

# LEICESTER HIGH SCHOOL

## 2017-18 SCHOOL PROFILE

174 PAXTON STREET, LEICESTER, MA 01524

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### OUR COMMUNITY

Leicester is a small New England town located in Western Worcester County adjacent to the city of Worcester. The population is approximately 12,000.

### GUIDANCE

The LHS Guidance Office strives to support each student in their journey of self discovery and to assist them in achieving their educational and career goals.

### GRADUATION

Graduation subject requirements at LHS include four years of English and math, three years of science and social studies, fine arts, physical education, health, and technology. Students must also complete 40 hours of community service.

All core courses are offered at college and honors level with some at AP. Foreign language is offered only at the college level in I and then college & honors in level II *only* at the honors level in III and above. We currently offer up to Spanish IV honors and French IV honors.

LHS calculates a cumulative GPA based on weighted grades only after each semester is completed. Students must be at LHS for one complete year before they are included in the class rank.

### Grading

A = 90 or above  
B = 80-89  
C = 70-79  
D = 60-69  
F = 59 or below

### Weight Factors

College (3)\*= 1  
Honors (2)\*= 1.1  
AP Level (1)\*= 1.15  
\*Indicated level on student transcripts

### AP Offerings

All AP courses are full year courses.

AP Calculus	AP Literature
AP US History	AP Biology
AP Chemistry	AP Environmental Science
AP Language	AP Statistics
AP Government	

### STOMP

The Student Teacher Outreach Mentoring Program (STOMP) is a curriculum-based advisory program that pairs small groups of students with teachers and staff in order to provide personal, social, and academic support throughout their high school careers.

### OUR SCHOOL

Leicester High School (LHS) is a four year, public high school with an average enrollment of 450. LHS is accredited by the New England Association of Schools and Colleges, continues to make AYP for MCAS testing, and is a level 1 school.

LHS adopted a 7 period drop one schedule in 2016. The school offers semester and full year courses. Grade notification occurs regularly through Power School.

### CLASS OF 2017

In the Class of 2017, approximately 85% of students went on to post-secondary training or college; with 62% going on to 4 year college and 23% going on to 2 year college, 7% armed services and 8% workforce.

### ADMINISTRATORS

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### ATHLETIC DIRECTOR

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### VIRTUAL HIGH SCHOOL

Students have the opportunity to take online courses in a variety of disciplines at the college, honors and AP level via online course offerings.

### EXTRA-CURRICULAR ACTIVITIES

LHS offers a wide variety of extra-curricular activities including:

SADD	Environmental Club	Golf
GSA	Math Team	Baseball
History Club	Foreign Travel Club	Football
Art Club	International Club	Soccer
Ski Club	National Honor Society	Cheering
Student Council	Student Government	Field Hockey
Drama Club	Bowling Club	Softball
Film Club	Yearbook	Tennis
Band		Basketball
Chorus		Track

**Testing Offered: SAT I & II, PSAT, MCAS**

**CEEB#: 221150**

**Test Center #: 22458**

**LHS is an SAT test site in November and May**

## Colleges where Leicester High School Graduates were recently accepted:

Amherst College  
Assumption College  
Babson College  
Bay State College  
Becker College  
Bentley University  
Ben Franklin Institute of Technology  
Boston College  
Boston University  
Brandeis University  
Bridgewater State University  
Brigham and Young University  
Bryant University  
Castleton State College  
Champlain College  
Clark University  
Coastal Carolina University  
Colby-Sawyer College  
College of The Holy Cross  
College of Saint Rose  
Curry College  
Daniel Webster College  
Dean College  
Dominican University  
Eastern CT State University  
Eastern Nazarene College  
Emerson College  
Emmanuel College  
Endicott College  
Fairfield University  
Fisher College  
Fitchburg State University  
Fordham University  
Framingham State University  
Franklin Pierce College  
Green Mountain College  
Hofstra University  
Johnson & Wales College  
Johnson State College  
Keene State College  
Lasell College  
Lyndon State University  
Maine College of Art  
Mass College of Liberal Arts  
MA College of Pharmacy & Health Sciences  
Merrimack College  
New England College  
Newbury College  
Nichols College  
Northeastern University  
Nova Southeastern University  
Pennsylvania State University  
Plymouth State College  
Providence College  
Quinnipiac University  
Regis College  
Rhode Island College  
Richmond University, London  
Rochester Institute of Technology  
Roger Williams College  
St. John's University  
Saint Anselm College  
Salem State University  
Salve Regina College  
Southern New Hampshire University  
Southern Vermont College  
Springfield College  
SUNY Albany  
Suffolk University  
Tufts University  
Turabo University, Puerto Rico  
University of Bridgeport  
University of Connecticut  
University of Hartford  
University of Kentucky  
University of MA Amherst  
University of MA Boston  
University of MA Dartmouth  
University of MA Lowell  
University of New England  
University of New Hampshire  
University of New Haven  
University of Rhode Island  
University of Tampa  
University of Vermont  
Virginia Polytechnic Institute  
Wentworth Institute of Technology  
Western New England University  
Westfield State University  
Wheaton College  
Worcester Polytechnic Institute  
Worcester State University