

"Choosing to study abroad in the U.S. was the moment I changed my life. I joined the soccer program even though it was difficult at first, and I kept going. Through the year I learned who I am, what motivates me, and what I want for my future. I plan to become a nursery nurse in the U.S., and I already know the college I want to attend after finishing one more year of high school. I'm grateful for everyone who helped me grow and gave me memories I will carry forever."

Hien from Vietnam

Public School

Lowell High School - Kent ISD

Michigan

Lowell High School is a public school in western Michigan offering strong academics, competitive athletics, and extensive extracurricular programs. The school combines AP coursework, career pathways, and hands-on learning opportunities.



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Quick Facts

Founded: 1916

Niche.com Score: A-

Students: Co-educational

Climate: Cold winters / Warm summers

Population: 4,000

High School Population: 1,100

Accepting students: Grade 10-11

Diploma Year offered: No

Interview required? No

English as Second Language (ESL) support: Yes

University Acceptance Rate: 89%

Academic Excellence

Lowell High School provides a rigorous academic program supported by **Advanced Placement courses, strong performance metrics, and personalized classroom instruction.** With 80% of AP test-takers earning qualifying scores, the school demonstrates consistent academic achievement. Faculty guide students through AP, honors, and college-readiness pathways, strengthened by five consecutive College Success Awards. The school's agricultural vocational program gives students practical STEM and career skills, while additional support services, including ESL and a wide selection of clubs, extend learning beyond the classroom. Its curriculum and instructional quality place Lowell among the top 20% of high schools in Michigan.

Student Accomplishments

- Multiple state and regional athletic championship titles
- Over \$1 million in student scholarships in 2023
- AP students achieving 80% qualifying scores
- National and regional recognition in band and orchestra

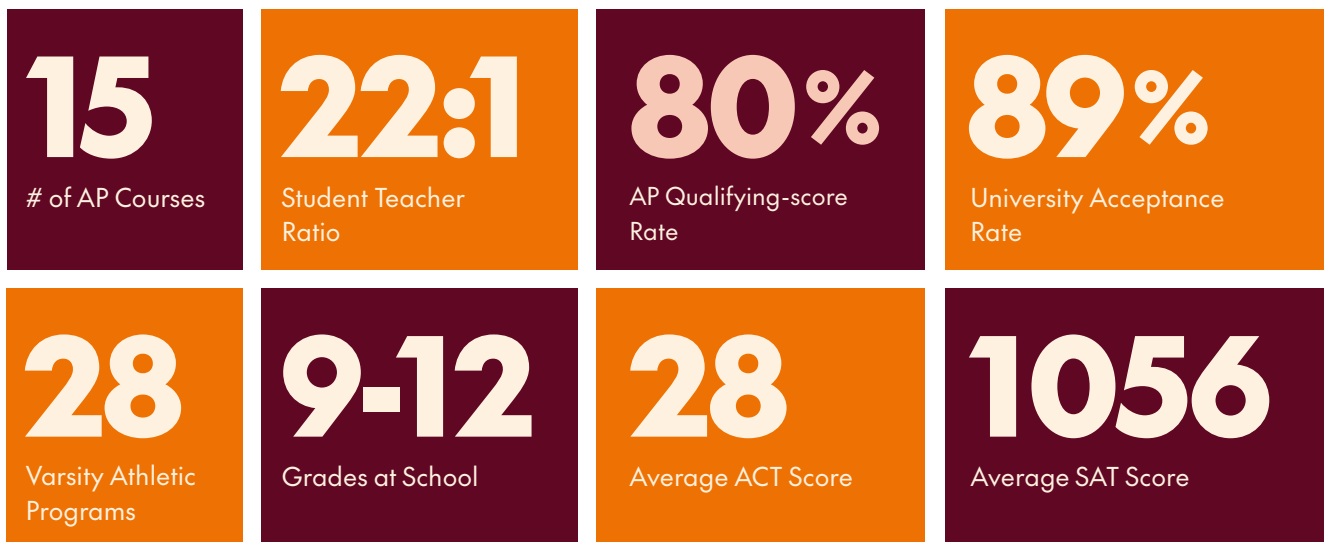


Recent University Acceptances

- Arizona State University
- Auburn University
- Brigham Young University
- Brown University
- Butler University
- Concordia University
- Cornell University
- Duke University
- Harvard University
- Iowa State University
- Johns Hopkins University
- Kansas State University
- Michigan State University
- Ohio State University
- Purdue University
- Stanford University
- University of Alabama
- University of Georgia
- University of Kentucky
- University of Miami
- University of Notre Dame,
- University of Virginia
- Xavier University



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Campus Facilities

Lowell High School offers modern academic and extracurricular spaces, including **updated science laboratories, a performing arts center, and dedicated facilities for orchestra, woodworking, engineering, and broadcasting.** The school also provides expansive athletic fields, a competitive gymnasium, and specialized spaces for its nationally recognized wrestling program. A notable feature is the agricultural science training area, which gives students access to hands-on, industry-aligned coursework. These facilities blend practical learning environments with creative and athletic spaces, supporting a well-rounded educational experience.

Athletics and Arts

Lowell competes in the Ottawa-Kent Conference and is widely known for its dominant wrestling team, which holds 13 consecutive state championships. Students participate in structured athletic programs that emphasize teamwork, physical conditioning, and competitive excellence.

Arts programs include strong band and orchestra pathways, with students performing at community events and regional showcases. Visual arts, theater, and creative clubs support skill development across multiple mediums.



Highlights

Sports: American Football, Baseball, Basketball, Bowling, Cheerleading, Cross Country, Golf, Gymnastics, Ice Hockey, Lacrosse, Soccer, Softball, Tennis, Track and Field, Volleyball, Wrestling

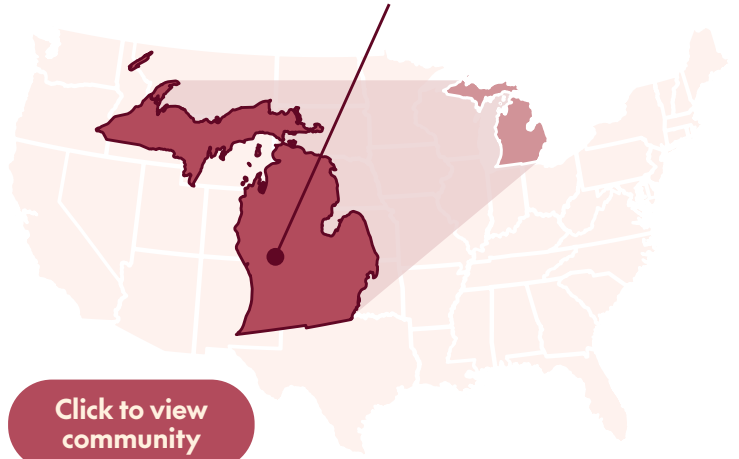
Arts: Craft Arts, Intro to Art, Drawing, Painting, Sculpture, Darkroom, Photography/Printmaking, Ceramics, Studio Art, Computer Art, Theatre, Acting & Directing, Symphonic Band, Concert Band, Marching Band A, Jazz Band, Chamber Orchestra, Concert Orchestra, Symphony Orchestra, Bella Voce Choir, Concert Choir, Music Appreciation, Intro to Music Technology

Advanced Placement courses: Biology, Calculus AB, Calculus BC, Chemistry, Computer Science A, English Language and Composition, English Literature and Composition, European History, Physics 1, Physics C: Mechanics, Psychology, Spanish Language and Culture, Statistics, US Government and Politics, US History

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Community

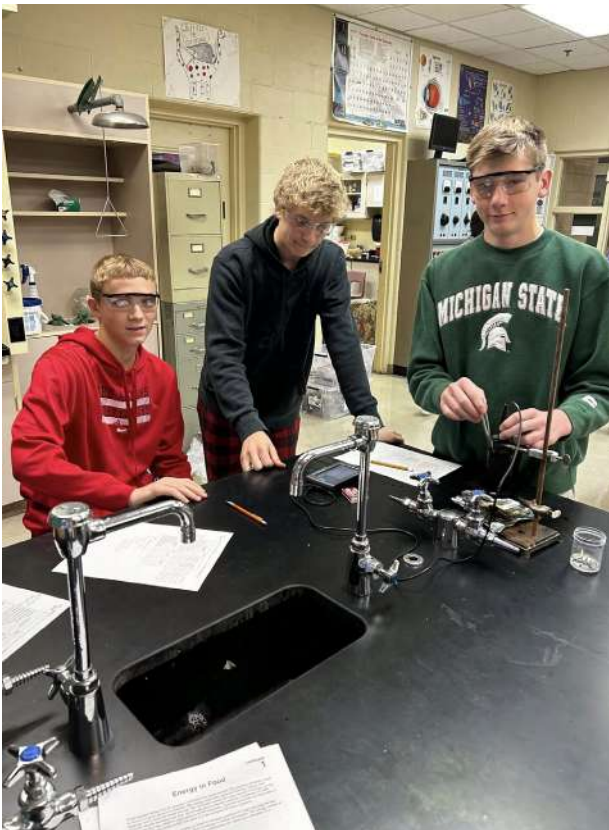
Lowell is a small, historic community in Kent County, located just 15 miles east of Grand Rapids. With a population of around 4,000, the town balances rural charm with access to metropolitan amenities. The nearest major airport, Gerald R. Ford International Airport (GRR), is a short drive away. Local attractions include scenic trails, the Fallsburg Covered Bridge, the Flat River, and the LowellArts cultural center. The area offers a safe, welcoming environment for students.



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Climate in Lowell, Michigan

Four distinct seasons with cold, snowy winters and warm summers.



Video

Learn more about the school

