

# FRANKLIN ACADEMY HIGH SCHOOL

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332-980

## Malone Central School District Enrollment Data 2019-2020

Elementary (K-5)	1109
Middle School (6-8)	505
High School (9-12)	740

## Class of 2021 Data

Class size 174

## Projected Class of 2022

Class Size 163

## Post Secondary Plans Class of 2020

Four Year College	39%
Two Year College	34%
Military	2%
Employment	22%
Trade School	3%

## School & Community

Franklin Academy is a public comprehensive secondary school serving students, grades 9-12. The school district encompasses approximately 366 square miles, with the school located in the rural village of Malone, New York. Malone is located near a variety of social and recreational activities. The Lake Placid region is just over 50 miles south and Montreal is just over an hour's drive to the northeast. Malone has a 36 hole golf course and a medium sized ski resort.

## Curriculum

Students are encouraged to select rigorous courses that will provide an intellectual challenge and will better prepare them for future educational and career pursuits beyond high school.

✦ All students are required to take a core program consisting of English and Social Studies for 4 years, and a minimum of 3 years of Math and Science.

✦ Students are given the opportunity to attend a Career and Technical Education program during their junior and senior years in the following areas: Auto Technology, Building Trades, Cosmetology, Culinary Arts, Early Childhood Education, Electrical Trades, Health Occupations, Heavy Equipment, HVAC, or Metalworking/Welding.

## Advanced Placement Program

The Advanced Placement (AP) Program provides students with the opportunity to pursue college-level studies while still in high school. Upon completion of the courses, students may receive AP credit when entering college. Academically oriented students are strongly encouraged to participate in the AP Program at Franklin Academy. We offer the following course for AP credit:

AP Physics	AP English Language/Composition
AP Biology	AP English Language/Literature
AP Calculus	

## Accelerated/Honors Courses

If a middle school student successfully completes a high school credit course, the credit earned is used to satisfy graduation requirements. The grades earned are included when calculating the student's grade point average. Most students complete 1 unit of study in Spanish or French. Approximately 10% of students are recommended for accelerated classes in math and science based on grades, teacher input, and state assessments. Students may take English and Social Studies honors.

## Dual Enrollment Courses

FA students are offered the opportunity to earn college credit through articulation agreements with North Country Community College, Paul Smith's College, St. Lawrence University, and SUNY Potsdam. The dual enrollment courses (listed below) meet both high school and college course requirements. Students take these courses at the high school campus with high school faculty.

**TESTING INFORMATION**

**SAT - Class of 2020**

Evidenced-Based Reading & Writing	546
Math	549
Total Score	1095

**ACT**

2019	22.5
2018	21.3
2017	21.9

**Regents Diploma**

Students must earn 22 high school credits, which must include:

	Credits	Regents Exams
English	4	1
Social Studies	4	2
Math	3	1
Science	3	1
Foreign Lang.	1	-
Health	.5	-
Art/Music	1	-
Physical Ed.	2	-

Courses:

**Regents Diploma with Advanced Designation**

Students must earn 22 high school credits, which must include:

	Credits	Regents Exams
English	4	1
Social Studies	4	2
Math	3	3
Science	3	2
Foreign Lang.	3	-
Health	.5	-
Art/Music	1	-
Physical Ed.	2	-

**North Country Community College Courses:**

- Accounting (BUS 101)
- Business Law (203)
- English Literature (ENG 112)
- Course:**
- French 3H (FRE 101)
- French 4H (FRE 102)
- French 5H ( FRE 201)
- Intro to Math Concepts (MAT 120)
- Participation in Government (POS 102)
- Physics (PHY 101)
- Spanish 3H (SPA 101)
- Spanish 4 (SPA 102)
- Sports Marketing (BUS 212)
- US History (HIS 151 & HIS 152)

**Paul Smith's College Course:**

- Calculus (CALC 241)

**St. Lawrence University College**

- Spanish 5 (SPA 201)

**SUNY Potsdam Courses:**

- Intro to Sociology (SOCI 101)
- Intro to Drawing (ARTS 110)
- Intro to Painting (ARTS 109)
- Intro to Photography (ARTS 142)
- Film (COMM 120)
- Statistics (MAT 125)

**New Vision Health Careers Exploration Program**

This is a competitive, half day career exploration program affiliated with University of Vermont Health Network at Alice Hyde Medical Center offered to 12th graders. College Courses from NCCC: English 12- ENG 101, Participation in Government- POS 101, Personal and Family Health- HED 100, Psychology of Human Relations- PSY 138 High School Credit: Economics

**New Vision Law and Government Program**

This is a competitive, half day career exploration program in the field of law and government offered to 12th graders. In this program, students will gain experience with the judiciary, legislature, and private practices. College Courses from NCCC: English 12- ENG 101, Participation in Government-POS 101, Principles of Political Science & Government- POS 102, Speech & Fundamentals- ENG 105 High School Credit: Economics

**New Vision Game Design and Development**

This is a competitive, half day career exploration program in the field of computer science offered to 12th graders. College Courses from NCCC and SUNY Canton: English 12- ENG 101, Computer Logic- CITA 152, Game Design and Prototype- GAME 130, Fundamentals of Game Design- GAME 110 High School Credits: Participation in Government, Economics

**Grading**

- Numerical 0-100
- Passing Grade 65
- Highest Honors - 94 or 3.9 (weighted)
- High Honors - 90 or 3.5 (weighted)
- Honors 85 or 3.0 (weighted)

**Class Rank/GPA**

A *weighted* class rank and grade point average is calculated based on a 4.0 scale. The following courses as weighted as follows:  
 Honors - 4.50 scale                      College Dual Enrollment Courses - 4.50 scale  
 All Others - 4.00 scale                      Advanced Placement (AP) courses - 5.00 scale  
 All grades are computed for rank and GPA except physical education, Swinging Sounds, and Jazz Band. Courses carrying more than one credit are calculated based on a factor equivalent to the number of credits for the course. (e.g. Career Technical Education Courses carry 4 credits, therefore the grade is counted 4 times). If a course is retaken the higher grade of the two is used for rank and average. Seniors final rank/GPA is computed after the first semester.