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Accreditation: New England Association of Schools and Colleges (N.E.A.S.C.)

Brookline High School is a member of the National Association for College Admission Counseling and complies with the NACAC Statement of Principles of Good Practice.

Brookline High School was founded in 1843. Today, BHS educates an extraordinarily diverse population of students representing 76 nations and most ethnic groups. 26% of BHS students speak a first language other than English, and 41 languages are spoken by our students.

Recognized as one of the finest schools in the nation by publications such as Boston Magazine, US News and World Report, and Newsweek, Brookline High School is known best for its extensive curriculum, outstanding faculty, and innovative programs and services, leading to students' academic success.

Brookline is a dynamic and progressive community of approximately 59,000 people, deeply committed to the success of its public schools. The school is 8% African American, 15% Asian, 10% Hispanic, 60% White, and 7% Multi-Ethnic. The median household income in the town is just above \$90,000. In contrast, 15.5% of the students qualify for free or reduced-price lunch. Eight elementary schools and one comprehensive high school educate approximately 7,100 students.

Marking System

The mission of Brookline High School is to develop capable, confident, life-long learners who contribute to their community, participate thoughtfully in democracy, and succeed in a diverse and evolving global society. In order to graduate from The High School, students must earn a total of 22 credits.

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 B=3.0; B-=2.7; C+=2.3;
 C=2.0; C-=1.7; D+=1.3;
 D=1.0; D-=0.7; E=0;

*N= Failure due to attendance inadequate to meet the requirements of the course.

Options: P= Pass; F = Fail;
 W = Withdrew

Grade Point Average is calculated at the end of the junior year and measures final grades from the 10th and 11th grades.

All courses granting at least one-half credit per semester are included, except those taken on a pass fail basis and those earning a grade of "N". Advanced Placement and Honors courses are not weighted. Many Senior Year classes are unlevleled. Independent study is available to students on a contractual basis. Levels are clearly indicated on the student's transcript. Marks earned for grades 10 & 11 are averaged on a 4 point scale.

Information on attendance and discipline is not available to colleges per school policy.

We counsel students to answer honestly any questions regarding their disciplinary history on a college application.

School

Total enrollment	1955
Grades included	9, 10, 11, 12
Size of senior class	434

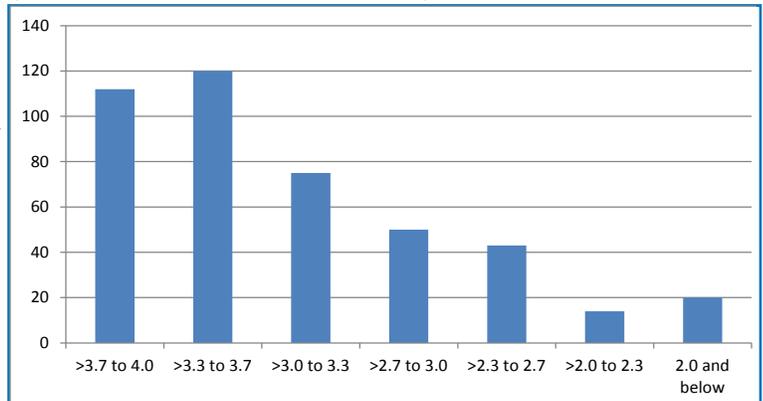
College Admissions Test Scores

SAT I Scores, Class of 2015

	Critical Reading	Math	Writing
75 th Percentile	680	710	690
50 th Percentile	600	630	600
BHS Mean	590	615	590
MA Mean	516	529	507
National Mean	495	511	484

Class of 2016 Grade Distribution

(Note: We do not calculate rank in class.)



National Merit Scholars

Class of 2016 National Merit Scholar Semi-finalists	8
Class of 2016 National Merit Scholar Commendations	43
Class of 2016 National Hispanic Scholars	1

Advanced Placement at BHS

BHS offers 18 AP courses, including American Government, Biology, Calculus AB, Calculus BC, Chemistry, Chinese, Environmental Science, European History, French, Japanese, Latin, Music Theory, Physics B, Physics C, Spanish, Statistics, Studio Art, and U.S. History.

In May 2015, 413 BHS students took 870 AP examinations, with 93.5% earning a score of 3 or higher, and 86.9% earning 4 or higher. The accompanying chart shows the distribution of scores on AP exams.

School Totals	5	4	3	2	1
Total Exams	399	270	133	52	13
% of Total	46.0%	31.1%	15.3%	6.0%	1.5%

Subject Totals	5	4	3	2	1	#	Avg.
BIO	28	36	5	1	0	70	4.30
CALC AB	39	30	14	13	7	103	3.79
CALC BC	57	2	1	0	0	60	4.93
CHEM	31	34	16	2	0	83	4.13
CHINESE	2	6	3	0	0	11	3.91
ENGLISH LANG.	15	11	6	2	0	34	4.15
ENGLISH LIT.	11	20	12	8	0	51	3.67
ENVIR. SCI	4	12	4	2	1	23	3.70
EURO	14	3	2	1	0	20	4.50
FRENCH	14	4	1	0	0	19	4.68
JAPANESE	3	2	4	0	0	9	3.89
LATIN	1	2	5	2	0	10	3.20
MUSIC THEORY	10	3	0	1	0	14	4.57
PHYSICS 1	7	8	6	2	3	26	3.54
PHYSICS 2	0	2	11	8	1	22	2.64
PHYSICS C ELECT	27	9	6	5	0	47	4.23
PHYSICS C MECH	38	7	3	0	0	48	4.73
PSYCHOLOGY	4	3	4	1	0	12	3.83
SPANISH	30	14	2	0	0	46	4.61
STATISTICS	8	14	3	0	0	25	4.20
STUDIO ART	0	3	3	0	0	6	3.50
US GOV'T	13	9	2	0	0	24	4.46
US HISTORY	40	34	20	3	0	97	4.14

AP Scholars Total Scholars: 168; Average Score: 4.39

	AP Scholar	AP Scholar with Honor	AP Scholar with Distinction	National AP Scholar
Number	58	49	61	7
Average Score	4.04	4.36	4.53	4.83



Class of 2015 - 451 graduates

Attending 4-Year Colleges	85.6%
Attending 2-Year Colleges:	5.1%
Total Continuing Education	91.4%
Employment	3.3%
Other, Including Military	2.0%
Gap Year	3.3%

Colleges Attending (Class of 2015)

American U., Amherst C., Arizona State U., Babson C., Bard C., Barry U., Bates C., Beloit C., Bennington C., Bentley U., Berklee C. of Music, Boston C., Boston Conservatory, Boston U., Bowdoin C., Brandeis U., Bridgewater State U., Brown U., Bunker Hill C. C., Carleton C., Carnegie Mellon U., Case Western Reserve U., Catholic U., Champlain C., Clark U., Colby C., Colby-Sawyer C., Colorado C., Colorado State U., Columbia C., Concordia U., Connecticut C., Cornell U., Curry C., Dartmouth C., Earlham C., Eckerd C., Emmanuel C., Endicott C., Eugene Lang C., Fairfield U., Fisher C., Fitchburg State U., Florida International U., Framingham U., Framingham State U., George Washington U., Gettysburg C., Guilford C., Hamilton C., Hampshire C., Hartwick C., Harvard U., Ithaca C., Johns Hopkins U., Johnson & Wales U., Juniata C., Lewis & Clark C., Long Island U., Marlboro C., Massachusetts Bay C. C., Massachusetts C. of Art and Design, Massachusetts C. of Pharmacy, MIT, Mass Maritime Academy, McGill U., Montana State U., Mount Ida C., New England Conservatory of Music, NYU, Newbury C., North Shore C.C., Northeastern U., Oberlin C., Old Dominion U., Parsons, Penn State U., Pitzer C., Plymouth State U., Pratt Institute, Princeton U., Providence C., Purdue U., Quinnipiac U., Reed C., Regis C., RPI, Rhode Island C., RISD, Roanoke C., RIT, Rollins C., Roxbury C. C., Rutgers, Salem State U., Santa Clara U., Santa Monica C., Sarah Lawrence C., School of the MFA, Siena C., Simmons C., Skidmore C., Spelman C., St. John's C., St. Mary's C., Stanford U., Stetson U., Suffolk U., Syracuse U., Temple U., Culinary Institute, Trinity C., Tufts U., Tulane U., Tulane U., Union C., U. of Arizona, UCLA, UC Santa Barbara, U. of Colorado, UConn, U. of Delaware, U. of Hartford, U. of King's C., U. of Maine, U. of Maryland, UMass, Amherst, UMass, Boston, UMass, Dartmouth, UMass, Lowell, U. of Miami, U. of Michigan, U. of New Hampshire, U. of North Carolina, U. of Pennsylvania, U. of Pittsburgh, U. of Puget Sound, U. of Rhode Island, U. of Rochester, U. of Southern California, U. of Texas, U. of Vermont, U. of Wisconsin, Vassar C., Wake Forest U., Washington U. in St. Louis, Wellesley C., Wentworth Institute of Technology, Wesleyan U., Wheaton C., Yale U.