

THE BROMFIELD SCHOOL

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COMMUNITY FACTS

Harvard, with approximately 6,006 residents and 2,225 dwelling, is located 30 miles west of Boston in the northeastern corner of Worcester County, and it encompasses an area of 26 square miles. The town is very accessible to Boston, to Worcester and to the state's high technology industrial centers. The working adults are employed in a wide range of occupations that, for the most part, consist of managerial and professional occupations. The correspondingly high level of education attainment has resulted in a community that values education and has high academic aspirations for its children.

SCHOOL INFORMATION

The Bromfield School is a comprehensive public high school and is accredited by the new England Association of Schools and Colleges. It has an enrollment of approximately 711 students, grade 6-12. The Senior class enrollment is 100. There are 56 teachers providing a 12.69 student/faculty ration.

CURRICULUM

An interdisciplinary academic program is prepared for each pupil in grades 9-12. High school students may elect up to 7 courses each year from 100 different offerings. Twenty-two credits are required for graduation from The Bromfield School. Fourteen particular courses are included in the core distribution requirements:

- 4 English credits
- 3 Social Studies credits including U.S. History
- 2 Science credits including Biology
- 2 Mathematics credit
- 1 Health/Physical Education/Wellness credit

Academic courses are offered at Advance Placement, Honors, and College Preparatory levels. A Community Service Project of 40 hours is required for graduation. Many students begin their high school math and world language sequence in Middle School, a ninth grade transcript that has H Algebra II, Geometry and/or French or Spanish II on it indicates that the student has taken the pre-requisite course(s)

The Bromfield School's Class of 2014 ranked at or near the top of all schools in Massachusetts in the 2012 published 10th grade MCAS rankings. Our scores follow: English Language Arts: 74% Advanced, 26% Proficient, Mathematics: 79% Advanced, 19% Proficient

GPA/CLASS RANK

Because of its size, its academic intensity, and its college preparatory orientation (98+ percent attend four-year colleges). **The Bromfield School does not weight nor rank its students.**

GRADING SYSTEM

Grades on transcripts and report cards are literal. The numerical equivalents are:

A+ 97 and above	C+ 79-77	F Below 60
A 96-94	C 76-74	
A- 93-90	C- 73-70	
B+ 89-87	D+ 69-67	
B 86-80	D 66-64	
B- 83-80	D- 63-60	

UNWEIGHTED GPA

GPA IS BASED UPON A 4 POINT SCALE:

A+ 4.3	B+ 3.3	C+ 2.3	D+ 1.3
A 4.0	B 3.0	C 2.0	D 1.0
A 3.7	B- 2.7	C- 1.7	D- 0.7

ADMISSIONS TESTING PROGRAM

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The following are the Mean SAT scores for
The Bromfield School Class of 2013:

Critical Reading	Mathematics	Writing
609	610	605

NATIONAL MERIT RECOGNITION-CLASS OF 2014

Letters of Commendation – 5

The AP Program offers several AP Scholar Awards to recognize high school students who have demonstrated college-level achievement through AP course and exams.

AP Awards

	Test Date:	2011	2012	2013
AP Scholars		15	19	14
AP Scholars with Honor		10	14	16
AP Scholars with Distinction		18	16	24
National AP Scholars			1	4

Note: The Bromfield School follows MASCA/ASCA Policy which precludes filling out endorsement and discipline sections of secondary school report forms.

	Advanced Placement	Honors	College Preparatory	Performing/Practical Arts
English	English Literature & Composition	English Literature American Literature Classical Literature Introduction to Literature	English Literature American Literature Classical Literature Introduction to Literature Journalism Expository Writing Creative Writing	Acting Workshop Technical Theatre Advanced Acting Workshop Advanced Technical Theater Public Speaking (13/14)
Math	Calculus Statistics Calculus BC	Pre-Calculus Geometry Algebra II	Calculus Trigonometry Analysis Algebra II Geometry Algebra I Integrated Math I, II, III	
Science	Biology Physics B Chemistry	Physics Chemistry Biology Physical Science II	Physical Science II Biology Applied Physics Chemistry Anatomy & Physiology	
Social Studies	Psychology European History (12/13)	20th Century American History Economics Modern European History Ancient/Medieval History 19th Century American History	Psychology Criminal Law Civil Law World Geography Global Studies 12/13 US History II Cultural History Current Events (12/13)	
World Language	French Language Spanish Language	French V French IV Spanish V Spanish IV Spanish III (11/12) Spanish II (11/12)	French III French II French I Spanish IV Spanish III Spanish II Spanish I	
Digital Arts				Computer Graphics Animation CADD Web Design Interior Design Flash Animation/Web Page Design Digital Photography I Digital Photography II Intro to Computer Science (11/12)
Art				Art Foundation Studio Art Studio Art II Clay I & Clay II Art Portfolio
Music				Music Theory & Composition Wind Ensemble Chorus Studies in Jazz & Rock Improv Jazz Workshop
Misc.	Virtual High School *Independent Study	Virtual High School *Independent Study	Virtual High School *Independent Study	Health/Physical Education Health & Wellness (12/13) Emergency Medical Technician Advanced Emergency Med. Tech. Academic Support Reading Skills Lab Writing Labs Writing Composition On Your Own (13/14)
Dates in Parenthesis are when a new class were added				