



# MARANACOOK COMMUNITY HIGH SCHOOL

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## CORE VALUES AND BELIEFS

The purpose of Maranacook Community High School is to create an environment where every individual can flourish academically and socially. Through respect, knowledge, and responsibility, the school community promotes character building, 21<sup>ST</sup> century skill development, and personal fulfillment.

## The School and Its Community

Maranacook is a public school serving 360 students grades 9-12 and is located in Readfield, Maine, approximately ten miles from the city of Augusta, the state capital. The school was founded in 1976 to serve the rural communities of Readfield, Manchester, Wayne, and Mt. Vernon, which have a combined population of approximately 6,000. The devotion of the staff and the School Board to our students, the high level of interaction among staff, students, and community, the focus on relationship-building, and the emphasis on meeting the needs of students as individuals are hallmarks of the Maranacook experience.

Our school is well known for its advisor system that unites one staff member with between ten and twelve students for the four full years of high school. This system reinforces strong community/student/faculty ties as well as provides a support system for each student. The atmosphere of Maranacook is positive, friendly, and supportive of individual differences.

## Curriculum Information

Maranacook offers a full range of academic programs with the study of foreign language, and algebra starting in the 7th and 8th grades. A student may take advanced courses in English, science, mathematics, social studies, and art. **Advanced Placement** courses are offered in Calculus, World History, Comparative Government and Politics, and U.S. History. Advanced level courses are noted on the transcript as Hon. or AP. Computation of rank in class includes all students and all courses. Maranacook also offers **Dual Enrollment** courses through KVCC, Thomas College and UMA. **Courses are not weighted.** MCHS also partners with Capital Area Technical Center and AP4ALL; classes are noted as CATC or AP.

## School and Student Accomplishments

★ **Girls Basketball**—KVAC Champions 2015; Western Class C Regional Champions 2015; Class C State Runners-up 2015; KVAC Player of the Year 2014, 2015  
★ **Boys Soccer**—State Champions 2013; 2014 Regional Champions 2013, 2014; KVAC Player of the Year 2013, 2014; KVAC Champions 2017  
★ **Cross Country**—KVAC Boys & Girls Conference Champions 2013; ; Boys Conference Champions 2014; Boys State Champions 2014; Girls KVAC Champions 2017

★ **Boys Basketball**—Western Class C Regional Final Runners Up 2014, 2015; Good Sportsmanship 2014  
★ **Alpine/Nordic Skiing**—Girls Nordic Conference Champions 2015; Boys Nordic KVAC Conference Champions 2015; Boys Nordic State Champions 2015; Boys Alpine State Champions 2014, 2015  
Boys Combined Skiing State Champions 2014; Girls Combined State Champions 2015; KVAC Boys and Girls Skier of the Year 2015, Good Sportsmanship

★ **Boys Lacrosse**—KVAC Conference Champions 2014  
★ **Art**—Maine College of Art Gold Key, Silver Key awards, Blaine House Regional Competition Best of Show; 1st, 2nd, 3rd place awards  
★ **Model U.N.**— Honorable Mention for best Position Paper 2014

## Grading System

Letter grades are used as an indication of academic success. **We report semester grades only.** For schools requiring the first set of senior grades, we will provide a progress report.

**A+** 97-100, **A** 93-96, **A-** 90-92, **B+** 87-89, **B** 83-86, **B-** 80-82, **C+** 77-79, **C** 73-76, **C-** 70-72, **D+** 68-69, **D** 65-67, **NC** O-64

## Graduation Requirements

22 credits that include the following: English 4, Mathematics 3, Sciences 3, Social Studies 3, Physical Education 1 ½, Health ½, Fine Arts 1, Computer ½, Electives 5 ½.

Accredited by The New England Association of Schools and Colleges and State of Maine Department of Education and Cultural Services

## Testing

PSAT / SAT Results			AP RESULTS			
PSAT	Class of 2018 School/State/Nation October 2016	Class of 2018 School/State/Nation October 2015		2015	2016	2017
Critical Reading	486/498/513	452/471/468	Total AP Students	59	55	54
Math	482/484/505	441/457/464	AP Students with 3+ score	36	42	27
SAT RESULTS From the April 2017 testing administration for the class of 2018			Percent with 3+ score	65.5	45	42
SAT School 989	SAT District 994	SAT State 992	State % with 3+ score	63.3%	59%	58%

## Co-curricular Activities

The wide range of activities available to our students reflects our commitment to support individual differences. We are especially proud of our civil rights teams and social action activities. Our vibrant art, theater, and music programs involve 75% of the student body. Co-curricular activities include:

Soccer	Baseball	GAPP (German American Partnership Program)	Tingley Brook (literary publication)	Health Center Student Advisory Committee
Field Hockey	Track and Field	French-American Cultural Exchange	Student Senate	Civil Rights Team
Cross-Country	Ice Hockey	Book Club	National Honor Society	Gay-Straight Alliance
Football	Softball	Peer Mentors	Speech/Debate Club	Teen Issues Committee
Basketball	Tennis	Middle School Mentors	Drama Productions	Knitting Club
Lacrosse	Golf		Diversity Leadership	Nerd Camp
Alpine Skiing	Math Team		Interact Club	
Nordic Skiing				

## Post Secondary Education

81% of the class of 2017 pursued post-secondary education—62% were accepted at 4-year schools, 17% at community colleges or technical schools, and 1% went into the military.

### 2017 Post-Secondary Acceptances

Bates College	Kennebec Valley Community College	St. Michael's College	University of North Carolina, Wilmington
Beal College	Lakes Region Community College	Simmons College	University of Rhode Island
Bennington College	Long Beach City College	Skidmore College	University of Southern Maine
Bishop's University	Maine College of Art	Smith College	University of Vermont
Bob Jones University	Maine Maritime Academy	Springfield College	University of Wisconsin – Madison
California State University - Sacramento	Massachusetts College Pharmacy And Health Sciences	St. Francis Xavier	Utica College
Castleton State College	McGill University	St. Lawrence University	Wentworth Institute of Technology
Central Maine Community College	Merrimack College	Southern Maine Community College	Wheaton College
Champlain College	Middlebury College	Southern New Hampshire University	Worcester Polytechnic Institute
Clark University	New England College	Suffolk University	WyoTech
Clarkson University	New Hampshire Institute of Art	Texas Christian University	
Coast Guard Academy	Norwich University	Texas Lutheran University	
Colby College	Palm Beach Atlantic University	Thomas College	
College of Marin	Plymouth State University	Trinity College	
Concordia University	Queen's University	United States Air Force	
Culinary Institute of America	Quinnipiac University	Unity College	
Eastern Maine Community College	Reed College	University of California, Riverside	
Elmira College	Regis College	University of Maine	
Emmanuel College	Rensselaer Polytechnic Institute	University of Maine Augusta	
Emmerson College	Rochester Institute of Technology	University of Maine Farmington	
Franklin Pierce University	Sacramento City College	University of Maine Machias	
Husson University	Salve Regina University	University of Maine Presque Isle	
James Madison University	San Diego State University	University of New England	
Keene State College	Santa Rosa Junior College	University of New Hampshire	
	St. Joseph's College of Maine	University of New Haven	