

50 FR. MORISSETTE BLVD. LOWELL, MA 01852 978-937-8900 978-937-8902 HIGH SCHOOL CODE: 221-218 WWW.LOWELL.K12.MA.US/LOWELLLHS

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ADVANCED PLACEMENT CLASSES



SCHOOL COUNSELORS

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LOWELL HIGH SCHOOL 2022-2023 SCHOOL PROFILE

COMMUNITY

Lowell is an urban community located 30 miles from Boston and is home to the Lowell National Park, the State Heritage Park, University of Massachusetts Lowell and Middlesex Community College. Population: 111,311 residents Median income: \$62,196

ENROLLMENT

3,272 students (9-12) Senior Class Size: 648

SNAPSHOT OF A GRADUATE, CLASS OF 2022

POST-SECONDARY PLANS 4-Year Colleges: 52% 2-Year Colleges: 22% Apprenticeship: 3%

TEST PERFORMANCE

Median AP Score 3 31 AP Scholars 104 John & Abigail Adams Scholarship Recipients

GRADUATION REQUIREMENTS*

*CLASS OF 2023

Military: 3%

Work: 20%

20 credits English 10 credits Physical Education 5 credits Health Education 10 credits U.S. History 10 credits Mathematics 10 credits Science

CURRICULUM

Lowell High School offers a comprehensive curriculum with coursework at the advanced placement, early college/dual enrollment, high honors, honors and college preparatory levels. Not all subjects are offered at all levels. Lab sciences have an (LS) designation on the school transcript. The academic year is comprised of two semesters. Each 2.5 credit course meets one period each day for one semester. Credit is issued each semester.

GRADE POINT AVERAGE

LHS uses a weighted-grade system, calculating each student's weighted GPA. Passing grade is a 65. GPA is calculated using the following factors:

| LEVEL | WEIGHT |
|-------------------------|--------|
| Advanced Placement (AP) | 2.0 |
| High Honors (HH) | 1.9 |
| Honors (H) | 1.8 |
| College (C) | 1.7 |
| Non-Weighted (N) | 0 |



MISSION STATEMENT

LOWELL HIGH SCHOOL IS A TEACHING AND LEARNING COMMUNITY THAT STRIVES TO INSPIRE, EDUCATE AND PREPARE OUR STUDENTS FOR THE 21ST CENTURY BY FOCUSING ON:

- EMPATHY, GLOBAL PERSPECTIVE, AND CIVIC ENGAGEMENT
- CRITICAL AND INVENTIVE
 THINKING
- COMMUNICATION AND
 COLLABORATION
- CAREER PREPARATION AND LIFE
 SKILLS
- HOLISTIC AWARENESS

ATHLETIC OFFERINGS

LOWELL HIGH SCHOOL HAS A ROBUST ATHLETIC PROGRAM FEATURING 32 TEAMS COMPETING IN THE MERRIMACK VALLEY CONFERENCE.

EXTRACURRICULAR OPPORTUNITIES

OVER 100 CLUBS, ACTIVITIES AND ORGANIZATIONS ARE AVAILABLE IN THE FOLLOWING AREAS:

- ACADEMIC
- FINE ARTS
- SOCIAL JUSTICE
- STUDENT GOVERNMENT
- COMMUNITY SERVICE
- STUDENT INTEREST

NOTEWORTHY EDUCATIONAL OPPORTUNITIES

EARLY COLLEGE/DUAL ENROLLMENT

Early College is a partnership with Middlesex Community College that allows students to earn college credits while still in high school. Up to 35 college credits available. Dual Enrollment courses are available through University of Massachusetts Lowell including science and education electives. Courses are weighted at an AP level.

EARLY COLLEGE PROMISE

Students commit to a fifth year where they are dually enrolled at LHS and Middlesex Community College, but take courses fully on the MCC campus. Students are provided with robust supports for their studies and transition to college. All tuition and costs are covered.

LOWELL LATIN LYCEUM PROGRAM

The Lowell Latin Lyceum, established in 1999, is an academically accelerated program at Lowell High School that represents approximately 4% of the student body. The Latin Lyceum provides an intellectually stimulating environment for very highly motivated and talented students. Graduates from the Lowell Latin Lyceum are prepared for entrance to any of the nation's top colleges and universities.

PATHWAYS

LHS offers the following Pathway Programs:

- Air Force Junior ROTC Business: Marketing and Finance Civics, Citizenship, and Communities Communications Culinary Arts
- Education Engineering Environmental Sustainability Fine Arts Health & Bioscience

Students who earn 10 or more credits in a Pathway earn a Pathway concentration designation on their final transcript.