

Profile 2022-2023 Carver Middle High School- Guidance Department 60 South Meadow Road, Carver, MA 02330 PHONE (508) 866-6144 \* FAX: (508) 866-5639

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# **Community and School**

Situated in a growing, rural community in southeastern Massachusetts, Carver Middle High School serves 369 students, grades 9-12. The well maintained building and grounds, constructed in 1987, offer exceptional opportunities for teaching and learning.

Equipped with a language laboratory, a planetarium and spacious classrooms, Carver Middle High School offers a strong academic program as well as opportunities for student involvement in a wide-range of athletic and co-curricular activities. The guidance staff provides both post-secondary education and career counseling. In addition, Ramsay Library Media Center is a welcoming place that is frequently used by students and staff to research, study, read, create, and collaborate. The library provides a wide range of materials, technologies, and other information services in support of the school's curriculum.

Carver Middle High School currently operates on a rotating schedule of five 65 minute periods per day. Students carry a courseload of 7 classes each semester with two classes dropping each day. Students and staff have welcomed the higher standards set by the Massachusetts Department of Elementary and Secondary Education through the Curriculum Frameworks, finding ever increasing opportunities to improve instruction and student learning. Carver Middle High School is accredited by the New England Association of Schools and Colleges.

# **Graduation Requirements**

As a part of the 130 credit requirement students must successfully complete each of the following:

4 years of English

- 3 years of Social Studies
  - (including 2 years of U.S. History)
- 4 years of Mathematics
- 3 years of Science

4 semesters of Comprehensive Health Pass ELA, Mathematics and Science MCAS Complete 25 Hours of Community Service

## Class of 2022-71 Graduates

76% of graduates pursued further education58% of graduates attended 4 Year College or University18% of graduates attended 2 Year College/Technical School

# Mean SAT Scores, 2021-2022

Critical Reading: 551 Mathematics: 538 Chrissy McKenna, Guidance Counselor Christina Nolan, Guidance Counselor Tammy Miller, Career Counselor

#### Levels of Study

Carver Middle High School offers four levels of study in a variety of courses. Students may study some courses at College Preparory 2, College Preparatory, Honors, or Advanced Placement Level. Enrollment for each level is based on teacher and department chair recommendation.

## **Advanced Placement Courses**

English Literature and Composition, English Language and Composition, European History, United States History, Psychology, Calculus AB, Statistics, Biology and Physics

#### **Honors Courses**

- Literature & Composition, American Literature & Composition, Composition Through Non-Fiction, Composition Through Short Story, Literature and Psychology, Mythology, Folklore & Legend, Dystopian Literature, Creative Writing
- U.S. History I and II, World History II, Justice & Society, Economics, Sociology, International Relations
- French III, IV, V and Spanish III, IV, V
- Algebra II, Pre-Calculus, Geometry
- Biology, Chemistry, Physics 9, Anatomy & Physiology, Astronomy, Environmental Science, Principles of Ecology, Careers in Life Sciences, CAD I, Intro of Manufacturing and Engineering, Robotics II, Principles of Manufacturing & Technology
- Two Dimensional Design, Three Dimensional Design, Advanced Art
- Advanced Culinary, Pro-Start II
- Symphonic Band, HS Chorus
- Select Edgenuity and VHS Courses

## **Grade Explanation**

A+ 97-100	A 93-96	A- 90-92 Excellent Quality	
B+ 87-89	B 83-86	B- 80-82 Good Quality	
C+ 77-79	C 73-76	C- 70-72 Acceptable Quality	
D+ 67-69	D 63-66	D- 60-62 Poor Quality	
Inc- Incomplete		E 50-59 Failing	
Aud- Audit		F 0-49	
Med- Medically Excused		WDN Withdrawn from School	
WP Withdrawn Passing		WF Withdrawn Failing	

Final grades are reported numerically.

The baseline for the calculation of G.P.A. at Carver Middle High School is based on grades earned in College Prepatory classes taken only at Carver Middle High School. These grades are converted by computer to a 4.0 scale. Because of the increased demands and rigor of Honors and Advanced Placement classes, these classes are given additional weight on the 4.0 scale. Grades earned in Honors classes are given an additional weight of 0.5. Grades earned in Advanced Placement are given an additional 1.0. Grades earned in Applied classes are converted to 0.5 below the conversion for grades earned in college preparatory classes. Only grades earned in courses labeled as College Preparatory 2, College Prepatory, Honors or Advanced Placement are used in calculation of G.P.A. Class rank is computed at the end of junior year and after each quarter of senior year.

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