



BISHOP HENDRICKEN HIGH SCHOOL 2025-2026 PROFILE

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OUR SCHOOL & COMMUNITY

Bishop Hendricken High School is a Catholic college preparatory school for young men that develops the skills, concepts, and competencies necessary for student success in post-secondary education. Since 1959, the school has provided a highly competitive program that meets the needs of four-year college-bound students.

Bishop Hendricken offers a traditional liberal arts curriculum that fosters Catholic values, maintains a tradition of excellence, and strives to educate the whole person: heart, mind, body and soul.

Bishop Hendricken students come from 48 communities throughout Rhode Island as well as nearby Massachusetts and Connecticut. We have a rich tradition of attracting gifted scholars, artists, athletes, and humanitarians.

ENROLLMENT

Current enrollment is 580 students in grades 8-12. Our enrollment continues to grow, with a few more students still in the process of registering. The Class of 2026 has 114 students. Over the last five years, 86% of graduates have enrolled in four-year colleges and 5% have enrolled in two-year colleges. We have a 100% graduation rate.

GRADUATION REQUIREMENTS (Class of 2026)

SUBJECT	# CREDITS	SUBJECT	# CREDITS
Theology.....	4	Modern Language.....	2
Science (2 lab).....	3	Fine Arts.....	0.5
Mathematics.....	4	Approved Electives.....	3
English.....	4	PE/Health.....	1.5
Social Studies.....	3.5	Financial Literacy.....	0.5

SERVICE

The current requirement is 25 hours of service per Academic Year and participation in 1 Hendricken-sponsored service project for the Academic Year.

PHYSICAL EDUCATION/HEALTH

Effective 2024-2025, students earn .5 credits per year in PE/Health. They earned .25 credits in previous years. This change will not impact historical grades.

GRADING SYSTEM (UNWEIGHTED)

Bishop Hendricken reports unweighted GPA on a 4.0 scale.

LETTER GRADE	NUMBER GRADE	QUALITY POINTS
A	93-100	4.00
A-	90-92	3.67
B+	87-89	3.33
B	83-86	3.00
B-	80-82	2.67
C+	77-79	2.33
C	73-76	2.00
C-	70-72	1.67
D	65-69	1.00
F	0-64	0.00

CLASS RANK QUALITY POINTS (WEIGHTED)

Bishop Hendricken also reports weighted GPA. Class rank is determined by weighted Quality Points.

	CP	CP1	ACC	HON	ERS	AP
A 93-100	4.00	4.50	5.00	5.50	5.75	6.00
A- 90-92	3.67	4.17	4.67	5.17	5.42	5.67
B+ 87-89	3.33	3.83	4.33	4.83	5.08	5.33
B 83-86	3.00	3.50	4.00	4.50	4.75	5.00
B- 80-82	2.67	3.17	3.67	4.17	4.42	4.67
C+ 77-79	2.33	2.83	3.33	3.83	4.08	4.33
C 73-76	2.00	2.50	3.00	3.50	3.75	4.00
C- 70-72	1.67	2.17	2.67	3.17	3.42	3.67
D 65-69	1.00	1.50	2.00	2.50	2.75	3.00
F 0-64	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00

*Effective 2023-2024, the GPA for an "A" changed from a 95 to 93. Accelerated courses were phased out in 2024-2025. These changes do not affect historical grades.

*Effective 2024-2025, elective courses do not count in class rank. This change does not impact historical grades.

ACADEMIC LEVELS

Advanced Placement (AP)

Bishop Hendricken offers Advanced Placement (AP) courses that provide college-level challenges to the most gifted students. Students may enroll in a maximum of 5 AP courses per Academic Year. Teacher recommendation and excellent academic performance at the Honors level are required for enrollment in College Board AP courses:

- Biology
- Calculus AB
- Calculus BC
- Chemistry
- Computer Science
- English III
- English IV
- Environmental Science
- European History
- French IV
- Government & Politics
- Music Theory
- Physics 1
- Pre-Calculus
- Psychology
- Spanish IV
- Spanish V
- Statistics
- U.S. History
- 2-D Art & Design

Per College Board, AP Psychology is a natural science course; it is not considered a lab science. AP Environmental Science is a lab course.

Students studying advanced mathematics or science through Arrupe Virtual Learning Institute (AVLI) receive AP-level quality points. For these courses, AVLI has a dual-credit partnership with Creighton University, with the option of 3 hours of college credit.

Edmund Rice Scholars (ERS)

ERS courses offer select freshmen and sophomores the highest academic rigor available. Three classes were offered to students in the Class of 2026:

- Algebra 2 Analysis
- Chemistry
- Trigonometry/Geometry

Honors (HON)

The Honors level offers a challenging and rigorous course of study in all academic areas for top students in each class.

- Algebra II
- Anatomy and Physiology
- Biology
- Chemistry
- English I, II, III, IV
- European History
- French I, II, III
- Geometry
- Italian II, III, IV
- Physics
- Pre-Calculus
- Spanish II, III, IV
- Theology I, II, III, IV
- U.S. History I, II
- World Cultures
- Writing

Accelerated (ACC)

Accelerated level placement was offered in Mathematics and Modern Language for students who demonstrated better-than-average aptitude in each subject.

College Prep 1 (CP1)

The College Prep 1 (CP1) level is offered for the majority of Bishop Hendricken students. This course of study provides a rigorous challenge in preparation for the pace and work volume of post-secondary education.

College Prep (CP)

The College Prep (CP) level takes a skills-based approach to the curriculum and provides students with the fundamentals necessary to pursue education beyond high school. Instruction is offered in smaller classes with differentiated styles of presentation and assessment.

For our Academic Overview, including Bishop Hendricken's philosophy and an overview of Academic Departments, visit www.hendricken.com/academic-overview.



CLASS OF 2026 UNWEIGHTED GPA DISTRIBUTION

Unweighted GPA distribution after 6 semesters:

GPA of 4.0 (A).....	4%
GPA of 3.67-3.99 (A-).....	27%
GPA of 3.33-3.66 (B+).....	21%
GPA of 3.0-3.32 (B).....	22%
GPA of 2.67-2.99 (B-).....	17%
GPA of 2.33-2.66 (C+).....	7%
GPA of 2.0-2.32 (C).....	2%
GPA of 1.67-1.99 (C-).....	0%
GPA of 1.0-1.66 (D).....	0%

SPECIAL ACADEMIC PROGRAMS

Academies

Students must apply to academies and actively participate. Courses are included in Simple GPA but are not included in rank.

- **Arts Academy**
 - The Arts Academy is a daily, before-school honors program for passionate artists. Students are enrolled in one of five arts disciplines: Performing Arts, Media Arts, Music, Visual Art, or Technical Theater. These rigorous classes are portfolio and/or performance-driven.
- **Leadership Academy**
 - The Leadership Academy provides challenging, varied, and experiential leadership opportunities for students. Through a project-based curriculum, the academy challenges students to provide realistic and applicable solutions to real problems. Students work to address school-wide issues, serve as mentors for underclassmen, and develop initiatives for the student body. Guest speakers join once a month to share their experiences.
- **Technology Academy**
 - The Technology Academy offers students a hands-on introduction to many topics in Computer Science. The 2025-26 field of focus is Cybersecurity. Students will combine newfound practical skills with real-world applications. Students will engage in interactive labs, simulations, and guided instruction designed to build foundational knowledge in network security, ethical hacking, and system protection. The program also prepares students to earn valuable industry-recognized certifications, as well as the opportunity to earn college credit through the University of Rhode Island.
- **DECA Academy (offered 2023-2024)**
 - DECA Academy helped students develop skills in various aspects of business through public speaking, opportunities, group presentations, mock business scenarios, and writing their own business plan.

Options Program

The Options Program is a life skills program for students with mild to moderate developmental disabilities that focuses on vocational and transitional exploration in order for students to become independent and productive members of our community. Peer mentors support and encourage students in the program.

ACADEMIC POINTS OF PRIDE: 2021-2025



Presidential
Scholar
Nominees



5

National
Merit
Finalists



18

National
Merit
Commended
Students



4

National
Merit
Scholars



6

DECA
International
Finalists, 2025



Top 10

World DECA
Community
Giving Project
2025



Mock Trial State
Championship
2025

Affiliation: Roman Catholic, Diocese of Providence

Accreditation: New England Association of Schools and Colleges (NEASC), Lumen Accredited by the Catholic University of America

2025 ADVANCED PLACEMENT (AP) EXAMS WHERE THE MAJORITY OF STUDENTS SCORED THREE OR HIGHER

- 2-D Art and Design
- Biology *
- Calculus BC
- Chemistry *
- English Language and Composition *
- English Literature and Composition *
- Music Aural Subscore *

- Precalculus
- Spanish Language and Culture
- United States Government and Politics
- United States History *

*Exceeded both state and national mean score

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COLLEGE ACCEPTANCES: 2021-2025

Adelphi University
Albany College of Pharmacy
American International College
American University
Amherst College
Anna Maria College
Appalachian State University
Arcadia University
Arizona State University
Assumption University
Auburn University
Ave Maria University
Babson College
Baldwin Wallace University
Bard College
Barton College
Bates College
Baylor University
Bellarmine University
Belmont University
Beloit College
Benedictine College
Bentley University
Berklee College of Music
Berry College
Binghamton University
Boston College
Boston University
Brandeis University
Bridgewater State University
Brigham Young University
Bristol Community College
Brown University
Bryant University
Bucknell University
Cal Poly
California Lutheran University
Campbell University
Carnegie Mellon University
Case Western Reserve University
Catholic University of America
Central Connecticut State University
Champlain College
Christendom College
Citadel Military College
Clark University
Clarkson University
Clemson University
Coastal Carolina University
Coker University
Colby College
Colby-Sawyer College
Colgate University
College of Charleston
College of the Holy Cross
College of Wooster
Colorado State University
Columbia University
Community College of Rhode Island
Concord University
Connecticut College
Converse College
Cornell University
Creighton University
Curry College
Daemen University
Dartmouth College
Dean College
Denison University
DePaul University
Dickinson College
Dominican University
Drew University
Drexel University
Duke Kunshan University
Duquesne University
D'Youville University
East Carolina University
Eastern Connecticut State University
Eastern Florida State College
Eastern Nazarene College
Eckerd College
Elizabethtown College
Elmira College
Elms College
Elon University
Embry-Riddle Aeronautical University
Emerson College
Emmanuel College
Endicott College
Fairfield University
Fairleigh Dickinson University
Felician University
Fisher College
Fitchburg State University
Flagler College
Florida Atlantic University
Florida Gulf Coast University
Florida Institute of Technology

Florida International University
Florida Southern College
Florida State University
Fordham University
Framingham State University
Franciscan University
Franklin and Marshall College
Franklin Pierce University
Furman University
George Mason University
George Washington University
Georgia Institute of Technology
Gettysburg College
Gonzaga University
Gordon College
Grace College and Theological Seminary
Graceland University
Grand Canyon University
Greensboro College
Hamilton College
Hampshire College
Harvard University
Hawaii Pacific University
High Point University
Hilbert College
Hillsdale College
Hobart and William Smith
Hofstra University
Houghton College
Husson University
Indiana State University
Indiana University
Indiana University of Pennsylvania
Indiana Wesleyan University
Iona University
Iowa State University
Ithaca College
Jackson State University
Jacksonville University
James Madison University
Johnson & Wales University
Kalamazoo College
Keene State College
Kent State University
Kenyon College
La Salle University
Lafayette College
Lasell University
Leeds Beckett University
Lehigh University
Lesley University
Lincoln University
Lindenwood University
Long Island University - Brooklyn
Long Island University - Post
Louisiana State University
Loyola Marymount University
Loyola University Maryland
Lynn University
Maine College of Art & Design
Maine Maritime Academy
Manhattan University
Marist University
Marquette University
Marymount Manhattan College
Marymount University
Massachusetts College of Pharmacy
Massachusetts Maritime Academy
McGill University
Merrimack College
Methodist University
Miami University (OH)
Michigan State University
Missouri Valley College
Mitchell College
Monmouth University
Montana State University
Montclair State University
Morgan State University
Neumont College of Computer Science
New England College
New England Institute of Technology
New Jersey Institute of Technology
New Mexico Institute of Mining and Technology
New York Institute of Technology
New York University
Nichols College
Norfolk State University
North Carolina State University
Northeastern University
Norwich University
Nova Southeastern University
Oberlin College
Ohio State University
Oklahoma State University
Old Dominion University
Oral Roberts University

Pace University
Pennsylvania College of Technology
Pennsylvania State University
Pepperdine University
Plymouth State University
Post University
Pratt Institute
Princeton University
Providence College
Purdue University
Quinnipiac University
Regis College
Rensselaer Polytechnic Institute
Rhode Island College
Rice University
Riverland Community College
Rivier University
Roanoke College
Roberts Wesleyan College
Rochester Institute of Technology
Roger Williams University
Rosemont College
Rutgers University
Sacred Heart University
Salem State University
Salve Regina University
San Diego State University
Santa Clara University
Savannah College of Art and Design
Seattle University
Seton Hall University
Siena University
Skidmore College
Slippery Rock University
South Carolina State University
Southern California Institute of Architecture
Southern Connecticut State University
Southern Methodist University
Southern New Hampshire University
Southern Utah University
Southwestern Assemblies of God University
Springfield College
St. Anselm College
St. Bonaventure University
St. John's University
St. Joseph's College of Maine
St. Joseph's University
St. Lawrence University
St. Leo University
St. Louis University
St. Michael's College
St. Vincent College
Stetson University
Stevens Institute of Technology
Stonehill College
Stony Brook University
Suffolk University
SUNY Adirondack
SUNY Buffalo State
SUNY Maritime College
SUNY Oneonta
SUNY Purchase College
SUNY University at Buffalo
Syracuse University
Temple University
Texas A&M University
Texas Christian University
Toccoa Falls College
Townson University
Trinity College
Troy University
Tufts University
Tulane University
Union College
United States Air Force Academy
United States Coast Guard Academy
United States Merchant Marine Academy
United States Military Academy
United States Naval Academy
Universidad de Navarra
Universiteit Twente
University College Dublin
University of Akron
University of Alabama
University of Arizona
University of Bridgeport
University of California-Berkeley
University of California-Irvine
University of California-Los Angeles
University of California-San Diego
University of California-Santa Barbara
University of Central Florida
University of Chicago
University of Cincinnati
University of Colorado Boulder
University of Colorado Denver
University of Connecticut
University of Connecticut Stamford

University of Dayton
University of Delaware
University of Denver
University of Evansville
University of Florida
University of Georgia
University of Hartford
University of Houston
University of Illinois
University of Kansas
University of Kentucky
University of Louisville
University of Maine
University of Maine at Farmington
University of Maine at Presque Isle
University of Maryland
University of Massachusetts-Amherst
University of Massachusetts-Boston
University of Massachusetts-Dartmouth
University of Massachusetts-Lowell
University of Memphis
University of Miami
University of Michigan
University of Minnesota
University of Mississippi
University of Montana
University of New England
University of New Hampshire
University of New Haven
University of New Mexico
University of North Carolina
University of North Carolina at Charlotte
University of North Carolina at Greensboro
University of North Florida
University of Notre Dame
University of Oregon
University of Pennsylvania
University of Pittsburgh
University of Rhode Island
University of Richmond
University of Rochester
University of San Diego
University of San Francisco
University of Scranton
University of South Carolina
University of South Florida
University of Southern California
University of Southern Maine
University of St. Thomas
University of Tampa
University of Tennessee
University of Texas at Dallas
University of Toronto
University of Utah
University of Vermont
University of Virginia
University of Washington
University of Wisconsin
Ursinus College
Utah State University
Utica University
Vanderbilt University
Vassar College
Ventura College
Villanova University
Virginia Commonwealth University
Virginia Military Institute
Virginia Tech
Virginia Wesleyan University
Wagner College
Wake Forest University
Washington University in St. Louis
Webber International University
Weber State University
Wentworth Institute of Technology
Wesleyan University
West Chester University
West Virginia State University
West Virginia University
Western Connecticut State University
Western Kentucky University
Western New England University
Westfield State University
Westminster College
Wheaton College (IL)
Wheaton College (MA)
Widener University
Willamette University
Worcester Polytechnic Institute
Worcester State University
Wyoming Catholic College
Xavier University
Yale University