



ABOUT THE DISTRICT

Niskayuna High School is a top rated public high school. It ranks in the top 50 schools in New York state, and is in the top 20 for the best teachers in the state. International students are able to take part in a Dual Enrollment program with the local community college, which allows students to study up to three years in a row at the high school on an F-1 Public Visa.

NISKAYUNA HIGH SCHOOL

Niskayuna, New York

QUICK FACTS:

of Students: 1,374

of High Schools in District: 1

Estimated Start Date: Early Sept.

Estimated End Date: Late June

Graduation Offered: No

Is ESL Offered: Yes

Fall Semester Program: No

Spring Semester Program: No

Teacher:Student Ratio: 1:14

Nearest Airport: Albany International
Airport

Airport Code: ALB



FACILITIES

Niskayuna High School has a beautiful campus and state-of-the-art facilities, with a theater, swimming pool, sports fields, and computer and technical labs.



COURSES OFFERED



Math

Algebra I-II (Honors, Accelerated), Geometry, Precalculus (Honors, Accelerated), Analytic Geometry, Statistics (AP), Business Math, Calculus (AP), Multivariable Calculus, AP Computer Science



Science

Earth Science (Honors), Biology (Honors, AP), Chemistry (Honors, AP), Physics (Honors, AP), Environmental Science, Intro to Medical Science



Social Studies

Global History & Geography I-II (Honors), AP World History, US History (AP), Economics, AP Macroeconomics, AP Microeconomics, Law & Government, World Issues, Intro to Political Science, Sociology, Psychology



English

English I-IV (Honors), Literature & Cinema, Professional & Technical Writing, Shakespeare, Creative Writing, Fantasy, Literature, Journalism



Languages

Chinese, German, French, Spanish, English as a Second Language (ESL)



The Arts

Studio Art, Drawing & Painting, Photography, Studio in Film, Orchestra, Graphic Design, Music Theory, Music & Midi Technology, Music Instruction, Drama, Creative Writing



Electives

Civil Engineering & Architecture, Jewellery & Metalwork, Accounting, Sustainable Architecture, TV Studio Production, Principals of Engineering, Robotics, Nanoscale Science & Engineering, Marketing



EXTRACURRICULAR ACTIVITIES

ATHLETICS

BOYS

Fall Crew (Rowing), Cross Country, Football, Golf, Soccer, Volleyball

Winter Basketball, Bowling, Cheerleading, Ice Hockey, Skiing, Swim & Dive, Indoor Track, Wrestling

Spring Baseball, Lacrosse, Crew (Rowing), Track & Field, Tennis

GIRLS

Fall Crew (Rowing), Soccer, Field Hockey, Volleyball, Tennis, Swim & Dive, Cross Country, Golf

Winter Basketball, Cheerleading, Skiing, Bowling, Indoor Track

Spring Crew (Rowing), Lacrosse, Softball, Track & Field

SCHOOL CLUBS

- Anime Club
- Asian Culture Club
- Breakfast Book Club
- Broadcasting Club
- Chess Club
- Computer Science
- Creative Writing
- Yearbook
- Culinary Arts Club
- Debate Team
- Drama Club
- Film Club
- French Club
- Game Club
- Horticultural Club
- International Exchange Club
- Math Club
- Tech Club/Robotics

ENROLLMENT RESTRICTIONS

Age: Students must be ages 15-18
 Strong English Skills, Skype Interview Required
FULL YEAR STUDENTS ONLY
 Already Graduated Students: No

Please note that fact sheets are created out of season and information is subject to change. We do our best to update information, but please reach out to headquarters to verify the availability of clubs, sports and classes yearly.

COMMUNITY PROFILE

Niskayuna is located about a half hour Northwest of Albany, the capital of New York state. Niskayuna is in the heart of the New York Technology Valley and the population of the town is very diverse. There are extensive hiking trails in the area, including a section of the Appalachian Trail and nearby ski resorts. There are also many local historical sights and museums waiting to be discovered, including the Empire State Aerosciences Museum.



Population: 22,400
 Nearest Major City: Albany, NY
 Temperature Range: -6.5°C to 27°C