



# SAUGUS HIGH SCHOOL

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## *Saugus High School 2017-2018 School Profile*

*Accreditation: New England Association of Schools and Colleges  
CEEB Code: 221885*

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### Mission Statement

## WE BELIEVE!!!

WE BELIEVE THAT OUR STUDENTS ARE THE FUTURE

WE BELIEVE THAT OUR SCHOOL IS MORE THAN JUST A BUILDING

WE BELIEVE THAT OUR TEACHERS DO MORE THAN JUST TEACH

WE BELIEVE THAT WE CAN REACH OUR FULL POTENTIAL

WE BELIEVE THAT WE CAN MAKE A DIFFERENCE IN OUR COMMUNITY

WE BELIEVE THAT WE CAN SUCCEED

WE BELIEVE IN EACH OTHER

WE BELIEVE IN OURSELVES

## WE BELIEVE IN SACHEM PRIDE

### School and Community

Saugus High School is a comprehensive four-year (9-12) public high school with an enrollment of approximately 700 students. The curriculum includes a combination of required and elective courses, in College Preparatory, Honors, and Advanced Placement levels, to meet the needs of all students. Advanced Placement courses are offered in English Literature and Composition, English Language and Composition, US History, World History, Psychology, Biology, Chemistry, Physics, Environmental Science, Calculus AB & BC, Statistics, Computer Science A, Computer Science Principles and Spanish. In addition to a rigorous curriculum, students have the opportunity to participate in music, art, student government, athletics and a number of additional co-curricular activities. Last year, 90% of our students went on to further their education.

The school district serves a middle-income suburban residential community of about 26,000 inhabitants located 10 miles north of Boston. The population of students in Saugus in 2015-2016 was 2,668 with 76.1% Caucasian, 4.3% African American, 4.8% Asian and 12.6% Hispanic with 40.2% of students on free or reduced lunch.

### Graduation Requirements

Total Credits: Minimum 110

Required Subjects		Credits
English	4 years	20
Math	4 years	20
Science	3 years	15
Social Studies	3 years	15
Fine Art	1 year	5
Wellness	4 years	10
World Language	2 years (highly recommended)	
Community Service	12 hrs/yr	48 hrs

Students must successfully complete required state MCAS exams in English, Mathematics and Science to obtain a Saugus High School diploma.

### Advanced Academy Program

Some members of the Class of 2018 will be the 4<sup>th</sup> class to complete the SHS Academy for the Advanced Program of Studies in the areas of Humanities & STEM.

These outstanding students have completed a rigorous curriculum including Advanced Placement & Honors classes in addition to graduation requirements.

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**POST SECONDARY PLANS (%)**

	<b>2015</b>	<b>2016</b>	<b>2017</b>
4 year Colleges and Universities	70.2	70.3	68.4
2 year Colleges and Universities	21.2	21.2	30.5
Other Education	1.3	4.8	3.7
Military	3.3	1.8	2.6
Work	2.6	.6	1.6
Undecided	1.3	1.2	3.1

**SCHOLASTIC APTITUDE TESTS**

	<b>2015</b>	<b>2016 (new)</b>	<b>2017</b>
<b># OF STUDENTS</b>	<b>142</b>	<b>141</b>	<b>161</b>
<b>CRITICAL READING</b>	495	489	523
<b>MATH</b>	510	498	509
<b>WRITING</b>	474	N/A	N/A

**ADVANCED PLACEMENT EXAM RESULTS**

	<b># of Students</b>	<b># of Exams</b>	<b>Scores of 3 or Better</b>
<b>2017</b>	<b>186</b>	<b>369</b>	<b>124</b>
<b>2016</b>	<b>163</b>	<b>354</b>	<b>151</b>
<b>2015</b>	<b>169</b>	<b>365</b>	<b>214</b>

**GRADING SYSTEM & CLASS RANK**

Class rank is cumulative over four years and is weighted on the basis of achievement level. Class rank is based on GPA.

<b>GRADE</b>	<b>AP</b>	<b>H</b>	<b>CP</b>	<b>GRADE</b>	<b>AP</b>	<b>H</b>	<b>CP</b>
97-100	5.3	4.8	4.3	77-79	3.3	2.8	2.3
93-96	5.0	4.5	4.0	73-76	3.0	2.5	2.0
90-92	4.7	4.2	3.7	70-72	2.7	2.2	1.7
87-89	4.3	3.8	3.3	67-69	2.3	1.8	1.3
83-86	4.0	3.5	3.0	65-66	2.0	1.5	1.0
80-82	3.7	3.2	2.7	Below 65	0	0	0

**Colleges & Universities Enrolling Saugus High School's Class of 2017**

Boston College	Massachusetts Bay Community College	Suffolk University
Bridgewater State University	Merrimack College	The University of Tampa
Brigham Young University	Newbury College	University of Maine at Augusta
Bunker Hill Community College	North Shore Community College	University of Massachusetts Amherst
Clark University	Northeastern University	University of Massachusetts Boston
Emerson College	Oklahoma State University	University of Massachusetts Lowell
Emmanuel College	Palm Beach State College	University of Miami
Endicott College	Pennsylvania State University	University of New England
Fisher College	Plymouth State University	University of New Hampshire
Fitchburg State University	Providence College	University of Rhode Island
Framingham State University	Quinnipiac University	University of South Carolina
Franklin Pierce University	Regis College	Wentworth Institute of Technology
Gordon College	Rivier University	West Virginia University
Hofstra University	Roger Williams University	Westfield State University
Ithaca College	Saint Anselm College	Wingate University
Jacksonville University	Saint Michael's College	Worcester State University
Lasell College	Salem State University	
Lesley University	Salve Regina University	
Make-up Designory – New York	Stevens Institute of Technology	

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