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2022-2023 School Profile

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Mission Statement Hyde School provides students with a comprehensive, co-curricular college preparatory education through challenging academic work, a rigorous character and family education curriculum, and opportunities for community leadership. Our mission: develop character to discover unique potential.

General Hyde School is an independent, coeducational college preparatory boarding school with emphasis on helping students discover their strengths and grow as confident leaders prepared for their future. We believe that for students to succeed – now and for the rest of their lives – they must develop the values, habits, and resilience that are the hallmarks of strong character.

Our boarding school campus is located in Bath, Maine with approximately 110 students, one hundred percent of which are boarding students. Students who attend come from throughout the United States and international locations, including the continents of Asia, Europe, and Africa.

Admissions Hyde School admits students without regard to race, nationality or gender, who demonstrate academic aptitude and a desire to develop strong personal character and leadership. Admission to Hyde is based on a review of the student’s prior academic record, educational testing, and an in-depth interview of the student and family. Due to the character education aspect of the curriculum, it is preferred that students spend a minimum of two years at the school prior to graduation.

Accreditation Hyde School is accredited by the New England Association of Schools and Colleges (NEASC).

Curriculum As a college preparatory school, Hyde School’s co-curricular learning program requires rigor in all aspects of a student’s experience. The academic year operates on a trimester basis. Advanced Placement and Honors courses are offered, as well as academic support classes on an as needed basis. Students carry five to six college-preparatory academic courses, as well as the Hyde Character and Leadership Seminar; participate in interscholastic athletics each season, perform daily campus jobs, participate in multi-media performing arts productions, engage in community leadership in partnership with faculty, and regularly evaluate their character growth with input from peers, parents, and faculty.

In grades 9 through 12 students must earn a minimum of 18 academic credits, distributed as follows:

English	4	Science	3	Social Studies	3
Mathematics	3	Foreign Language	2	Electives/Arts	3

Grading	<u>A</u>	<u>B</u>	<u>C</u>	<u>D</u>	<u>E</u>
	100 - 90	89 - 80	79 - 70	69 - 65	Below 65

In the classroom, student performance is evaluated based on academic achievement and learning attitude. Grade point averages on a 100-point scale are weighted for AP (ten points) and honors (five points) courses. The cumulative average is based on years at Hyde School only—prior high school grades are not included in the reported cumulative GPA; although the grades are included on the official transcript. We do not rank our students.

Graduation

Seniors demonstrate considerable leadership in partnership with the faculty. Every aspect of student life on campus encourages seniors to serve as role models and set the tone for the school-wide character culture.

Hyde School's graduation requirements embody a quest for personal excellence in academic achievement and character education. In addition to satisfactorily completing the academic requirements, every senior participates in an intense 40-hour personal character evaluation process. This occurs during the final trimester of his/her/their senior year and involves all members of the senior class and the faculty. The evaluation culminates with seniors making a speech representing their personal principles and standards.

Academic Courses

English

English 9
English 10
English 11
AP English Language and Composition
English 12
Creative Nonfiction

English Language Learners Support

ELL I: Basic Literacy
ELL II: Intermediate/Advanced Literacy
ELL III: Advanced Literacy

Foreign Language

Spanish 1
Spanish 2
Spanish 3
Spanish 4
AP Spanish
Mandarin 1
Mandarin 2

Social Sciences

20th Century World History
Government (Grades 12 & PG only)
U.S. History
AP U.S. History
World History
Mysteries in History
Film History

Mathematics

Algebra 1
Algebra 2
Geometry
College Algebra
PreCalculus
Calculus
AP Calculus AB
AP Calculus BC
Self-Paced Math Program

Science

Biology
Chemistry
Environmental Science Topics
Physics
Applied Anatomy & Physiology
Intro to Sports Physiology

STEAM

Video Production – Hyde TV
Information Technology Fundamentals

The Arts

Studio Art
AP Studio Art
Soundscapes
Creative Design
Music – Performance
Music – Production and Engineering

Additional Electives

Forensics
Sports Management
Women in Leadership (Grades 11, 12, & PG only)

College Acceptances: Here is a sampling of colleges to which Hyde graduates in the classes of 2020-2022 were offered admission.

American University	Ithaca College	Texas Tech University
Assumption University	Jacksonville University	The College of New Jersey
Augustana College	James Madison University	The Ohio State University
Babson College	Johnson & Wales University	The University of Tampa
Belmont University	Keene State College	Towson University
Bentley University	LaSalle University	Union College (NY)
Binghamton University	Lehigh University	University of Arizona
Boise State University	Lesley University	University at Buffalo
Boston College	Lewis & Clark College	University of California (multiple)
Boston University	Louisiana State University	University of Colorado Boulder
Bridgewater State University	Loyola University Chicago	University of Connecticut
Bryant University	Loyola University Maryland	University of Hartford
Cal Poly – San Luis Obispo	Maine College of Art	University of Illinois,
Catholic University	Maine Maritime Academy	Urbana-Champaign
Champlain College	Mass Coll. of Art & Design	University of Kansas
Clark University	Merrimack College	University of Maine
Clark Atlanta University	Morehouse College	University of Maryland
Coastal Carolina University	Nichols College	University of Massachusetts (multiple)
College of Charleston	North Carolina A & T State University	University of Montana
College of Wooster	Norwich University	University of New Hampshire
Colorado State University	Northern Vermont University	University of Nevada
Columbia College Chicago	Ohio University	University of New England
Creighton University	Ohio Wesleyan University	University of Pittsburgh
Culinary Institute of America	Pennsylvania State University	University of Puget Sound
Curry College	Purdue University	University of Rhode Island
Delaware State University	Quinnipiac University	University of Saint Joseph
Dickinson College	Regis University	University of Southern Maine
Drexel University	Rhode Island School of Design	University of Tennessee
Eckerd College	Rensselaer Poly Technic Institute	University of Toronto
Elon University	Rhodes College	University of Oregon
Emerson College	Roanoke College	University of St. Andrews
Emmanuel College	Roger Williams University	University of Vermont
Endicott College	Rollins College	Virginia Commonwealth University
Fashion Inst. of Technology	Rutgers University	Virginia Tech
Fisk University	Sacred Heart University	Wheaton College MA
Florida Atlantic University	Saint Michael's College	Whittier College
Florida Gulf Coast University	San Diego State University	Worcester Poly Institute
Florida State University	Seton Hall University	Xavier University
Fordham University	Spelman College	
Franklin Pierce University	Springfield College	
Furman University	St. Lawrence University	
Goucher College	Stonehill College	
High Point University	Stony Brook University	
Hobart & William Smith	Suffolk University	
Hofstra University	SUNY Albany	
Hood College	Syracuse University	
Howard University	Temple University	
Indiana University	Texas A&M University	