



SCHOOL PROFILE 2009-2010

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SCHOOL/COMMUNITY

Independently governed with a largely publicly funded student body, John Bapst Memorial High School is coed, non-sectarian, and college-preparatory. Established in 1980 after a 52-year history as a Catholic school and located in the city of Bangor, population 33,000, Bapst serves a socio-economically and geographically diverse population within a 60-mile radius. Accredited by the New England Association of Schools and Colleges, the school serves 456 students, grades 9-12. Bapst has 50 faculty members, including 2 college counselors, 6 administrators, and 4 support personnel who work with the student body. In 2006-2007 John Bapst was named the Maine High School winner of the Siemens Award for Advanced Placement.

CEEB Number: 200055

	Class of 2009	Class of 2008	Class of 2007	Class of 2006
CLASS SIZE	122	110	112	120
POST-SECONDARY EDUCATION				
4-year colleges	97%	94%	91%	93%
2-year colleges	1%	2%	6%	3%
Military	2%	1%	1%	3%
SCHOLASTIC ASSESSMENT TEST				
CR READING Average-John Bapst (Nat.) ME	554 (501) 468	558 (502) 469	555 (502) 466	559 (503) 501
MATH Average-John Bapst (National) ME	568 (515) 467	554 (515) 466	559 (515) 465	578 (518) 501
WRITING Average- John Bapst (National) ME	546 (493) 455	538 (494) 461	542 (494) 457	557 (497) 491

ADVANCED PLACEMENT TESTS – In 2009, 273 tests were taken by 129 students in 13 subjects.

Percentage of students scoring 3, 4, or 5

Biology	74%	67%	55%	73%
Calculus AB	67%	70%	100%	41%
Calculus BC	100%	94%	100%	100%
Chemistry	43%	90%	89%	85%
English Literature	80%	86%	80%	98%
Political Science, U.S.	24%	27%	57%	66%
Statistics	60%	72%	71%	83%
U.S. History	66%	39%	23%	64%
English Language	84%	87%	80%	-
European History	75%	27%	-	50%
Physics C	33%	50%	57%	50%
Art	100%	33%	66%	-
Economics	100%	-	-	-

NATIONAL MERIT SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM

National Merit Finalists	3	1	2	2
National Merit Semifinalists	3	1	2	2
National Merit Commended Students	7	3	4	4

MAINE EDUCATIONAL ASSESSMENT

John Bapst consistently scored first or second in the state in all content areas of the Maine Educational Assessments.

GRADUATION REQUIREMENTS: A minimum of 20 credits is needed for graduation, including: 4 credits English; 4 credits mathematics; 3 credits social studies, including World History and American History; 3 credits science including Biology and Chemistry; 2 credits same foreign language; 1 credit fine arts; 1 credit physical education; ½ credit Wellness (Health); ¼ credit technology.

ACCUMULATIVE AVERAGES are computed each semester and include all courses. GPA is unweighted. Semester grades are an average of the two quarter grades weighted at 40% each and the semester exam weighted at 20%. Class rank is not computed.

TRANSCRIPT NOTATIONS: WA=Administrative Withdrawal; WP=Withdrew Passing; WF=Withdrew Failing; AU=Audit; **=100%; S1=1st Semester Average; S2=2nd Semester Average; FA=Final Average; GPA=Cumulative Grade Point Average; TR=Courses taken at previous high school.

GRADE SCALE: A = 93-100 B = 85-92 C = 77-84 D = 70-76 F = Below 70 (Fail) P = Pass

CURRICULUM*: English I; English II; English III; *AP English III (Literature & Composition)*; English IV; *AP English IV (Language & Composition)*; Algebra I; Freshman Geometry (9); Geometry; Algebra II; *Honors Algebra II*; Intro to College Math; Precalculus; *Honors Precalculus*; *Honors Calculus*; *AP Calculus, AB, BC*; *AP Statistics*; Integrated Science; Biology; *AP Biology*; Meteorology; Oceanography; Astronomy; Geology; Anatomy & Physiology; Ecology; Chemistry; *Honors Chemistry*; *AP Chemistry*; Physics; *Honors Physics*; *AP Physics*; World History; *AP European History*; American History I, II; *AP U.S. History*; *AP Political Science*; Sociology; Psychology; Chinese Culture; Cultural Anthropology; Economics; Chinese I, II, III; French I, II, III, *Honors French IV*; Latin I, II, III; *Honors Latin IV*; *AP Latin: Vergil*; Spanish I, II, III; *Honors Spanish IV*; Speech; Creative Writing; Journalism; Drawing; Basic Design; Sculpture/Ceramics; Illustration; Painting; Advanced Studio Art; *AP Art*; Concert Band; Jazz Band; Chorale; Concert Choir; Music Fundamentals & Theory; Technology; Computer Media (Digital Media); Intro to Programming I, II; Advanced Programming; C++ I, II; Physical Education; Wellness (Health). All course descriptions can be found on our website, www.johnbapst.org.

**Honors and Advanced Placement courses are italicized.*

ATHLETICS: Baseball, Basketball, Cheerleading, Cross Country, Field Hockey, Football, Golf, Ice Hockey, Indoor Track, Skiing, Soccer, Softball, Swimming & Diving, Tennis, Track & Field, Wrestling.

ACTIVITIES: Art Club; Band Council; Chamber Ensemble; Chess Team; Civil Rights Team; Chorale Council; Conservatives' Club; Film Makers' Club; French Club; Intramural Sports Program; Jazz Improv Club; Jazz Combo; JB Peppers; John Bapst Players; Junior Classical League; Key Club; Literary Magazine, *Passages*; Math Team; National Honor Society; Open Gym and Weight Room; Photography Club; Sailing Club; Student Ambassadors; Student Environmental Action Club; Student Senate; Swedish Exchange Program; Tai Chi Club; Technology Club; Yearbook, *The Bapstonian*.

COLLEGES ATTENDED: GRADUATES FROM 2007-2009 ENROLLED IN THE FOLLOWING COLLEGES AND UNIVERSITIES

Arizona State University	Husson College	Smith College
Art Institute of Tampa	Idaho University	Southern New Hampshire University
	Ithaca College	Stonehill College
Bennington College		Suffolk University
Binghamton University	Maine Maritime Academy	Swarthmore College
Boston College	Marlboro College	Syracuse University
Boston University		Tabernacle Baptist Bible College
Bowdoin College	McGill University	Tarleton State University
Bridgewater College	Missouri State University	Texas A & M University
Brigham Young University	Mount Holyoke College	Thomas College
	New Brunswick Bible Institute	
Cedar Crest College	New England School of Communication	Tufts University
		University College of Bangor
Champlain College		University of Connecticut
	Northeastern University	University of Florida
Colby College	Northwestern University	University of Maine
Colorado College	Norwich University	
Columbia University	Oberlin College & Conservatory	University of Maine at Farmington
Connecticut College	Pennsylvania State University	University of Maine at Fort Kent
Cornell University	Plymouth State University	University of Maine at Presque Isle
Dartmouth College	Pomona College	University of Massachusetts at Amherst
Davidson College		University of Massachusetts at Boston
Dean College	Queen's University	University of New England
DePaul Theater School	Rensselaer Polytechnic Institute	University of New Hampshire
Eastern Maine Community College		University of Pennsylvania
Elmira College	Rochester Institute of Technology	University of Rhode Island
Embry-Riddle Aeronautical University	Roger Williams University	
Emmanuel College	Rutgers University	University of Southern Maine
Endicott College	Salve Regina University	University of Tampa
Georgetown University		University of Vermont
	St. Anselm College	University of West Florida
George Washington University	St. Joseph's College	U.S. Merchant Marine Academy
Gettysburg College	St. Lawrence University	Villanova University
Gordon College	St. Michael's College	Wentworth Institute of Technology
Hart School of Music	Simmons College	

Western New England College
Wheaton College

Williams College
Winthrop University

Worcester Polytechnic Institute
Yale University