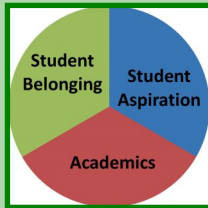




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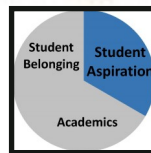
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Who is the Class of 2018?

The **Class of 2018** consists of a total of **332** students, **166** males and **166** females. Included in the Class are **65** National Honor Society Members and **2** National Merit Commended students.

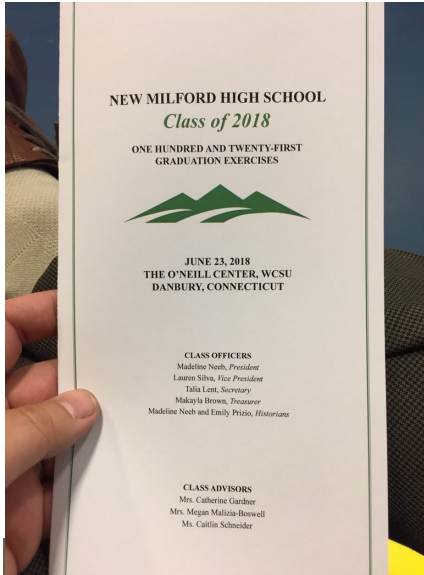
This class is sending approximately **eighty-seven percent** on to further education. **Two hundred ninety** will be attending either a four-year or two-year college. **Six seniors** are planning to attend a business, vocational technical or other specialized school. **Fifty-three percent** are planning to attend either a public or private college in Connecticut.

Some of the schools our graduates will be attending are: **Boston University, Brown, Clemson, Carnegie Mellon, Columbia, Duke, Franklin & Marshall, Gettysburg, George Washington, Hamilton, Holy Cross, Lafayette, RIT, Sarah Lawrence, Skidmore and the University of Virginia.**

Thirty-eight percent of the four-year college students will be attending the **University of Connecticut** or **Central, Eastern, Southern or Western Connecticut University**. **Ten percent** of the students are planning to enter the labor market or armed services.

Financially, there is a grand total of approximately **\$403,750** in scholarships and grants that have been accepted by our students through state and local organizations.

Well done Class of 2018!



NEW MILFORD HIGH SCHOOL

Class of 2018

Awards and Scholarships



***Congratulations to all our scholarship recipients.
Thank you New Milford for your support and encouragement to our graduates
as they continue with their education.***

A. Russell Ayre Scholarship:

Rachel Allen, Dillion Ash, Nawal Elmahy, Elizabeth Grabner, Lindsay Krauss, Lukas Kugler, Morgan Leclair, Noah Lovejoy, Jacob Meadows, Juliana Sopko, Nicholas Vivian

American Legion Ezra Woods Post #31 Award:

Charles Osborne, Dillon Ash

Andrew B. Mygatt VFW Post #1672 Good Citizen Award:

Elizabeth Grabner

Arion Singing Society German Language Award:

Joseph Alexander

Betty Olson Coles Memorial Scholarship:

Isabel Feliz

Big Y Scholarship for Academic Excellence:

Dillon Ash, Lukas Kugler, James Lewis, Charles Osborne, Julia Quinn, Elizabeth Schlyer

Brian Dickey Memorial Scholarship:

Haleigh Grinder

CABE Student Leader Award:

Davin Roberts, Olivia Thalassinis

CAS Arts Recipient:

Fiona Alexander, Michael Tarby

CAS/CIAC Scholar/Athlete Award:

Darcy Cook, Charles Osborne

CAS Leadership Award:

Elizabeth Meskill, Madeline Neeb

Connecticut Water Works:

Julia Quinn

Delta Kappa Gamma Tau Award:

Jaime Showalter

Dexter E. & Katherine R. Hoyt Memorial

Scholarship: Ryan Mondonedo, Eleanor Steiger

Donald H. Knowles Memorial Scholarship:

James Lewis

Ellen Knowles Harcourt Foundation Scholar-

ship: Jonathan Berge, Ian Jones, Hailey Ranson

Erwin "Chick" Lieff Memorial Scholarship:

Sunita Pfitzner

Field Family Scholarship: Taylor Kersten

French Honor Society Scholarship:

Valerie Ferrante, Tyler Volansky

Gail Carlson NM Ambulance Scholarship:

Rachel Allen, Nicholas Edwards, Madeline Neeb

Gaylordsville VFD Ladies Auxillary:

Dillon Ash, Brianna DeCapua

George R. Wetmore Memorial Scholarship:

Nicholas Vivian

German Honor Society Scholarship:

Darcy Cook, Duncan Edel, Lukas Kugler, Sunita Pfitzner

Gladys Cummings Memorial Scholarship:

Rachel Allen

Greater New Milford Board of Realtors

Scholarship: Elizabeth Skinner, Bailey Walsh

Greater NM Film Festival Scholarship:

Phair Haldin, Davin Roberts

Healing the Children Scholarship:

Julia Quinn, Juliana Sopko, Bailey Walsh

Isidore Wise Scholarship: Charles Osborne

IPTE Scholarship: James Lewis

John Pettibone Memorial Scholarship:

Ethan Baur, Matthew Clarke, Steven Davis, Nawal Elmahy, Anthony Fratino, Widemise Joseph, Taylor Kersten, Noah Lovejoy, Maggie McKay, Jacob Meadows, Ryan Mondonedo, Charles Osborne, Michael Pascento, Sunita Pfitzner, Vincent Rago, Elizabeth Schlyer, Jeffrey Schlyer, Jaime Showalter, Nicholas Vivian, Olivia Wetmore

John Phillip Sousa Band Award: Duncan Edel

Justine Wendy Smith Scholarship:

Peter Wunderlich

Karlson Family Foundation Scholarship:

Peter Calbi, Julia Quinn, Julian Venezia, Nicholas Vivian, Madeline Winter

Kenneth Hipp Memorial Scholarship:

Jaime Showalter



Kiwanis Club of Danbury Scholarship: Juliana Sopko
Knights of Columbus Connecticut Council #40 Scholarship: Steven Davis, Haleigh Grinder
Lois A. Fletcher Memorial Scholarship: Jaime Showalter

Louis Armstrong Jazz Award: Ryan Segal
Lynn Marie DeCaro Memorial Scholarship: Darcy Cook

Math Honor Society: Ryan Mondonedo, Michael Tarby, Tyler Volansky
Albert W. & Helen C. Meserve Memorial Scholarship: Charles Osborne
Mildred Larson Memorial Scholarship: Sarah Marsan

NMHS National Honor Society Chapter Award: Carolyn Gevinski, Taylor Nunez
National School Orchestra Award: Tyler Volansky

National Merit Scholarship Commendation: Joseph Alexander, Jeffrey Schlyer
Navy ROTC Scholarship: John Adams
New Milford Band Parents Scholarship: Shealyn Baumgarner, John Santoro, Michael Tarby, Gregory Winkelstern

New Milford Cafeteria Workers Memorial Scholarship: Madeline Winter
New Milford Education Association Scholarship: Jaime Showalter

New Milford Educational Secretaries Association Scholarship: James Lewis
New Milford Girl Scouts Scholarship: Rebecca McGee

New Milford Historical Society Scholarship: Katherine Harvison, Jeffrey Schlyer
New Milford Lions Club Scholarship: Charles Osborne

New Milford Police Union Leadership Scholarship: Dillon Ash, Ryan Berry, Valerie Ferrante, Elizabeth Grabner, Elizabeth Schlyer, Olivia Thalassinos
New Milford PTO Scholarship: Matthew Clarke, Jacob Dengler, Gabriela Esposito, Micayla Flynn, Carolyn Gevinski, Phair Haldin, Lukas Kugler, James Lewis, Charles Osborne, Michael Pascento, Derek Profita, Olivia Thalassinos

New Milford Registered Nurses Scholarship: Madeline Neeb
New Milford Rotary Scholarship: Margaret Calbi, Matthew Clarke, James Coffey, Stephen Davis, Madeline Neeb, Charles Osborne, Michael Pascento, Julia Quinn, Davin Roberts, Bailey Walsh

New Milford School Administrators Association Scholarship: Joseph Alexander, Conner Neelands

New Milford United Methodist Men's Club: Hannah Littlefield, Michael Tarby
Nobel B. Booth Scholarship: Derek Profita
Oma Doubek Memorial Award: Jacob Colley
President's Award for Academic Excellence: Joseph Alexander, Luis-Henrique Amaral, Margaret Calbi, Darcy Cook, Lukas Kugler, James Lewis, Grant Li, Hannah Littlefield, Sarah Marsan, Ryan Mondonedo, Viseth Neak, Taylor Nunez, Charles Osborne, Sunita Pfitzner, Eva Quigley, Julia Quinn, Jared Raines, Elizabeth Schlyer, Kelli Souza, Ethan Trim
Prudential Spirit of Community Award: Rebecca McGee, Gregory Winkelstern
Professional Women in Construction Scholarship: Charles Osborne

Raymond Gates Scholarship: Charles Osborne
Robert E. Muro Sr. Memorial Scholarship: Amanda Cascone

Roger Sherman CT DAR: Charles Osborne
Roger Sherman DAR Chapter Award: Lukas Kugler

Salutatorian: Luis-Henrique Amaral
Spanish Honor Society: Peter Calbi, Ryan Mondonedo

Sons of Portugal Scholarship: Luis-Henrique Amaral

SWC Leadership Award: Nathan Capriglione, Kelli Souza

Thrift Mart Of New Milford Scholarship: Hannah Arasim, Ethan Baur, Rebecca Bizier, Sydney Burns, Margaret Calbi, Peter Calbi, Steven Davis, Nawal Elmahy, Justin Hallas, Widemise Joseph, Taylor Kersten, Hannah Littlefield, Noah Lovejoy, Allyn Merritt, Ryan Mondonedo, Viseth Neak, Madeline Neeb, Charles Osborne, Sunita Pfitzner, Eva Quigley, Davin Roberts, Eleanor Steiger, Nicholas Vivian, Bailey Walsh, Olivia Wetmore

Unified Buddies Scholarship: Diego Ash, Marc Belansky, Haley Cartolano

Village Green Scholarship: Luis-Henrique Amaral, Elizabeth Schlyer

Valedictorian: Taylor Nunez
VFW Auxiliary Post 1672 Scholarship: Haley Jones

Vincent Gorman Scholarship: Jeffrey Schlyer
Walter G. Southworth Scholarship: Haleigh Grinder

Western CT Superintendent's Award: Katherine Grinnell, Derek Profita

Woman's Club of Greater New Milford Scholarship: Nicholas Vivian, Bailey Walsh, Peter Wunderlich



New Milford Adult Education Holds Commencement Exercises



Sixteen proud graduates of the New Milford Adult Education program walked the stage at New Milford High School on Wednesday evening, June 13, 2018 to receive their high school diplomas. Congratulations to the following students:

Shamek Brown	Paige Hanlon	Viosnely C. Presinal
Alexis Victoria Carter	Jessica D. Lariviere	Jessenia Lissette Travieso
Luke T. Dingee	Sebastian Aaron Lekawski	Jacob A. Wood
Andrew Michael Fournier	Haileigh M. Paola	Aidan Patrick Sullivan Woods
Sophie Gluck	Catherine Alyssa Peek-Ranslow	Harrison Wragg
	Dylan Thomas Phillips	

In total, 42 students enrolled in the High School Diploma program, for a total of 323 total class enrollments, and 120 high school credits earned. Classes are offered Monday through Thursday evenings from 5:00 to 7:00 and 7:00 to 9:00. If you'd like information on enrolling in the program, please call the Adult Education office at (860) 350-6647 ext. 1170.

Congratulations to the following Adult Education students for special recognition of achievement



- ◆ Commitment to Education: **Paige Hanlon** and **Sage Lynch**
- ◆ Attendance: **Tara Connolly**, **Sterling Hatch**, and **Ana Guaman**
- ◆ Career Pathways: **Catherine Peek-Ranslow**, **Alexis Carter**, **Jessenia Travieso**
- ◆ English (Voices and Values): **Setira Taylor-Wray** and **Sophie Gluck**
- ◆ English (Reading/Writing Connection): **Sterling Hatch**, **Tara Connolly**, and **Setira Taylor-Wray**
- ◆ English (Short Story): **Sage Lynch** and **Sterling Hatch**
- ◆ English (Children's Literature): **Dana Yeomans** and **Haileigh Paola**
- ◆ Social Studies (US History): **Dana Yeomans**, **Haileigh Paola**, and **Ana Guaman**



Best Wishes to our other “Graduates”
The 2017-18 NMPS Retirees!
You will be missed.



Jody
Altenhof



Claudia
Avery



Vicki
Braucci



Karla
Buffington



Antoinette
Fortuna



Joyce
Johnson



Corby
Kennison



Mary
Mercer



Linda
Mercier



Suanne
Merlino



Gary
Molenaor



Janet
Natale



Cathy
Neill



Marie
Pomeroy



Jennifer
Sheaffer



Lynn
Singleton



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Karen
Terhaar



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Summer - Finally!

"Summertime is always the
best of what might be."
~Charles Bowden

We hope you all take time to enjoy the
"lazy, hazy" days of summer. For those days
where you are feeling a little more ambitious,
Education World suggests ["25 Activities to
Keep Kids' Brains Active in Summer"](#)*

Their list, which offers helpful links and
templates in many cases, includes:

- ◆ Cooking with Kids
- ◆ Origami
- ◆ Taking a "light walk"
- ◆ Creating musical instruments
- ◆ Making cartoon flip books
- ◆ Starting a collection
- ◆ Designing your own room decorations
- ◆ Growing a magic crystal garden
- ◆ Joining a book club

Visit their website for more ideas.
In the meantime, we will look forward
to students' return on **August 29th!**

*Bafle, Cara (2009, 2016 Education World) 25 Activities to Keep Kids' Brains Active in Summer. EducationWorld.com. Retrieved Friday, June 19, 2018, from http://www.educationworld.com/a_curr/profdevo73.shtml

The mission of the New Milford Public Schools, a collaborative partnership of students, educators, family and community, is to prepare each and every student to compete and excel in an ever-changing world, embrace challenges with vigor, respect and appreciate the worth of every human being, and contribute to society by providing effective instruction and dynamic curriculum, offering a wide range of valuable experiences, and inspiring students to pursue their dreams and aspirations.

June
Principals