

## Board of Education

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The Westport Central School District serves the educational needs for the community of Westport. Home of the Eagles, Westport Central School (WCS) is a comprehensive K-12 school, comprised of one building, housing a student population of approximately 225 students. Forty-seven percent of our students receive free or reduced lunch. Nine-nine percent of our students are Caucasian.

Our average class size is 17 students

Elementary School (Kindergarten-Grades 6)

Middle School (Grades 7-8)

High School (Grades 9-12)

## Our Mission

The mission of the Westport Central School community is to nurture our children's natural curiosity and wonder so that the love of learning continues throughout their lives. We will stress academic achievement while encouraging the development of the total person through social, physical and creative experiences.

Our goal is to inspire our students to be caring and contributing members of society.

## Colleges Attended by WCS 2016 Graduates

Clinton Community College, Clinton, NY  
Johnson State College, Johnson, VT  
North Country Community College, Ticonderoga, NY  
Plymouth State University, Plymouth, NH  
Roberts Wesleyan University, Rochester, NY  
Saint John's University, Philadelphia, PA  
SUNY Adirondack, Queensbury, NY  
SUNY Alfred, Alfred, NY  
University of Connecticut, Storrs, CT  
Unity College, Unity, ME  
University of Vermont (UVM), Burlington, VT



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## Westport Central School



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## Profile

**2016-2017**

U.S. News & World Report

Best High Schools

***BRONZE Medal Winner 2016***

*Accredited by the New York State  
Department of Education*

## Community

Westport, NY is a quiet town nestled at the base of the Adirondack Mountains along the shores of magnificent Lake Champlain. The town encompasses an area of approximately sixty-seven square miles. The center of town is conveniently located just four miles from Interstate 87 (Exit 31) and is accessible by train with an Amtrak station in town.

As a small, rural community in upstate New York, Westport features many unique offerings. Some highlights for the community include being the home of The Essex County Fair, Camp Dudley YMCA (the oldest summer camp in continuous operation in the United States), The Depot Theatre (professional live theatre performances), Meadowmount School of Music, and a branch of the Cornell University Cooperative Extension Offices.

The population in Westport fluctuates with the seasons as Westport has long been known as a summer destination. Year round residents are estimated to be numbered in the 1400's.

## WCS Class of 2016

### Post High School Designations

<u>Designation</u>	<u>Number</u>	<u>Percent</u>
4 Year College	10	50 %
2 Year College	4	20 %
Military	3	15 %
Workforce	3	15 %

Graduation Rate 95%

## WCS Class of 2017 Information

Average ACT Score 22

Average SAT Score 1081

Average GPA for 2017 graduates 87.3

## Curriculum

WCS operates using a regular week-day schedule.

Each day includes ten, 40-minute course periods.

There are two semesters in the school year.

Our grading system is a 100 point scale;  
90-100% High-Honors, 85-89% Honors, 65% Passing

Grade Point Average (GPA) is unweighted.

Students are evaluated on a quarterly basis.

Acceleration options begin in grade 8, including math & French courses for high school credit.

In addition to NYS Diploma Requirements, WCS students are required to earn :

**1 credit in Career & Financial Management**

**.5 credit in Public Speaking**

AP course offerings :

*Language & Composition*  
*United States History*

Career & Technical Education (CTE) opportunities are available at the 11th & 12th grade levels through Champlain Valley Educational Services (CVES), CTE divisions in Mineville & Plattsburgh.

### Sports

Baseball  
Basketball  
Cross Country  
Golf  
Soccer  
Softball  
Track & Field



On a rotating basis,  
WCS offers college level courses through the  
*Bridge Program* sponsored by  
North County Community College

- Accounting
- Advanced Accounting
- American History I
- American History II
- Business Law
- Calculus I
- Concepts of Wellness & Physical Fitness
- Design I
- Drawing I
- Elementary Statistics
- Introduction to Geology
- Marketing Principles
- Pre Calculus
- Speech Fundamentals



## Extra & Co-Curricular Activities

Band

*Behind the Wall* (Student Newspaper)

Drama Club

Future Business Leaders of America

Honor Society

Quiz Bowl

Senior Drama Production

Student Council

Student Mentoring

Slide Show Production

Talent Show

Yearbook Club

