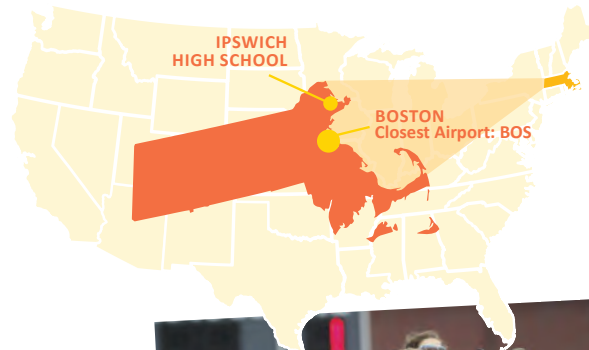




# Ipswich High School

## Ipswich, MA



### LOCATION:

- Population: 13,000
- Located 1 Hour North of Boston
- Weather:  
Summer/Fall: Warm and Humid  
Winter/Spring: Cold and Dry

### ELIGIBILITY:

- Enrollment Restrictions: None
- Minimum TOEFL: 50
- Minimum ELTIS: 215

### SCHOOL HIGHLIGHTS:

- Offers dual enrollment/college credit
- Blue Ribbon School of Excellence
- Outstanding performing arts program

### ACADEMICS AND FACTS:

- Grades at School: 9-12
- Total Students in School: 540
- Teacher/Student Ratio: 1:11
- Diploma Year Offered: NO
- High Schools Accepting Students: 1

### SCHOOL PROFILE

Ipswich High School's rigorous academic curriculum is supplemented by an outstanding fine and performing arts program. The school, located on the North Shore of Massachusetts in east-central New England, is rated "A-" by Niche.com and was named a Blue Ribbon School of Excellence. Students can take dual enrollment and STEAM courses.

### FACILITIES

The campus features modern classrooms, a performing arts center, a new lighted astroturf stadium, fields and courts, a community garden, a project adventure facility, and more.

### SPORTS AND ARTS

Students can participate in sports such as American football, gymnastics, and lacrosse. The school's boys lacrosse team are the state champions while its competitive cheerleading team placed 2nd in the state.

Ipswich High School is regionally renowned for their instrumental, choral, and performing arts programs.

### AWARDS AND ACCOMPLISHMENTS

Ipswich High School was ranked among the top 50 high schools in the State of Massachusetts by Boston Magazine. In 2005, the school was named a Blue Ribbon School by the Ministry of Education and received a Vanguard award for national excellence. In 2014, Newsweek named the school as one of the country's 300 Best Public High Schools.

### COMMUNITY INFORMATION

Settled in 1633, Ipswich is one of the oldest towns in the United States. The region is famous for its beaches, marshes, scenic viewpoints, historic colonial architecture, rural farms, and fresh seafood.



### OPTIONS AVAILABLE\*:

**Foreign Languages:** French, Spanish

**Advanced Placement Courses:** Biology, Calculus AB, Chemistry, Computer Science, English Language and Composition, English Literature and Composition, Physics 1, Psychology, Statistics, US History, World History

**Arts:** Bel Canto, Chamber Singers, Concert Band, Concert Choir, Digital Photography, Drama, Fine Arts, Jazz Ensemble, Jazz Improv, Journalism, Media Literacy, Orchestra, Pep Band, Visual Arts

### Athletics\*\*:

#### Boys:

**Fall:** Cross Country, Football, Golf, Soccer, Swimming

**Winter:** Basketball, Ice Hockey, Indoor Track and Field, Swimming and Diving, Wrestling

**Spring:** Baseball, Lacrosse, Tennis, Track and Field

#### Girls:

**Fall:** Cheerleading, Cross Country, Field Hockey, Soccer, Swimming

**Winter:** Basketball, Cheerleading, Gymnastics, Indoor Track and Field, Swimming and Diving, Volleyball

**Spring:** Lacrosse, Softball, Tennis, Track and Field

**Extracurricular Activities:** Art Club, Book Club, Computer, Cooking, Debate, Drama, Environmental, Gay-Straight Alliance, Jeopardy, Literary Magazine, Math, Mock Trial, Model United Nations, National Honor Society, Photography, Quiz Bowl, Robotics, Sailing, Science, Student Government, Trial National Forensic League, Video Production, Yearbook

ESL Available/Level: NO

\*All courses and options offered by the school are subject to change.  
\*\*State regulations may restrict sports in isolated cases

**University Acceptance Rate:** 96%

**Partial List of University Acceptances:** American University, Auburn University, Boston College, Boston University, Brandeis University, Brown University, Bucknell University, Clemson University, Colby College, Connecticut College, Dartmouth College, Indiana University, Massachusetts Maritime Academy, McGill University, Michigan State University, Middlebury College, Northeastern University, Pennsylvania State University, Providence College, Purdue University, Savannah College of Art and Design, Syracuse University, Temple University, Tufts University, University of California - Los Angeles, University of Connecticut, University of Miami, University of Rochester, University of Vermont, Vassar College, Villanova University, Wake Forest University, Wesleyan University



I met the greatest friends and host family I could wish for!  
I will always be thankful to all the people who made this year the best and like a dream! I will never forget this year!  
- Rixt K. from the Netherlands