

# 2014 Wethersfield High School Profile



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## School, Curriculum and Community

Wethersfield High School is a four-year comprehensive high school on a beautiful 37-acre campus. The school prides itself on its record of student achievement and rigorous academic standards. It offers its more than 1,100 students an extensive range of courses in college and career preparation, including 14 Advanced Placement courses across six disciplines and 20 Honors courses across all disciplines as well as 4 UCONN ECE courses. Students are required to log 15 hours of community service.

The 230,000 sq. ft. Wethersfield High School building includes 42 general classrooms, a lecture hall, five technology education laboratories, two interdisciplinary computer laboratories, two business classroom/laboratories, a world language laboratory, an 18,000 volume media center, an 850-seat auditorium and an extensive physical education area complete with an indoor swimming/diving facility and a multi-use synthetic turf playing surface. A \$85.5 million renovation project for Wethersfield High School began in September, 2013.

Wethersfield High School is fully accredited by the New England Association of Schools and Colleges (NEASC) as well as by the Connecticut State Department of Education. The NEASC continued full accreditation of Wethersfield High School in March, 2012.

In addition to its wide selection of course offerings, Wethersfield High School provides a variety of opportunities for students outside the classroom. These include the National Honor Society, Math League, Science Club, National Honor Societies in Art, English, French, Italian and Spanish, Student Council, Musical/Drama Club, Interact Club, Debate Club, Yearbook, and the student newspaper. Students can participate in several band groups, choral groups and orchestra; cheerleading and dance and step teams, and boys' and girls' athletic teams in 16 different sports. Wethersfield High School was voted the 2013 Fall Season Sportsmanship Champion for the North Division of the CCC.

Founded in 1634, Wethersfield is widely known as the oldest incorporated town in the State of Connecticut. Located directly south of the state capital, Hartford, it is noted for its high-level public services, including an outstanding education system. Within the Wethersfield Public School System there are five elementary (K-6) schools, one middle school (grades 7 and 8), and one high school. Total district enrollment is 3,624 as of October 1, 2014.

## Graduation Requirements

Courses	Credits
English	4.0
Math	3.0
Social Studies	3.0
Science	3.0
Vocational/ Fine Arts	1.0
Health/PE	1.4
Elective Credits	7.1
<b>Total Credits</b>	<b>22.5</b>

## Course Offerings AP & Honors Level

Advanced Placement
Biology
Calculus
Chemistry
Computer Science
Economics
Eng. Lang. & Comp./UConn ECE
Eng, Lit. & Comp./UConn ECE
European History
French
Physics
Psychology
Spanish
Studio Art
U.S. History/UConn ECE
Honors
Humanities/English
Humanities/World History
International Studies
Civics
English 10,11
Shakespearean Studies
Geometry
Algebra II
Pre-Calculus
Human Anatomy & Physiology
French III,IV
Italian III,IV
Spanish III,IV
Chorales
Biology (Class of 2016)

## Class of 2014 Data

290 Graduates	
Percentage accepted to institutions of higher education	84%
4-year college	66%
2-year college	18%
Tech/Business Schools	3%
Work	6%
Military	2%
Other	5%

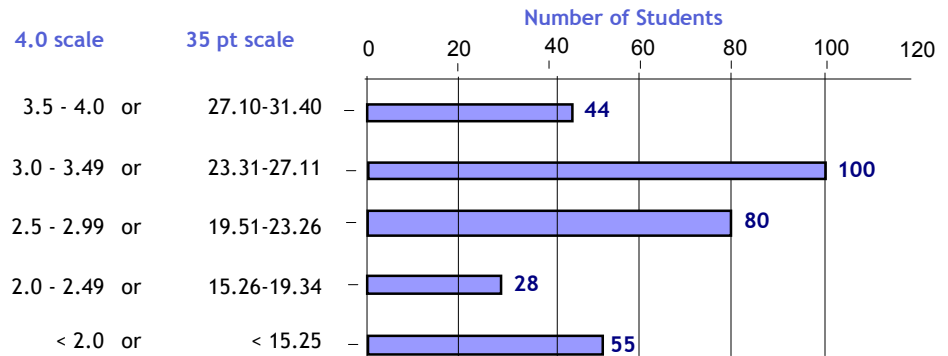
## GPA Calculation

Wethersfield High School uses a 35 point sliding scale to determine Grade Point Average (GPA). This number is converted to the traditional 4.0 scale for reporting purposes.

On students' transcripts the following curriculum levels are represented, 0-Transfer/Summer School/Middle School, 1-Highly Challenging, 2-Challenging, 4-Unleveled, 5-Honors, 6-ECE/Advanced Placement.

Except for Biology, if an AP course is offered, then no corresponding Honors course is offered in that subject. Accelerated courses taken in middle school and all courses from other high schools are not included in the GPA. All Family and Consumer Sciences, Technology Education and Business classes are unleveled and not calculated in the GPA. As of the 2013-2014 School Year, Art and Music are unleveled and not calculated in the GPA. Wethersfield High School does not report class rank on student transcripts for admission purposes.

## Class of 2015 Quality Point Ratio



## Admissions Testing

### SAT

243 tests were taken in 2013-2014.  
SAT results were:

	Mean Score
Critical Reading	501
Mathematics	507
Writing	497

### ACT

55 tests were taken in 2013-2014.  
ACT results were:

Subject	Avg. Score
English	23.0
Math	23.5
Reading	23.0
Science	23.1

## 2014 Advanced Placement Test Results

	5	4	3	2	1	% $\geq$ 3
Biology	3	6	12	1	0	96%
Chemistry	1	3	7	3	0	79%
Comp Sci. A	4	1	3	1	0	88%
Econ-Mac	0	3	0	0	0	100%
Econ-Mic	2	2	1	0	0	100%
Physics B	3	6	12	1	0	100%
Ital. L/C	1	0	0	0	0	100%
Spanish Lang	2	0	0	0	0	100%
Art-Design	0	1	2	1	0	75%
Art-Drawing	0	1	1	0	0	100%
US History	1	1	0	1	0	67%
Calculus AB/BC	5	4	1	0	0	100%
Euro History	2	2	6	1	0	91%
Psychology	7	17	14	4	4	83%
Statistics	0	2	0	1	1	50%