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Hingham High School
Academic Profile 2022-2023

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Post High School Statistics (2017-2022)

Four Year Colleges	90%
Two Year Colleges/Specialized Schools	5%
Gap Year/Employment/Other	5%
Total to further Education	95%

Hingham High School is an academically competitive secondary school emphasizing college preparation.

Total Enrollment:	1175
2023 Graduating Class:	322
Accreditation:	New England Association of Schools and Colleges 2017

Curriculum

A minimum of 110 credits is needed to graduate. Students are required to take the following:

<u>Subject</u>	<u>Credits</u>
English	20
Social Studies	15 (including US History)
Math	15
Science	15
World Language	10 (in the same language)
Physical Ed	5
Health	2.5
Fine or Applied Art	2.5

20 Advanced Placement courses are offered. 49% of the senior class took at least 1 AP course in their senior year.

National Honor Society

Students are considered for admission in the spring of junior year and the fall of senior year. Final consideration for NHS is based on a minimum cumulative GPA of 3.7. Candidates receiving a majority vote of the Faculty Council will be inducted in the chapter.

The Global Citizenship Program

This program offers students the chance to earn a Global Competency Certificate through interdisciplinary academic study, independent research, community service and international travel. The program is application based. In the Class of 2018, 45 students earned their certificate.

METCO

Hingham has participated in the Metropolitan Council for Educational Opportunities program since its inception in 1967. This voluntary desegregation program brings students of color from Boston to 37 suburban school districts.

**THE IMPACT OF COVID-19
INFORMATION REGARDING GRADING**

DURING REMOTE LEARNING Spring 2020

- The second semester, which typically includes two terms (third and fourth) and final exams, included only one extra-long "superterm" from. No final exams were given.
- All work completed in the superterm earned the designation of "credit" or "no credit" instead of regular letter grades.
- Students who earned "credit" for the "superterm" were assigned a score of 100% while those who earned "no credit" were assigned a score of 60%. For full-year courses, this "superterm" grade was factored into the year-end grade according to the following formula: Term 1 = 35%; Term 2 = 35%; Midyear Exam = 10%; Superterm = 20%. For half-year courses that began on January 27th, the final grade appears as "credit" or "no credit" and was not factored into the calculation of GPA.

LEARNING IN 2020-2021

Hingham High School employed a 2 co-hort hybrid in-person and remote-learning phased model. The school day consisted of 3 seventy-five minute periods on M, T, Th, F with all 6 periods meeting on Wednesdays. The cohort at home logged into class remotely to receive instruction from the teacher along with on-site students. Students were remote 3 out of 5 days until students were phased into a 5 day a week model in late March/early April. Additionally, the typical 7 block schedule was reduced to 6 blocks, therefore some students did not have as many electives as a typical year.

LEARNING IN 2021-2022 and Beyond

Students are offered seven available classes, six meet each day for 57 minute periods.

SAT Mean Scores

	CR	Math	Combined
2022			
2021	617	611	1228
2020	620	612	1233
2019	614	614	1228

ACT Mean Scores

Year	English	Math	Reading	Science	Composite
2022	27.2	27.5	28.6	27.1	27.7
2021	28.7	28.0	28.8	27.4	28.3
2020	26.3	26.1	27.2	26.2	26.6
2019	28.1	27.5	28.7	26.7	27.9

2022 AP Scholars

54% of senior test-takers earned scholar designations.
37% of all HHS test-takers earned scholar designations.

Honor	Number
AP Scholar Award	40
AP Scholar with Honor	26
AP Scholar with Distinction	43

National Merit Scholarship Results

Year	Commendations	Semi-Finalists
2022	12	0
2021	7	1
2020	16	0
2019	11	1

GPA

Only leveled courses in the 5 major subject areas (English, social studies, math, science and world language) are included in the calculation of GPA. HHS does not rank students. However, the two seniors with the highest GPA are designated class valedictorian and salutatorian.

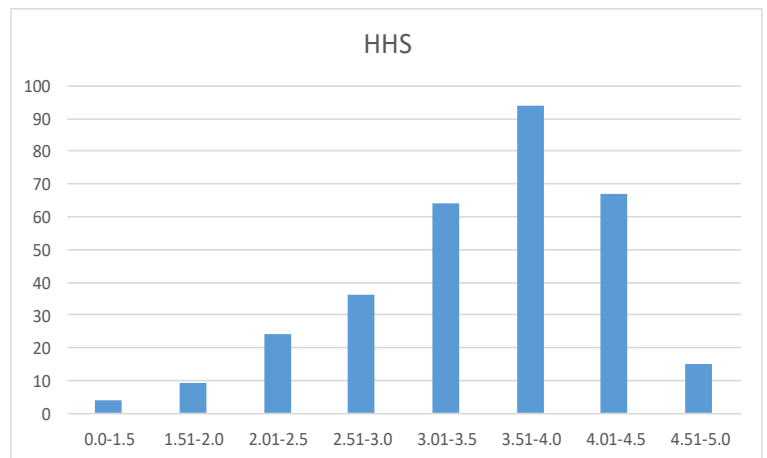
Grade	Level 1 AP	Level 2 Honors	Level 3 College Prep	Level 4 Standard
A	5.00	4.50	4.00	3.50
B	4.00	3.50	3.00	2.50
C	3.00	2.50	2.00	1.50
D	2.00	1.50	1.00	0.50

2022 AP Exam Results

293 Students (156 seniors) took exams. 89% earned 3 or above.

Test	Enrollment	% 3 or Higher
Biology (grade 12)	40	100
Calculus AB (12)	37	97
Calculus BC(12)	18	94.4
Chemistry (11,12)	28	46.4
English Lang (11)	47	74.4
English Literature (12)	45	97.8
European History (12)	42	88.1
French Lang(12)	13	92.3
Music Theory (10-12)	11	63.6
Physics E&M (12)	12	83.3
Physics Mech.(12)	12	83.3
Seminar	15	100
Spanish Lang (11)	25	96
Spanish Lit (12)	22	100
Statistics (11,12)	85	89.4
US History (11)	56	92.9
World History (10)	19	100

HHS GPA Distribution
Class of 2022-students



Community

Hingham is a town rich in tradition, incorporated in 1635. This suburban town is located 15 miles south of Boston and has a hundred-acre town forest, a state park, and a harbor. The town population is approximately 22,000 residing in 23 square miles of land. Most of the residents commute to professional, business or technical jobs in the greater metropolitan area. It is a town in which education is valued as demonstrated by approvals of tax overrides to fund educational programs and building projects.