

#### Selecting a high school for your child

You have many options to consider: Will your child thrive in a large or small school setting?



Would you prefer to send your child to a public or private school?

Would you prefer that your child stay in town or go elsewhere? Does the school support your child's college and/or career interests?

Does the school have special activities that your child will enjoy?

## What do you know about AITE?

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#### AITE's Mission Statement

The mission of the Academy of Information Technology & Engineering is to maintain a safe and supportive environment which nurtures the mind, body and heart of every student. Our dedicated educators are committed to providing a rigorous, STEAM focused, college preparatory curriculum designed to prepare and inspire students to reach their highest potential and to contribute positively to our global community.



#### What is AITE?

- an award winning inter-district magnet high school located in Stamford
- a school of choice in Fairfield County serving students from Norwalk, Darien, New Canaan, Greenwich, Bridgeport, Westport, Ridgefield, Weston, Wilton and other towns throughout Fairfield County
- a college preparatory public high school
- a one-to-one computing high school with a STEAM focus

- Transportation is free.
- Students interested in attending AITE must complete an application and are selected through a lottery process.
- AITE is located on the Rippowam Campus on High Ridge Road in Stamford, CT.

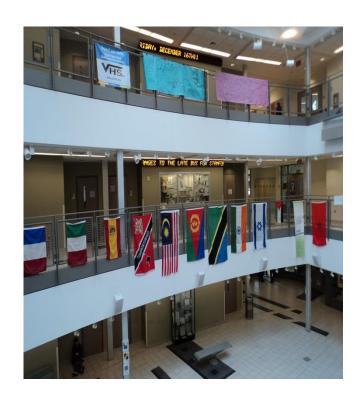






### Why AITE?

- Smaller campus
- Diverse faculty, staff and student population
- Student-centered learning
- STEAM focus
- ▶ Emphasis on 21<sup>st</sup> century-skills
- Safe and secure environment
- Work-based experiences and internships for qualified students
- Opportunities to earn college credit before graduation
- The dynamic engineering and Biomedical Project Lead the Way Programs



# Academic requirements in most high schools

- 4 credits of English
- 3 credits of Math
- 3 credits of Science
- 3 credits of Social Studies
- 1 yr of World Language



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#### Come Join the Interact Club

#### Mission

-Strive to better the lives of others in our community, country and world.

#### Need More Community Service Hours?

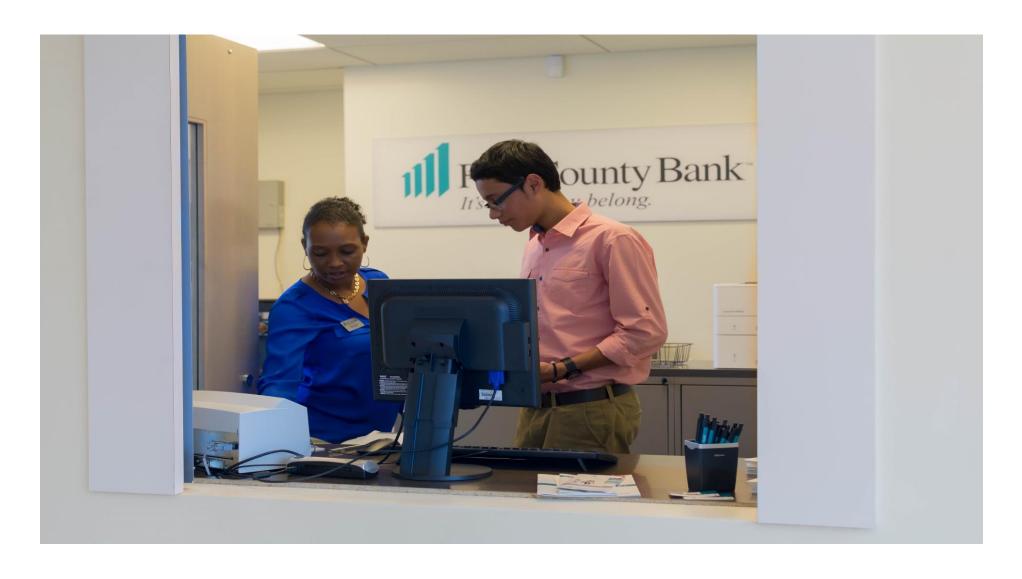
-One hour of community service for each meeting -Meetings in room 202



The AITE Interact Club sponsors an annual blood drive, a holiday toy drive, and a community food drive and other community service events.



Senior Project is a year long independent project designed to imitate real-world processes and to give students the opportunity to demonstrate research, writing and presentation skills which they have honed during high school and will use in college. Students select their own topic proposal and once it is approved, they complete a research paper and make a presentation, integrating technology into it, to meet this graduation requirement.



On-site and off-site internships available for qualified students

#### WHAT IS A DAY LIKE AT AITE?

- Alternate day "A/B" schedule
- Four classes each day 88 minute periods
- 29 minutes for lunch
- Student-centered classwork with technology integration
- A safe and secure school environment

#### Clubs and Activities





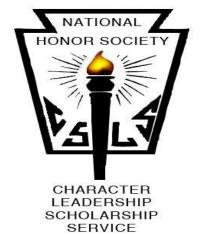








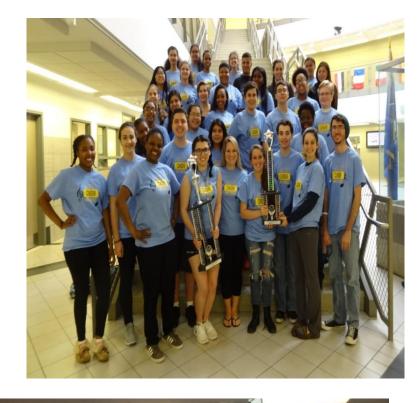














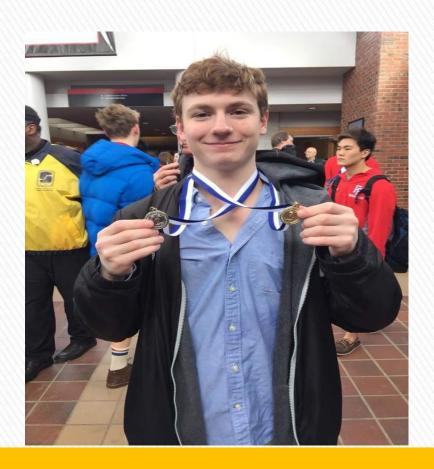




#### **Our Athletes**



Go Senators and Bears!



All-American Diver

#### AITE's Website

You can learn more about AITE by checking the home page of our school's web site for information.

Our school's website is www.aitestamford.org



# Application Process

#### **Due NLT January 15, 2021:**

The link to the online application is available on the home page of our web site under the "Admissions" tab (click Learn More About AITE Admissions – right above the video): aitestamford.org

#### THE LOTTERY PROCESS

- All completed applications that meet the deadline are entered into the lottery.
- ▶ The lottery will be held on February 1, 2021:
  - \* for Stamford Students
  - \* for Out-of-District Students
- Students who are not selected in the lottery will be placed on the waiting list.

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