

# The Beekman School Profile

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#### The School:

George Matthew founded The Beekman School/The Tutoring School in 1925. The school was organized to offer a preparatory-school curriculum with all the advantages of highly personalized instruction. Since no two students have the same abilities, learning styles, or goals, teaching is geared specifically to the needs of the individual student. In addition to having small classes, The Beekman School combines a traditional, college-preparatory academic education with a flexible yet structured approach. The Beekman School is accredited by the Middle States Association and registered with the Board of Regents of the State of New York. In addition, Beekman is a member of the College Entrance Examination Board and the Educational Records Bureau, and an associate member of the New York State Association of Independent Schools.

The Tutoring School is a unique program within The Beekman School that specializes in educating students who require private or semiprivate classes. The Tutoring School teaches college-level courses as well as standard and remedial courses. Generally, incoming students follow The Beekman School's college-preparatory curriculum and receive credit from The Beekman School.

## **Academic Program:**

The requirements of the New York State Education Department form the core of the curriculum at The Beekman School/The Tutoring School. It is strongly advised, however, that students exceed these requirements, especially in the areas of mathematics, the sciences, and languages. The Beekman School also offers three approved AP Courses (U.S. History, English Literature, and Calculus) to Beekman students. The faculty at The Beekman School has developed many interesting and challenging elective courses such as Psychology, Geology, Creative Writing, Criminal Justice, Modern Politics, International Politics, Coding, Electronics, Philosophy, Sociology, Astronomy, and The Real Game of Thrones. In addition to the wide variety of courses offered at Beekman, students may enroll in elective courses at outside institutions such as the International Center of Photography, FIT, the Art Students League, Parsons School of Design, and the School of Visual Arts. Beekman students also participate in after-school activities such as the literary magazine, yearbook projects, student council, and volunteer programs. www.beekmanschool.org

### 2021 Class Statistics:

Number in class: 22

College Acceptance: 100%

4-year college: 95% 2-year college: 5% PG Year: 15%\*

\*This number reflects students who were accepted into college and chose to defer for a year

### **Explanations of Grade Scale:**

Grading Scale – passing grade is 60.

#### Letter and Grade point equivalents:

A+	4.33	97-100	B+	3.33	87-89	C+	2.33	77-79	D+	1.33	67-69
Α	4.00	94-96	В	3.00	84-86	С	2.00	74-76	D	1.00	64-66
A-	3.67	90-93	B-	2.67	80-83	C-	1.67	70-73	D-	0.67	60-63
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## **Grade Point Average and Class Rank:**

The grade point average reported by The Beekman School is a three-year cumulative average for the students' first 3 years (six semesters) of high school. Regular course grades are unweighted; AP and Advanced Courses are weighted for GPA calculation only. The Beekman School/The Tutoring School does not rank.

## Test Summary – Class of 2020\*

\*Due to COVID, students in the Class of 2021 were largely unable to test, so the Class of 2020 is the most recent, significant data set.

	Critical Reading	Math	Total Score
The Beekman School	600	600	1200
National Average	531	528	1059

	Composite	English	Math	Reading	Science
The Beekman School	22	22	22	23	22
National Average	21	20	20	21	21

College Acceptances, Classes 2013-2021

Academy of Art University	Green Mountain College	SUNY:		
American University	Hampshire College	Binghamton		
American University of Paris	Hobart and William Smith Colleges	Cobleskill		
Arizona State University	Hofstra University	Fashion Institute of Technology		
Art Institute of California, San Francisco	Indiana University	Fredonia		
Bard College	Ithaca College	New Paltz		
Bennington College	Johns Hopkins University	Oneonta		
Berklee College of Music	Johnson & Wales University	Oswego		
Boston College	Lafayette College	Purchase		
Boston University	Loyola University, Maryland	Syracuse University		
Bryant University	Mannes College of Music	Temple University		
Bryn Mawr College	Marymount Manhattan College	Union College		
Carnegie Mellon University	McGill University	University of California:		
Chapman University	Muhlenberg College	Davis		
Clark University	New York University	Santa Barbara		
College of the Atlantic	Northeastern University	University of Colorado, Boulder		
Connecticut College	Occidental College	University of Connecticut		
Cornell University	Pace University	University of Glasgow		
CUNY:	Parsons School of Design	University of Hartford		
Baruch	Penn State	University of Maryland, College Park		
Brooklyn College	Pratt Institute	University of Massachusetts:		
Hunter College	Quinnipiac University	Amherst		
John Jay	Rhode Island School of Design	Lowell		
Queens	Rochester Institute of Technology	University of New Hampshire		
DePaul University	Rutgers University	University of Pennsylvania		
Dickinson College	Sacred Heart University	University of Rhode Island		
Drew University	San Francisco State University	University of Southern California		
Drexel University	Sarah Lawrence College	University of St. Andrews		
Duke University	School of Visual Arts	University of Vermont		
East Stroudsburg University	School of the Art Institute of Chicago	Vassar College		
Emerson College	Skidmore College	Villanova University		
The New School	Smith College	Wesleyan University		
Fordham University	Southern Methodist University	Wheaton College		
Franklin & Marshall College	St. John's University	Whittier College		