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TEC High School is designed to serve students in grades 8-12 who need a small personalized and supportive learning environment.

TEC High School is approved by the Massachusetts Department of Education and our experienced staff is licensed and certified.

We accept students by referral from their local Public School District.

- TEC HS Principal _____ Deborah Caligaris
- Administrative Assistant _____ Monica Mulhern
- Special Education Teacher _____ Lisa Silletti
- Adjustment Counselor _____ Jen Zolga
- Adjustment Counselor _____ Rob Lima
- English Teacher _____ Keri Bonney
- History Teacher _____ Dana Gurwitch
- Math Teacher _____ Melissa Hertel
- Science Teacher _____ Edward Kern
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- Special Education Teacher _____ Nancy Hayward
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Together we create more possibilities

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TEC High School Overview



TEC High School provides a small, safe, structured and challenging learning environment which promotes social and emotional learning as well as academic growth in a general education alternative school setting. Highly qualified teachers provide a comprehensive college-preparatory curriculum with individualized support in our small classroom environments, allowing each student to reach his or her full potential.

Teachers work as an integrated team to collaborate with students, families and other staff members to support students as they develop the foundational skills needed to be a successful and productive member of society.

Our program provides students with small class sizes and personalized instruction to meet their specific needs and learning style. Two licensed counselors are available to students throughout the school day. Our special education teachers provide learning supports for students whose disabilities impede their ability to make progress in this college preparatory environment.

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Designed for students who have found it difficult to cope with the large high school academic and social environment, TEC High School provides supports for students who prior to enrolling have experienced:

- Anxiety
- Depression
- Bipolar
- School Avoidance/ Phobia
- ADHD
- OCD Disorders



Our goal is to engage students and support their development of adaptive and academic skills that will allow them to return to their local high school.

- Academic curriculum aligned with the Curriculum Frameworks
- Serving students in grades 8-12
- Online and Blended Courses
- Students receive the diploma of their sending high school
- Graduating students are prepared for college admission
- Short term 45-day placements are available

What's Unique about TEC High School?

At TEC High School we strive to provide our students with a challenging and diverse academic curriculum within a caring and supportive learning community.

Academic Curriculum

- Academic curriculum aligned with the Curriculum Frameworks
- Elective Subjects: Creative Writing, Journalism, Poetry, Academic Time Management, Film Studies
- On-line courses and AP courses
- Physical Education

Instructional Technology

- 1:1 Chromebook Computer Program
- Computer lab
- Resource rich classrooms equipped with interactive projection systems

Guest Speakers

- Frequent guest speakers present on current events and relevant topics

Field Trips

- Government Day at the State House
- Self-growth activities including Wilderness adventures and canoe trip to the Blue Hill Reservation
- Lowell Mills Tour

Community Service

- Students volunteer in our community including the Red Cross Food Pantry, and working with young students with disabilities.
- Students participate in quarterly volunteering days, contribute to our surrounding communities and participate in team building.