## Why Exeter?

Sometimes looking at beginnings helps the answers become clearer, as Niche as they might be.

Antithesis of Phillips Andover, Phillips Exeter is a top rated, private, boarding school located in Exeter, NH. Years in the running, Phillips Exeter was founded in 1781. Perfectly suited to students interested in curiosity and exploration, Phillips Exeter prides itself in developing not only knowledge, but also goodness. Home of the Classical Diploma and opportunities in ancient Roman and Greek literature, Exeter has 1,085 students in grades 9-12 with a student-teacher ratio of 5 to 1. Understandably, Phillips Exeter runs the oldest continuously running prep-school newspaper, *The Exonian*. New tuition is \$49,880 for the highest grade offered. Students work hard, develop, and build time management skills. Leaving Exeter is not the end for many, as 100% of students from this school go on to attend a 4-year college.

85% of students and parents agree that students at this school are competitive.64% of students and parents agree that students at this school are creative and artsy.72% of students and parents agree that students at this school are athletic.