



AIMS 8TH ANNUAL HIGH SCHOOL REPORT CARD (RC8)

Summary Report for Nova Scotia High Schools

The biggest change for Nova Scotia's English schools is the availability of the Junior High Literacy Assessment results, giving us for the first time a measure of student performance before reaching high school. The change, however, made little difference at the top of the ranking as the top three schools from last year remain the same. Cape Breton Highlands Academy in Terre Noire maintained an 'A-' grade and stays in first place for the third consecutive year. Charles P. Allen High School in Bedford and Barrington Municipal High School both fell from an 'A-' grade last year to a 'B+' but remain in second and third spots respectively. Two schools saw a two grade level improvement, with both Memorial High School in Sydney Mines and West Kings District High School in Auburn moving from a 'C+' to a 'B'.

There are schools that do not receive an overall grade because information is missing for the three year rolling average used for this report. In some cases, it is to protect the privacy of students. For instance, in the case of post-secondary achievement, if we can not collect the data from at least two post-secondary institutions with results for at least five students, then the data is not included and no grade is given.

This table is just a summary, to really understand what is going on in your school please review the detailed results found in the complete AIMS report card by following [this link](#).

RC8 Final Rank	RC8 Final Grade	Final RC7 Grade	School Name, Community	RC8 Absolute Overall Performance	RC8 Overall Performance in Context
1	A-	A-	Cape Breton Highlands Academy, Terre Noire	A-	A-
2	B+	A-	Charles P. Allen High School, Bedford	A-	B+
3	B+	A-	Barrington Municipal High School, Barrington Passage	B+	A-
4	B+	B+	Dr. John Hugh Gillis Regional School, Antigonish	A-	B+
5	B+	B+	Middleton Regional High School, Middleton	B+	B+
6	B+	B+	Halifax West High School, Halifax	B+	B
7	B	B	Auburn Drive High School, Cole Harbour	B+	B
8	B	B	North Colchester High School, Tatamagouche	B	B+
9	B	B+	Richmond Academy, Louisdale	B	B+
10	B	B	Breton Education Centre, New Waterford	B	B+
11	B	C+	Memorial High School, Sydney Mines	B	B
12	B	B	Dartmouth High School, Dartmouth	B	B
13	B	B-	Central Kings Rural High School, Cambridge Station	B	B
14	B	B	Dalbrae Academy, Southwest Mabou	B	B
15	B	C+	West Kings District High School, Auburn	B	B
16	B	n/a	New Germany Rural High School, New Germany	B	B

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17	B	B-	Hants North Rural High School, Kennetcook	B	B
18	B	B	Canso Academy, Canso	B	B
19	B	B-	Chedabucto Education Centre-Guysborough Academy, Guysborough	B-	B
20	B-	B	Lockview High School, Fall River	B	B-
21	B-	B	Inverness Academy, Inverness	B-	B
22	B-	B	Sir John A. Macdonald High School, Hubley	B	B-
23	B-	B-	East Antigonish Academy, Monastery	B-	B-
24	B-	B-	Pictou Academy-Dr. T. McCulloch School, Pictou	B-	B-
25	B-	B-	Digby Regional High School, Digby	B-	B
26	B-	n/a	Rankin School of the Narrows, Iona	B-	B-
27	B-	B	St. Mary's Academy, Sherbrooke	B	B-
28	B-	C+	Glace Bay High School, Glace Bay	B-	B-
29	B-	n/a	River Hebert District High School, River Hebert	C+	B
30	B-	B-	Sackville High School, Lower Sackville	B-	B-
31	B-	B-	Shelburne Regional High School, Shelburne	B-	C+
32	B-	B-	Park View Education Centre, Bridgewater	B-	B-
33	B-	B-	Riverview High School, Coxheath	B-	B-
34	B-	B-	Prince Andrew High School, Dartmouth	B-	C+
35	B-	B-	Eastern Shore District High School, Musquodoboit Harbour	B-	B-
36	B-	B-	Horton High School, Wolfville	B-	C+
37	B-	B-	Bridgewater Junior-Senior High School, Bridgewater	B-	C+
38	B-	B-	Pugwash District High School, Pugwash	C+	B-
39	B-	C+	Parrsboro Regional High School, Parrsboro	C+	B-
40	C+	B-	Strait Area Education-Recreation Centre, Port Hawkesbury	C+	B-
41	C+	C+	Liverpool Regional High School, Liverpool	C+	B-
42	C+	C+	Yarmouth Consolidated Memorial High School, Yarmouth	C+	B-
43	C+	C+	Millwood High School, Lower Sackville	B-	C+
44	C+	C+	Amherst Regional High School, Amherst	C+	C+
45	C+	B-	J.L. Iisley High School, Halifax	C+	C+
46	C+	B-	Avon View High School, Windsor	C+	C+
47	C+	C+	Forest Heights Community School, Chester Basin	C+	C+
48	C+	n/a	North Nova Education Centre, New Glasgow	C+	C+
49	C+	C+	Cobequid Educational Centre, Truro	C+	C+
50	C+	n/a	Oxford Regional High School, Oxford	C	C+
51	C+	n/a	Sydney Academy, Sydney	C	C+
52	C	C	Hants East Rural High School, Milford Station	C	C+
53	C	n/a	Springhill Junior-Senior High School, Springhill	C	C+
54	C	C+	Northumberland Regional High School, Alma	C	C
55	C	C	Musquodoboit Rural High School, Middle Musquodoboit	C-	C+
56	C	C+	Bridgetown Regional High School, Bridgetown	C	C
57	C	C	Cole Harbour District High School, Dartmouth	C	C
58	C	n/a	Cabot High School, Neil's Harbour	C	C
59	C	C+	South Colchester Academy, Brookfield	C	C
60	C	C-	Northeast Kings Education Centre, Canning	C-	C
n/a	n/a	n/a	Advocate District School, Advocate Harbour	n/a	n/a
n/a	n/a	n/a	Annapolis West Education Centre, Annapolis Royal	n/a	n/a
n/a	n/a	n/a	Baddeck Academy, Baddeck	n/a	n/a
n/a	n/a	n/a	Citadel High School, Halifax	n/a	n/a
n/a	n/a	B	Drumlin Heights Consolidated School, Glenwood	n/a	n/a

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n/a	n/a	C	Duncan MacMillan High School, Sheet Harbour	n/a	n/a
n/a	n/a	B	Holy Angels High School, Sydney	C	n/a
n/a	n/a	n/a	Islands Consolidated School, Freeport	n/a	n/a
n/a	n/a	n/a	Lockeport Regional High School, Lockeport	n/a	n/a
n/a	n/a	n/a	North Queens Rural High School, Caledonia	n/a	n/a
n/a	n/a	n/a	St. Mary's Bay Academy, Weymouth	n/a	n/a

General

- Grades are based on a three year rolling average. If a school does not have at least two years of data for a particular measure it will not receive a grade for that measure. RC8 is based on data from the school years 2005/06, 2006/07, 2007/08. In instances where three years of data is not available for an entire province, at least two years must be available and schools must have data from at least one of the two years. In Nova Scotia's English schools this applies to:
 - Feeder Achievement – Grade 9 Junior High Literacy Assessments were first given in the 2006/07 school year. The Feeder Achievement Measure for RC8 is based on the 2006/07 school year only (note: since this measure is a measure of achievement prior to high school, we use the school year one year prior to the high school measures).