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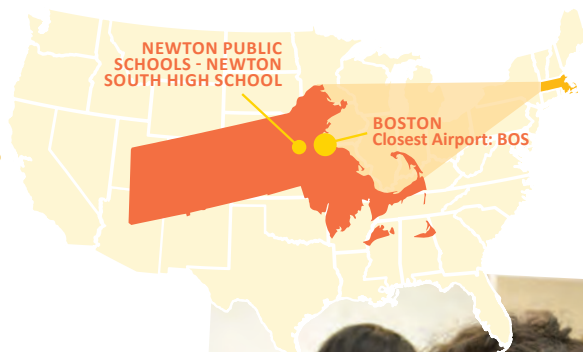
STEAM



DIPLOMA YEAR

Newton Public Schools - Newton South High School

Newton, MA



LOCATION:

- Population: 89,000
- Located 20 Minutes West of Boston
- Weather:
Summer/Fall: Warm and Humid
Winter/Spring: Cold and Dry

ELIGIBILITY:

- Enrollment Restrictions: None
Note: Advanced English proficiency required for diploma
- Minimum TOEFL: 60
- Minimum ELTIS: 206

SCHOOL HIGHLIGHTS:

- Rated an "A+" school on Niche.com
- Ranked #6 best Massachusetts Public High School by Boston Magazine
- Ranked as the 29th best school in Massachusetts by the U.S. News and World Report

ACADEMICS AND FACTS:

- Grades at School: 9-12
- Total Students in School: 1,910
- Teacher/Student Ratio: 1:13
- Diploma Year Offered: YES
- High Schools Accepting Students: 1

SCHOOL PROFILE

A top high school in the state, Newton South High School's rigorous academics are reflected in their exceptional average SAT scores of 1325 and 97% college acceptance rate. Students have access to programs such as STEAM and career and vocational technical education. The schools offers 5 foreign languages and 20 AP courses. Over 50% of students maintain a GPA of 4.0 or higher.

FACILITIES

The Newton South campus features vocational technology education equipment and a culinary arts facility. The Newton South Recreation Complex offers a gym, an indoor track, a fitness room, a wrestling/dance room, a wellness classroom, and locker rooms.

SPORTS AND ARTS

Students can play on various championship teams such as volleyball and ice hockey. They can also take advantage of New England's climate by competing on the ski team. Newton South has a very strong arts program. At the 2016 Scholastic Art and Writing Awards, 34 students won 81 awards. Famous alumni of the school include producer, actor, and writer of NBC's hit comedy *The Office* B.J. Novak as well as *The Office* actor John Krasinski.

AWARDS AND ACCOMPLISHMENTS

Newton South was ranked the #6 best public school in Massachusetts by Boston Magazine, taking into account class sizes, test scores, and AP participation. In 2018, 16 students were 2018 National AP Scholars. US News and World Report ranked Newton South as the 29th best school in Massachusetts, and Niche.com rated it "A+".

COMMUNITY INFORMATION

Newton, is a unique suburb of Boston with a system of villages. Downtown Boston is only 10 miles from the school and accessible by public transportation. In 2012, Newton was named the 4th best small city to live in America by Money Magazine.

University Acceptance Rate: 97%

Partial List of University Acceptances: Boston University, Bowdoin College, Brandeis University, Brown University, Carnegie Mellon University, Case Western Reserve University, Columbia University, Cornell University, Dartmouth College, Duke University, Emory University, Harvard University, Johns Hopkins University, Macalester College, Massachusetts Institute of Technology, McGill University, New York University, Northeastern University, Pennsylvania State University, Princeton University, Tufts University, Tulane University, University of California Berkeley, University of Chicago, University of Pennsylvania, University of Southern California, University of Toronto, Villanova University, Washington University in St. Louis, Williams College, Yale University

There are many levels including Honors, Advanced Placement, and College Prep. I stayed for my entire senior year and I earned a diploma. I also appreciated being close to Boston. I usually hung out on Newbury Street or in the North End neighborhood on weekends. — Letizia from Italy



OPTIONS AVAILABLE*:

Foreign Languages: Chinese, French, Latin, Russian, Spanish

Advanced Placement Courses: Biology, Calculus AB, Calculus BC, Chemistry, Chinese Language and Culture, Comparative Government and Politics, English Language and Composition, English Literature and Composition, European History, French Language and Culture, Music Theory, Physics C: Electricity and Magnetism, Physics C: Mechanics, Psychology, Spanish Language and Culture, Statistics, Studio Art: 3D Design, Studio Art: Drawing, US Government and Politics, US History

Arts: 3D Art, Acting, Ceramics, Chorale, Ensemble, Jazz, Madrigals, Media Lab, Mixed Media, Photography, Studio Art, Symphonic Band, Technical Theater, TV and Media Arts

Athletics**:

Boys:

Fall: Cross Country, Football, Golf, Soccer
Winter: Basketball, Ice Hockey, Indoor Track and Field, Skiing, Swimming, Wrestling
Spring: Baseball, Lacrosse, Tennis, Track and Field, Volleyball

Girls:

Fall: Cheerleading, Cross Country, Dance, Field Hockey, Golf, Soccer, Volleyball
Winter: Basketball, Dance, Ice Hockey, Indoor Track and Field, Skiing, Swimming
Spring: Lacrosse, Softball, Track and Field

Extracurricular Activities: Animation, Asian Student Alliance, Badminton, Black Student Union, Community Service, Cooking, Dance, Film, Gay-Straight Alliance, Latinos Unidos, Math Club, Mock Trial, Model United Nations, Newspaper, Philosophy, Robotics, Rugby, Science, Ski and Snowboard, Speech and Debate, Student Senate, Theater, Yearbook

ESL Available/Level: YES

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