PLANNING YOUR VISIT TO MIDCOAST MAINE

THE MIDCOAST

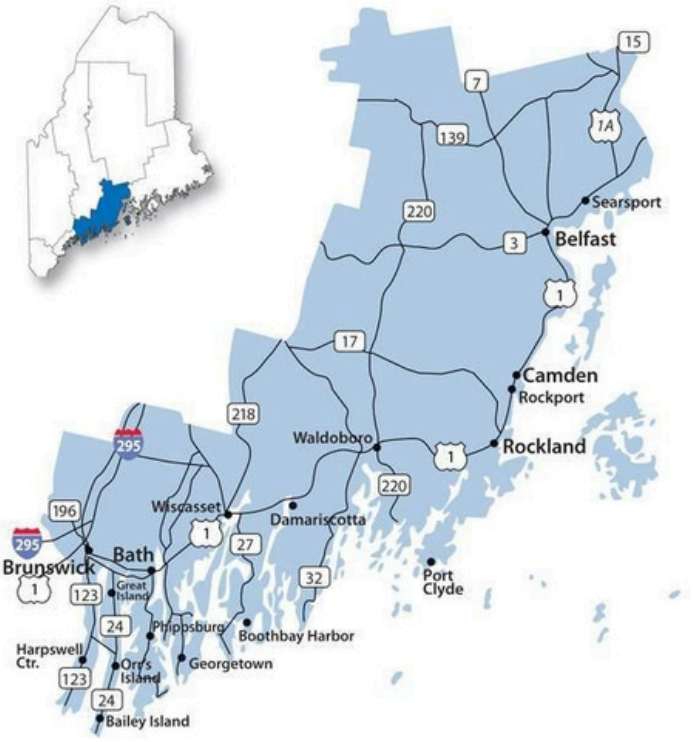
Maine has earned the nickname “Vacationland” for good reason. We boast dramatic coastline, charming villages and a wealth of biodiversity. Nestled between Great Salt Bay, the Damariscotta River, and Damariscotta Lake, Lincoln Academy is surrounded by water. The school is located approximately 3 hours from the major city of Boston, Massachusetts and 1.5 hours from the small city of Portland, Maine. There is a rich history of boat building, farming, and fishing as well as tourism in this community. In late spring, daytime temperatures are usually between 10 and 20°C with lows around 7°C overnight.

TRAVEL TO NEWCASTLE MAINE

Maine is a rural state and you will need to rent a car to travel between the airport and Lincoln Academy. Roads are easy to navigate and driving is the best way to see the region and travel between campus, your lodgings, and area restaurants. There are very few options for public ground transportation (it can be difficult to find taxis, Uber, Lyft, etc.) Major airports are located in both Boston (airport code BOS) and Portland (airport code PWM).

ACCOMMODATION

Our campus is located in the small town of Newcastle and near the communities of Damariscotta, Pemaquid, Bristol, South Bristol, Boothbay, Edgecomb, and Wiscasset, which all provide good options for inns, hotels and rental homes. The following inns are suggested for families booking for the week of graduation:



Tipsy Butler, Newcastle, ME: www.tipsybutler.com
Bradley Inn, Pemaquid Point: www.bradleyinn.com
Cod Cove Inn, Edgecomb: www.codcoveinn.com
Newcastle Inn: www.newcastleinn.com
Sheepscot Harbor Village Resort: www.midcoastshvr.net
Newcastle Vacation Rentals: www.mainecoastcottages.com

Please don’t hesitate to be in touch with any questions. We look forward to welcoming you to Lincoln Academy!

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