



"What I liked best about my school was how friendly and close everyone is. MHS is not just a place to learn, but a place where friends come together and spend time. Especially at football games, you can feel the whole school as one big, fun group cheering together."

Maya from Germany

Public School

Marblehead High School

Massachusetts

Marblehead High School is a top-performing public school in coastal Massachusetts, recognized for strong academics and student support. Its diverse AP offerings and hands-on learning programs provide students with excellent preparation for college and beyond.

- PUBLIC
- COED
- COAST
- FOUR SEASONS
- ARTS

Quick Facts

Founded: 2003	Accepting students: Grade 10-12
Niche.com Score: A	Diploma Year offered: Yes
Students: Co-educational	Interview Required? No
Climate: Cold winters / Warm summers	English as Second Language (ESL) support: No
Population: 20,000	University Acceptance rate: 95%
High School Population: 930	

Academic Excellence

Marblehead High School ranks in the top tier of Massachusetts public schools and offers a strong college-preparatory curriculum that emphasizes rigor and real-world learning. Students can choose from numerous AP courses across STEM, humanities, and arts, including Biology, Calculus, Environmental Science, U.S. History, and Statistics. Faculty support students through personalized learning pathways and a signature Senior Project that provides hands-on experience in internships or research during the final semester. The school's academic performance consistently exceeds state averages, with strong proficiency in reading and math.

Student Accomplishments

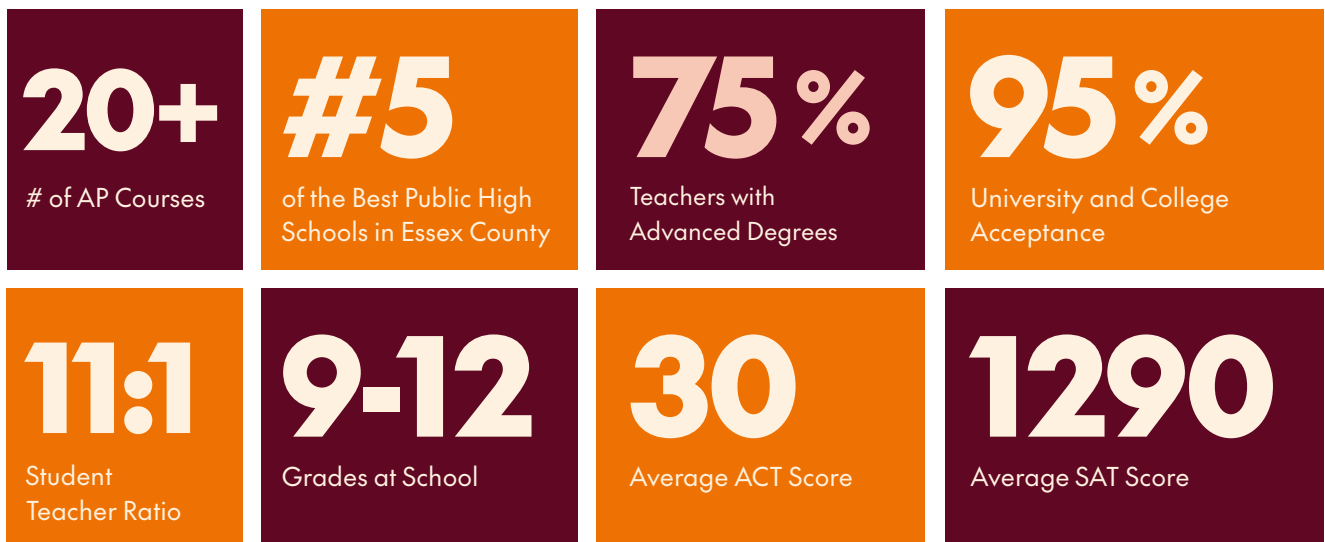
- Regional and statewide recognition in the Boston Globe Scholastic Art Awards
- High proficiency scores on Massachusetts state exams
- Strong participation in community service and leadership programs
- Competitive achievements in athletics, including skiing and sailing

Recent University Acceptances

- American University
- Amherst College
- Boston College
- Boston University
- Brown University
- Columbia University
- Fashion Institute of Technology
- Fordham University
- Georgetown University
- Harvard University
- Massachusetts Institute of Technology
- New York University
- Northeastern University
- Northwestern University
- Pennsylvania State University
- Tufts University
- University of Chicago
- University of Denver
- University of New Hampshire
- University of Notre Dame
- University of San Diego
- University of Tampa
- University of Vermont
- Worcester Polytechnic Institute



Stats



Campus Facilities

The school sits on a 30-acre hilltop campus opened in 2003, offering **modern academic, STEM, and arts facilities**. Classrooms are equipped for technology integration, and the campus includes specialized labs for science, engineering, media, and visual arts. Students benefit from a full auditorium, technical workshops, and dedicated spaces for theater and video production. Extensive athletic fields support outdoor sports, while indoor areas accommodate ice hockey, fitness, and training. These facilities enable a wide range of academic and extracurricular programs to thrive.

Athletics and Arts

Marblehead High School has a long-standing athletic tradition, especially in skiing, sailing, and ice hockey, with over 30 competitive teams. Its athletic culture encourages teamwork, sportsmanship, and physical development across multiple levels of competition.

The arts program is regionally recognized, with students earning awards in visual arts and strong pathways in theater, music, and media production. Programs emphasize both creative expression and technical skill-building through studio art, digital design, sculpture, choir, orchestra, and video production.



Highlights

Sports: American Football, Baseball, Basketball, Cheerleading, Cross Country Running, Golf, Gymnastics, Field Hockey, Ice Hockey, Indoor Track, Lacrosse, Sailing, Skiing, Soccer, Softball, Swimming, Tennis, Track, Volleyball, Wrestling

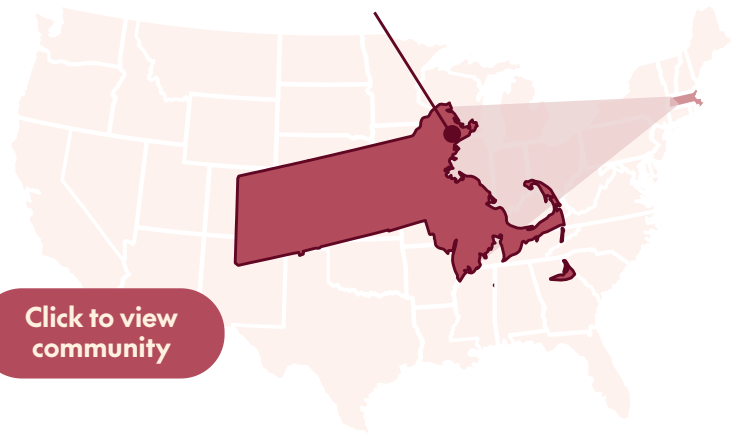
Arts: Animation, Architectural Drawing and Design, Art, Art History, Musical Theater, Photography, Sculpture, Studio Art, Television Production, Theater Arts, Video Production, Band, Choir, Jazz Band, Orchestra, Music Theory, Guitar, Piano, Ukulele

Advanced Placement courses: 2D Art and Design, 3D Art and Design, Art History, Biology, Calculus AB, Calculus BC, Chemistry, Computer Science A, Computer Science Principles, Environmental Science, European History, French Language and Culture, Latin, Physics C: Mechanics, Seminar, Spanish Language and Culture, Statistics, U.S. Government and Politics, U.S. History

Community

Marblehead is a historic coastal town known for its ocean views, colonial architecture, and maritime heritage. With a population of about 20,000, it provides a safe, scenic environment 18 miles north of Boston. The community offers parks, beaches, historic sites, museums, and sailing culture. Logan International Airport (BOS) is the nearest major airport. Local attractions include Fort Sewall, Old Burial Hill, and the picturesque harbor district.

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Climate in Marblehead

Traditional four-season climate with warm summers and cold winters.



"I chose Marblehead High School because I wanted a school near Boston, because of the colleges that I am interested in, specifically Harvard and MIT. In terms of sports and the facilities, the school is just great. Among the schools offered, it was considered one of the hardest ones with the hardest courses. I've always felt surrounded by great people who was ready to help me."

Marco from Italy

"The whole high school experience is incredible, and I found a second family here."

Ludovica D.

Video

Learn more about the school

