



Stanstead

College

Who We Are

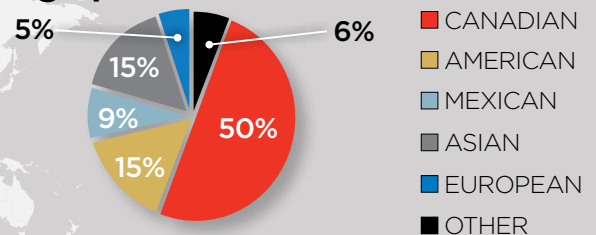
Founded in 1872, Stanstead College is an independent boarding and day school for boys and girls in Grades 7 through 12. Students live and study in the heart of an extensive property surrounded by the beautiful hills of Quebec's Eastern Townships and Northern Vermont. Stanstead College is a recognized tuition-eligible high school option for many Vermont communities. The success of Stanstead College for more than 145 years rests in its ability to both reinforce traditional values and embrace innovation in a constantly changing world.



Our Population

Our student body is composed of under **250** students, of which **70%** are boarders and **30%** are day students — **50%** Canadian, **15%** American and **35%** international. There are **36** highly qualified faculty members, resulting in an average class size of **13** and an overall teacher-student ratio of **1:6.5**

Geographic Distribution



OUR MISSION

By providing students with a structured and enriching educational experience in a small, globally aware community, Stanstead College builds a foundation for success at university and beyond.



Academics

Stanstead College is based on a trimester system, with reporting periods in November, March and June. Students write formal examinations in June.

Grades 7-11

Based on Quebec Ministry of Education guidelines, the Stanstead curriculum is broadly divided into junior and senior levels, with the core subjects of Mathematics, English and French emphasized at each level. Grade 11 is highlighted by advanced level courses in Mathematics, French, Chemistry and Physics. Students may opt for French as a second language or Français as a first language (*langue maternelle*). Students graduate from high school upon the successful completion of their Grade 11 (Secondary V) year. Students may choose to attend Quebec CEGEP (two-year college subsidized by the Quebec government) or attend Grade 12.

Grade 12

Stanstead College is one of only a few schools in Quebec that offer a Grade 12 year. Our pre-university program includes courses based on Ontario curriculum as well as a wide selection of AP options. Stanstead College offers a selection of advanced pre-university courses to meet college entrance requirements in all disciplines. Stanstead College is an SAT test centre for selected test dates.

Grade 12 options

- AP Biology
- AP Calculus AB
- AP Chemistry
- AP Comparative Politics
- AP Economics
- AP English Literature/Language
- AP French
- AP Human Geography
- AP Physics
- AP Statistics
- AP Studio Art
- Advanced Functions
- Calculus
- Chemistry
- English
- Linear Algebra
- Philosophy
- Physics
- Psychology
- Statistics

Accredited by



Members of



University Acceptances

Stanstead College does not rank. In 2020, 100% of our Grade 12 graduates received acceptances to 4-year colleges. The graduating class of 2020 consisted of 57 students who received offers from 31 Canadian post-secondary schools and 60 American schools. Roughly half accepted placements in Quebec, while 23 percent are studying in the United States.

The class of 2020 received over \$2.3 million in scholarship offers.

Fields of study 2020

Aerospace Engineering	Finance
Animal Science	Fish and Wildlife Technology
Arts & Science	Hospitality and Tourism Management
Behavioural Neuroscience	International Business
Biochemistry	Liberal Arts
Business/Commerce	Life Science
Character Animation	Management
Chemical & Physical Science	Marketing
Communications	Mechanical Engineering
Computer Engineering	Neuroscience
Criminology	Physics
Economics	Political Science
Education	Psychology
Electrical Engineering	Social Science

Recent acceptances include

Acadia University	Rochester Institute of Technology
Boston University	St. Francis Xavier University
Bishop's University	St. Lawrence University
Carelon University	School of Visual Arts NYC
Clarkson University	Suffolk University
Colby College	Syracuse University
Colgate University	Trinity College
Concordia University	University College London
Emory University	University of British Columbia
Fordham University	University of Edinburgh
Georgia Institute of Technology	University of Michigan
Hamilton College	University of New Hampshire
Harvard University	University of Ottawa
Harvey Mudd College	University of St. Andrew's
Lynn University	University of Toronto
McMaster University	University of Vermont
McGill University	University of Victoria
Mount Allison University	University of Waterloo
Providence College	University of Wisconsin
Queen's University	Western University
Quinnipiac University	Yale University
Reed College	And dozens more...
Rensselaer Polytechnic Institute	

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Grading System

GPA	Letter value	Numerical value	<i>GPA is on a 4.0 scale unweighted</i>
4	A+	90%+	Outstanding - Chair's List
4	A	85-89	Superior - Head's List
3.7	A-	80-84	Excellent - Academic Honours
3.3	B+	77-79	Very Good
3	B	74-76	Above Average
2.7	B-	70-73	Good
2.3	C+	67-69	Satisfactory
2	C	64-66	Fair
1.7	C-	60-63	Passing
1.3	D+	57-59	Failure in Grades 7-11
1	D	54-56	
0	D-	50-53	
	E	Below 50	Failure in Grade 12

Athletics

Our structured athletics program encourages teamwork, fair play, confidence, perseverance and, above all, health. Each term, students participate in one of many athletic options and have opportunities to compete against teams locally, provincially and nationally. (Note that sports may vary for 2020-2021.)

Athletic Options

Fall	Winter	Spring
• Hockey (varsity)	• Basketball	• Rugby
• Soccer	• Hockey	• Lacrosse
• Cross-Country	• Squash	• Tennis
• Running	• Swimming	• Softball
• Outdoor Pursuits	• Cross-Country	• Golf
• Golf	• Skiing	• Badminton
• Badminton	• Curling	• Track
• Co-Ed Volleyball	• Volleyball	
• Tennis	• Yoga	

Student Life

With an emphasis on developing social and leadership skills, Stanstead's extracurricular options provide the chance to expand horizons and share new interests. Organized activities take place during weekends, and special events are planned throughout the year.

Club Options

• Anthology	• Environment	• Reading
• Art	• Fencing	• Skating
• Board Games	• Film	• TEDx
• Chess	• Fishing	• Tutoring
• Community Service	• Gaming	• Yearbook
• Cooking	• Gardening	• Yoga
• Dance	• Good Deeds	<i>Options vary</i>
• Debating	• Investment	<i>year to year</i>
• Drama	• Jazz Band	