NARRAGANSETT HIGH SCHOOL PROFILE
2018-2019
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Community
Narragansett (Washington County) Population 16,000
The town of Narragansett has been a popular beach resort area on Rhode Island’s south shore for more than 100 years. Narragansett High School is located one mile from the Atlantic Ocean, situated 35 miles south of Providence and within 5 miles of the University of Rhode Island. The school enjoys strong community support in both its educational and athletic programs. Total enrollment is approximately 450 students. Accredited by the New England Association of Schools and Colleges, Narragansett offers an extensive array of programs and unique opportunities. Students can enroll in a variety of levels of study including Advanced Placement, Honors and College Preparatory courses. Students can also enroll in advanced coursework at local colleges and universities as well as concurrent enrollment courses to earn college credits in classes that are taught at the high school. Additionally, Narragansett High School offers three Career and Technical Education (CTE) Programs in Agriscience, Computer Technology and Plumbing. Within Agriscience and Computer Technology, there are multiple pathways students can choose to earn certification. Independent study with faculty members as well as career placement opportunities are also available for students.

NHS AT A GLANCE:
♦ Enrollment: 446, grades 9 - 12
♦ Class of 2019: 113
♦ Average Class Size: 19
♦ Block schedule of 78 minute classes that meet every other day
♦ Pattern of school year is semesters
♦ Students take 8.0 credits per year
♦ 65 certified staff for 2018-2019 including teachers, counselors, administrators and special educators
♦ Professional staff to student ratio of 7:1

Graduating Class of 2018 Statistics
Size of Graduating Class: 105
Attending 2 or 4 year college: 96%
Other: 4%
Highest GPA: 5.2216
Median GPA: 3.58

GRADING SYSTEM:

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Level of Difficulty:
Level 1: (A) These are advanced placement or honors level courses containing highly challenging material.
Level 2: (C) These are college preparatory courses containing material designed to challenge students with a wide range of abilities and interests.
Level 3: (G) These are general education courses designed to improve basic skills.

*Highest GPA = 5.65

P = Pass  F = Fail  I = Incomplete  W = Withdrawn
WF = Withdrawn/Failure  NC = No Credit  AUD = Audit

Advanced Placement Course Offerings:
AP Calculus
AP Statistics
AP Computer Science Principles
AP Biology
AP Physics
AP English Language & Composition
AP Literature & Composition
AP United States History
AP Government & Politics
AP Psychology
AP Spanish Language & Culture
AP French Language & Culture
AP Italian Language

Honors Courses Offered:
English 9 Honors
English 10 Honors
Earth & Physical Science Honors
Biology Honors
Chemistry I Honors
World History Honors
Spanish II Honors
Spanish III Honors

Algebra II Honors
Geometry Honors
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Precalculus Honors
Honors Concert Band
Honors Concert Chorus
GRADUATION REQUIREMENTS:

- Accumulate 25 credits in grades 9 through 12 including the following curriculum requirements:
  - English ——— 4.5 credits
  - Mathematics ——— 4.0 credits
  - Algebra I
  - Science ——— 3.0 credits
  - 1 Biology
  - Social Studies ——— 3.0 credits
  - Government
  - US History
  - 1 Civic/s/Senior Project
  - Art/Music/Theater ——— .5 credit
  - Computer Science ——— .5 credit
  - Physical Education/Health ——— 2.0 credits
  - Electives ——— 7.5 - 11.0 credits

- Demonstrate proficiency in the school’s Academic & Social/Civic Learning Expectations through the completion of an electronic graduation portfolio.

- Demonstrate proficiency in each required task of a Senior Project. Students must write an extended research paper 6 - 12 pages in length on a topic of their choice, perform 15 hours of field work with a mentor, complete a tour through Richer Picture of their project and make a formal presentation 8 - 12 minutes long involving their product to a panel of faculty and community judges.

- Complete 30 hours of community service. National Honor Society members must complete and additional 40 hours for a required total of 70 hours.

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**MEAN SAT SCORES**

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Concurrent Enrollment Courses:
The following classes are taught at NHS, but students earn credits at each respective college:
- Cisco I, II, III, IV (CCRI)
- Intro. to Engineering & Technology (CCRI)
- Intro. to Computing & Data Science (URI)
- AP Computer Science Principles (URI)
- Cybersecurity (URI)
- College Writing (URI)
- Animal Science (URI)
- Chemistry II (RIC)
- Spanish IV (RIC)
- Spanish V (RIC)
- Italian IV (RIC)

Career & Technical Education (CTE) Program Pathways:
- **Agricultural Science:** There are three Agriscience Certificates available: Pet First Aid, Pesticides and OSHA. Each certificate program requires Agriscience I and II as well as two additional courses reflective of the pathway that is chosen.

- **Computer Science Certificate Program:** There are three Computer Science Pathways that students can follow: IT Fundamentals, Networking: Cisco Certified Network Training or Cisco Certified Technician Training. Several of these courses are worth college credits at URI.

- **Mechanical Trades - Plumbing:** provides students hands-on training and apprenticeship opportunities with new partner, Rhode Island’s Local 51. Students will take courses focused on plumbing with a chance to also explore construction management, pipe fitting, and welding.