

Hamden High School

Learn about all that Hamden High School has to offer! November 7, 2018 at 6:00pm

Parents: Join us for an information session and find out why you should choose Hamden High School for your child!!



Welcome to Hamden High!

HHS is a school serving approximately 1500 students in grades 9-12. Our required and elective course offerings are varied and engaging, and give our students an opportunity to explore many different interests.



- Diverse student population
- Academically rigorous curriculum, leveled to meet students' needs
- Graduates are accepted annually to Ivy League schools, as well as other prestigious institutions such as Stanford, Williams, MIT, UCONN, Spellman and scores of other colleges and universities
- 9th grade "team" structure helps students transition from middle school to high school
- Extensive opportunities to earn college credit while in high school
- Students regularly win state and national awards and recognitions in business, science, math, English and the arts
- Caring and talented staff
- Variety of academic supports available
- Over 70 clubs and after school activities



18 Advanced Placement Courses

Hamden High School offers many course options for students interested in excelling academically. including high-level electives in most content areas, Honors courses, and more Advanced Placement courses than most public or private high schools in Connecticut!

AP American History AP Biology AP Comparative Literature AP Environmental Science AP English Lang. and Comp. AP Chemistry AP Government AP Physics I AP Geography AP Physics II AP Psychology AP Physics C AP Calculus AB AP Italian AP Calculus BC AP Latin **AP Statistics** AP Spanish



Highlighted Courses

Besides "typical" courses, HHS students have opportunities to take courses like:

App Development Multivariable Calculus Computer Programming

Social Studies

World Religion Criminal Law Civil Law

World Languages

Chinese Latin Spanish Italian

English Electives

Mythology Elements of Humor Debate Film and Genre Mystery

Fine Arts

Music Technology Video Production Theater Ceramics

Science

Marine Biology **Green Connections** Meteorology Forensics **Biochemistry** Engineering

CTE

Culinary Arts Marketing Manufacturing Engineering CAD

Woods Early Childhood Sports & Entertainment Marketing

Varsity Sports

Students may participate on a variety of team sports during the year, including:



Fall Field Hockey Football Soccer Cross Country Girls Swimming and Diving

Girls Volleyball Dance Team Cheerleading

Winter

Hockey Basketball Indoor Track Cheerleading Dance Team **Boys Swimming** and Diving

Spring Lacrosse

Baseball Softball Tennis Outdoor Track

Boys Golf

Questions?

Feel free to contact Tessa Gumbs-Johnson. Freshman Administrator at (203)407-2040 ext.5051 or tgumbsjohnson@hamden.org Of course, you don't have to play on a team to show your school spirit! Wear green and gold and come to a game! Go Green Dragons!





Hamden High School

Home of the Green Dragons!





Arts Programming at Hamden High School

Hamden High has a wonderful Arts program! Whether vou are a virtuoso, artist, actor or just a student who wants to learn or develop skills in fine or performing arts, Hamden High School has classes for you! Also, multiple opportunities to showcase student artwork occur throughout the year, as well as musical concerts and theater productions. Our students and performing groups are often recognized for their accomplishments and invited to participate in state and national ensembles.



Hamden STEM Academy

Our STEM Academy puts us at the forefront of comprehensive high schools in Connecticut

Beginning with the class of 2023 Hamden HS is offering a dually enrolled Associates of Science College Degree in Manufacturing Engineering concurrently with our HS diploma to students who are accepted in and successfully complete our Hamden Engineering Careers Academy (HECA) program. This 68 credit



A.S. degree can be parlayed to direct entry into the expanding manufacturing workforce, or to competitive college applications. Students can also choose to enroll in Certificate Degree programs in Computer Aided Design and Quality Control that require 18 dually

enrolled college credits, and also can lead to direct entry into the workforce or as an asset in college applications. Applications for HECA will be available in February 2019.

Dual Enrollment Programs and Courses

We believe that college course exposure enhances student experiences, and helps to improve student outcomes. We are dedicated to improving and expanding our dual enrollment program. These courses and programs allow for dual HS and college enrollment.

- Early Childhood Education
- Culinary Arts
- Manufacturing Engineering
- Intermediate Algebra 137
- World Religion
- Marketing and Entrepreneurship
- Statistics

Extra Curriculars at Hamden High School

Hamden High is has over 70 clubs that allow students to discover interests in just about anything!

Black and Hispanic Student Union Health Professions Club **Best Buddies** Bridge Builders Club HHS Key Club ENOUGH Project European Travel Gender Equality Club Girl's Golf Bermuda Workshop Video Yearbook **DECA** House Leadership Council



Mainstage Ensemble Performance

Writer's Club Ping Pong Project 7 Robotics Team Science Club Ski Club **HHS Steppers** PRIDE (Promoting Respect Individuality Diversity and Equality) Technology Student Association (TSA)

SADD (Students Against Destructive Decisions)

Anime Club Dance Team Debate Team Ultimate Frisbee Club Dark Nights Astronomy Club Reptile Club After Prom Committee Asian Club World Pride Club **Ballroom Dancing** Chamber Choir Theater - Mainstage Ensemble Human Relations Club INTERACT Club Italian Club Jazz Band Latin Club HHS Love146 Taskforce Marching Band-Color Guard Math Club / Math Team Mock Trial Team

World Languages Honor Society National Honor Society Artist's Workshop **IUP Gaming Club**

Web Design Club



11 Time State Champion Dance Team

Would your son or daughter like to "try out" Hamden High by shadowing one of our students? Set up an appointment by contacting Tracy Jacobson (tjacobson@hamden.org, 203-407-2040 X 5120) or Charlene Scarpati (cscarpati@hamden.org 203-407-2040 X5118).