



We Are Proud to be MELROSE PUBLIC SCHOOLS



District Wide: 3460 students

Our Mission: We inspire, engage, support, prepare and challenge all students to achieve personal and academic excellence, to become life-long learners, and to be responsible, respectful and successful participants in our global community.

Implementation of:

- 5 year Strategic Plan incorporating professional development for all staff
- Technology initiatives to prepare students for “21st” century skills
- On-going program and curriculum review enhancing literacy, math, global awareness and S.T.E.M. initiatives
- Programic support for all students including those with developmental delays, language-based disabilities, behavioral disorders and English language learners

At Melrose High School: 980 students

Our students continue to achieve:

- 92% of Melrose High School class of 2011 attends college
- Over 98% of students met or exceeded all MCAS test requirements for 2011 graduation
- 42 AP Scholars were named in 2011
- 8 students were recognized by National Merit as either Scholars or Commended Scholars in 2011
- 70 students received the John and Abigail Adams Scholarship in 2011

We are taking full advantage of our newly “upgraded” high school facility through:

- Installation of interactive Smart Boards in every classroom beginning in September 2011
- Installation of a new sports complex, complete with artificial turf multi-sport field, concessions, etc. funded by the City of Melrose

We are providing more opportunities for our students through:

- 13 AP level courses and 54 Honors level courses
- 26 varsity athletic teams
- Over 40 clubs and organizations
- 5 foreign languages (French, German, Italian, Latin, Spanish) and the G.E.M. program (Global Education in Melrose), that affords students the opportunity to become global citizens through rigorous co-curricular offerings including academics, research, community service, travel and self-reflection
- Award winning arts programs:
 - Band - Marching Band, Concert Band, Jazz Band, Brass Ensemble
 - Orchestra – Symphony Orchestra, String Orchestra, String Quartet, Melrose Symphony Orchestra (by audition) and fine art programs
 - Fine art education with emphasis on educational art standards with a deep consideration for helping each student achieve their personal best
 - Thriving fine arts program, including film photography, recognized annually by the Boston Globe’s Scholastic Art Award contest
 - District-wide art show and afterschool events made possible through funding by local community organizations
- Freshman Orientation Program
- Foreign exchange programs and trips that open new worlds and make learning relevant (Costa Rica, Denmark, France, Germany, Italy and Spain to name a few)

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