

MOUNT GREYLOCK REGIONAL SCHOOL

2020-21 SCHOOL PROFILE



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CEEB/ACT Code #222415

The Greylock Way~

Integrity, Responsibility &
Perseverance

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TRANSCRIPT NOTES

H, Hon. = Honors

AP = Advanced Placement

BCC= Berkshire Community College

MCLA= Massachusetts College of
Liberal Arts

WC= Williams College

PLATO= Online course

IS = Independent Study

TA = Teacher Assistant

STUDENT ENROLLMENT

Total number of Students	533
Seniors	87
Juniors	74
Sophomores	88
Freshman	117
Middle School (Grade 7 & 8)	164

THE SCHOOL AND COMMUNITY

Mt. Greylock Regional School is a six-year, public secondary school comprising grades 7-12 located in the college town of Williamstown in the northwest corner of Massachusetts bordering New York and Vermont. The regional district comprises two communities, Williamstown and Lanesborough, representing a combined population of approximately 10,944. Located in the Berkshires, Williamstown and Lanesborough are rural in character. The area's principal industries are tourism, education, and medical services. The school population benefits from local resources such as Williams College, the Clark Art Institute, Mass MOCA, Massachusetts College of Liberal Arts, Berkshire Community College and Berkshire Medical Center.

ACADEMICS

Grade Point Average- A yearly **weighted** grade point average is calculated on a 4.8 scale according to the values below, however, students are not ranked on an individual basis. All graded courses, including class failures, are included in the GPA, with the exception of wellness. Grades in Honors and Advanced Placement courses are **weighted**. For the Class of 2021, the highest GPA is a 4.566 and the lowest is a 0.762 with a median GPA of 3.565

GRADUATION REQUIREMENTS

Two hundred thirty-four credits are required to graduate. Full year courses earn 10 credits; semester courses 5 credits; wellness and health accrue at 3 credits per semester. Students complete their graduation requirements in four years taking 66-68 credits per year.

Students must take the following:

English	40 credits	
Social Studies	30 credits	10 credits must be earned in U.S. History
Mathematics	30 credits	10 credits must be earned in Algebra & Geometry
Science	30 credits	
Health/Wellness	18 credits	3 credits in Health/12 credits in Wellness
Electives	86 credits or more	

GRADING SCALE

A- 4.0	B- 2.7	D+ 1.3	Values are increased by .3 for honors courses (A= 4.3) and by .5 for AP courses (A= 4.5)
A- 3.7	C+ 2.3	D 1.0	
B+ 3.3	C 2.0	D- 0.7	
B 3.0	C- 1.7	F 0.0	

ACADEMIC ACCOLADES 2020-21

6 National Merit Commended Students; 1 Semi-Finalist

AP District Honor Roll

48 Total AP Scholars:

-2 National AP Scholars

-20 AP Scholars with Distinction

-5 AP Scholars with Honor

-21 AP Scholars

31- National Honor Society

COURSE OF STUDY 2020-21

ENGLISH

English 9, Honors English 9
 English 10, Honors English 10
 English 11, Honors English 11
 English 12, Honors English 12
 AP English Lang. & Composition 11
 AP English Lit. & Composition 12
 Elements of English I, II
 H. Tolkien & Modern Myth
 Creative Writing*

SOCIAL STUDIES

America in the World
 Migration & Movement*
 Industrialization & Urbanization*
 20th Century Genocide*
 Practical Civics*
 AP European History
 AP United States History
 AP Psychology/Honors

MATHEMATICS

Algebra I
 Geometry/Honors
 Algebra II & Honors Algebra II & Trig
 Pre-Calculus/Honors
 Math Methods for Business*
 Honors Statistics*
 Intro to Model Math
 AP Calculus AB
 AP Statistics

WORLD LANGUAGE

Latin II, III, Honors Latin IV
 Spanish IB, I, II, III, Honors IV
 AP Spanish Language & Culture
 AP Latin

SCIENCE

Physics/Honors
 Chemistry/Honors
 Biology/Honors
 Anatomy & Physiology/Honors
 Environmental Science/Honors
 AP Chemistry, AP Biology
 Astronomy/ H.*, Forensics*/ H,
 Robotics*, Intro to Engineering*

FINE & PERFORMING ARTS

Band, Chorus, Orchestra/ Honors
 Studio Art*, Printmaking*
 Ceramics,* Advanced Studio Art
 College Portfolio Development
 Stained Glass,* Adv. Stained Glass*
 Mosaics*, Glass Fusing*
 Music Lab I, II*

BUSINESS & TECHNOLOGY

Personal Finance*
 Exploring Computer Science
 Intro to Java*/Mobile Apps with Java*
 AP Computer Science Principles
 Intro to Digital Photography*/Adv. Digital
 Black & White Photography*
 Intro to Video Editing,* /Adv. Video Editing

OTHER

Peer Resource Team /Wellness*/Health*
 Social Emotional Wellness*
 Sports and Society*
 Homework Support
 Independent Study*, Teacher Assistant*
 Virtual High School, PLATO-online

* Denotes semester course

COLLEGE MATRICULATION LIST SAMPLING– Class of 2020

Bentley College —1	Gap Year —8	Providence College —1	St. Lawrence University —1
Berkshire Community College —8	Hamilton College —1	Reed College —1	University of Hartford —2
Boston College —1	Ithaca College —1	Rensselaer Polytechnic Institute—1	University of Mass. Amherst—3
Brandeis University —2	MCLA —5	Rochester Institute of Tech —1	University of New Hampshire —1
Bryant University —1	McGill University —1	Siena College —1	University of Vermont —2
Carleton College —2	Middlebury College —1	Simmons College —1	US Army —1
Clark University —1	New England College —1	Skidmore College —2	UCLA —1
Colorado State University —1	Nichols College —1	Smith College —2	Westfield State University —1
Fairfield University —2	Oregon State University —1	Springfield College —2	Williams College —1
Framingham State University —1	Pitzer College —1	St. John’s University —1	Yale University —2

POST-SECONDARY EDUCATION~ Class Size: 84 Students

Four-year institutions—70% Work/Gap Year—19%

Two-year institutions— 10%

<u>ACT Scores</u>	<u>2019</u>	<u>2018</u>	<u>2017</u>
Mt. Greylock	26.9	26.1	27.4
Massachusetts	25.5	25.5	25.4
National	20.7	20.8	21.0

**Typically, all students enrolled in an AP course must take the AP exam in May. AP exams were optional this year due to Co-Vid 19.

	<u>SAT I Scores</u>	<u>EBRW</u>	<u>Math</u>	<u>Total</u>
(81% of the Class of 2020 took the SAT as seniors).	Mt. Greylock	600	590	1210
	Massachusetts	559	561	1120
	National	531	528	1059

Class of 2020 AP TEST DATA

**SCORE	5	4	3	2	1
Biology	1	4	3	2	1
Calculus AB	0	3	5	2	3
Calculus BC	4	1	6	7	6
Computer Sci. Prin.	2	2	8	4	0
English Language	11	5	6	4	0
English Literature	1	0	1	1	0
European History	5	3	11	21	3
Physics C: E & M	5	4	3	1	1
Psychology	12	8	8	1	6
Spanish Language	0	7	2	2	0
Statistics	2	6	8	12	6
US History	8	4	5	2	4

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