



# Cony High School

*School Profile 2017-2018*

## Community

Augusta, an urban residential community of 18,500 people located in the central part of Maine 3.5 hours north of Boston, is the capital of the State of Maine. The largest employers are federal, state and local government agencies. The University of Maine at Augusta offers four year degrees, along with continuing education opportunities for over 3,000 full and part time students.

## Administration

Kimberly Silsby, Principal

Stewart Brittner, Assistant  
Principal

Bruce Dostie, Assistant  
Principal

Jan Rollins, Assistant  
Principal, Middle School

Paul Vachon, Athletic  
Director

## School Counselors

Helen Renko, Director of  
Guidance, Grades 9-12, N-Z

Bonnie Dushin, Grades 9-12,  
F-M

Nancy German, Grades 9-12,  
A-E

Shawn Johnson, Grades 7-8,  
A-Z

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## School

Cony is accredited by the Maine Department of Education, and has joined the New England Secondary School Consortium, working with the Great Schools Partnership. Cony offers a comprehensive program of studies for approximately 1000 students in grades 7 – 12. Cony operates on a 4 x 4 block schedule, with students taking no more than four courses each semester, on a daily 75 minute block. AP Biology and AP Chemistry extend into two semesters and meet daily, earning 2 credits each. AP Calculus, AP Statistics, AP English Literature, AP English Language, AP Government, and AP US History extend into two semesters, meeting every other day, and earn 1 credit each. Capital Area Technical Center offers half day programming to over 150 Cony students each year.

## Grading System and Rank in Class

A=93-100, B=85-92, C=76-84, D=70-75, F=below 70

Cony ranks are weighted, with Honors/AP/College courses receiving greater weight. Grade Point Average is unweighted, on a 100 scale.

## Curriculum

Cony offers several course level options to maximize student success: College preparatory, Honors and/or AP level classes, and Tech Prep/Integrated level classes in English, math and science. Dual Enrollment opportunities are available with the Univ. of Maine at Augusta English 101 and UMA Digital Photography. Dual Enrollment credit through Kennebec Valley Community College for Biology 101 (Anatomy), Chemistry (Honors Chemistry) and Spanish 101 (Spanish 3). Dual Enrollment credit through Thomas College for College Algebra (Senior Math). Students may also take Adult Education classes (AE), AP4All, and on-site or on-line college classes.

## AP Courses

Approved Advanced Placement Courses: United States History, English Literature and Composition, English Language and Composition, Biology, U.S. Government, Calculus, Statistics, and Chemistry.

## Honors Courses

English 1, English 2, Global Insights, World History, Algebra 1, Algebra 2, Geometry, Precalculus, Anatomy, Biology, Chemistry, Adv. Chemistry, Physics, Latin 3 and 4, Spanish 3 and 4, French 3 and 4, German 3 and 4.

## Graduation Requirements

24 credits which include the following courses and number of years each:

English 4; Mathematics 3.5; Sciences 3.5; Social Studies 3; Health/PE 1 ½; and Visual/Performing Arts 1. There is a 20 hour community service requirement.

## Testing Results

SAT I – 2017	National	Maine *	Cony
<i>Critical Reading</i>	538	508	516
<i>Math</i>	533	493	495

\*All Maine juniors take the SAT as their third year Maine Assessment.

2017 Profile      4 year college – 46%      2 year college – 18%      Military – 3%