

Amiya

Class of 2020

From: Mamaroneck, NY

First Year at Horace Mann: First grade

Favorite Classes: History and French

Why HM? The friends I have made throughout my time at the school and the wealth of opportunity, illustrated by the plethora of class options, summer internship programs, and variety of clubs and publications.



Activities: Middle Division Mentor Program (Tutoring Coordinator and mentor), Student Ambassador (Leader), Cancer Awareness Club (Vice-President), Journal (Editor-in-Chief), She's the First (President), Varsity Tennis Team, Wind Ensemble (first flute)

Out-of-school activities: Volunteer at GO Project NYC

Favorite school trip: During the summer of 2018, the Music Department organized a trip to Hawaii for the band, orchestra, and chorus. We played multiple concerts, toured the island, and had some time to explore on our own – it was definitely one of the highlights of my time at Horace Mann.

Favorite spot on campus: Actually it's near campus! There's a pond near campus, right next to Four Acres. It's so peaceful, and a really nice spot to just sit, take a break, and admire how pretty it is (sometimes, you can even find turtles there!).

Favorite things about HM: In every grade, the support system at HM is amazing! I personally spend a lot of my time working with middle school students, whether it be helping them with their writing through the HM Journal publication, mentoring a middle division homeroom, tutoring them during and afterschool, or helping them with their homework through an afterschool program I run called Study Buddies.