

Just The Facts

<i>School Population</i>	493 students
<i>School Hours (M,T,Th,F)</i>	7:40—2:20
<i>Wednesdays</i>	7:40—1:30
<i>School Colors</i>	Blue & White
<i>School Mascot</i>	Gerry General
<i>Faculty</i>	45
<i>Town Populations:</i>	
<i>Hamilton</i>	7,561
<i>Wenham</i>	4,979
<i>Number of school-sponsored clubs/activities</i>	22
<i>Number of athletic Programs</i>	26
<i>Average class size</i>	18.9
<i>Schedule</i>	5 day/7 Block rotating schedule
<i>College placement</i>	93.5%

For directions to Hamilton-Wenham Regional High School: please visit our website at www.hwschools.net/hwrhs

MEET OUR STAFF

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HAMILTON-WENHAM REGIONAL HIGH SCHOOL

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Mission Statements:

HWRSD

The Mission of the HWRSD is to educate our children to become young adults who are of good character and demonstrate mastery of the knowledge and skills needed to be successful members of our global economy and engaged citizens of the 21st Century.

HWRHS

The Hamilton-Wenham Regional School community strives to create a passion for learning in a reflective environment that promotes respect, individuality and quality achievement.

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Expectations for Learning

By working to reach their greatest potential, Hamilton-Wenham Regional High School students will learn to:

- Live as life-long learners
- Express themselves effectively
- Acquire essential knowledge & skills
- Respect themselves and others
- Navigate within a variety of communities

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The mission of the Hamilton-Wenham Regional School District Pre K-12 Counseling Department is to guide students to become compassionate, responsible, and resilient individuals who are able to meet the challenges of an increasingly diverse and changing society.

The vision of the Hamilton-Wenham Regional School District Pre K-12 Counseling Department is to create an environment in which students will feel safe and supported in an effort to maximize their individual potential.

As counselors, we work collaboratively to teach, model, and advocate for students.

Available Services

- ◆ Individual and group counseling
- ◆ Academic advising
- ◆ Post-Secondary planning
- ◆ Classroom presentations & seminars
- ◆ Transition and orientation programs
- ◆ Conflict resolution
- ◆ Teacher consultation
- ◆ Parent information
- ◆ Consultation with outside agencies & professionals
- ◆ Referrals on an as needed basis
- ◆ Scheduling
- ◆ Test administration & coordination
- ◆ Community Service
- ◆ Scholarship information
- ◆ Student record maintenance
- ◆ Access and assistance with Naviance, a web-based service designed for students and parents.
- ◆ Student registrations/withdrawals

Graduation Requirements

Students must accumulate 24 credits in order to meet graduation requirements. A semester course receives .5 credit, a year-long course receives 1 credit.

Subject

English - 4
Social Studies - 3
Mathematics - 4
Science - 3
Foreign Language - 2
Health Science - 2
Fine/Applied Arts - .5
Engineering Technology - .5
Additional Semester of either Fine/Applied Arts or Engineering Technology - .5

Additional Requirements:

* The Massachusetts Department of Education also requires that all students must pass English, Math, and Science MCAS to be eligible for a high school diploma.

* 30 hours of community service

PUBLICATIONS

All publications are available at
<http://hwrhs.hwschools.net/page.cfm?p=1994>