

TMHS

CLUBS & ACTIVITIES 2021-2022

Students are encouraged to participate in the extracurricular activities offered by TMHS. All students participating in a club or activity must register at Community Pass. A student must pay a user fee of \$50 per club with a student cap of \$100 per year with the exception of Marching Band, Color Guard, and Winter Guard which implements a user fee of \$150 per season as in athletic participation. The family cap per year for athletics is \$600. You may pay the user fee online through Community Pass at <https://register.communitypass.net> with a credit card or by using your checking account. Students will not be allowed to participate in a club until the fee has been paid. All Tewksbury families have an account with Community Pass.

ACADEMIC

Academic Decathlon – This team is organized to develop and provide academic competitions with students from other schools to promote learning and academic excellence among students of all achievement levels. **Coach** – Ms. Kelsey Ring kring@tewksbury.k12.ma.us *Rm A206*

DECA – Prepares emerging leaders and entrepreneurs in marketing, finance, hospitality and management in high schools and colleges around the globe. All TMHS students may participate in this club, but is more directed to students enrolled in any business, computer, economics or government law courses. This club participates in school and community volunteer activities, to include the annual TMHS DECA Fashion Show. Students will have the opportunity to participate in real world and practical applications of real-life business situations at district, state, and international conferences throughout the school year. **Advisor** – Mr. James Sullivan jsullivan@tewksbury.k12.ma.us *Rm B207*

FIRST Robotics Team 1474 – The FIRST Robotics program combines the excitement of sports with the rigors of science and technology creating “The Ultimate Sport for the Mind”. The team would describe this as “the hardest fun you’ll ever have”. Participation is open to all students and provides hands-on experience in solving real world challenges and exposes students to teamwork, leadership, business management, mechanics, CAD, fabrication, electronics, software programming, social media, graphic design, web site management, financial management and project management. With the help of mentors from local businesses, students design and build a robot to compete in the FIRST Robotics Competition. The team has a flexible schedule and no tech or robotics experience is required. FIRST is more than robots, it’s an opportunity to learn life skills, build confidence, develop expertise and define a future. For more information, see <https://www.firstinspires.org/robotics/frc>. **Advisor** – Mr. Scott Morris FRCTeam1474@gmail.com/smorris@tewksbury.k12.ma.us *Rm A111*

International Club – The primary goal of the International Club at TMHS is to serve the community, locally as well as globally. Our activities help provide those in need with food, clothing, shoes, and medical assistance in order to improve their quality of life. **Advisor** – Ms. Graca Dudley mldudley@tewksbury.k12.ma.us *Rm B308*

Junior Classical League – This is a club for high school students who study Latin. They participate in state and national conferences and competitions. **Advisor** – Mr. Paul Early pearly@tewksbury.k12.ma.us *Rm B304*

Math Team – This club provides an opportunity for students to compete with other schools in academically challenging mathematical contests. **Coach** – Ms. Marybeth McGinn mmcginn@tewksbury.k12.ma.us *Rm A204*

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Mock Trial Team – Assume roles in an actual court case and compete against other school teams. **Advisor** – Mr. Brian Aylward baylward@tewksbury.k12.ma.us *Rm B312*

Science Bowl Team – This is a fun science club which attends science competitions.
Advisor – Ms. Susan Barnett sbarnett@tewksbury.k12.ma.us *Rm A110*

COMMUNITY SERVICE

Best Buddies – An organization dedicated to establishing a global volunteer movement that creates opportunities of one to one friendships, integrated employment and leadership development for people with intellectual and developmental disabilities.

Advisor – Mr. Brian Aylward baylward@tewksbury.k12.ma.us *Rm B312*
Advisor – Ms. Lindsey White lwhite@tewksbury.k12.ma.us *Rm B311*

Environmental Club – A group that meets to investigate environmental problems and propose solutions to help promote awareness and change in the school and local community. **Advisor** – Ms. Janet Gordon jgordon@tewksbury.k12.ma.us *Rm A310*

Interact Club – Interact gives students the chance to make a real difference while having fun. Interact club members carry out projects that help their school and community while promoting international understanding. **Advisor** – Ms. Emma Sweetapple esweetapple@tewksbury.k12.ma.us *Rm A107*

LEADERSHIP

Peer Leadership – This is an organization that is dedicated to enhancing the general school climate. Part of their work involves peer mediation and violence prevention programs. **Advisor** – Ms. Debra Glass dglass@tewksbury.k12.ma.us *Rm A205*

Student Council – This group of students organizes and conducts leadership, spirit, community and charity service activities at TMHS and in the community. Hosts and participates in regional and statewide conferences. **Advisor** – Ms. Debra Glass dglass@tewksbury.k12.ma.us *Rm A205*

PERFORMING ARTS

Chorus – This group of students perform throughout the year using their musical talents. **Advisor** – Ms. Celeste Pellegrino cpellegrino@tewksbury.k12.ma.us *Rm B124*

Color Guard – the purpose of the color guard is to interpret the music that the marching band is playing via the synchronized work of flags and through dance. The color guard uses different colors and styles of flags like swing flags and tapered flags to enhance the visual effect of the marching band as a whole. Color guard also may use backdrops to bring color and scenery to the field if the concept of the show is hard to interpret. **Advisors** – *TBD*

Concert Band – This group of students perform throughout the year using their musical talents in concerts. **Advisor** – Ms. Celeste Pellegrino cpellegrino@tewksbury.k12.ma.us *Rm B124*

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Dance Team – Students choreograph and perform routines for school events. **Advisor** – Ms. Kayla McLaughlin *kmclaughlin1014@gmail.com Gymnasium*

Drama Club – Students can express their dramatic talents in stage productions throughout the year. **Advisor** – Ms. Celeste Pellegrino *cpellegrino@tewksbury.k12.ma.us Rm B124*

Marching Band – A group of instrumental musicians who perform while marching, often for entertainment or competition. Instrumentation typically includes brass, woodwind, and percussion instruments. Most times marching band wears a uniform and performs at school football games and in local parades. **Advisors** – *TBD*

Winter Guard – Unlike traditional color guard (flag spinning) teams, which perform outdoors accompanied by a marching band, winter guard teams perform indoors to recorded music. **Advisors** – *TBD*

SCHOOL CULTURE

Adaptive Ski Team –

Advisor - Mr. Patrick Galligan *pgalligan@tewksbury.k12.ma.us Rm B111*

Advisor - Ms. Anne McGregor Fay *amcgregorfay@tewksbury.k12.ma.us Rm B111*

Anime Club – An organization that meets to discuss, show, and promote anime in a local community setting. In addition to viewing anime, club engages in activities such as viewing anime music videos, reading manga, karaoke and cosplaying. **Advisor** – Mr. Marc Demers *mdemers@tewksbury.k12.ma.us Rm A303*

Class Council – This is made up of students elected to positions of both officers and representatives. They organize fundraisers and activities that benefit the students' senior year.

Senior Class of 2022 – Ms. Maura Pilotte *mpilotte@tewksbury.k12.ma.us Rm Guidance*

Ms. Christine Smith *csmith@tewksbury.k12.ma.us Rm A102*

Junior Class of 2023 – Mr. Joel Mignault *jmignault@tewksbury.k12.ma.us Rm D202.1*

Ms. Brooke Pacheco *bpacheco@tewksbury.k12.ma.us Rm D205.1*

Sophomore Class of 2024 – Ms. Julia Baynes *jbaynes@tewksbury.k12.ma.us Rm A201*

Ms. Kelsey Ring *kring@tewksbury.k12.ma.us Rm A206*

Freshmen Class of 2025 - Mr. Tim Feeley *tfeeley@tewksbury.k12.ma.us Rm D112*

Esports – Esports has become an official sanctioned MIAA high school sport, and players across the state are changing what it means to be a student-athlete. Esports officially stands for electronic sports, not to be confused with video games. Esports takes video gaming to another level with organized competitive gameplay between two teams, governed by its own strict set of rules and guidelines. Esports requires teamwork, communication, critical and strategic thinking, creativity, sportsmanship and leadership – much like traditional sports. **Advisors** – Mr. Sanford Arbogast *sarbogast@tewksbury.k12.ma.us Rm A104*

GSA – This group celebrates diversity, tolerance and service. **Advisor** – Mr. Connor Bourgoin *cbourgoin@tewksbury.k12.ma.us Rm B106*

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National Honor Society (NHS) – This is an organization that recognizes and encourages academic achievement, while developing other characteristics of leadership, service, and character. Membership is by invitation and approval. **Advisor – Ms. Dustine Puma dpuma@tewksbury.k12.ma.us Rm A301**

Principal's Advisory – Members of the Principal's Advisory attend meetings throughout the year with the principal. Members are selected through nomination to the principal. **Principal – Mr. Jon Bernard jbernard@tewksbury.k12.ma.us Rm Principal's Office**

Renaissance Program – This program's goals are to enhance the academic environment and to promote effort, honesty, and tolerance. Students fulfilling the necessary criteria benefit from rewards such as exam exemptions and business discounts. **Advisor – Ms. Shelli-An Ryan sryan@tewksbury.k12.ma.us Rm A202**

SADD – Students Against Destructive Decisions. **Advisor – Mr. Andrew Bellistri abellistri@tewksbury.k12.ma.us Rm B105**

She's the First – A future of gender equality club. **Advisor – Ms. Nicole LaPierre nlapierre@tewksbury.k12.ma.us Rm B130**

Yearbook – The Scroll staff provides a high quality yearbook capturing memorable moments at TMHS. This is an excellent club for students interested in Photography, Graphic Design, Writing, Advertising, and Sales. **Advisor – Ms. Ashley Sullivan asullivan@tewksbury.k12.ma.us Rm B128**

All programs & activities are offered without regard to race, color, sex, religion, national origin, sexual orientation and disability.