



VISION OF THE GRADUATE

- Critical Thinker
- Communicator
- Collaborator
- Self-Directed Learner
- Innovator
- Global Citizen

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Principal	Stephen Patrina
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THE COMMUNITY, SCHOOL & STAFF

Simsbury, one of the Hartford Capitol Region’s most desirable residential communities, is a charming New England town with outstanding educational, cultural and recreational facilities.

Simsbury High School is a four year public high school accredited through the New England Association of Schools and Colleges. The school employs 165 faculty members, and offers an extensive range of curricular and co-curricular programs to 1,300 students, priding itself on the records of outstanding student achievement and rigorous academic standards.

Our Core Values and Beliefs of Preparation, Passion, and Personal Growth serve as the backbone of our school’s mission. Based on national rankings, Simsbury is one of the most competitive high schools, public or private, in the country.

CURRICULUM

Simsbury High School strives to provide students with an extensive curriculum including academic, fine and applied arts, and special education opportunities. Courses are divided into three levels including Advanced Placement and competitive college prep courses. In certain math courses, a third college prep level is offered.

GPA

Simsbury High School does not rank students. A GPA, calculated on a weighted 4.0 scale, is provided and based on final grades in all subjects, with the exception of courses graded on a pass/fail basis. The point values are based on the level of coursework, with more rigorous courses receiving additional weight. Plus and minus grades are factored in with a .33 value.

COURSE LEVELS

POINTVALUE

	A	B	C	D
Advanced Placement	4.67	3.67	2.67	1.67
Level I - Honors	4.50	3.50	2.50	1.50
Level II - Competitive College Prep	4.0	3.0	2.0	1.0
Level III - College Prep	3.67	2.67	1.67	0.67

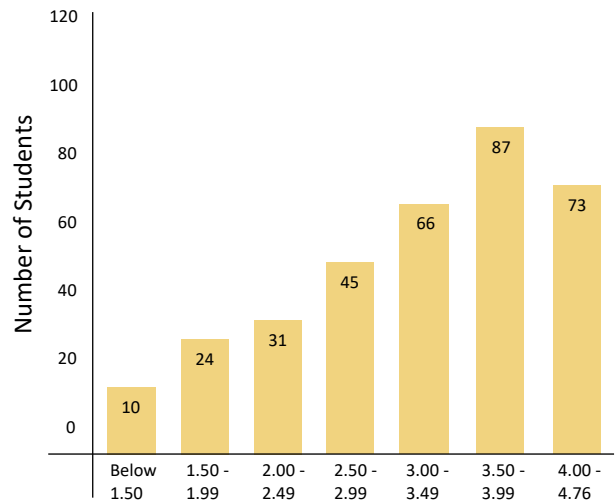
GRADING SYSTEM

A	B	C	D	F
90 - 100	80 - 89	70 - 79	60 - 69	Below 60



PROFILE FOR THE CLASS OF 2022

Class Size 347



Weighted Grade Point Average: * 0 - 4.76

*Based on 2020/2021 School Year

GRADUATION REQUIREMENT

4.0	English
4.0	Math
3.0	Science
3.5	Social Studies
2.0	World Language
2.0	Fine/Applied Arts
1.0	Physical Education
.5	Health Education
.25	Financial Literacy
4.75	Additional Courses
25	Total Credits

COVID-19 STATEMENT

Simsbury High School was closed to in-person instruction for the last three months of the 2019-20 school year. Students engaged in remote learning and had the option of taking a Pass or a letter grade for the fourth quarter. During the 2020-21 school year Simsbury High School operated in a hybrid model, with students learning in person and in synchronous online classes.

NATIONAL MERIT: Class of 2022

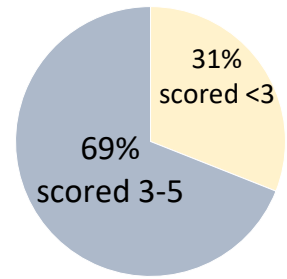
17 Letters of Commendation

FUTURE PLANS: Class of 2021

- 79.6% Four Year Colleges & Universities
- 7.4% Two Year Colleges
- 0.0% Career Education
- 1.9% Military
- 6.8% Employment
- 1.5% Transition Academies
- 0.6% College Preparatory Schools
- 1.5% Gap Year

ADVANCED PLACEMENT COURSES & EXAMS

Simsbury High School offers students 28 Advanced Placement (AP) courses. Of the 449 students who took 964 AP exams, 69% of the scores were 3 or higher.



SCORE DISTRIBUTION

May 2021

Subject	5	4	3	2	1	% 3 or Higher
Art - 2D Design		3	1			100
Art - 3D Design		1	2			100
Art - Drawing		5	1			100
Biology	5	13	10	6		82
Calculus AB	8	10	8	12	3	63
Calculus BC	6	5	1	1		92
Chemistry	2	7	13	10	3	63
Comp. Gov & Pol.		1				100
Computer Sci. A	10	8	3	4	1	81
Computer Sci. Prin.	10	11	11	4	1	86
English Language	24	49	22	19		83
English Literature	8	19	31	18	1	75
Environmental Sci.	1	19	9	11	10	58
Euro History	4	4	2		1	91
French Language	2	2	7	1		92
Gov. & Pol. - U.S.	7	10	33	28	33	45
History - U.S.	11	24	34	43	27	50
Latin		2	2	2	2	50
Macroeconomics	3	6	1	3	4	59
Microeconomics	1	3	1		1	83
Physics 1	2	5	9	6	11	48
Physics C: Mech.	1	3	5	6	6	43
Psychology	8	19	10	4	12	70
Research	4	2	2			100
Seminar	13	16	23	4		93
Spanish Language	8	9	4			100
Statistics	3	11	7	3	3	78

HIGHLIGHTS

- In the US News Rankings, Simsbury High School ranked 640th in the United States and 14th in Connecticut
- Newsweek named Simsbury High School one of the top 1,000 STEM high schools in the country
- 27 musicians received All-State recognition
- Top 4 finishers in the CT FBLA competition
- 7 students were Scholastic Art Award winners
- A student was named Grand Prize Winner in the CT Colt Language poster competition
- 39 students earned the Seal of Biliteracy award in language
- Students placed 3rd and 4th in the Connecticut Home Show Student Design Competition
- A student was selected as a finalist for the Prudential Spirit of the Community Award
- SHS Athletic Program was designated by the CIAC for the Michael's Cup "Class Act" Sportsmanship Award
- SHS Unified Sports received Program of the Year honors from the State of Connecticut

MEMBERS OF THE CLASSES OF 2020 & 2021 MATRICULATED TO THE FOLLOWING

COLLEGES, UNIVERSITIES AND TECHNICAL PROGRAMS

Albertus Magnus College	George Mason University	Purdue University	University of Central Florida
American International College	Georgetown University	Queen's University	University of Chicago
Asnuntuck Community College	Gettysburg College	Quinnipiac University	University of California, Berkeley
Assumption University	Gordon College	Rensselaer Polytechnic Institute	University of Colorado Boulder
Auburn University	Greenville University	Roanoke College	University of California - San Diego
Barnard College	Grove City College	Rochester Institute of Technology	University of Connecticut
Belmont University	Hamilton College	Roger Williams University	University of Delaware
Bentley University	Harvard College	Sacred Heart University	University of Florida
Boston College	High Point University	Saint Anselm College	University of Georgia
Boston University	Hobart William Smith Colleges	Saint Joseph's College of Maine	University of Hartford
Bowdoin College	Hofstra University	Saint Joseph's University	University of Illinois at Chicago
Brandeis University	Husson University	Saint Louis University	University of Iowa
Bridgewater State University	Ithaca College	Saint Michael's College	University of Kansas
Brigham Young University	James Madison University	Salve Regina University	University of Maine
Bristol Tech	Johnson & Wales University	Sarah Lawrence College	University of Massachusetts
Bryant University	Keene State College	School of Visual Arts	University of Miami
Bucknell University	Lafayette College	Siena College	University of Michigan
Butler University	Lasell University	Skidmore College	University of Mississippi
Cal Poly, San Luis Obispo	LeTourneau University	Southern CT State University	University of New England
Case Western Reserve University	Liberty University	Southern New Hampshire University	University of New Hampshire
Cedar Crest College	Long Island University, Post	Springfield College	University of New Haven
Central CT State University	Loyola Marymount University	St. Bonaventure University	University of North Carolina
Champlain College	Loyola University Chicago	St. Lawrence University	University of North Dakota
City University of New York	Loyola University, New Orleans	Stony Brook University	University of Pennsylvania
Clark University	Lycoming College	Suffolk University	University of Pittsburgh
Clarkson University	Lynn University	SUNY Oneonta	University of Rhode Island
Clemson University	Manchester Community College	Syracuse University	University of Saint Joseph
Colby-Sawyer College	Manhattanville College	Tarleton State University	University of South Carolina
Colgate University	Marist College	Temple University	University of South Florida
College of Charleston	Marymount Manhattan College	Texas Christian University	University of Stirling
College of the Holy Cross	Massachusetts College of Art and Design	The American Musical and Dramatic Academy	University of Tampa
Colorado State University	Merrimack College	The Catholic University of America	University of Tennessee
Cornell University	Miami University—Oxford	The College of Saint Rose	University of Vermont
Curry College	Michigan State University	The George Washington University	University of Washington
Cypress Community College	Montana State University	The New School	University of Wisconsin
Dartmouth College	Morgan State University	The University of Alabama	Utah State University
Denison University	Mount Holyoke College	The University of Arizona	Villanova University
DePaul University	New England College	The University of Scranton	Virginia State University
Dickinson College	New England Technical School	The University of Tampa	Virginia Tech
Drexel University	New York University	The University of Texas	Washington & Jefferson College
Eastern CT State University	Nichols College	Towson University	Washington and Lee University
Eckerd College	Northeastern University	Trinity College	Washington State University
Edinboro University of Pennsylvania	Northern Vermont University	Tufts University	Wentworth Institute of Technology
Elon University	Northwestern CT Community College	Tulane University of Louisiana	Wesleyan University
Embry-Riddle Aeronautical University	Northwestern University	Tunxis Community College	Western CT State University
Emerson College	Ohio State University	Union College	Western Michigan University
Endicott College	Oklahoma Christian University	United States Coast Guard Academy	Western New England University
Fairfield University	Old Dominion University	University of Alabama	Westfield State University
Fashion Institute of Technology	Pace University	University of Arkansas	Williams College
Fitchburg State University	Pennsylvania State University		Wofford College
Florida Institute of Technology	Plymouth State University		Worcester Polytechnic Institute
Florida State University	Presbyterian College		
Gateway Community College	Providence College		