



# Rhode Island 2024 AP<sup>®</sup> School Honor Roll Recognition



The AP School Honor Roll recognizes schools whose AP programs are delivering results for students while broadening access.





The AP School Honor Roll, which replaces the previous AP District Honor Roll, offers schools recognition across four levels of distinction: Bronze, Silver, Gold, and Platinum. Schools on the AP School Honor Roll may also earn the AP Access Award, honoring schools that demonstrate a clear and effective commitment to equitable access to advanced coursework.

For a school to be recognized on the AP School Honor Roll, it must be located within the United States (including U.S. territories) or Canada and:

- Meet each of the following criteria anchored in research-based relationships between AP and college outcomes:
  - ♦ **College Culture:** 40% or more of graduating cohort took at least 1 AP Exam during high school.
  - ♦ **College Credit:** 25% or more of the graduating cohort scored a 3 or higher on at least 1 AP Exam during high school.
  - ♦ **College Optimization:** 2% or more of the graduating cohort took 5 or more AP Exams during high school. At least 1 of those exams was taken in 9th or 10th grade, so that students are spreading their AP experience across grades rather than feeling disproportionate pressure in any single year.
- Have full-time grade-12 enrollments. AP coordinators can update this information online in [AP Registration and Ordering](#).

## As of October 2024, in Rhode Island

Of 65 qualifying schools, 38% earned a place on the 2024 AP School Honor Roll.<sup>1</sup>

AP SCHOOL HONOR ROLL AWARD	PERCENT OF QUALIFYING RHODE ISLAND SCHOOLS	PERCENT OF ALL QUALIFYING SCHOOLS: US AND CANADA
 <b>Platinum</b>	8%	7%
 <b>Gold</b>	5%	7%
 <b>Silver</b>	14%	10%
 <b>Bronze</b>	12%	9%

In addition, **20%** of schools on the Honor Roll earned the **AP Access Award**.

## Overview of AP School Honor Roll Recipients

The average percentage of the 2024 graduating cohort who met criteria:

CRITERIA MET	AVERAGE ACROSS ALL QUALIFYING RHODE ISLAND SCHOOLS	AVERAGE ACROSS ALL QUALIFYING SCHOOLS: US AND CANADA
<b>Took at least 1 AP Exam</b>	86%	43%
<b>Scored 3+ on at least 1 AP Exam</b>	56%	27%
<b>Took 5+ AP Exams, at least 1 in 9th or 10th grade</b>	17%	8%

Schools can see AP School Honor Roll status in [AP Score Reports for Educators](#).

Recognized schools will have access to download a custom celebration kit.

There is no annual application process for schools to be considered for recognition.



AP gives students opportunity to engage with college-level work, to earn college credit and placement, and to potentially boost their grade point averages. The schools that have earned this distinction are proof that it is possible to expand access to these college-level courses and still drive strong performance—they represent the best of AP.”

— TREVOR PACKER  
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<sup>1</sup> Note that schools had the choice to “opt-out” of being publicly recognized on the AP School Honor Roll and/or AP Access Award, so some schools who met the award requirements may not be included in these percentages.

## 2024 Rhode Island AP School Honor Roll Recipients

DISTRICT	OVERALL TIER	SCHOOL NAME
Barrington Public Schools	Gold	Barrington High School*
Bristol Warren Regional School District	Bronze	Mt Hope High School*
Chariho Regional School District	Bronze	Chariho Regional High School*
Cumberland School District	Bronze	Cumberland High School*
Diocese of Providence	Silver	Mount Saint Charles Academy*
Diocese of Providence	Platinum	Portsmouth Abbey School*
Diocese of Providence	Platinum with Access	Saint Mary Academy – Bay View*
Diocese of Providence	Silver	Saint Raphael Academy*
East Greenwich School District	Bronze	East Greenwich High School*
East Providence Sd	Platinum with Access	East Providence High School
Foster-Glocester Regional School District	Silver	Ponaganset High School
Middletown Public Schools	Silver	Middletown High School*
N/A	Silver with Access	Moses Brown School*
N/A	Silver	Providence Country Day School*
N/A	Platinum	Wheeler School*
Narragansett School District	Silver	Narragansett High School*
North Kingstown School District	Bronze	North Kingstown Senior High School*
Pawtucket School District	Bronze	Jacqueline M Walsh School Performing/Visual Arts*
Portsmouth School District	Gold	Portsmouth High School*
Providence School District	Platinum with Access	Classical High School*
Rhode Island Department of Elementary and Secondary Education	Gold	Blackstone Valley Prep High School*
Rhode Island Department of Elementary and Secondary Education	Bronze with Access	Paul Cuffee High School
Smithfield School District	Bronze	Smithfield High School*
South Kingstown School District	Silver	South Kingstown High School*
Westerly Public Schools	Silver	Westerly High School*

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