

# Washington Academy

## East Machias, Maine

### ABOUT THE SCHOOL



Washington Academy is a co-educational, independent day and boarding school located in East Machias, Maine. Students are asked to attend as Boarding students the first semester in attendance at the school. The school has been serving the needs of students in Washington County for over 200 years. Washington Academy works closely with students of many academic levels to help ensure their success.

### COMMUNITY PROFILE

Washington Academy is located in the city of East Machias, Maine. East Machias is a city with a population of 1,500. East Machias is located in the southeast section of the state of Maine, close to the ocean. This city is a summer resort area for many of New England’s wealthiest families. This area would be considered a rural area.



#### COMMUNITY FACTS

- Population: 1,500
- Nearest Major City: Bangor, Maine
- Temperature Range: -13°C to 24°C

### QUICK FACTS

#### LOCATION OF SCHOOL

> East Machias, Maine

#### TYPE OF SCHOOL

> Co-educational day/boarding school

#### GRADES OFFERED

> 9 - 12

#### RELIGIOUS AFFILIATION

> Independent

#### SAT SCORE (AVERAGE)

> 1900

#### NUMBER OF STUDENTS

> 400

#### NUMBER OF INTERNATIONAL STUDENTS

> 45

#### STUDENT:TEACHER RATIO

> 11:1

#### ARE UNIFORMS REQUIRED?

> No

#### IS ESL OFFERED?

> Yes

#### GRADUATION POSSIBLE?

> Yes

#### NEAREST AIRPORT

> Bangor Maine Airport (BGR)

### EXTRACURRICULAR ACTIVITIES

#### Sports

##### Boys:

- Baseball
- Basketball
- Cross Country
- Football
- Soccer
- Swimming
- Tennis
- and many more...

##### Girls:

- Basketball
- Cross Country
- Cheerleading
- Soccer
- Softball
- Swimming
- Tennis
- and many more...

#### School Clubs

- Drama
- Science
- National Honor Society
- Art Club
- Sustainability Club
- Chess Club
- Jazz Band
- Math team
- and many more...

### INTERESTING FACTS

- > WA makes the most of its coastal environment, including the school's four acres of waterfront property. Students stay active mountain biking, hiking, and boating- learning how to responsibly enjoy and care for the earth.
- > WA offers over 10 AP courses and dual enrollment courses.

# FACILITIES



Washington Academy is located in East Machias, Maine. Facilities include a library, computer labs, science labs, a gymnasium. There are also outdoor athletic fields on campus.



# COURSES OFFERED

MATH	SCIENCE	SOCIAL STUDIES	ENGLISH	LANGUAGES	THE ARTS	ELECTIVES
Accounting	AP Biology	Economics	Creative Writing	Chinese I-III	Art	Analyzing Film
Algebra I-II	Chemistry	European History	AP English	French I-II	Band	Computer aided design
Applied Math	Earth Science	Government	Journalism	Latin I-IV	Chorus	Computer Applications
AP Calculus	Environmental Science	US History	Language & Composition	Spanish I-III	Studio Art	Microsoft Office
Geometry	General Biology	World History			Theatre I-II	Psychology
Pre-Calculus	Particle Physics	Geography				Video Production
	Physical Science	American Law				
	Physics					

# UNIVERSITY ACCEPTANCES

Boston University  
Bowdoin College  
Clarkson University  
DePaul University  
Eastern Maine University  
Elmira College  
Florida Institute of Tech.  
Indiana University  
Michigan State University  
Maine Maritime Academy

Miami University  
Liberty University  
Oxford University of Oregon  
Philadelphia University  
Penn State University  
Ohio State  
Portland State  
Purdue University  
Quinnipiac University  
Seton Hall

Southern Illinois University  
University of Alabama  
University of Arizona  
University of Cincinnati  
University of Maine  
University of Massachusetts  
University of San Francisco  
University of Southern Florida  
University of Vermont  
University of Wisconsin



# Washington Academy

## Dress Code Requirements

Please dress neatly and modestly. The following guidelines apply to all students, boys and girls, including all school activities:

No body piercing jewelry other than earrings for young ladies.

No tight fitting clothing.

No clothing that reveals the midriff or back when raising hands or when bending over.

No low necklines. No shirts unbuttoned past the second button.

No sloppy or oversized attire. This includes pants or shorts worn below the waistline, pants with a “dropped crotch,” un-tucked shirts that are intended to be tucked in, worn-out looking clothes with holes or ragged edges. No clothing that reveals the undergarments.

No inappropriate logos or designs on clothing or accessories.

Shoes must be worn at all times. No beach-type thongs.

Hair must appear combed. No radical hairstyles. Hair may not cover the eyes.

No hats, caps, or bandanas to be worn in buildings during school hours.

Please note: A student may be required to change or modify clothing prior to attending classes if in dress violation.

### GUIDELINES FOR BOTH YOUNG LADIES & GENTLEMEN:

- Clothing should be neat, clean and appropriate for a classroom atmosphere
- No jeans or athletic style pants are allowed, unless on specified jean and casual days
- No t-shirts or sweatshirts are allowed with the exception of WCA spirit wear sweatshirts

The administration reserves the right of final judgment regarding proper dress.

### JEAN DAY

- On days designated as jean days, students are expected to meet the following guidelines:
- Jeans may be cargo, carpenter, shorts and Capri
- Dress code applies in all other areas.

### 7th-12th GRADE CASUAL DAY DRESS CODE

- Casual days will occur once a month.
- Students may wear anything previously stated in the dress code policy
- T-shirts, sweatshirts, and shorts are permitted providing they meet modesty and appropriateness standards ( no inappropriate pictures or words)
- No tank tops, sleeveless shirts or sweat pants

### GYM CLASS/SPORT ATTIRE

- Students in grades 7-12 are expected to wear modest clothing
- No tank tops, spandex, or biker shorts are permitted
- Only loose fitting clothes will be allowed
- Shorts must be in modest length
- Students must change prior to class and before going to their next class or home.
- Shirts are required at all times.