HULL HIGH SCHOOL

SCHOOL PROFILE 22-23

180 Main Street Hull, MA 02045 www.hullpublicschools.org/high-school 781-925-3000 CEEB Code:221072



MISSION STATEMENT

Hull Public Schools provide a challenging and supportive learning environment to encourage all students to reach their greatest potential. We foster the growth of creative, curious, critical thinkers who are equipped to succeed as responsible, compassionate, and productive members of a diverse society.

Judith Kuehn, Superintendent Michael Knybel, Principal Julie Burke, Assistant Principal

<u>Partnership</u> <u>Rigorous</u> <u>Inclusive</u> <u>Dedicated</u> <u>Essential</u> Skills

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OUR SCHOOL & STUDENTS

- Hull High School is NEASC accredited
- K-12, public, college preparatory school
- Accredited by the Commonwealth of MA, Board of Elementary & Secondary Education
- 2012 Blue Ribbon School of Excellence
- BEST HS in US News Rankings
- 78% of all our graduates have received admissions from a four- or two-year college
- 17 Offerings in Advanced Placement, 20+ Honors Courses, & rigorous curriculum in online independent offerings
- High School enrollment 250 with 62 seniors
- Rigorous Academic programs with a challenging curriculum
- Over 50% of students enroll in AP Courses
- One to one school with technology
- Total K-12 enrollment 802

HIGH SCHOOL HIGHLIGHTS FOR 2021-2022

- Robust Internship Program for HS Seniors engaging in applied experiences
- Fully operational wood shop program with a new lab science course in Applied Physics
- HS students travel internationally to work with Habitat for Humanity in DR and with scientists in the Galapagos Islands
- Athletic department offers varsity and JV teams for students grades 8-12, including sailing and golf, NCAA recruiting
- South Shore League 2021: participated in football & cheerleading Super Bowl at Gillette
- Band program expanding in size over the past year

COVID NOTES

- March 2020 to June 2020 Employed full credit (100), credit (85), and no credit (59) into the grading system.
- Full year courses and semester courses for the 2019-2020 academic year were given a numeric grade as a
 final course grade. Traditional course credit (6.0 for FY courses 3.0 for semester courses) was granted.
 Semester 2 grades were not included into the GPA due to school closure.

COURSE REQUIREMENTS & ACADEMIC PROGRAM

HHS Course Catalog: https://www.hullpublicschools.org/sites/g/files/vyhlif4546/f/uploads/2022-2023_hull_high_school_program_of_studies.pdf

English - 4 Years

Mathematics- 4 Years
World Language - 2 Years
Science (Lab) - 3 Years

History - 4 Years
Allied Arts - 6 Credits
Health & Wellness - 12 Credits
AP, Honors & Online Courses - Available

GPA, CLASS RANK & GRADING SYSTEM

- GPA is updated annually for high school students. GPA weighting for honors classes is + 0.5 and for AP classes + 1.0 on a 0 4.0 scale. Full year courses are 6.0 credits. Class rank is reported exact.
- The Hull High School year is four quarters (2 semesters) weighted equally for the final grade. The minimum passing grade is 60.

B+ (87-89)

C+ (77-79)

A (93-100)

B (83-86)

C (73-76)

D (60-69)

A- (90-92)

B- (80-82)

C- (70-72)

F (<60)

HONOR SOCIETIES & HONOR ROLL

Our high school National Honor Society chapters induct eligible tenth through twelfth grade students. Students who meet the scholarship criteria of a 3.5 or better GPA and are then evaluated based on leadership, character and service.

HONORS, AP®, AND APPLIED EXPERIENCE

- Over 20 Honors courses are available across all Departments, requiring additional depth and breadth.
- 17 AP courses are offered across all departments & VHS learning. Results for 2020 included 14 Scholars, 4 Scholars with Honor, and 4 Scholars with Distinction. Greater than 55% of our graduates take at least one AP class.
- Robust Applied Experience (Internship) program including placements with the Hull Fire Department, South Shore Collaborative, and the United States Coast Guard
- Online learning options include high school (college prep and honors) as well as college level AP courses through our approved third-party providers, Virtual High School & Edgenuity.

OUR CURRICULUM

Our curriculum emphasizes:

- Mathematics and abstract reasoning
- Critical reading and writing
- World language Spanish I through Spanish V and AP Spanish Language
- Laboratory experience in science courses
- Understanding of how citizenship shapes history
- K-12 leadership and community service programs

Our academic goals are to:

- Prepare all students for college & career opportunities
- Provide a well-rounded education based on a mastery of core academic subjects
- Train for independent intellectual effort
- Generate excitement for life-long learning
- Develop 21st century skills for career readiness

COMPREHENSIVE SCHOOL COUNSELING PROGRAM

Our school counseling program continually improves the outcomes for all students in academic achievement, college planning, career readiness, and social/personal development. The school endorses the Massachusetts Association of School Counselors (MASCA – www.masca.org) model for Comprehensive School Counseling Programs. Our systemic Advisory Curriculum in grades 9-12 includes School Counseling curriculum in Career, Academic, and Personal Social lessons.

THE STUDENT LEADERSHIP AND SERVICE

Students develop citizenship, character, and leadership by coordinating activities involving student government, honor societies, and clubs. Student leaders organize and supervise events to enhance student life including dances, tutoring, clubs, trips, school spirit experiences, and student conferences. In high school, Student Leadership is divided into class councils for each grade. Members are elected from our councils to serve as class leaders.

ATHLETICS AND CO-CURRICULAR ACTIVITIES

- Hull High School is part of the South Shore League and offers the following sports: Football (JV & Varsity),
 Soccer (JV & Varsity), Cross Country, Basketball (Freshman, JV & Varsity), Lacrosse, Ice Hockey, Baseball (JV & Varsity), Indoor Track & Field, Outdoor Track & Field, Cheerleading, Golf, and Softball
- Art Club, Band, Physics & Stuff, Drama, PRISM (Diversity Awareness), Mock Trial, National Honor Society,
 Project Humanitarian Initiative, Student Government, SADD, Girls Who Code, Green Team, and Yearbook

COLLEGE ACCEPTANCES

2017-2022

Adelphi University Albany College of Pharmacy & Health Science Alfred University Anna Maria College American University Arizona State University **Assumption College Auburn University** Babson College Bard College Bates College Becker College

Belmont University Benjamin Franklin Institute of Technology Bentley University

Berklee College of Music Binghamton University

Boston College Boston University

Bowling Green State University

Brandeis University **Bridgewater State University**

Bryant University

Bunker Hill Community College **Butler University**

Cambridge School of Culinary Arts

Castleton University

Champlain College

Clark University Clarkson University

Clemson University

Coastal Carolina University

Colby-Sawyer College College of Charleston

College of Makeup Art and Design

Colorado State University- Fort Collins Connecticut College

Curry College

Dean College

Drexel University

Duquesne University

East Carolina University

Eastern Nazarene College

Eastern Washington University

Eckerd College

Elon University

Emerson College

Emmanuel College

Endicott College

Fairfield University

Fashion Institute of Technology

Fitchburg State University

Flagler College-St. Augustine Florida Atlantic University

Florida Gulf Coast University

Florida Institute of Technology

Florida Southern College

Florida State University

Fordham University

Framingham State University

Franklin Pierce University

George Fox University

George Mason University

George Washington University

Georgia State University Gordon College Harwich College

High Point University Hofstra University

Iona College

Ithaca College

James Madison University Jefferson (Thomas Jefferson University)

Johnson & Wales University

Keene State College

Lasell College

La Sierra University

Le Moyne College

Lesley University

Longwood University

Louisiana State University

Loyola University Chicago

Lovola University, Maryland Lovola

University New Orleans

Maine Maritime Academy

Maine College of Art

Manhattan College Marymount Manhattan College

MA College of Art & Design

MA College of Liberal Arts

MCPHS University

Massachusetts Institute of Technology

Massachusetts Maritime Academy Massasoit Community College

Merrimack College

Miami University. Oxford

Middle Tennessee State University

Montserrat College of Art

New England College

New England Institute of Technology

New Hampshire Institute of Art

New York University

Niagara University

Nichols College

North Carolina State University

North Dakota State University

Northeastern University

Northern Vermont University-Johnson

Northern Vermont University- Lyndon

Oregon State University

Pace University

Pennsylvania State University

Plymouth State University

Prescott College

Providence College **Quincy College**

Quinnipiac University Radford University Regis College

Rensselaer Polytechnic Institute

Rhode Island College

Rivier College

Rochester Institute of Technology Roger Williams University

Sacred Heart University

Saint Anselm College

Saint Joseph's University

Saint Michael's College

Salem State University

Salve Regina University

San Diego City College San Diego State University Seattle University Seton Hall University Siena College

Simmons College Southern New Hampshire University

Springfield College

St. John's University- New York

Stonehill College

Suffolk University

Syracuse University

Temple University

Thomas College

Union College

University of Alabama

University of Alabama- Birmingham

University of Central Florida

University of Colorado, Boulder

University of Connecticut

University of Delaware

University of Florida

University of Hartford

University of Hawaii at Hilo

University of Hawaii at Manoa University of Illinois, Chicago

University of Iowa

University of Kentucky

University of Lynchburg

University of Maine

University of Maryland, College Park University of Massachusetts. Amherst

University of Massachusetts, Boston

University of Massachusetts, Dartmouth

University of Massachusetts. Lowell

University of Miami

University of Mississippi University of Montana, Missoula

University of New England

University of New Hampshire

University of New Haven

University of North Carolina,

Wilmington University of North Florida

University of Rhode Island University of Rochester

University of South Carolina

University of South Carolina Upstate

University of South Florida

University of Southern Maine

University of Tampa University of Vermont

University of Virginia

University of Wisconsin- Madison

Utica College Villanova University

Virginia Commonwealth University

Virginia Military Institute

Wentworth Institute of Technology

West Virginia University

Western New England University

Westfield State University Wheaton College

Worcester Polytechnic Institute

Worcester State University

Xavier University