



# SCITUATE HIGH SCHOOL

Tradition of Excellence, Personalized Learning, Preparing for the Future

## ABOUT US

Scituate High School is dedicated to providing our students with the skills they need to be successful in their chosen path in life. Our school community has set high standards for students through meaningful instruction, and personalized, student-centered learning experiences. With a high school population of under 450 students, Scituate continues to provide a tradition of excellence while fostering a small family atmosphere. To be a Spartan means to help others, persevere, and strive for personal and academic success.



## Award Winning School

- Scituate High School offers 21 varsity sports with over 50% of our student population participating. This includes two current State Champions: Boys Tennis and Girls Soccer.
- Our robotics teams have won a spot this year as one of four RI teams at the Super Regional FIRST Tech Challenge (**F**or **I**nspiration and **R**ecognition of **S**cience and **T**echnology) in Pennsylvania
- Scituate continues to outperform other state schools in our Fine and Performing Arts courses. Last year, 60 students were accepted into the RI All-State Band and Chorus. Both performing ensembles continue to obtain "Superior" ratings at festival each year.
- Our NEED club has been selected as RI High School of the Year for eleven consecutive years. We have been selected National NEED High School of the year four times.
- Scituate is currently the only Rhode Island school district who has a College Board approved AP Mobile CSP course which enables students to build apps using Android OS
- Scituate is the only RI school to offer students the opportunity to be involved with the FIRST Tech Challenge, SeaPerch, and SeaGlide. Through SeaPerch students build, test, and improve ROVs, (Remotely Operated Aquatic Vehicles) With SeaGlide, students build, test, and improve AUVs, (Autonomous Underwater Vehicles)

## College and Career Readiness

- Scituate continues to have one of the highest graduation rates in the state at 94%
- Of our students who participated in Advanced Placement exams, 85% scored at College-Level Mastery
- Students have the opportunity to graduate SHS with up to a year of college credits through our Advanced Placement and Early Enrollment course offerings
- 86% of our graduates continue on to two and four year colleges. Many students are accepted into top Universities throughout the United States.

## S.T.E.A.M. at SHS

(Science, Technology, Engineering, Art, and Mathematics) fosters the development of the skills needed to excel in a 21st century and global economy. The STEAM requirement at SHS integrates all five areas into curriculum, instruction and assessments.

Beginning with the graduating class of 2021 students will be required to take a STEAM course at Scituate High School. STEAM courses are identified in the Program of Studies.

## Commended School

Scituate has been ranked by the RI Department of Education as a Commended School three years in a row in 2012, 2013, and 2014. In 2015, Scituate, like many other RI schools lost its commended status due to PARCC participation numbers.

# Dedication to Career Pathways

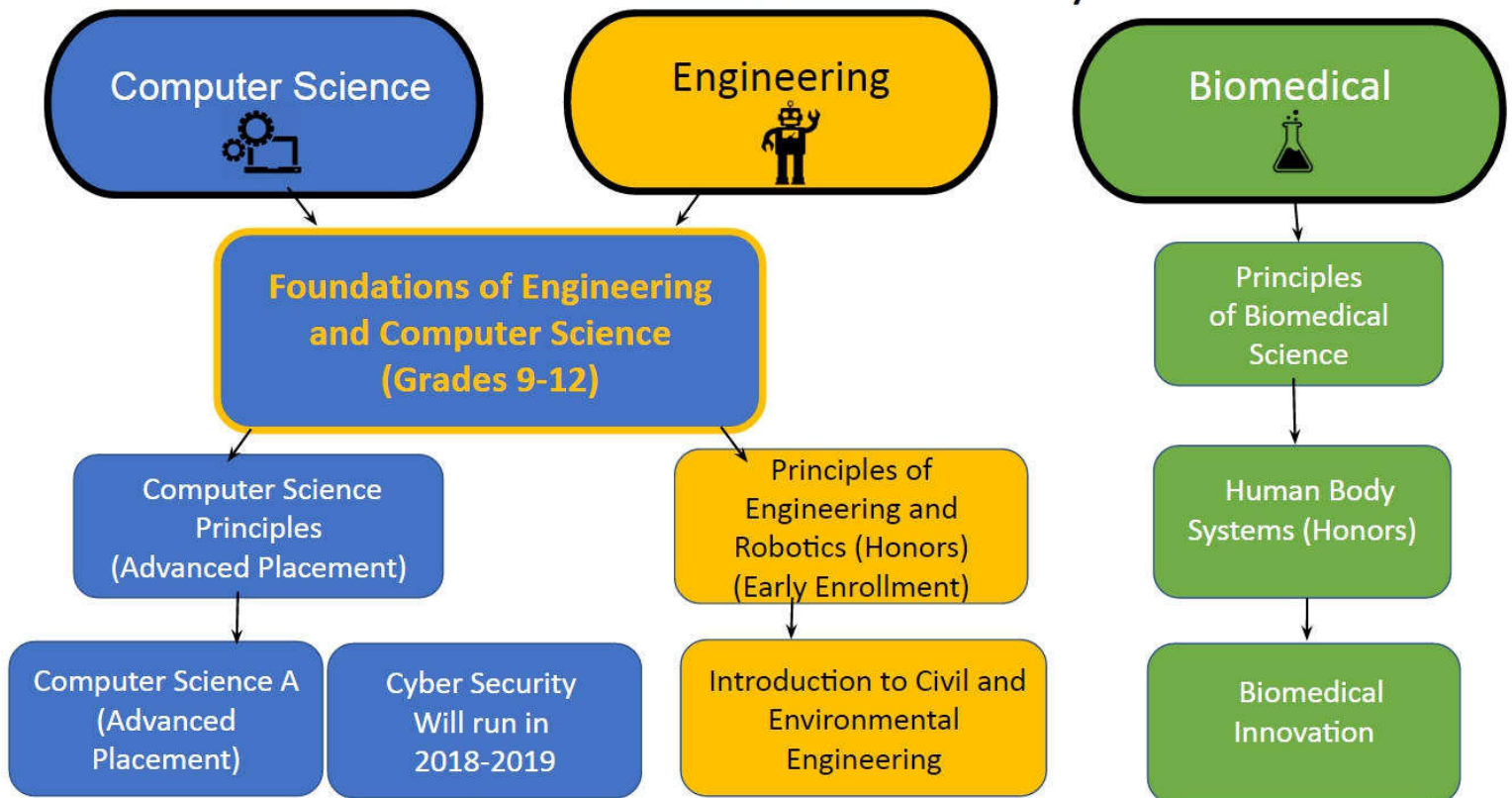
The Scituate School Department has developed meaningful career pathways for the 2017-2018 school year and beyond. In an effort to streamline this process, we have become a Project Lead the Way (PLTW) School District. The goal is that upon school committee approval and proper funding, we will implement three career pathways for the 2017-2018 school year in grades 6-12.

The proposed pathways include:

- Computer Science
- Engineering with Robotics
- Biomedical Science



## Scituate HS 2017-2018 Career Pathways



## *Save the Date! Scituate High School Information Night*

Students who are in eighth grade should plan to attend our High School Information Night with their parents/ guardians on March 9th at 6:30 PM in the Auditorium. Students will learn about new initiatives for the 2017-2018 school year and beyond. Families will also learn about our new 2017-2018 Program of Studies which includes over 40 new courses geared toward student interest and personalized instruction.

**ALL SCITUATE COMMUNITY MEMBERS ARE WELCOME TO ATTEND THIS EVENT.**