes expenditures for:
+ Special Ed. Tuitions

Other Student Services
\$2,911,185
Non-Instructional and Co-Curricular Activities in support of the Students. Includes expenditures for:
+ Transportation-All
+ Health & Nursing
+ Student Activities
+ Athletics

District Administration
\$1,150,567
Activities which have as their purpose establishing the General Direction, Policy and Budget of the entire School System. Includes expenditures for:
+ School Committee
+ Superintendent's Office
+ Administrative Services
+ District Wide Info Management

Facilities Support
\$3,020,347
Includes expenditures for:
+ Technology Maintenance
+ Custodial Services
+ Heat (Fuel Oil & Gas)
+ Electricity
+ Telephone
+ Summer Help
+ General Maintenance
+ Building Maintenance
+ Grounds Maintenance
+ Replacement of Fixed Assets
+ Equipment Maintenance & Service
+ Facility Manager (School Share)
+ Community Service
+ Town Election Support



Account	FY'25 Actuals	FY'26 Non Override Budget	FY'27 Executive Budget	FY'27 Execuctive to FY'26 Budget	FY'27 % Change
	33,898,062	33,398,062	34,733,985	1,335,923	4.00%
District Administration					
School Committee	24,766	13,500	14,100	600	4.44%
Superintendent's Office	404,330	404,706	418,136	13,430	3.32%
Business and Finance	446,870	500,350	516,146	15,796	3.16%
Legal Services	54,842	40,000	30,000	(10,000)	-25.00%
DW Info Mgmt. & Tech	216,342	219,585	172,185	(47,400)	-21.59%
Total	1,147,151	1,178,141	1,150,567	(27,574)	-2.34%
Instructional Services					
Student Services	244,115	245,225	253,000	7,775	3.17%
Summer Program	72,055	79,855	81,355	1,500	1.88%
Office of Instruction	194,674	201,210	202,357	1,147	0.57%
School Leadership	1,274,388	1,338,775	1,367,232	28,457	2.13%
School Secretary	346,317	310,512	333,875	23,363	7.52%
Principals' Expense	45,499	51,851	51,020	(831)	-1.60%
Classroom Teachers	15,077,399	15,051,091	15,719,421	668,330	4.44%
Teacher Specialists	2,325,873	2,445,071	2,585,676	140,605	5.75%
Instructional Coordinators	750,084	601,649	682,158	80,509	13.38%
Medical Therapeutic	858,595	823,604	799,983	(23,621)	-2.87%
Aides	916,626	876,403	861,938	(14,465)	-1.65%
Library Salaries	475,428	250,361	265,727	15,366	6.14%
Professional Development	105,913	171,250	165,225	(6,025)	-3.52%
Texts	124,553	203,200	245,673	42,473	20.90%
Classroom Supplies/Materials	385,747	377,367	386,189	8,822	2.34%
Instructional Technology	279,294	323,930	336,290	12,360	3.82%
Guidance	790,292	806,816	895,003	88,187	10.93%
Social Health and Psychological S	540,877	583,662	609,764	26,102	4.47%
Total	24,807,729	24,741,832	25,841,886	1,100,054	4.45%
Other School Services					
Medical Health Services	428,940	455,688	467,517	11,829	2.60%
Transportation	1,521,114	1,601,000	1,671,000	70,000	4.37%
Athletics and Other Student Activ.	793,202	742,989	772,668	29,679	3.99%
Total	2,743,256	2,799,677	2,911,185	111,508	3.98%
Operations and Maintenance					
Custodial Services	1,041,380	1,146,266	1,167,225	20,959	1.83%
Utilities	672,655	667,087	748,921	81,834	12.27%
Maintenance	586,042	619,059	671,450	52,391	8.46%
Technology Infrastructure and Op	411,154	431,300	427,951	(3,349)	-0.78%
Total	2,711,230	2,863,712	3,015,547	151,835	5.30%
Other					
Employee Separation	219,243	60,000	60,000	0	0.00%
Community Service	2,761	4,700	4,800	100	2.13%
Tuitions	2,266,692	1,750,000	1,750,000	0	0.00%
Total	2,488,696	1,814,700	1,814,800	100	0.01%
GRAND TOTAL	33,898,062	33,398,062	34,733,985	1,335,923	4.00%

NORWELL HIGH SCHOOL GRADUATION PROFILE
CLASS OF 2025

<u>NUMBER OF STUDENTS</u>		<u>NATIONAL HONOR SOCIETY</u>		<u>SAT SCORES</u>	
Male:	85	Male:	22	EBRW:	593
Female:	66	Female:	32	Math:	559
Total:	151	Total:	54	Total:	1152

COLLEGE PLANS BARRON'S CATEGORIES

Most Competitive	22.0 %
Highly Competitive	33.0 %
Very Competitive	21.0 %
Competitive	18.0 %
Other	6.0 %

<u>Plans</u>	<u>Number of Graduates</u>	<u>Percentage of Class</u>
Entering Private 4 Year Colleges	77	51 %
Entering Public 4 Year Colleges	56	37 %
Entering Private 2 Year Colleges	0	0 %
Entering Public 2 Year Colleges	5	3.0 %
Non-US College	1	0.75 %
Post Secondary	1	0.75 %
Gap Year	1	0.75 %
Military	1	0.75 %
Undecided/Unknown	3	2.0 %
Employed	4	3.0 %
Career Education	2	1.0 %
Apprenticeship	0	0 %
TOTAL	151	100 %

2025 COLLEGE PROFILE

Barron's Profile of American Colleges groups colleges into seven categories, with the first four categories being *Most Competitive*, *Highly Competitive*, *Very Competitive*, and *Competitive*. Of the 139 students from the Class of 2025 going directly to college, 94% plan on attending colleges in the *Competitive to Most Competitive* categories, with 55% of the students planning to attend schools in the top two categories (*Most and Highly Competitive categories*).

Scholarship Name	Recipients - 2025
AFL-CIO Award	Bianca Inferrera
Alfred and Doris Pizzotti Memorial Scholarship	Juniper Davis
American Red Cross Scholarship Award	Clara Coughlin
Andrew James Lawson Foundations Scholarship	Katherine Hansen, Aiden Delcore and Samuel Pesko
Arthur Sewell Memorial Scholarship	Aiden Delcore
Ashley B. and Minnie Jones Scholarship	Luca Moretti-Fulli
Boosters Foundation	Meredith Cassidy and Drew Lazcano
Churchhillers	Emily Davis
Citizenship Award	Clara Coughlin
Coastal Heritage	Evan Fourney
Cornet Robert & Honor Stetson	Abigail Nickerson
Cray Physical Therapy	Ariana Veneto
DAR Good Citizen Award	Holly Pantilla
Donald Beaudette Public Service Scholarship	Samual Pesko
Dorothy Fogg Scholarship	Bianca Inferrera and Colton Schipani
EAN Scholarship	Clara Coughlin and Dom DiTomaso
Evan Henry	Clara Coughlin and Audrey Koch
Friends of Norwell Recycling	Emily Donovan, Addie Amon, and Julia Melanson
Gavin Kenney Memorial Scholarship	Charlotte Pithie and David Weimann
Graden Family Memorial Scholarship	Finlay Montgomery
Grossman	Holly Pantilla and Ben Nguyen
Gustaf and Ellen Anderson	Ryan Johnson
Hope for Calle	Brennan Carroll -Millins
John C Bond	Marley Bruce
Joseph Krainin Scholarship	Ryan Daly
Kelli Meade STEM Scholarship	Kate Hansen
Leonard Cox	Andrew Ewen
Lisa Trojano Scholarship	Abby Greene
Mary Ellen Gunn Coffey Scholarship	Ethan Bostrom, Joseph Sprague and Nolan McKenna
Michael Logue Scholarship	Holly Pantilla
Nellie Sparrell	Clara Coughlin, Aiden Coyle, Emily Donovan, Drew Lazcano, Ben Nguyen, Avery Nickerson, Meredith Reed, Abby Nickerson
North River Gardeners Scholarship	Megan Long
Norwell Arts for Life	Theater - Dominic DiTomaso, Music - Alex Ning, Arts - Clara Coughlin
Norwell Boosters Andrew Lawson Memorial Scholarship	Sage Burtner
Norwell Boosters Craig Sutherland	Lylia Chase
Norwell Boosters Jack Kenney Grit and Grace Scholarship	Paige Maguire
Norwell Boosters Jordan Jenkins Scholarship	Penelope Saich
Norwell Boosters Kalen Kelly memorial Scholarship	Aiden Coyle
Norwell Family Dentistry	Ryan Daly
Norwell Fire	Sam Pesko
Norwell Girls Travel Basketball	Reagan Dowd
Norwell Girls Youth Lacrosse	Holly Pantilla
Norwell Little League Scholarship	Nick Adams, Ronan Coffey
Norwell Police	Brian Schindler, Will Bostrom
Norwell Youth Football Scholarship	Drew Lazcano and Will Bostrom, Ryan Daly
NVNA and Hospice Nursing Scholarship	William Lemoine, Ben Nguyen, and Avery Nickerson
Paulo J Moura Scholarship	Ryan Morrison, Isabelle Bousquette
Robert Bogaty Scholarship	Meredith Reed
Sabrina Kelley Scholarship	Charlise Cox and Dominic DiTomaso
Sarah Elizabeth Dargon/Norwell Soccer Scholarship	Olga Spasic and Ryan Morrison
South Shore Bank Citizenship Award	Molly Bloomfield
Sylvester Memorial Scholarship	Kai Nickerson
Tri Town Rotary	Ben Nguyen
Trish Smith Memorial Scholarship	Nate Stevens and Will Lemoine
William James Mildrum	Drew Lazcano
Womens Club of Norwell	Hannah Randolph, Meredith Cassidy, Aiden Coyle, Emma Corbett, Lylia Chase

College Name	Number of Apps Submitted	Number of Acceptances	Admission Rate	Number of Enrollments	Enrollment Yield
American University	3	2	66%	0	0%
Arizona State University (Tempe)	1	1	100%	0	0%
Assumption University	9	9	100%	1	11%
Ave Maria University	1	1	100%	0	0%
Babson College	5	4	80%	3	75%
Barnard College	1	0	0%	0	NA
Bentley University	4	4	100%	3	75%
Binghamton University	1	1	100%	0	0%
Boston College	15	3	20%	3	100%
Boston University	7	4	57%	1	25%
Bowdoin College	2	0	0%	0	NA
Brandeis University	2	2	100%	1	50%
Bridgewater State University	8	6	75%	1	16%
Brown University	3	0	0%	0	NA
Bryant University	18	18	100%	5	27%
Bucknell University	1	1	100%	0	0%
Butler University	1	1	100%	0	0%
Case Western Reserve University	2	2	100%	0	0%
Catholic University of America	2	2	100%	0	0%
Champlain College	1	1	100%	0	0%
Chapman University	1	0	0%	0	NA
Clark University	2	2	100%	1	50%
Clarkson University	2	2	100%	0	0%
Clemson University	9	2	22%	1	50%
Coastal Carolina University	3	1	33%	0	0%
Colby College	4	0	0%	0	NA
Colby-Sawyer College	1	1	100%	0	0%
Colgate University	2	1	50%	0	0%
College of Charleston	14	11	78%	2	18%
College of the Holy Cross	7	4	57%	1	25%
Colorado School of Mines	1	0	0%	0	NA
Colorado State University (Fort Collins)	2	2	100%	0	0%
Columbia University	4	0	0%	0	NA
Connecticut College	3	1	33%	1	100%
Cornell University	4	0	0%	0	NA
Curry College	6	6	100%	1	16%
Dalhousie University	1	1	100%	1	100%
Dartmouth College	2	1	50%	1	100%
DePaul University	2	2	100%	0	0%
Dickinson College	1	1	100%	0	0%
Drew University	1	1	100%	0	0%
Drexel University	3	3	100%	0	0%
Duke University	4	0	0%	0	NA
East Carolina University	1	1	100%	0	0%
Elon University	12	10	83%	1	10%
Embry-Riddle Aeronautical University (Daytona Beach)	1	1	100%	0	0%
Emerson College	5	4	80%	2	50%
Emmanuel College	6	5	83%	0	0%
Emory University	2	0	0%	0	NA
Endicott College	9	8	88%	1	12%
Fairfield University	32	12	37%	4	33%
Fitchburg State University	1	1	100%	0	0%
Florida Atlantic University	2	2	100%	0	0%
Florida Gulf Coast University	1	1	100%	0	0%
Florida State University	3	2	66%	1	50%
Fordham University	6	4	66%	1	25%
Framingham State University	1	1	100%	1	100%
Franklin Pierce University	1	1	100%	0	0%
George Washington University	3	3	100%	0	0%
Georgetown University	4	1	25%	0	0%
Georgia Institute of Technology	4	1	25%	0	0%
Gettysburg College	1	1	100%	0	0%
Hamilton College	4	2	50%	2	100%
Harvard University	4	0	0%	0	NA
Harvey Mudd College	1	0	0%	0	NA
High Point University	7	7	100%	1	14%
Hobart and William Smith Colleges	3	3	100%	0	0%

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Howard University	1	0	0%	0	NA
Husson University	2	2	100%	0	0%
Illinois Wesleyan University	1	1	100%	0	0%
Imperial College London	1	0	0%	0	NA
Indiana University (Bloomington)	3	2	66%	0	0%
Iona University	1	1	100%	0	0%
Ithaca College	5	5	100%	0	0%
James Madison University	6	5	83%	1	20%
John Cabot University	1	1	100%	0	0%
Johns Hopkins University	3	0	0%	0	NA
Johnson & Wales University (Providence)	2	2	100%	1	50%
Karolinska Institutet	1	0	0%	0	NA
Keene State College	6	6	100%	0	0%
Lafayette College	1	1	100%	0	0%
Lehigh University	1	1	100%	0	0%
Lesley University	1	1	100%	0	0%
Louisiana State University	1	1	100%	0	0%
Loyola University Chicago	4	4	100%	1	25%
Loyola University Maryland	6	6	100%	2	33%
Marist University	1	1	100%	0	0%
Marquette University	2	2	100%	0	0%
Massachusetts College of Pharmacy and Health Sciences	4	4	100%	0	0%
Massachusetts Institute of Technology	3	0	0%	0	NA
Massachusetts Maritime Academy	2	2	100%	2	100%
Massasoit Community College	5	4	80%	4	100%
McGill University	1	1	100%	0	0%
McMaster University	1	1	100%	0	0%
Merrimack College	18	18	100%	3	16%
Miami University (Oxford)	5	5	100%	1	20%
Michigan State University	4	3	75%	0	0%
Middlebury College	2	0	0%	0	NA
Montana State University	2	2	100%	0	0%
Mount Holyoke College	2	2	100%	0	0%
Nazareth University	1	1	100%	0	0%
New England Institute of Technology	1	1	100%	0	0%
New York University	8	6	75%	4	66%
Nichols College	1	1	100%	1	100%
North Carolina State University	14	4	28%	0	0%
Northeastern University	24	9	37%	2	22%
Northwestern University	1	0	0%	0	NA
Norwich University	2	2	100%	1	50%
Oregon State University	1	1	100%	0	0%
Pace University (New York City)	1	1	100%	0	0%
Penn State University (University Park)	19	18	94%	0	0%
Plymouth State University	4	4	100%	0	0%
Pratt Institute	1	1	100%	0	0%
Princeton University	2	0	0%	0	NA
Providence College	28	20	71%	5	25%
Purdue University (Main Campus)	4	1	25%	0	0%
Quincy College	1	1	100%	1	100%
Quinnipiac University	20	18	90%	1	5%
Regis College	2	2	100%	0	0%
Rensselaer Polytechnic Institute	4	4	100%	1	25%
Rhode Island College	1	1	100%	0	0%
Rhode Island School of Design	1	1	100%	1	100%
Rhodes College	1	1	100%	0	0%
Rochester Institute of Technology	7	7	100%	1	14%
Roger Williams University	9	9	100%	1	11%
Rollins College	2	2	100%	1	50%
Rutgers University (Camden)	1	1	100%	0	0%
Rutgers University (New Brunswick)	6	4	66%	0	0%
Rutgers University (Newark)	2	1	50%	0	0%
Sacred Heart University	10	9	90%	0	0%
Saint Anselm College	10	9	90%	1	11%
Saint Joseph's College of Maine	3	3	100%	1	33%
Saint Joseph's University	3	3	100%	0	0%
Saint Louis University	1	1	100%	0	0%

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Saint Louis University, Madrid	1	1	100%	0	0%
Saint Michael's College	1	1	100%	0	0%
Salem State University	2	2	100%	1	50%
Salve Regina University	20	16	80%	0	0%
San Diego State University	4	3	75%	0	0%
Santa Clara University	1	1	100%	0	0%
Siena College	1	1	100%	1	100%
Simmons University	4	4	100%	1	25%
Skidmore College	3	2	66%	1	50%
Smith College	1	0	0%	0	NA
Southern Methodist University	1	0	0%	0	NA
Southern New Hampshire University	2	2	100%	0	0%
Springfield College	2	2	100%	0	0%
St. Lawrence University	2	2	100%	1	50%
Stanford University	1	0	0%	0	NA
Stonhill College	14	13	92%	2	15%
Stony Brook University	3	3	100%	0	0%
Suffolk University	13	12	92%	1	8%
SUNY Geneseo	1	1	100%	0	0%
SUNY University at Buffalo	2	2	100%	0	0%
Syracuse University	8	7	87%	0	0%
Temple University	2	2	100%	0	0%
Texas A&M University	1	0	0%	0	NA
Texas Christian University	1	1	100%	1	100%
The Ohio State University	5	1	20%	0	0%
The University of Alabama	1	1	100%	1	100%
The University of Edinburgh	1	0	0%	0	NA
The University of Tampa	7	5	71%	0	0%
The University of Tennessee (Knoxville)	1	0	0%	0	NA
The University of Texas at Austin	1	0	0%	0	NA
Trinity College	3	2	66%	0	0%
Tufts University	9	1	11%	0	0%
Tulane University of Louisiana	4	0	0%	0	NA
Union College	4	4	100%	1	25%
United States Coast Guard Academy	1	0	0%	0	NA
University at Albany	1	1	100%	0	0%
University College London	1	0	0%	0	NA
University of Arizona	3	2	66%	1	50%
University of California (Berkeley)	2	1	50%	0	0%
University of California (Los Angeles)	2	1	50%	1	100%
University of California (San Diego)	2	2	100%	0	0%
University of California (Santa Barbara)	1	1	100%	0	0%
University of Chicago	2	0	0%	0	NA
University of Colorado Boulder	6	5	83%	1	20%
University of Connecticut	9	6	66%	0	0%
University of Delaware	5	5	100%	0	0%
University of Denver	3	3	100%	0	0%
University of Florida	5	2	40%	1	50%
University of Georgia	3	2	66%	0	0%
University of Hartford	2	1	50%	0	0%
University of Illinois at Chicago	1	1	100%	0	0%
University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign	2	0	0%	0	NA
University of Kansas	1	1	100%	0	0%
University of Kentucky	2	2	100%	1	50%
University of Louisville	1	1	100%	0	0%
University of Maine	14	14	100%	1	7%
University of Maine at Farmington	1	1	100%	0	0%
University of Maryland (College Park)	12	9	75%	3	33%
University of Massachusetts (Amherst)	57	38	66%	13	34%
University of Massachusetts (Boston)	18	17	94%	3	17%
University of Massachusetts (Dartmouth)	8	7	87%	1	14%
University of Massachusetts (Lowell)	12	11	91%	1	9%
University of Miami	4	1	25%	0	0%
University of Michigan	6	2	33%	2	100%
University of Michigan (Flint)	1	0	0%	0	NA
University of Minnesota (Twin Cities)	1	1	100%	0	0%
University of Mississippi	1	1	100%	0	0%

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University of New England	7	7	100%	2	28%
University of New Hampshire (Main Campus)	27	27	100%	1	3%
University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill	8	1	12%	0	0%
University of North Carolina at Charlotte	2	2	100%	1	50%
University of North Carolina at Greensboro	1	1	100%	0	0%
University of North Carolina Wilmington	4	0	0%	0	NA
University of Notre Dame	4	0	0%	0	NA
University of Pennsylvania	3	0	0%	0	NA
University of Pittsburgh (Pittsburgh)	3	3	100%	2	66%
University of Rhode Island	23	21	91%	6	28%
University of Richmond	2	2	100%	1	50%
University of Rochester	1	1	100%	0	0%
University of San Diego	2	1	50%	0	0%
University of Scranton	1	1	100%	0	0%
University of South Carolina	13	5	38%	1	20%
University of Southern California	2	0	0%	0	NA
University of Surrey	1	1	100%	0	0%
University of Toronto	1	1	100%	0	0%
University of Vermont	25	19	76%	1	5%
University of Virginia (Main Campus)	9	1	11%	0	0%
University of Washington (Seattle Campus)	2	1	50%	0	0%
University of Wisconsin (Madison)	5	2	40%	1	50%
University of Wyoming	1	1	100%	0	0%
Vanderbilt University	2	1	50%	1	100%
Villanova University	5	3	60%	0	0%
Virginia Polytechnic Institute and State University	4	3	75%	1	33%
Wabash College	1	1	100%	0	0%
Wake Forest University	2	0	0%	0	NA
Washington University in St. Louis	2	0	0%	0	NA
Wentworth Institute of Technology	8	8	100%	2	25%
Wesleyan University	2	0	0%	0	NA
Western New England University	5	5	100%	0	0%
Westfield State University	7	6	85%	1	16%
Wheaton College - MA	2	2	100%	0	0%
William & Mary	3	1	33%	0	0%
Worcester Polytechnic Institute	7	5	71%	1	20%
Worcester State University	1	0	0%	0	NA
Xavier University	2	2	100%	0	0%
Yale University	4	0	0%	0	NA
York University	1	1	100%	0	0%

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