**College Acceptances** 

The following Colleges, Universities and Schools have accepted students from the Class of 2022.

American Academy of Dramatic Arts, Los Angeles

American University Arcadia University

Arizona State University, Tempe

Asbury University
Azusa Pacific University
Belmont University
Bentley University
Bethel University, MN
Boston College
Boston University

Bridgewater State University

Bryant University
Bucknell University

Brandeis University

California College of the Arts

Calvin University Canisius College

Central Connecticut State University

Champlain College Chapman University Clarkson University Coastal Carolina University

Colby-Sawyer College College of Charleston Connecticut College

Connecticut College
Dartmouth College
Eckerd College
Elon University
Emerson College

Emmanuel College
Emory University
Endicott College
Fairfield University

Florida Atlantic University
Florida Institute of Technology

Fordham University

Framingham State University George Mason University George Washington University

Gordon College Grove City College Hampshire College High Point University

Hobart William Smith Colleges

**Husson University** 

Indiana University, Bloomington

Ithaca College

James Madison University
Judson University

Keene State College

Lasell University Lehigh University Lesley University Liberty University

Louisiana State University Loyola University Chicago Loyola University Maryland Maine College of Art & Design

Massachusetts College of Art and Design Massachusetts Institute of Technology Massachusetts Maritime Academy

Merrimack College Miami University, Oxford Michigan State University

Millersville University of Pennsylvania

Montana State University Montserrat College of Art New York University

North Carolina State University, Raleigh

North Shore Community College

Northeastern University

Northern Essex Community College

Northwestern University

Ohio State University, Main Campus Ohio University, Main Campus Old Dominion University

Pace University, NYC

Pennsylvania State University, Main Campus

Plymouth State University Providence College

Purdue University, Main Campus

Quinnipiac University

Rensselaer Polytechnic Institute

Rhode Island College Rivier University Roanoke College

Rochester Institute of Technology

Roger Williams University

Rutgers University, New Brunswick

Sacred Heart University Saint Anselm College Saint Leo University Saint Michael's College Salem State University Salve Regina University

Siena College

Southern Maine Community College Southern Methodist University Southern New Hampshire University

Springfield College St. Lawrence University Stetson University Stonehill College Suffolk University SUNY at Fredonia SUNY College at Potsdam

Syracuse University Taylor University Temple University

The Catholic University of America
The New England Conservatory of Music

The University of Alabama The University of Tampa The University of the South Thomas Jefferson University

Trinity College
Trinity College, Dublin
Tufts University
Union College, NY
University of Arizona

University of Colorado Boulder University of Connecticut University of Delaware University of Hartford University of Hawaii at Manoa

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 New England

University of New Hampshire, Main Campus University of North Carolina at Charlotte

University of Oregon

University of Pittsburgh, Pittsburgh Campus

University of Rhode Island University of Rochester

University of South Carolina, Columbia University of South Florida, Main Campus

University of Utah University of Vermont

University of Washington, Seattle Campus

Utica University

Virginia Polytechnic Institute and State University

Wagner College

Wentworth Institute of Technology

Westfield State University

Wheaton College Winthrop University Worcester State University

Xavier University

## Advanced Schooling: Class of 2022

Percentage of total class continuing education at

4 year college - 83% 2 year college - 3% TOTAL - 86%

## **Profile**

# Ipswich High School Ipswich, Massachusetts



Ipswich High School is a collaborative community that fosters equity among learners. We engage in the personalized acquisition of the skills and knowledge essential to becoming successful, contributing, and responsible citizens.

DR. BRIAN BLAKE Superintendent of Schools

JONATHAN MITCHELL Principal

LEEANNE COLLURA Assistant Principal CEEB Code 221095

Member of New England Association of Schools and Colleges

134 High Street, Route 133, Ipswich, MA 01938 978-356-3137 Fax 978-356-3720 Four-year comprehensive public high school

## Community

Middle income; suburban – semi-rural Miles north of Boston – 35 Population – 13,000

## **Faculty**

Staff and Administration – 66
Support Personnel – 3 Counselor Positions,
2 Adjustment Counselors, BRYT Clinical
Coordinator, BRYT Academic Teacher, School
Psychologist, Special Education Program Manager,
7 Special Needs Teachers with 7 Special Needs
Aides, Speech Pathologist, and an Academic
Support Teacher.

## **School Counseling Staff**

Justine May – Director of Guidance Claire Powers – School Counselor Jennifer Starrett - School Counselor Nicole Dziadose - School Counseling Assistant Christine Ryan – Adjustment Counselor Kelly Scott – Adjustment Counselor Beth Downing – BRYT Clinical Coordinator Chelsee Shieis – BRYT Academic Teacher

## **Admission Testing Program**

## **Mean SAT Scores:**

|                | Evidence Based      |      |  |
|----------------|---------------------|------|--|
|                | Reading and Writing | Math |  |
| Class of 2022: | 598                 | 585  |  |
| Class of 2021: | 592                 | 586  |  |
| Class of 2020: | 591                 | 577  |  |
| Class of 2019: | 586                 | 571  |  |
| Class of 2018: | 586                 | 571  |  |
|                |                     |      |  |

## **Mean ACT Scores:**

|                | Composite |
|----------------|-----------|
| Class of 2022: | 29        |
| Class of 2021: | 27.3      |
| Class of 2020: | 28.0      |
| Class of 2019: | 26.1      |
| Class of 2018: | 26.0      |
|                |           |

## **Program Offerings:**

Advanced Placement courses include: Biology, Calculus AB, Calculus BC, Chemistry, Computer Science, Computer Science Principles, English Language and Composition, English Literature, Environmental Science (not offered 2021-22), Physics, Psychology, Seminar, Statistics, U.S. History U.S. Government (not offered 2021-22), and World History. Access to AP courses through Virtual High School.

Early College/Dual Enrollment (DE) - college courses taken for high school and college credit

*Independent Study* - Students earn credits through individual study with faculty advisors

Senior Internship Program (BRIDGE) - for 4th quarter seniors

The Virtual High School Collaborative (VHS) - Fully accredited online secondary school courses available to students for credit

### Distribution of Cumulative GPA for the

Class of 2022 – Starting with the Class of 2008, Ipswich High School no longer calculates class rank.

| Top Decile | 4.59 - 4.28 | 6th Decile  | 3.51 - 3.37 |
|------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|
| 2nd Decile | 4.27 - 4.05 | 7th Decile  | 3.34 - 3.10 |
| 3rd Decile | 4.03 - 3.92 | 8th Decile  | 3.03 - 2.77 |
| 4th Decile | 3.92 - 3.69 | 9th Decile  | 2.77 - 2.45 |
| 5th Decile | 3.66 - 3.45 | 10th Decile | 2.44 - 1.56 |

#### **Curriculum and Course Levels**

The educational program affords students the opportunity to select courses from the applied arts, college preparatory, technology, the fine arts, health, and physical education. By offering courses at four difficulty levels, all students can succeed in courses at their own level and earn a place on the honor roll.

#### **Course Levels**

All courses are designed by their level of difficulty as follows:

Level 3 - Advanced Placement

Level 2 - Honors

Level 1 - College Preparatory 2

Level 0 - College Preparatory 1

#### **GPA** and Course Level Table

|    |        | WEIGHT |        |         |         |
|----|--------|--------|--------|---------|---------|
|    |        | A.P.   | HONORS | COLLEGE | COLLEGE |
|    |        |        |        | PREP 2  | PREP 1  |
| A+ | 100-97 | 5.00   | 4.50   | 4.00    | 3.50    |
| A  | 96-93  | 4.70   | 4.20   | 3.70    | 3.20    |
| A- | 92-90  | 4.50   | 4.00   | 3.50    | 3.00    |
| B+ | 89-87  | 4.30   | 3.80   | 3.30    | 2.80    |
| В  | 86-83  | 4.00   | 3.50   | 3.00    | 2.50    |
| B- | 82-80  | 3.70   | 3.20   | 2.70    | 2.20    |
| C+ | 79-77  | 3.40   | 2.90   | 2.40    | 1.90    |
| C  | 76-73  | 3.00   | 2.50   | 2.00    | 1.50    |
| C- | 72-70  | 2.70   | 2.20   | 1.70    | 1.20    |
| D+ | 69-67  | 2.40   | 1.90   | 1.40    | .90     |
| D  | 66-65  | 2.00   | 1.50   | 1.00    | .50     |
| F  | 64-0   | .00    | .00    | .00     | .00     |
|    |        |        |        |         |         |

## Covid-19 Schedule and Grading Adjustments

From March 2020 through the end of the school year, Ipswich High School moved to a fully virtual remote learning model. Second semester-long courses were graded pass/fail. Year-long courses continued to be assigned letter grades, but the second semester received half of the weight.

For the 2020-2021 school year, Ipswich High School adopted a semester-block schedule and ran a hybrid model. Students received synchronous instruction either in person or remote every day.

## **Graduation Requirements**

Graduation requirements include the accumulation of at least 110 credits based on course work completed in grades 9-12. Students must receive credit and passing grades in the following courses in order to graduate:

| English            | 4 years                                   |
|--------------------|---|
| Social Studies     | 4 years                                   |
| Mathematics        | 4 years                                   |
| Lab Science        | 3 years                                   |
| World Language     | 2 years                                   |
| Physical Education | 4 courses and Sports<br>Options Available |

#### **Activities**

Health

Students are encouraged to participate in the variety of clubs and organizations available including: 40% Club, Amnesty International, Art Club, *The Chameleon* (literary magazine), Close-Up (Washington, D.C.), Dungeons & Dragons, Environmental Club, ESports, First Robotics, Green Team, GSA, ICAM Video Production Club, Intramural Volleyball, Ipswich Advisers and Mentors (I AM), Math League, Model UN, Multilingual Learners, National Honor Society, PURE.PALS, Rotary Interact Club, Ski Club, Student Government, Surf Club, World Languages Club, and Yearbook.

1 course

Performing Ensembles include Bel Canto, Chamber Orchestra, Chamber Singers, Jazz Ensemble, Symphony Orchestra, and Wind Ensemble.

Participation in the following sports is also available: Soccer (B&G), Football, Field Hockey, Cheerleading, Cross Country (B&G), Golf, Basketball (B&G), Indoor/Outdoor Track (B&G), Swimming (B&G), Tennis (B&G), Lacrosse (B&G), Baseball, Softball, Cooperative Gymnastics, Cooperative Ice Hockey (B&G), Cooperative Skiing, and Volleyball.