Higher Education Plans

87.2% of the Class of 2019 were accepted to four-year colleges, two-year colleges, and other schooling. The following list represents the colleges and universities offering admission to Rocky Hill Students:

Adelphi Univ Albany Coll of Pharm & Health Albertus Magnus Coll Alfred Univ American Univ Assumption Coll Barry Univ Bay Path Univ **Baylor Univ** Becker Coll **Bentley Univ Binghamton Univ** Bloomsburg Univ of PA Boston Coll Boston Univ Brandeis Univ Bridgewater State Univ Bryant Univ Capital Community Coll Carnegie Mellon Univ Castleton Univ Catholic Univ of America Central CT State Univ Clark Atlanta Univ Clarkson Univ Clemson Univ Coastal Carolina Univ Colby-Sawyer Coll College of Saint Rose **Collof Charleston** Collof the Holy Cross Connecticut Coll Culinary Inst of America Curry Coll Dartmouth Coll Dean Coll DeSales Univ Dominican Col Drexel Univ Fastern CT State Univ Elms Coll Elon Univ **Emerson Coll** Endicott Coll Fairfield Univ Fairleigh Dickinson Univ Fashion Inst of Tech Fitchburg State Univ

Florida Atlantic Univ Florida Southern Coll Florida State Univ Fordham Univ Franklin Pierce Univ George Mason Univ George Washington Univ Georgetown Univ Georgia Inst of Tech Georgia State Univ Goodwin Coll Gordon Coll Hamilton Coll- NY Hampshire Coll Hampton Univ Harvard Coll Hellenic Coll **High Point Univ** Hofstra Univ Hood Coll Howard Univ Iona Coll Ithaca Coll Jacksonville Univ James Madison Univ Johnson & Wales Univ Keene State Coll **Keystone** Coll King's Coll Lafayette Coll Lasell Coll Lee Univ Loyola Univ Chicago Lvnn Univ Manchester Comm Coll Manhattanville Coll Marist Coll Marymount Manhattan Coll Mass Coll of Art & Design Mass Coll of Liberal Arts Mass Coll of Pharm & Hlth. Sciences Mass Maritime Acad Merrimack Coll Middlesex Comm Coll Mitchell Coll New Jersey Inst of Tech New York Univ Nichols Coll

Nova Southeastern Univ Ohio Wesleyan Univ Old Dominion Univ Pace Univ, New York City Pennsylvania State Univ Porter & Chester Inst Providence Coll Purdue Univ Queens Collof the CUNY Quinnipiac Univ **Regis Coll** Rensselaer Polytechnic Inst Rhode Island Coll Rochester Inst of Tech **Roger Williams Univ Rutgers Univ-New Brunswick** Sacred Heart Univ Saint Anselm Coll Saint Joseph's Coll-ME Saint Leo Univ Saint Michael's Coll Salve Regina Univ Sandhills Community Coll Savannah Coll of Art & Design Seton Hall Univ Siena Coll Southern CT State Univ Springfield Coll St. John's Univ St. Lawrence Univ Stevens Inst of Tech Stonehill Coll Stony Brook Univ Suffolk Univ SUNY Albany Syracuse Univ Temple Univ Temple Univ The New School - All Divisions Trinity Coll Tulane Univ **Tunxis Comm Coll** U.S. Marine Corps Union Coll Univ of Alabama Univ of Arizona

Northeastern Univ

Univ of Central Florida Univ of Colorado at Boulder Univ of Connecticut Univ of Connecticut at Avery Point Univ of Connecticut at Hartford Univ of Delaware Univ of Florida Univ of Hartford Univ of Maine Univ of Maine at Machias Univ of Maryland, CollPark Univ of Massachusetts Dartmouth Univ of Massachusetts. Amherst Univ of Massachusetts, Lowell Univ of Minnesota, Twin Cities Univ of NC at Chapel Hill Univ of New England Univ of New Hampshire-Durham Univ of New Haven Univ of North Texas Univ of Notre Dame Univ of Pittsburgh Univ of Redlands Univ of Rhode Island Univ of Richmond Univ of Saint Joseph Univ of Scranton Univ of South Carolina Univ of South Florida, Tampa Univ of Southern Maine Univ of Tampa Univ of Tennessee, Knoxville Univ of Vermont Univ of Virginia Univ of Washington Utica Coll Villanova Univ Vilnius Univ Wagner Coll Wentworth Inst of Tech West Chester Univ of PA Western Connecticut State Univ Western New England Univ Westfield State Univ Winthrop Univ Worcester Polytechnic Inst Xavier Univ of Louisiana



VISION OF THE GRADUATE: A Rocky Hill High School graduate is a thinker, communicator, citizen, leader, and lifelong learner. We believe...



MISSION STATEMENT: Through high expectations and a challenging curriculum, all students at Rocky Hill High School will become responsible citizens who embrace learning as a lifelong process in an ever-changing world.

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Regular Hours: (M-F) 7:30A-2:20P Delayed Opening: (M-F) 9:30A-2:20P Early Dismissal: (M-F) 7:30A-11:25A

ROCKY HILL HIGH SCHOOL

- Our students are critical and creative thinkers.
- Our students are collaborative and communicative.
- Our students are civic minded and globally aware.
- Our students engage in learning as a lifelong process.
 - Our students are self-directed and resilient.

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<u>School</u>

Rocky Hill High School is a four-year comprehensive high school offering curricular and co-curricular programs to approximately 745 students in grades 9-12. Accredited through the New England Association of Schools and Colleges, the school offers a wide range of courses in college and career preparation. In 2019, 87.2% of the seniors received acceptances to four and two year colleges, and other schooling, 3.9% entered the workforce, 2.8% entered the military and 6.1% were undecided.

<u>Highlights at RHHS</u>

- State of the Art Classrooms
- Freshman Seminar Course
- Increased Technology in Freshman Classes
- Increased Advanced Placement (AP) and UCONN Early College Experience Courses
- Expanded Online Coursework
- National Honor Society
- National Art Honor Society
- Tri-M Honor Society
- National Business Honor Society
- International Language Honors Society
- Increased Interdisciplinary Course Offerings
- New Elective Course Offerings
- SAT Prep Course
- After School SAT Prep Program

School Enrollment

Class of 2020: 189	Class of 2022: 178
Class of 2021: 194	Class of 2023: 184

<u>Class Rank</u>

Passing Grade	60
Grade Average for Honors	85
Grade Average for High Honors	90

Rank is calculated by assigning a numerical equivalent to each grade within the assigned curriculum levels of academic difficulty. The points range from 4.50 for a grade of 90 or above in an Advanced Placement Course to (0) for any failing grade. A student's class rank is determined at the end of each year.

Community

Rocky Hill is a suburban community with a population of approximately 18,000, located eight miles south of Hartford, Connecticut. It is comprised of middle-income homeowners, most of whom work in professional, industrial, mercantile, and business environments of the greater Hartford area.

<u>Curriculum</u>

Rocky Hill High School is a four-year comprehensive secondary school offering college preparatory, general education, and vocational skills courses. All course offerings are leveled, with the degree of difficulty and amount of preparation identified for each course.

AP:	Advanced Placement / UCONN
Level 1 (H):	Honors program
Level 2 (A):	Academic program preparing students for competitive four-year colleges and universities
Level 3 (G):	General education program to reinforce skills or to introduce students to new areas of learning

Graduation Requirements (YOG 2020–2022)

- 4.0 English
- 3.0 Social Studies (1.0 credit U.S. History and .50 Civics)
- 3.0 Mathematics (1.0 credit in Algebra or its equivalent)
- 2.0 Science (1.0 credit in Physical Science & Biological Science)
- 3.0 Art, Humanities, Music, Business Education, Family & Consumer Sciences, or Technology Education
- 1.0 Advanced Course (in addition to those listed above)
- 1.0 Physical Education
- .50 Health
- .50 Computer Literacy
- 4.0 Elective Courses (unrestricted electives) Total Required: 22 Credits

Graduation Requirements (YOG 2023)

- 4.0 English
- 3.0 Math (1 credit in Algebra or it's equivalent)
- 3.0 Social Studies (1 credit US History & ½ credit Civics)
- 2.0 Science
- 1.0 Physical Education/Wellness
- 1.0 Health/Safety Education
- 1.0 World Language
- 1.0 Fine Arts (Art/Music)
- 1.0 Humanities
- 4.0 STEM: Science, Technology (CTE), Engineering and Math
- 1.0 Mastery-based diploma assessment
- 3.0 Elective credits (at least 1 advanced)

Total Required: 25 Credits

GPA Scale

Scale	Grade	AP/ECE	Honors (L1)	Academic (L2)	General (L3)
93-100	А	4.5	4	3.5	3
90-92	A-	4.33	3.83	3.33	2.83
87-89	B+	4.17	3.67	3.17	2.67
83-86	В	4	3.5	3	2.5
80-82	B-	3.83	3.33	2.83	2.33
77-79	C+	3.67	3.17	2.67	2.17
73-76	С	3.5	3	2.5	2
70-72	C-	3.33	2.83	2.33	1.83
67-69	D+	3.17	2.67	2.17	1.67
63-66	D	3	2.5	2	1.5
60-62	D-	2.83	2.33	1.83	1.33
0-59	F	0	0	0	0

Special Academic Programs

Advanced Placement (AP) courses are offered for Calculus, Statistics, U.S. History, Modern European History, Biology, Psychology, Chemistry, AP Studio Art, U.S. Gov't and Politics, Literature and Language & Composition.

UCONN Early College Experience students may receive college credit in Biology, Chemistry, Physics, Horticulture, Individual and Family Development, French IV, French V, Spanish V, Latin, and Classical Mythology.

College Partnerships students have the opportunity in their junior and senior year to participate in high school partnership programs at several state colleges. Students will have the potential to earn and transfer college credit. Partnerships include; MCC, MxCC, Goodwin College, UHART, and Wesleyan.

Online Coursework offers students over 200 online courses in art, business, foreign language, language arts life skills, math, science, social studies, and technology courses as part of their regular school day.

Project Lead the Way is a flexible four-year program designed to prepare students to be successful in post-secondary engineering and engineering technolog programs with the potential to earn credit from the University of New Haven.

Pathways provides a structured, individualized learning environment for special education students who might otherwise encounter difficulty in regular classroom situations.

Independent Study Programs are offered in a subject included in the curriculum or in an area which is an extension of enrichment of the curriculum.

Freshman Seminar Course

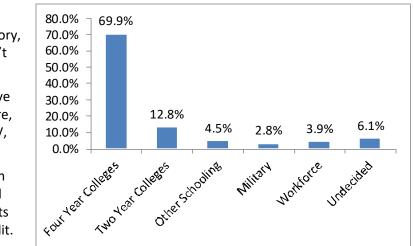
A Freshman Seminar class will provide ninth graders with the skills they need to be successful in high school. Activities in the class are designed to provide an refine skills needed to begin an effective transition from the middle school academic environment to the more rigorous high school curriculum.

Topics will include study skills/test preparation, academi goal setting, career planning & course selection, conflict resolution & team building, and school climate.

SAT Results (Class of 2019)

CEEB Scale	EBRW	Math
700-800	5.3%	9.9%
600-690	30.4%	14.6%
500-590	33.3%	46.3%
400-490	25.7%	19.3%
300-390	5.3%	9.9%
Average	552	539

Higher Education for Class of 2019



Marching Band

<u>Clubs and Activities</u>

and	<u>Sports</u> :	BOYS	<u>GIRLS</u>	COED
/ith	Literary/Art Stu	dent Magazine	Yearbook (<i>Cu</i>	mberland)
	Latin Honor Soc		Weightlifting	
	Junior Rotary C		Unity Team	
	Jazz Band		Unified Theat	er
	GSA		Unified Sports	
t not		ership Advisory Group	Unified Art	
		Leaders of America	Ultimate Frisk	bee Team
	French Nationa	,	Tri-M Music H	,
	French Club		Student Coun	cil
t	Flag Corps		Student Advis	
ng	Drama Club		Spanish Hono	or Society
gy	Creative Writin	g Club	Spanish Club	
	Connecticut Yo	uth Forum	SADD	
	Concert Choir		RISE Club	
	Concert Band		Proud Recycli	ng
സ	Chess Club		Poetry Slam C	lub
	Chamber Choir		Photography	Club
	Bracelets for Be	enefits Club	NOLA	
	Best Buddies		Newspaper (7	⊓ The Broadside)
	Art Club		National Hone	or Society
/	Animal Advoca	cy Club	National Art H	Honor Society
ts,	Amnesty Intern	ational	Model United	l Nations
	African Percuss	ion Club	Math Team	
			Marching Dar	iu

nd	<u>Sports</u> :	BOYS	GIRLS	COED
n nic t	Fall	Cross Country Football Soccer	Cross Country Soccer Swimming Volleyball	Cheerleading
	Winter	Basketball Wrestling Ice Hockey Indoor Track Swimming	Basketball Indoor Track	Cheerleading
	Spring	Baseball Tennis Track and Field Lacrosse	Softball Tennis Track and Field Lacrosse	