

## Acton-Boxborough Regional High School

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### The School

A four year comprehensive high school, Acton-Boxborough Regional High School serves students from the towns of Acton and Boxborough, located twenty-five miles west of Boston. The current population of Acton is 20,100; Boxborough's population is approximately 5,000. The school system is regional for Grades 7–12. There are five elementary schools in Acton and one in Boxborough.

#### Enrollment June 1, 2007

Grade 12	439
Grade 11	475
Grade 10	498
Grade 9	474
Total	1886

#### Faculty 2006–2007

Of the 137 staff members, 82% hold advanced degrees. The average length of experience is 12 years.

#### Accreditation

Acton-Boxborough Regional High School is accredited by the New England Association of Schools and Colleges (NEASC).

#### The Academic Program

The school provides a broad academic program for its students, 98% of whom pursue post-secondary education. In addition, a variety of courses are offered in visual arts, performing arts and industrial arts.

### Graduation Requirements

All students, regardless of their post-high school objectives, must meet the following requirements for graduation:

- Four prepared subjects per year.
- Four years of English.
- Three years of Social Studies (of which one must be U.S. History and Government)
- Two years of Science (of which one must be Biology).
- Two years of Mathematics.
- Four semesters of Physical Education.
- One semester of Health Education.
- One academic elective (English, Math, Science, Social Studies, Foreign Language, et. al.).
- Satisfactory completion of the Massachusetts Comprehensive Assessment System test (MCAS).

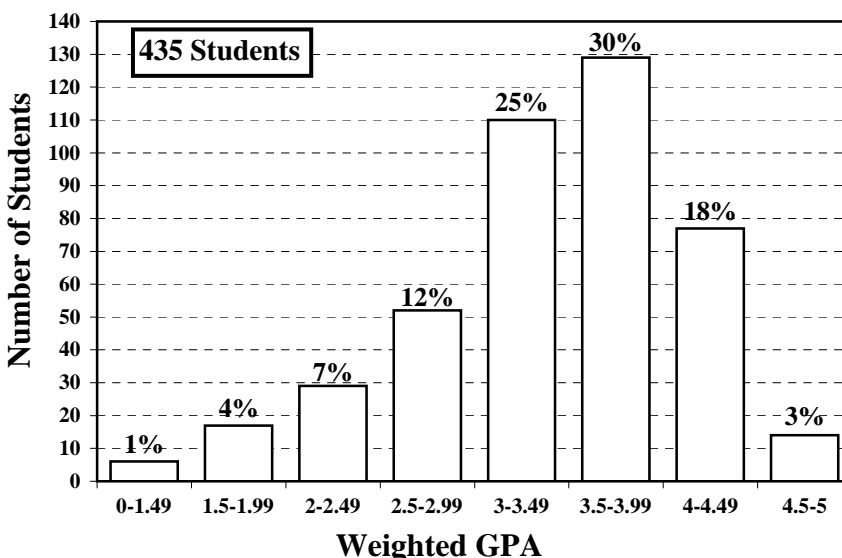
### Advanced Placement Courses

English IV	European History
US History II	JAVA Programming
Psychology	Environmental Science
French V	Advanced Chemistry
Spanish V	Advanced Biology
Calculus	Statistics

# Class of 2007 Profile

## Weighted GPA Chart

Grade	Level			
	(H)	(A/E)	(CP)	(SP)
A+	5.00	4.50	4.00	3.50
A	4.75	4.25	3.75	3.25
A-	4.50	4.00	3.50	3.00
B+	4.25	3.75	3.25	2.75
B	4.00	3.50	3.00	2.50
B-	3.75	3.25	2.75	2.25
C+	3.50	3.00	2.50	2.00
C	3.25	2.75	2.25	1.75
C-	3.00	2.50	2.00	1.50
D+	2.75	2.25	1.75	1.25
D	2.50	2.00	1.50	1.00
D-	2.25	1.75	1.25	0.75
F	0	0	0	0



(Percentage of class in each weighted GPA range is noted above graph bars)

(H)=Honors (including A.P. courses)  
 (A/E)=Accelerated/Enriched  
 (CP)=College Prep (SP)=Standard Pr

The high school also offers many heterogeneous or non-leveled courses. Weighted GPA calculations do not incorporate grades from non-leveled courses.

## SAT Reasoning Test Profile

Average Scores	AB			Nation		
	CR	MATH	WR	CR	MATH	WR
2007	606	640	609	502	515	494
2006	602	634	599	503	518	497
2005	VERBAL MATH		VERBAL MATH			
	613	634	508	520		

Over the last three years, an average of 99% of the seniors at Acton-Boxborough took SATs as compared to 48% nationally and 85% in Massachusetts.

## SAT Subject Test Profile

Subject	No. of Students	Mean Score
Biology E	113	691
Biology M	25	728
Chemistry	66	712
Chinese Listening	8	779
English Literature	53	659
French	9	702
Math Level I	89	666
Math Level II	113	766
Spanish	23	669
US History	116	679

## Advanced Placement Test Scores

418 juniors and seniors took 849 exams in Biology, Calculus, Chemistry, Chinese Language, Economics, English Literature & Composition, Environmental Science, European History, French Language, Physics, Psychology, Spanish Language, Statistics, World History and US History

Test Score	No. of Scores
5	502
4	245
3	89
2	27
1	2

## Post-Secondary Education

	2007	2006	2005
Four-year Colleges	91%	89%	90%
Two-year Colleges	5%	6%	4%
Other Post-Secondary	2%	1%	1%

## National Merit Scholarship Program

Semi-finalists	21
Commended Students	69