

NEW

# MAGNET ACADEMY OF Civic Leadership & World Studies

AT NEW BEDFORD HIGH SCHOOL



In September 2023, New Bedford High School will launch a new academic pathway: the Magnet Academy of Civic Leadership and World Studies.

Students in the MACLWS will discover, understand, and occupy their place in today's interconnected world. The Magnet Academy will provide an accelerated educational experience focused on developing students' leadership skills and knowledge about global issues to confront the complex challenges facing communities at the local, national, and international levels.

## Features

- Accelerated learning in **International Baccalaureate** (application pending) and **Advanced Placement**
- Emphasis on **leadership development**
- Academic path to earn a **Diploma of Distinction**
- Specialized courses in **civics and global issues**
- Four years of **World Languages**, or completion of the **Seal of Biliteracy**
- Senior year **Capstone Project**
- 120 hours of **community service**
- Opportunities to **travel** or participate in **virtual student exchange**
- After-school or summer **internship** focused on leadership, civics, or international issues

## Selection and Enrollment

- Opening September 2023 with an inaugural cohort of 10th grade students (Class of 2026)
- Will enroll approximately 300 students in grades 10-12 by September 2025
- Students are nominated by their teachers in the winter of their 9th grade year
- Nominated students submit teacher recommendations (due March 6, 2023) and application form (due April 6, 2023)

## For More Information

Speak to your guidance counselor, or contact:

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