



# Windham School District

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## **Windham High School Ranked Second in the State in the “2022 Best High Schools in New Hampshire” Assessment**

**[WINDHAM, NH]**- The Windham School District is proud to announce that Windham High School has been ranked second in the state for “Best High Schools in New Hampshire” by U.S News & World Report. This ranking is an improvement from last year when the high school was ranked fourth. A few of the major accrediting factors for Windham High School's ranking were students' opportunity to take Advanced Placement® coursework, scholastic aptitude in reading and math, and graduation rate. The AP® participation rate at Windham High School is 69%, reading proficiency rating is 83%, mathematics proficiency is 66%, and graduation rate is 97%. Windham High School ranked first in the state of New Hampshire for College Curriculum.

“This is a major accomplishment, not just for the high school, but for our whole district. A solid foundation in education starts at the elementary level and the layers of that foundation continue to form and develop as our students navigate their individual educational journeys”, said Superintendent Dr. Kori Alice Becht. “Our district values an educational environment where all students at all grade levels are academically challenged, as well as provided the proper support and structure they need to find their own individualized niche where they can excel.



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These elements allow our students the proper exposure so when they arrive at the high school level, their roots are strongly established in order for them to thrive.”

The U.S. News Best High Schools rankings include data on nearly 24,000 public high schools in 50 states and the District of Columbia. A total of 17,843 schools were ranked on six factors based on their performance on state assessments and how well they prepare students for college. **Nationally, Windham High School ranked in the top 5%.**

For more information on U.S. News & World Report rankings and qualifications, please visit

<https://www.usnews.com/education/best-high-schools/new-hampshire>.

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