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Waltham High School Announces Advanced Placement (AP) Scores:  
*Continued Progress on Increasing Opportunity and Improving Outcomes*

Waltham High School students once again demonstrated incredibly strong performance on last spring's Advanced Placement (AP) testing. A score of 3 or above on an AP exam demonstrates that a student is capable of successfully completing an introductory-level college course in this subject area. In fact, many colleges and universities give credit to students who have scored a 3, 4 or 5. Overall, the high school had 235 students take 470 exams in which 66.8% received a score of 3 or above. The average score from these 470 exams was a 3.14. The high school administered the second highest number of exams (470) in the past ten years -- outpaced only by last year's total of 523.

You might be asking yourself, "How did WHS students' performance compare to their Massachusetts and global peers?" As can be seen in the table below, WHS students outperformed both of these groups on thirteen (13) of the twenty-one (21) exams that our students took last year!

#	Subject	Average Score		
		WHS	State	Global
1	Studio Art	3.75	3.7	3.64
2	English Lit/Comp	3.3	2.86	2.57
3	Macroeconomics	3.71	3.34	2.96

4	Microeconomics	3.63	3.29	3.21
5	US Government	3.05	2.92	2.7
6	US History	3.36	3.17	2.66
7	Computer Science A	3.54	3.35	3.18
8	CS Principles	3.33	3.14	3.11
9	Statistics	3.07	3	2.88
10	Biology	3.64	3.12	2.87
11	Physics 1	3.8	2.43	2.36
12	Physics 2	3.1	2.77	2.97
13	Spanish	4	3.77	3.69

Of the 235 students who took an AP exam, 71 received AP Scholar Awards.

First, here's the criteria for being recognized as an AP Scholar:

Award	Criteria
<b>AP Scholar</b>	Granted to students who receive scores of 3 or higher on three or more AP Exams
<b>AP Scholar with Honor</b>	Granted to students who receive an average score of at least 3.25 on all AP Exams taken, and scores of 3 or higher on four or more of these exams
<b>AP Scholar with Distinction</b>	Granted to students who receive an average score of at least 3.5 on all AP Exams taken, and scores of 3 or higher on five or more of these exams
<b>National AP Scholar</b>	Granted to students in the United States who receive an average score of at least 4 on all AP Exams taken, and scores of 4 or higher on eight or more of these exams

Now, here's the list of students who received an AP Scholar Award:

LAST NAME	FIRST NAME	AP Scholar Awards	AP Scholar Awards
Chang	Benny	National AP Scholar	AP Scholar with Distinction
Chigurupati	Saiajay	National AP Scholar	AP Scholar with Distinction
Patel	Prem	National AP Scholar	AP Scholar with Distinction
Sundgren	Max	National AP Scholar	AP Scholar with Distinction

LAST NAME	FIRSTNAME	AP Scholar Awards
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Boudreau	Luke	AP Scholar with Distinction
Brown Jr	Michael	AP Scholar with Distinction
Corcoran	Matthew	AP Scholar with Distinction
Duffy	Jack	AP Scholar with Distinction
Franzen	Ethan	AP Scholar with Distinction
Haggerty	Nora	AP Scholar with Distinction
Kamal	Ashley	AP Scholar with Distinction
Maione	Anthony	AP Scholar with Distinction
Martinos	Sean	AP Scholar with Distinction
Paluzzi	Matthew	AP Scholar with Distinction
Patel	Jaison	AP Scholar with Distinction
Patel	Priya	AP Scholar with Distinction
Savine	Isabel	AP Scholar with Distinction
St Cyr	Daniel	AP Scholar with Distinction
Stewart	Jordan	AP Scholar with Distinction
Stokalyuk	Mykyta	AP Scholar with Distinction

<b>LAST NAME</b>	<b>FIRST NAME</b>	<b>AP Scholar Awards</b>
Antic	Jana	AP Scholar with Honor
Diaz	Nefi	AP Scholar with Honor
Farlow	Jessica	AP Scholar with Honor
Ferguson	Cara	AP Scholar with Honor
Flynn	Caroline	AP Scholar with Honor
Gangi	Taylor	AP Scholar with Honor
Lam	Jonathan	AP Scholar with Honor
Lau	Eva	AP Scholar with Honor
Lemonias	Zachary	AP Scholar with Honor
Marroquin	Mirna	AP Scholar with Honor
Meconiates	Nicholas	AP Scholar with Honor
Morton	Roane	AP Scholar with Honor
Pratt	Ewan	AP Scholar with Honor

Santiago	Katharine	AP Scholar with Honor
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<b>LAST NAME</b>	<b>FIRST NAME</b>	<b>AP Scholar Awards</b>
Cano	Melanie	AP Scholar
Conrad	Jessica	AP Scholar
Costorf	Allyson	AP Scholar
Cristofori	Nina	AP Scholar
Delgado	Liana	AP Scholar
Devlin	Shane	AP Scholar
DiMaggio	Mary	AP Scholar
DiStasio	Brett	AP Scholar
DiStasio	Sydney	AP Scholar
Doangpratheep	Unna	AP Scholar
Dobisz	Olivia	AP Scholar
Gilreath	Leah	AP Scholar
Jacques	Isabelle	AP Scholar
Kunkler-Peck	Aiden	AP Scholar
Leblanc Jr	Scott	AP Scholar
Leroy	Clifmon	AP Scholar
Lwanga	Krystal	AP Scholar
Meuse	Francis	AP Scholar
Morales	Chloe	AP Scholar
Nguyen	Peter	AP Scholar
Ourfalian	Sonia	AP Scholar
Platt	Michela	AP Scholar
Power	Brendan	AP Scholar
Richardson	Noah	AP Scholar
Samios	Katelyn	AP Scholar
Schaufus	Emma	AP Scholar
Shah	Sohini	AP Scholar
Sharma	Rovin	AP Scholar
Shaw	Carly	AP Scholar
Signorello	Rachel	AP Scholar
Thanatheerapong	Setthawit	AP Scholar
Thompson	Daniel	AP Scholar
Toland	Ryan	AP Scholar
Vargas	Gladys	AP Scholar
Vega	Nathan	AP Scholar
Wise	Shawn	AP Scholar

Zarkh	Amelia	AP Scholar
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