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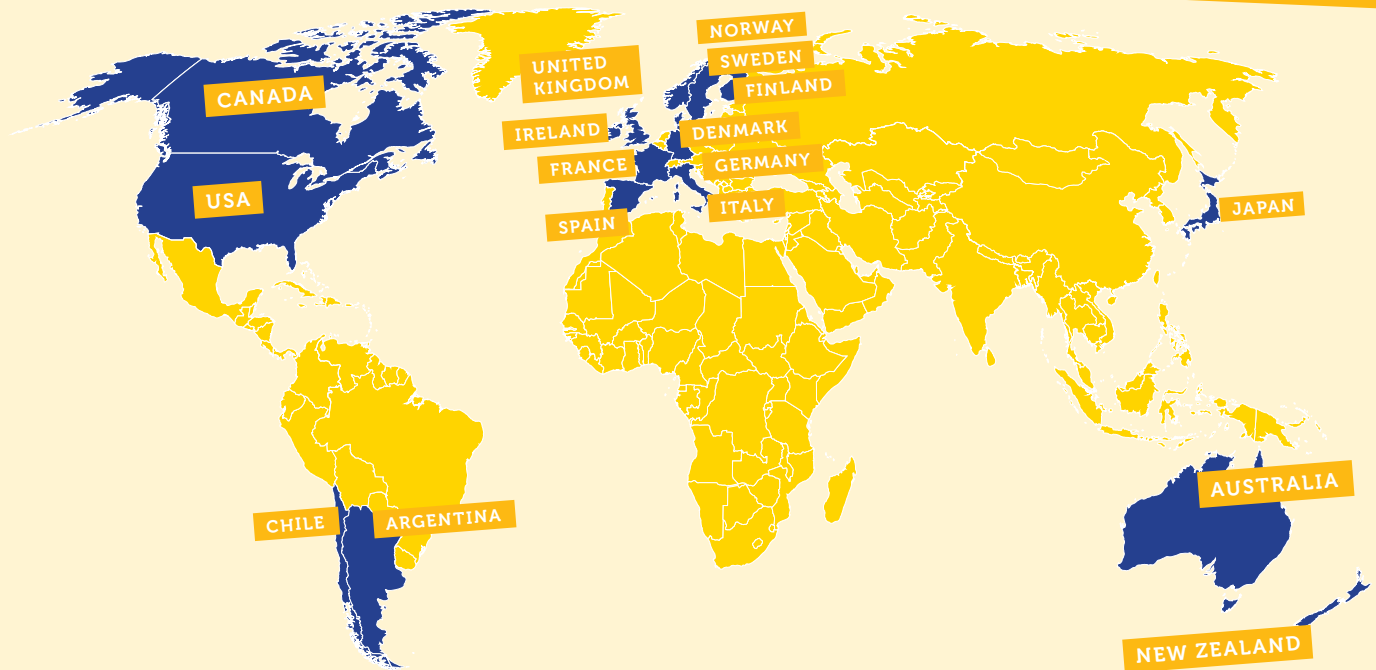


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OUR 15+ YEARS OF EXPERIENCE FOCUS ON
MAKING HIGH SCHOOL DREAMS COME TRUE.



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In 2018, Educatius Group received and managed the highest number of F-1 students on CSJET-listed high school programs in the USA High Schools in **35** States

70+ USA Private Boarding Schools

70+ USA Private Day Schools

60+ USA Public School Districts

250 Local Coordinators in the USA

EDUCATIUS GROUP WORLDWIDE

SELECT and CLASSIC programs in **17** countries: USA, Canada, Australia, New Zealand, UK, Ireland, Germany, France, Spain, Italy, Sweden, Norway, Denmark, Finland, Argentina, Chile, Japan

6,000 students to our high schools worldwide in 2018

Placed and managed **1,000** students who were sponsored by official government programs from Europe, Latin America and Asia

Recruiting students from **60+** countries **300** full time staff worldwide and over **1,000** part time support staff

EDUCATIUS SERVICE PROMISE

Educatius Group's new Service Promise is a service level commitment for our USA and Canada programs. From application through arrival, our team will guide you through the admission process, and ensure that students are supported in their new home.

All of us at Educatius Group appreciate the trust you've placed in us to organize and support your studies at an American high school. Our long history will ensure you have the experience of a lifetime.
— Tom Ericsson, Founder



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SELECT Boarding School Program: Study at the US Boarding School of Your Choice!

Study for a year — or stay for multiple years. Get a high school diploma, and even go on to attend a top university in the US. It's entirely up to you!

Educatus Group's American boarding schools let international students experience the very best that the USA's prestigious educational system has to offer. Boarding schools in America are great because they provide a warm and inclusive environment where you'll have exciting experiences, be exposed to a diverse student body, and be able to choose from a wide variety of interesting and challenging courses.

Each boarding school in Educatus Group's portfolio has been selected because it offers something extraordinary. Many of our boarding schools are ranked the best in the nation, offering fascinating, one-of-a-kind opportunities like pilot lessons, professional ballet programs, scuba diving, and other things you may not get to experience in your home country.

Other amazing benefits of studying at a boarding school are:

- *Small class sizes provide students with more individual attention from well-trained, professional teachers.*
- *Challenging college preparatory curriculums that encourage teens to excel and succeed.*
- *Outstanding campus facilities, competitive sports, creative arts programs, and lots of leadership opportunities.*
- *Prestige from attending top-tier boarding schools when applying to university.*
- *Studying and living on campus makes it easy to form strong bonds with classmates and faculty.*
- *Being able to study in some of the most desirable locations in the USA, such as New England, New York State, California, Florida, Hawaii, Arizona, Colorado and more.*

You'll never have a more unique and rewarding experience than studying at a USA boarding school!

Who is qualified?

Exact admissions requirements vary from school to school, but in general:

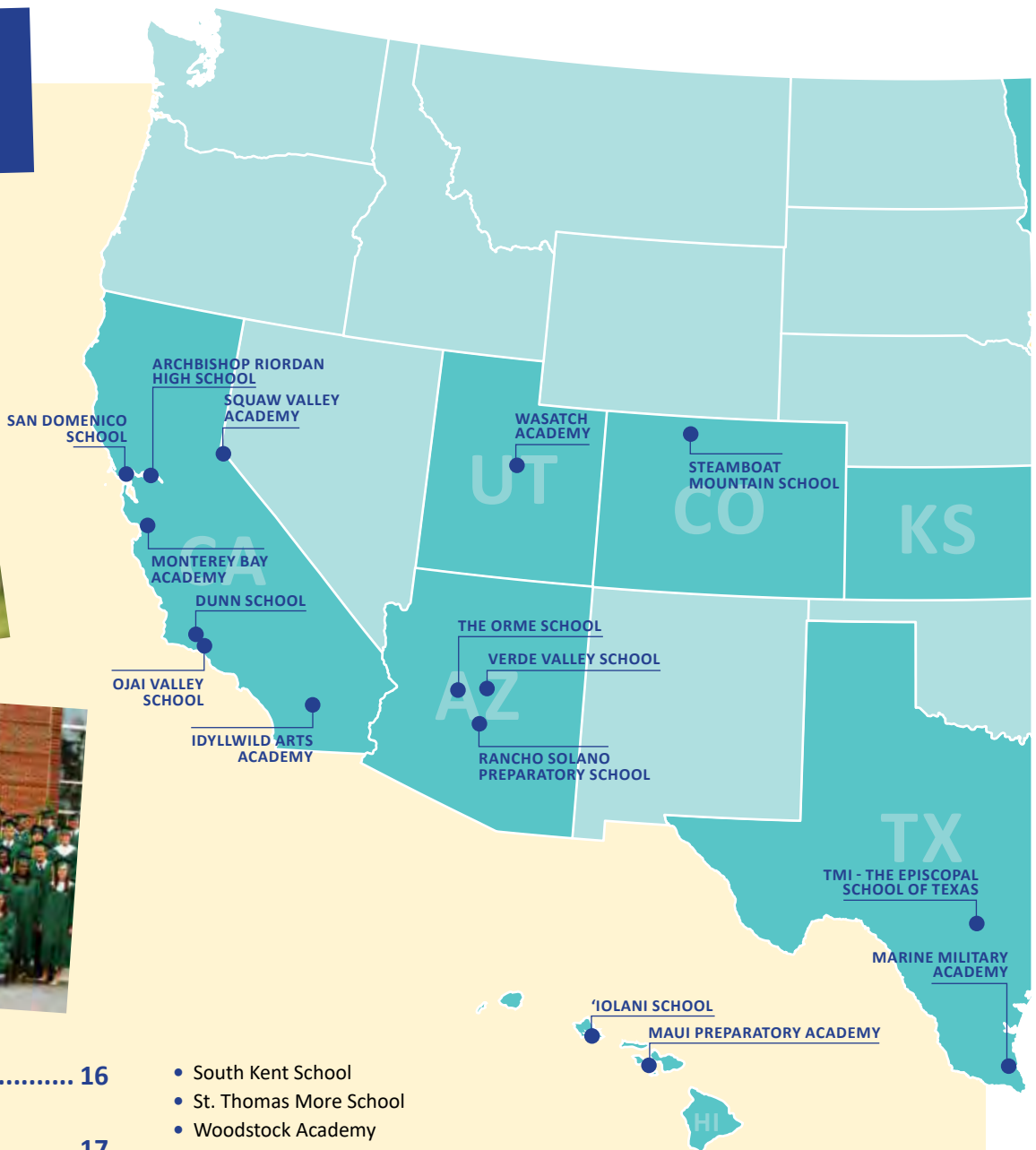
- *Age: 12-19 upon arrival. Some schools accept graduated students into PG (Post Graduate) year.*
- *English Requirement: Varies depending on school. We work with schools that accept all levels; some are very competitive while others accept students with lower English skills. ELTiS, SLEP and/or TOEFL may be accepted.*
- *Grades: 6-12 and PG.*
- *GPA: Minimum 2.0 or C average. Some schools accept students with lower grades; others are more competitive.*

WHAT'S NEW!

Students who want to use boarding school as a path to a top tier university will benefit from Educatus Group's additional Academic Excellence Services. Our Yale Ph.D. educated coach will work with students on an individualized study plan to help them reach their highest potential. See page 9 for more details!



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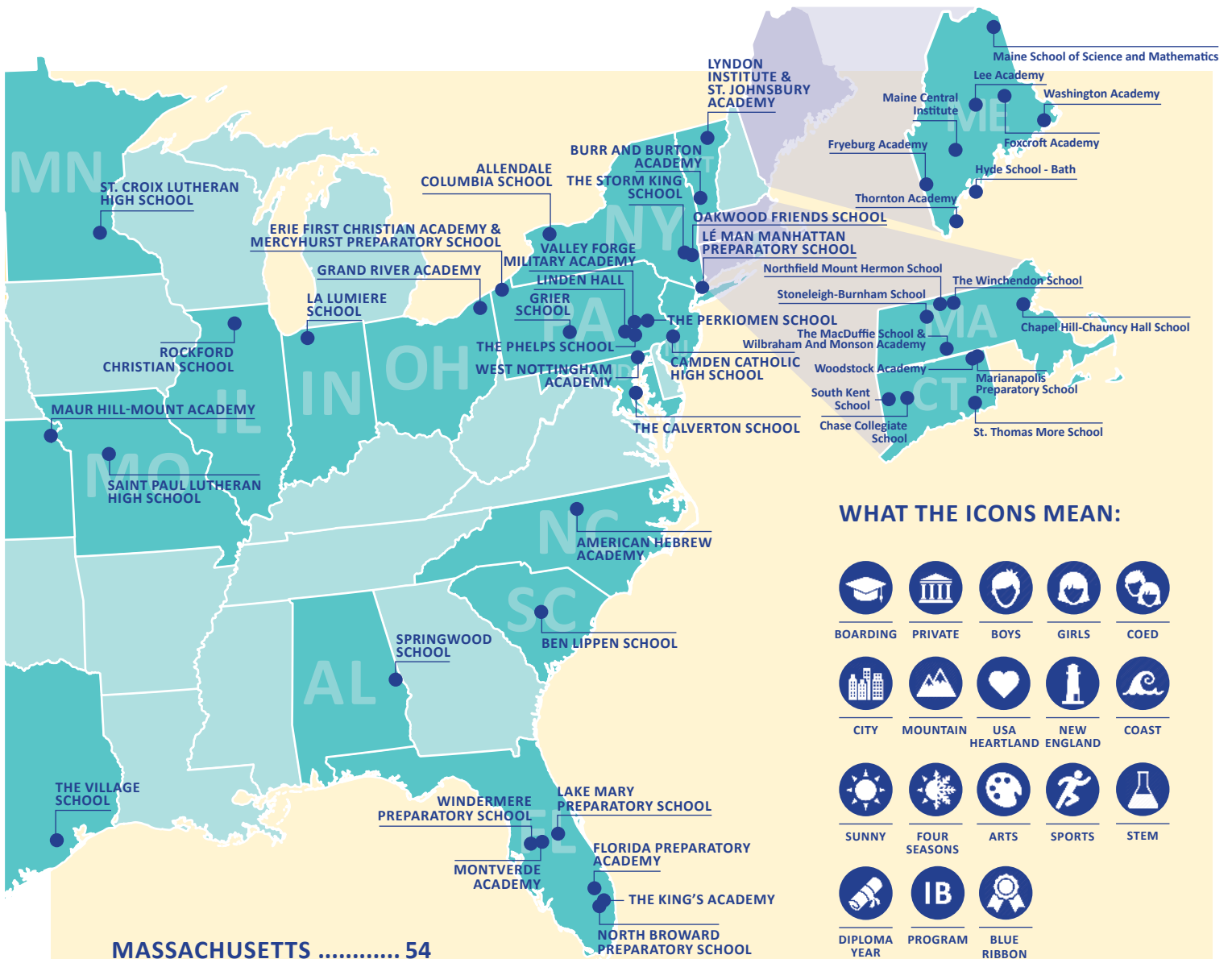
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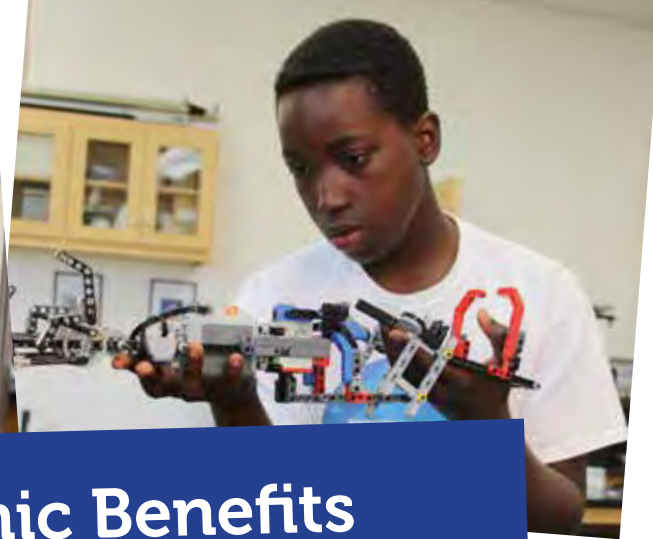
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Boarding School Academic Benefits

Why do international students absolutely love studying at Educatius Group's elite boarding schools? Because living, studying, and playing at a boarding school is a lot like a small university campus: you get a top-notch education, gain amazing and unforgettable experiences, and make lifelong friends!

All of our boarding school partners offer challenging, in-depth core curriculums of English, Math, Science, Humanities, and Arts, while also emphasizing creativity and independent thinking. It's one of the things that make USA boarding schools so desirable to students and parents all over the world.


Here are some other advantages available to international students:

Convalidation

Do you need your high school in your home country to formally recognize the courses you have taken in the USA? Not a problem! The credits you earned in the US can be applied to your education back home. Educatius will guide you with the process of convalidating these courses.

IB Programs

For highly motivated students who are looking for more challenging and diverse educational experience, some boarding schools offer the prestigious International Baccalaureate Diploma (IB). Taken instead of AP courses, the prestigious and rigorous 2-year IB Program (completed during your junior and senior years) consists of a standard set of courses and corresponding assessments. When completed, you'll have a globally-recognized degree.

Look for the  icon on a school profile to see if it offers this option!

AP Courses

Advanced Placement (AP) courses are equivalent to a first-year university course, so they're great for students who want to challenge themselves in a particular subject. Plus, they give you a fast track into higher education!

AP courses typically include Biology, Calculus, Chemistry, English, Spanish and US History, but some schools even offer specialized AP courses in fields like Art, Computer Science, Economics, Environmental Science, Geography, Latin, Music, and Psychology.

Foreign Languages

Beyond English, many international students interested in studying an additional language can typically choose from Spanish and French. Additionally, some boarding schools also offer German, Latin, Mandarin Chinese, Russian, Italian, Korean, and Japanese.

Specialty Programs

Specialty programs cultivate students' unique talents. Given that companies like Google and Apple are leaders in innovation, STEM (Science, Technology, Engineering and Math) curriculums are very popular with American students right now. Additionally, some schools have specialty programs in fields like business leadership, multimedia, and performing arts.



Academic Excellence Services

According to Education Week, the “average [USA] student-to-school-counselor ratio is 482-to-1; nearly double the 250-to-1 ratio recommended by the American School Counselor Association...students inadvertently may miss out on the best path forward...The fact is that even the most dedicated, high-quality professionals can’t give every student the necessary attention when juggling an unmanageable workload.”

Motivated high school students who aspire to a top tier university need every advantage. Now international students can add Educatius’ Academic Excellence Services to their high school program – for custom coaching to achieve their goals!

These services; optional add-ons to our high school programs, are led by Dr. Sharon Tan, PhD from Yale University. With over a decade of experience advising students, she is uniquely qualified to help young people achieve their very best in both high school academics and college admissions.

Academic Advising Services (Grades 9-12) provide personalized academic mentoring, development of a personalized action plan, and monthly reviews of academic performance.

College Counseling Services (Grades 11-12) provide a college counseling camp (including visits to elite Boston-area colleges), assistance in application preparation, and guidance throughout the college search and application process for competitive colleges.

For US college-bound students, we recommend that they sign up for both the Academic Advising Services and College Counseling Services.

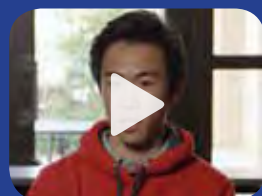


Dr. Sharon Tan received her Ph.D., M.Phil. and M.S. Biology from Yale University where she was awarded the Davenport Hooker Fellowship for Distinguished Academic Standing. Her extensive experience in education and research includes her tenure as a professor at the University of Massachusetts and Curry College, and as a postdoctoral fellow at The University of Chicago and The University of Texas.

With a deep passion for making an impact on the lives of international students, Dr. Tan founded an independent school in Beijing where she personally mentored students pursuing a U.S. high school curriculum. Dr. Tan’s approach enables students to build self-confidence while achieving their educational goals.

Watch Hakushin from China talk about his experience at a Boarding school, as well as his desire to study Physics in the future!

educatius.org/HAKUSHIN



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Arts Programs at American Boarding Schools

Educatus Group lets international students choose from a list of boarding schools based on their particular passion and interest in the arts. Many schools boast world-class performing arts opportunities with teachers who are seasoned professionals in their craft. Imagine displaying your artwork in a local gallery and creating projects in cutting-edge arts facilities that will truly advance your talents.

Almost every US boarding school offers some type of art instruction along with their regular core curriculum. Students can earn credit and get specialized instruction that fully develops their talents or uncovers new skills. Many boarding schools provide additional experiences in the way of after-school clubs—a great way to meet American students who share the same interests!

The range of arts programs is as varied as the number of boarding schools you can choose from! Virtually every school has some type of art option (band, choir, painting, etc.), while many offer a wide-ranging portfolio. The specifics of each school's art program can be viewed on our school profile pages.

Here are just a few highlights of the many unique options available!

- **Idyllwild Arts Academy, California (p. 22)**
Pre-professional programs in Studio, Stage, Music, and Fashion
- **Monterey Bay Academy, California (p. 23)**
Band, Choir, Drama, Graphics, Technology, Photography
- **Marianapolis Preparatory School, Florida (p. 29)**
Advanced Practice in Voice, AP Studio Art, Jazz Band, Layout and Design, Sculpture
- **Fryeburg Academy, Maine (p. 45)**
State of the Art Facilities. Film making program with a former MGM director.
- **Thornton Academy, Maine (p. 50)**
Theater and Dance Program
- **The Winchendon School, Massachusetts (p. 59)**
AP Portfolio Development, Jazz Band, Creative Writing, Music Theory
- **The Perkiomen School, Pennsylvania (p. 73)**
Improvisation, Performance and Public Speaking

Playing Sports at Boarding Schools

For international students, joining a sports team is one of the best ways to build friendships with your fellow American students that will last a lifetime. Virtually every USA boarding school offers some type of athletic team or individual sport – either competitive or intramural.

The most common American sports offered by almost every boarding school in the country are: American football, soccer, basketball, volleyball, tennis, track and field, and baseball. Many boarding schools have state-of-the-art facilities and programs not normally found at other schools. A few Educatius Group boarding schools feature specialized sports academies, while others have extraordinary on-campus facilities like horseback riding stables, golf courses, Olympic-size swimming centers, or even ski slopes near campus. You'll be encouraged to try a new sport and take part in fun school spirit events—an opportunity to participate even if you're not an athlete.

For the complete list of sports available at each school, browse our school profiles!

Here are just a few of the many sports options available:

- **Squaw Valley Academy, California (p. 26)**
Skiing, Snowboarding, River Rafting, Beach Volleyball
- **Steamboat Mountain School, Colorado (p. 27)**
Experiential outdoor program offering Kayaking, Mountain Biking, Rock Climbing, Skiing, and more
- **Marianapolis Preparatory School, Connecticut (p. 29)**
Soccer, Basketball, Crew
- **Montverde Academy, Florida (p. 35)**
Equestrian, Swimming, elite academy programs in Golf, Soccer, Basketball
- **Washington Academy, Maine (p. 51)**
Very strong Football, Basketball, Track and Field, and Lacrosse programs
- **The Storm King School, New York (p.66)**
Boys Basketball team won New England Prep School Athletic Championship
- **Perkiomen School, Pennsylvania (p. 73)**
Rowing, Golf, Lacrosse
- **Lyndon Institute, Vermont (p. 82)**
Ice Hockey, Alpine and Nordic Skiing



Maria from Venezuela explains how she found a new family with her school's soccer team.
educatius.org/MARIA



VIDEO
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What Our Students Say

I saw the pictures of my school and I thought the campus was really beautiful. For my future, I would like to study physics in a research laboratory. In the United States, you have more freedom about what you are going to take. There is more time for you to go in deep in what you want to learn. I live in the dorm and I love my experience because there are students from all over the world sharing the same house. By living in a dorm which is just three minutes' walk away from the campus. In the mornings, you don't have to get up really early in the morning. Sport was a really big part of what I did so it really mattered to me that the school had right equipment and teams. In my school I played tennis, I'm the captain and number-one player in the tennis team. If you're thinking about coming to America to study, I highly recommend you to.

– **Hakushin C. from China**

I lived my 16 years in a small town, near the Gulf of Mexico shoreline. I knew everybody in my hometown. Fishing, cattle and agriculture are my people's daily activities. I made the decision of studying in America because 16 years living in the same place and being taught that there are adventures awaiting for us outside our homes made me look for the opportunity to meet new people, know what their perspectives are, improve my English, and, principally, to grow as a human being. – **Lupita A. from Mexico**

I'm a senior now and I'm going to study in London, Regent University. Storm King showed me what I wanted to learn. They helped me build my language skills. I always had the support every time I needed something. I know I can go to faculty since it's a small community. My school is really big in art and science. In science I have a bunch of AP courses and we also have a telescope here. Definitely doing extra-curricular activities helped me to make friends and help me to know where I wanted to be. I did sports in Storm King. My favorite one was soccer. In soccer team I found my family. All the dorms in the school are right there. We live in the mountains so I really like going on hikes. We have open weekends. We go and hang out in New York City for day trips or we stay the weekend there. Now I know what I want to do. Coming here changed me. – **Maria G. from Venezuela**



I just want to say to you that if you have a dream, go ahead and fight for it, don't be afraid! Live in America for a year was my dream and it happened! Also, if you think about studying abroad, and living in another country - do it, you will have the best time of your life! – **Julia F. from Brazil**

I feel like I've changed a lot. I learned more about consequences and why it's important to do something. I also improved my English skills. I will always remember the trips I did in the US and all the friends I got to know. I will first get done with my last year at high school and a year in the military of Norway. Then I am going to university either in the US or back home. I do not know where yet. I hope to get into law school. – **Sebastian T. from Norway**

I want to be an engineer in the future, especially a mechanical engineer like my father. Schools here can give me a chance to take part in academics and other activities like sports. My school is close to Boston, one of the biggest cities in the US. We have a lot of good colleges in Boston, for example MIT and Harvard. Right now, beside from studying in school, I also participate in Math Team. We have won five competitions already. I am in high school now and I'm a junior and I'm taking AP Calculus and Physics, this will help me when I am applying to college. Living in the dorm is the greatest experience for me. First of all, it is so convenient. Every morning you just wake up, have breakfast and then go downstairs to study. Students are brought together like a family. – **Jonathan N. from Vietnam**

Life On Campus

International students tell us all the time that living in a boarding school dormitory was one of the greatest experiences of their young lives!

In a typical US boarding school environment, you'll learn to be more independent, and therefore be better prepared for future success. Plus, because you'll be eating, studying, playing, and relaxing with your classmates, you'll form friendships that will last a lifetime.

Each campus in Educatius Group's portfolio of boarding schools has its own unique set up, but boys and girls will always have separate living quarters. Adult house parents, who may also be teachers at the school, will live in the dorms, too, providing warm and caring emotional support and supervision to all students. International students say they especially feel supported academically and socially in this welcoming atmosphere.

Life on campus is a whole lot of fun! Not only are you steps from class (great if you happen to oversleep), but there's a wide range of healthy foods available at mealtimes, often prepared by a professional chef who makes delicious dishes.

The best part? You get to live and study with your friends and classmates — from America and all over the world!

HERE IS A SAMPLE SCHEDULE OF WHAT A WEEKDAY ON CAMPUS MAY LOOK LIKE:

- 7:00am Wake-up
- 7:00am – 7:45am Breakfast
- 8:30am – 9:15am Math
- 9:20am – 10:05am English Literature
- 10:10am – 10:55am Biology
- 11:00am – 11:45am History
- 11:50am – 12:35pm Lunch
- 12:40pm – 1:00pm ESL I
- 1:30pm – 2:15pm Studio Art
- 2:20pm – 3:05pm Economics
- 3:15pm – 4:00pm Teacher help
- 4:00pm – 6:00pm Activities/Athletics
- 5:30pm – 6:45pm Dinner
- 7:00pm – 9:00pm Study Hall
- 9:00pm – 9:45pm Campus Store and free time
- 10:00pm Lights out





Studying at a boarding school in the United States is a wonderful opportunity for students to develop and flourish both academically and personally, to perfect their English skills, and to learn to thrive in an American educational setting. Boarding schools offer an authentic American experience for international students with peers from across the United States and also other countries. We emphasize community within our school; each student truly feels a sense of belonging.

– Kendra Paupst, Associate Director of Admission, St. Johnsbury Academy, St. Johnsbury, VT

Boarding students have the added advantage of weekends filled with enjoyable activities. Team sports and games may take place on Saturdays—they may be at home or away at another boarding school campus where you can show your school spirit by cheering on your classmates against rival schools. Other possibilities include going swimming, jamming in a music studio, seeing a movie in the library, painting in the art studio or attending a crazy themed costume party in the dorms!

Excursions are sometimes planned. You might visit a local university or a nearby beach. You could go shopping, eat out at a pizzeria in town or take a stroll down the main street with your friends while licking an ice cream cone. Some schools will offer extra weekend study sessions for students who want to improve their SAT or TOEFL scores. There are just so many awesome things about living at a boarding school that we can't list them all here. What we can say is that you should get ready to embark on an adventure that you'll never, ever forget.





BOARDING



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Springwood School

Lanett, AL

LOCATION:

- Population: 6,400
- Located 1 Hour 20 minutes Southwest of Atlanta
- Weather:
Summer/Fall: Hot and Dry
Winter/Spring: Cool and Dry

ELIGIBILITY:

- Enrollment Restrictions:
Grades Accepted 9-12
- Minimum SLEP: Not Accepted
- Minimum TOEFL: Required, No Minimum
- Minimum ELTIS: Not Accepted

SCHOOL PROFILE

Established in 1970, Springwood School places a strong emphasis on college preparation. It offers several AP courses and a competitive athletics program.

FACILITIES

The 45-acre campus houses interactive classrooms with Wi-Fi, on-campus housing, a fine arts center, a media center, and innovative computer labs. Students have access to various recently renovated athletic facilities including a gymnasium, a workout/weight room, a football stadium, tennis courts, and softball and baseball diamonds.

SPORTS AND ARTS

Students can join 10 sports teams including golf, baseball, tennis, and football. Two former international students played on the US Women's Golf Team, with one going on to tour with the Ladies Pro Golf Association.

Students can choose from enriching electives such as Graphic Design, Theater, and Band.

AWARDS AND ACCOMPLISHMENTS

Springwood School has received the AISA Blue Ribbon School Designation and has won the ISA High School Scholar's Bowl State Championships five years in a row.

DORMITORIES AND STUDENT LIFE

Springwood School's on-campus, gated dormitories house two students per room and offer direct access to the main school building as well as indoor and outdoor communal spaces. A new International House will open in Fall 2018.

University Acceptance Rate: 100%

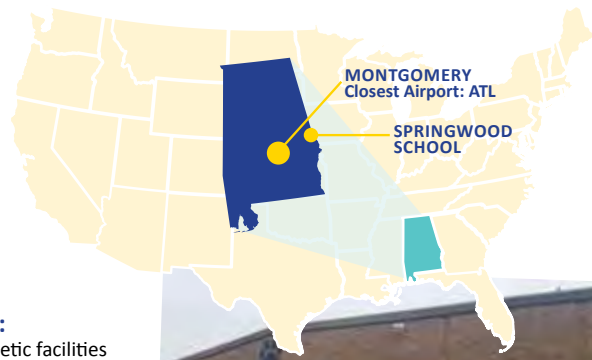
Partial List of University Acceptances: Boston College, Duke University, Emory University, Georgia Institute of Technology, Massachusetts Institute of Technology (MIT), Notre Dame University, Pennsylvania State University, Princeton University, Savannah College of Art and Design, United States Air Force Academy, University of Pennsylvania, University of South Carolina, University of Colorado, Vanderbilt University, Wake Forest University, Wheaton College, Washington and Lee University, Yale University

SCHOOL HIGHLIGHTS:

- Recently renovated athletic facilities
- AISA Blue Ribbon School
- New International House opening Fall 2018

SCHOOL FACTS:

- Grades at School: Pre K-12
- Total Students in School: 298
- Students in High School: 126
- Teacher/Student Ratio: 1:10
- School Uniform Required: NO
- Religious Affiliation: Christian



OPTIONS AVAILABLE*:

Foreign Languages: Spanish

Advanced Placement Courses: English Literature and Composition, US History

Arts: 2D/3D/Graphic Design, Art Intro, Art Appreciation, Band, Chorus, Music Appreciation, Theater, Visual Arts

Athletics:

Boys:

Fall: Cross Country, Football, Soccer

Winter: Basketball

Spring: Baseball, Golf, Tennis, Track

Girls:

Fall: Cheerleading, Cross Country

Winter: Basketball, Cheerleading

Spring: Golf, Soccer, Softball, Tennis, Track

Extracurricular Activities: 2D and 3D Art Club, Art, Band, Chorus, Fellowship of Christian Athletes, Junior Scholars, Math Team, National Honor Society, Robotics, Scholars Bowl, Spanish Club, Strength and Conditioning, Theater, Weightlifting, Yearbook

ESL Available/Level: YES

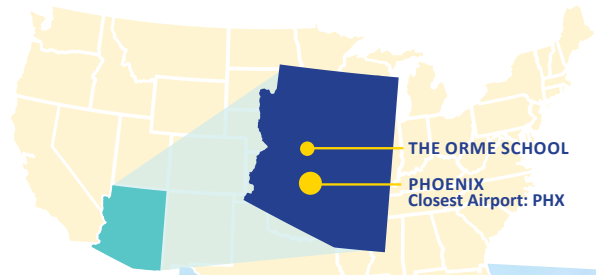
*All courses and options offered by the school are subject to change.

As an international student of Springwood, I think I made a great choice to come here. I am so happy to be studying at this school. The teachers at Springwood are very kind and helpful. Springwood has a really nice college application support system for all students. I am planning to graduate next year from Springwood. – **Yeonwoo from South Korea**





The Orme School Mayer, AZ



LOCATION:

- Population: 43,000
- Located 1 Hour North of Phoenix
- Weather:
Summer/Fall: Hot and Dry
Winter/Spring: Cool and Dry

ELIGIBILITY:

- Enrollment Restrictions: None
- Minimum SLEP: Not Required
Minimum TOEFL: Preferred, No Minimum
- Minimum ELTIS: Not Required

SCHOOL HIGHLIGHTS:

- Strong horsemanship program on a 26,000-acre ranch
- "Farm to Table" program
- Experiential post-graduate year

SCHOOL FACTS:

- Grades at School: 8-12, PG
- Total Students in School: 138
- Total Students in High School: 132
- Teacher/Student Ratio: 1:3
- School Uniform Required: NO
- Religious Affiliation: None



SCHOOL PROFILE

Small class sizes emphasize college preparation while acres of ranch land and proximity to mountains promote an active lifestyle. Recently installed orchards, gardens, and vineyards facilitate a self-sustainable food production program.

FACILITIES

The Orme School's 300-acre campus sits on an additional 26,000 acres of ranch land. It features on-campus housing, athletic facilities, equestrian arenas, and a 100-mile bike lane. Students have access to a 24-hour health center, a unique on-campus restaurant, and educational resources such as a planetarium and green house.

SPORTS AND ARTS

In addition to traditional sports such as football, softball, and tennis, The Orme School's location allows for an outstanding horsemanship program. The school's diverse arts program offers classic courses such as band and yearbook as well as more unique options, like their outdoor leadership class. Students can also take part in the annual Fine Arts Festival.

AWARDS AND ACCOMPLISHMENTS

The Orme School has won the state championship in swimming, cross country, track and field, tennis, and chess. The Mathletes achieved an undefeated 2017-18 season and the Quiz Bowl Team was invited to the national championship.

DORMITORIES AND STUDENT LIFE

The dormitories' blend of international and domestic students can participate in activities such as Friday night Frisbee and stargazing on mesas, which are isolated, elevated plateaus found in desert climates. The Orme School's new on-campus International House opens in Fall 2018.

OPTIONS AVAILABLE*:

- Foreign Languages:** Spanish
- Advanced Placement Courses:** Art History, Biology, Calculus AB, Calculus BC, Chemistry, English Literature and Composition, English Language and Composition, Spanish Language and Culture, Spanish Literature and Culture, US Government
- Arts:** 2D Art, 3D Art, Culinary Arts, Digital Music Composition, Graphic Design, Guitar, Photography
- Athletics:**
 - Boys:**
 - Fall:** Cross Country, Football, Golf, Horseback Riding, Horsemanship, Swimming, Weight Training
 - Winter:** Basketball, Wrestling
 - Spring:** Baseball, Golf, Horseback Riding, Soccer, Tennis, Track & Field, Volleyball
 - Girls:**
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 - Winter:** Basketball, Wrestling
 - Spring:** Golf, Horseback Riding, Soccer, Softball, Tennis, Track & Field
- Extracurricular Activities:** Art, Chess Team, Coding Club, Drama, Engineering, Equestrian, Fishing, Gardening, Outdoor Adventure, Quiz Bowl, Robotics, Rock Band, Skiing, Yearbook, Technology, Volunteering and Culture Credits for College
- ESL Available/Level:** YES

*All courses and options offered by the school are subject to change.

University Acceptance Rate: 100%

Partial List of University Acceptances: American University, Arizona State University, Art Institute of Pittsburgh, Auburn University, Augustana College, Beacon College, Bethany College, Boston University, Brigham Young University, California State University at Fullerton, Catholic University of America, Central Arizona College, Chapman University, Clark University, Colorado Mountain College - Summit, Colorado State University, Columbia University, Cornell University





BOARDING

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PROGRAM

Rancho Solano Preparatory School

Scottsdale, AZ



LOCATION:

- Population: 247,600
- Located 30 Minutes East of Phoenix
- Weather:
Summer/Fall: Hot and Dry
Winter/Spring: Cool and Dry

ELIGIBILITY:

- Enrollment Restrictions: Grades Accepted: 8-12; Accepts IELTS or OOPT
- Minimum SLEP: Not Accepted
- Minimum TOEFL: Required, No Minimum
- Minimum ELTIS: Not Required

SCHOOL HIGHLIGHTS:

- "A+" rating on Niche.com
- International Baccalaureate Diploma
- Extensive media program; green room

SCHOOL FACTS:

- Grades at School: 6-12
- Total Students in School: 600
- Students in High School: 94
- Teacher/Student Ratio: 1:6
- School Uniform Required: YES
- Religious Affiliation: None

SCHOOL PROFILE

Rancho Solano Preparatory School is a leading private boarding school in Arizona only 30 minutes from downtown Phoenix. Interactive, discussion-based classes feature small groups and individualized instruction.

FACILITIES

Rancho Solano Preparatory's Upper School is one of the newest, most innovative educational facilities in the country. The sports facilities features a regulation college length basketball floor, a weight room, fields, and outdoor courts.

SPORTS AND ARTS

Popular sports at Rancho Solano Preparatory School include lacrosse and basketball (for boys and girls) and volleyball (for girls).

Members of the high school perform regularly in festivals, concerts, and competitions as part of the fine arts program. Rancho Solano offers unique course options such as Global Art and Cultures and Character Design Animation.

AWARDS AND ACCOMPLISHMENTS

Rancho Solano Preparatory School is the only private school in the greater Phoenix area to receive International Baccalaureate Diploma authorization.

DORMITORIES AND STUDENT LIFE

Student housing accommodates two to four students per room and features fitness rooms, laundry facilities, and full amenities such as kitchens, televisions, and internet. Students have access to on-campus registered nurses, counselors, and physicians.

University Acceptance Rate: 100%

Partial List of University Acceptances: Baylor University, Boston University, Brown University, Colorado State University, Cornell University, DePaul University, Harvard University, Miami University, New York University, Northeastern University, Pennsylvania State University, Pepperdine University, Princeton University, Purdue University, Rhode Island School of Design, School of the Art Institute of Chicago, Stony Brook University, Temple University, George Washington University, University of Arizona, University of California - Berkeley, University of California - Davis, University of California - Los Angeles, University of California - San Diego, University of California - Santa Barbara, University of Chicago, University of Pennsylvania, Yale University



OPTIONS AVAILABLE*:

Foreign Languages: Chinese, French, Spanish

Advanced Placement Courses: Offers IB courses instead of AP. Students have the option to sit for Advanced Placement (AP) exams at the conclusion of their senior year

Arts: Chamber Orchestra, Character Design Animation, Choir, Concert Choir, Dance, Film, Global Art and Cultures, Advanced Guitar, Intermediate Band, Intermediate Guitar, Intermediate Media Arts, Advanced Media Arts, Music, Intermediate Orchestra, Studio Workshop, Symphonic Band, Visual Arts, Yearbook

Athletics:

Boys:

Fall: Cross Country, Flag Football, Golf, Soccer, Volleyball

Winter: Basketball, Cross Country, Tennis

Spring: Basketball, Golf, Lacrosse, Soccer, Tennis

Girls:

Fall: Cross Country, Golf, Volleyball

Winter: Basketball, Cross Country, Soccer, Tennis

Spring: Basketball, Golf, Lacrosse, Sand Volleyball, Soccer, Tennis

Extracurricular Activities: Computer Club, Drama, Entrepreneur Club, Garage Band, Green Club, Honor Choir, Jazz Band, Key Club, Math Club, National Art Honor Society, National Honor Society, Newspaper, Pep Band, Physics Club, Pre-Med, Science Fair, Sports Management, Student Government

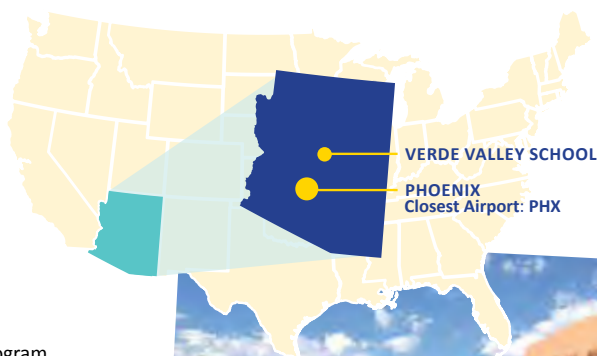
ESL Available/Level: YES

*All courses and options offered by the school are subject to change.



Verde Valley School

Sedona, AZ



LOCATION:

- Population: 10,400
- Located 2 Hours North of Phoenix
- Weather:
Fall/Winter: Cool and Dry
Spring/Summer: Hot and Dry

ELIGIBILITY:

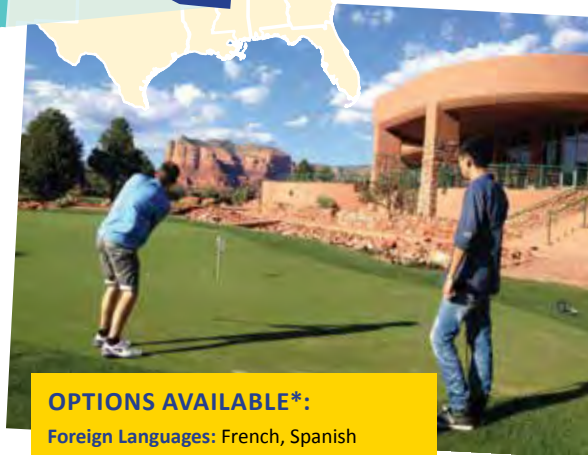
- Enrollment Restrictions: Grades Accepted: 9-11
- Minimum SLEP: 60
- Minimum TOEFL: 80
- Minimum ELTIS: 242

SCHOOL HIGHLIGHTS:

- Strong horsemanship program
- International Baccalaureate Diploma
- Strong community service program

SCHOOL FACTS:

- Grades at School: 9-12
- Total Students in School: 120
- Teacher/Student Ratio: 1:6
- School Uniform Required: NO
- Religious Affiliation: None



SCHOOL PROFILE

Located in the town of Sedona, Verde Valley School is a private, college preparatory boarding school founded in 1948 by two Harvard-trained anthropologists. Verde Valley offers the prestigious International Baccalaureate Diploma Program as its sole curriculum.

FACILITIES

Verde Valley School's 1,300-acre campus consists of facilities such as classrooms, science and computer labs, a performance center, a studio, and a library. The school's fitness center includes athletic areas such as a climbing wall and an equestrian ring.

SPORTS AND ARTS

Sedona's temperate climate allows a year-round outdoor sports program that includes horseback riding, mountain biking, rock climbing, cross-country running, soccer, and golf.

Verde Valley School presents a variety of art classes to choose from such as world music, score reading, and photography.

AWARDS AND ACCOMPLISHMENTS

Verde Valley School was recently placed on the list of "The 50 Best Boarding Schools in the US" by The Best Schools.

DORMITORIES AND STUDENT LIFE

Verde Valley's seven on-campus dormitory buildings offer red rock views, common spaces, and laundry facilities. Between three to five teachers and/or coaches live on-site in each building as dorm parents. Students can choose from an extensive range of extra-curriculars such as circus arts and geocaching.

OPTIONS AVAILABLE*:

Foreign Languages: French, Spanish

Advanced Placement Courses: Offers IB Courses in place of AP Courses

Arts: Basic Music Technologies, Ceramics, Instruments, Jazz, Music Analysis, Music Rudiments, Music Theory, Photography, Score Reading, Sound, Studio Arts, Theater in Production, Theater in the Making, Theater in the World, Western Classical Music, World Music

Athletics: Sports offered depend on and change with the seasons, please inquire for specific details.

Boys:

Archery, Basketball, Cross Country, Dance, Equestrian, Golf, Hiking, Horseback Riding, Mountain Biking, Rock Climbing, Soccer, Trail Running, Ultimate Frisbee, Yoga

Girls:

Archery, Basketball, Cross Country, Dance, Equestrian, Golf, Hiking, Horseback Riding, Mountain Biking, Rock Climbing, Soccer, Trail Running, Ultimate Frisbee, Yoga

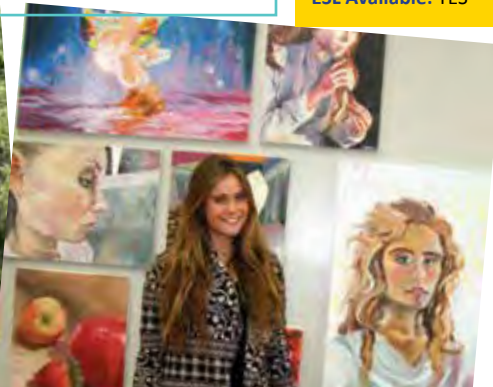
Extracurricular Activities: A Cappella, Acting for Film, Aikido, Animation, Circus Arts, Creative Welding in Recycled Metal, Indie Film, Geocaching, Global Garden Artistry, International Artistry, International Cooking, Landscape Photography, Recording Studio, Silk Screening, Science of Baking, Spoken Word

ESL Available: YES

*All courses and options offered by the school are subject to change.

University Acceptance Rate: 100%

Partial List of University Acceptances: Dartmouth College, School of the Art Institute of Chicago, Bryn Mawr College, Colorado State University, University of California - Irvine, Augustana College, Polytechnic State University, Colorado College, Arcadia University, Pitzer College, Knox College, Willamete University, Sierra Nevada College, University of Arizona, Centenary College, University of Colorado, Boulder, Providence College, Southwestern University, Washington State University, Wheaton College, Gustavus Adolphus College, Earlham College, George Mason University, Marist College, Quest University, Fuhrman University, Gonzaga University, Oregon State University





BOARDING



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SPORTS



STEAM

Archbishop Riordan High School

San Francisco, CA

LOCATION:

- Population: 884,400
- Located in San Francisco
- Weather:
Summer/Fall: Warm and Dry
Winter/Spring: Cool and Humid

ELIGIBILITY:

- Enrollment Restrictions: None
- Minimum SLEP: Not Accepted
- Minimum TOEFL: Required, No Minimum
- Minimum ELTIS: Not Accepted

SCHOOL HIGHLIGHTS:

- Great location in heart of San Francisco
- New engineering and STEAM programs; new Makerspace
- Coed activities with nearby sister school

SCHOOL FACTS:

- Grades at School: 9-12
- Total Students in School: 680
- Teacher/Student Ratio: 1:10
- School Uniform Required: YES
- Religious Affiliation: Catholic

SCHOOL PROFILE

Established in 1906, Archbishop Riordan High School is one of the oldest all-male boarding schools in northern California. In addition to strong academics, Archbishop offers coed activities by partnering with local all-girls schools for social and extracurricular activities such as spirit rallies, dances, and drama productions.

FACILITIES

The campus features courtyards and a state-of-the-art sports arena that includes a gymnasium, weight room, locker room, wrestling room, and baseball field. The school also has a modern multimedia center with Apple computers.

SPORTS AND ARTS

Teams including football, basketball, and track and field regularly win championships. The wrestling team has won six individual championships in its division. Archbishop Riordan High School's award-winning theater company along with its renowned music and band activities make for a strong arts program. Their marching band, the only high school marching band in San Francisco, performed at the 2016 Super Bowl.

DORMITORIES AND STUDENT LIFE

Archbishop Riordan High School's boarding program matches two international students from different countries to a room in its on-campus dormitories. Boarding students can participate in weekend activities such as hiking, camping, professional sports games, and trips to destinations such as museums or amusement parks.

University Acceptance Rate: 99%

Partial List of University Acceptances: Allegheny College, Arizona State University, California Maritime Academy, California State University, DePaul University, Los Angeles City College, Loyola Marymount University, Montana State University, Notre Dame de Namur University, Ohio Wesleyan University, Oregon State University, Pennsylvania State University, Pepperdine University, Rensselaer Polytechnic Institute, Santa Barbara City College, Southern Oregon University, University of Arizona, University of California, University of Mississippi, University of New Mexico, University of Portland, University of San Francisco, Wake Forest University, Wesleyan University, Willamette University



OPTIONS AVAILABLE*:

Foreign Languages: American Sign Language, Chinese, Russian, Spanish

Advanced Placement Courses: Calculus AB, Calculus BC, Chemistry, Economics, English Language and Composition, English Literature and Composition, Environmental Science, European History, Physics C, Spanish Language and Culture, Statistics, US Government and Politics, US History, World History

Arts: Art, Choir, Digital Media, Digital Video, Drumline, Film, Graphic Design, Instrumental Ensemble, Jazz Band, Marching Band, Pep Band, Symphonic Band, Visual Arts, Wind Ensemble, Video Production, Vocal Ensemble, Yearbook

Athletics:

Note: Sports offered depend on and change with the seasons, please inquire for specific details.

Baseball, Basketball, Cross Country, Football, Golf, Lacrosse, Rugby, Soccer, Tennis, Track and Field, Wrestling

Extracurricular Activities: Academic Team, Amnesty International, Art, Asian Student Alliance, Biology, Broadcast Technology, California Scholastic Federation, Cycling, Dance, Drama, Glee, Guitar, National Honor Society, Photography, Poetry, Student Government, Student Newspaper, Technology, Theater, Video, Yearbook

ESL Available/Level: YES

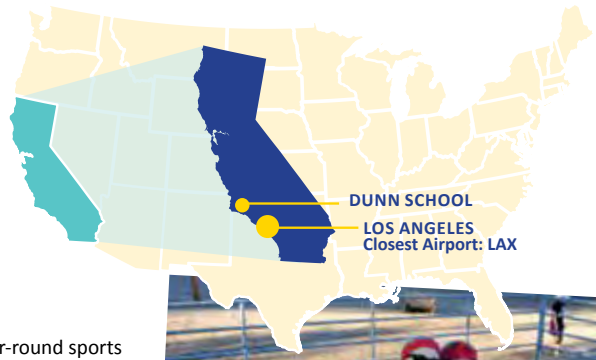
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Dunn School

Los Olivos, CA



LOCATION:

- Population: 1,130
- Located 3 Hours Northwest of Los Angeles
- Weather:
Summer/Fall: Warm and Temperate
Winter/Spring: Cool and Dry

ELIGIBILITY:

- Enrollment Restrictions: Grades Accepted: 8-11; SSAT or ISEE required
- Minimum SLEP: Not Accepted
- Minimum TOEFL: 80
- Minimum ELTiS: Not Accepted

SCHOOL HIGHLIGHTS:

- Strong athletics; five year-round sports
- Located close to beaches, ranches, parks, and mountains
- Labs for 3D printing and Research & Development

SCHOOL FACTS:

- Grades at School: 6-12
- Total Students in School: 240
- Students in High School: 170
- Teacher/Student Ratio: 1:11
- School Uniform Required: NO
- Religious Affiliation: None



SCHOOL PROFILE

Dunn School is a college preparatory boarding school under an hour from the beautiful beaches of Santa Barbara. More than ten AP courses and a comprehensive STEM program are available to students, as well as a strong arts program and year round athletics.

FACILITIES

The 55-acre campus features state-of-the-art facilities such as a performing and fine arts center, an outdoor heated swimming pool, and on-campus residence halls as well as unique, recently renovated 3D printing and research and development labs.

SPORTS AND ARTS

Dunn School's extensive athletics program offers students over a dozen options including year-round dance, equestrian, fencing, fitness, and golf for both girls and boys. Students can choose from art courses and activities such as acting, ensemble, and improv. They also offer six styles of dance including hip-hop, ballet, and Scottish country.

AWARDS AND ACCOMPLISHMENTS

Dunn School alumni Abu Danladi was chosen as the Major League Soccer #1 overall draft pick in 2017. Other alumnus include Oscar-winning animator Aidan Terry and 2008 UN Lifetime Achievement Award recipient Ted Alemayhu.

DORMITORIES AND STUDENT LIFE

Students live in traditional on-campus residence halls either in a single or with an English-speaking roommate. Each dormitory includes a full kitchen, a lounge area, and laundry facilities.

University Acceptance Rate: 100%

Partial List of University Acceptances: Boston College, Boston University, University of California - San Diego, University of San Francisco, Purdue University, Wesleyan University, Carnegie Mellon University, Knox College, Ithaca College, Dartmouth College, Emory University, Duke University, New York University, University of Michigan, Lewis & Clark College, University of California - Santa Cruz, Pepperdine University, University of California - Berkeley, University of California - Davis, University of California - Los Angeles (UCLA), University of Miami, Pace University, Santa Clara University, Case Western Reserve University, Emory University, California Polytechnic State University

OPTIONS AVAILABLE*:

Foreign Languages: Chinese, French, Latin, Spanish

Advanced Placement Courses: Biology, Calculus AB, Chemistry, Computer Principles, Computer Science, English Language, English Literature, Spanish Language, Statistics, US History, World History

Arts: Acting, Applied Music: Fundamentals, Applied Music: Guitar, Ceramics, Digital Film Making, Ensemble, Photography, Studio Art, Vocal Ensemble

Athletics:

Boys:

Fall: Cross Country, Dance, Equestrian, Fencing, Fitness, Golf

Winter: Basketball, Climbing and Biking, Dance, Equestrian, Fencing, Fitness, Golf, Soccer, Surfing

Spring: Baseball, Dance, Equestrian, Fencing, Fitness, Golf, Lacrosse, Tennis, Volleyball

Girls:

Fall: Cross Country, Dance, Equestrian, Fencing, Fitness, Golf, Tennis, Volleyball

Winter: Basketball, Climbing and Biking, Dance, Equestrian, Fencing, Fitness, Golf, Soccer, Surfing

Spring: Dance, Equestrian, Fencing, Fitness, Golf, Lacrosse, Softball

Extracurricular Activities: 1 Earth, Acting Class, After-School Theater, Amnesty International, Book Club, Chess Club, Climbing and Mountain Biking, Cooking Club, Cross Fitness, Dance, Drama, Environmental Engineering, Film Appreciation, Gay Straight Alliance (GSA), Horseback Riding, Improv, Interact, Investment Club, Knitting Club, Medical Association, Multi-Cultural Club, Surf, Tech Club, Teen Book Club, Yearbook, Yoga, Young Life

ESL Available/Level: YES



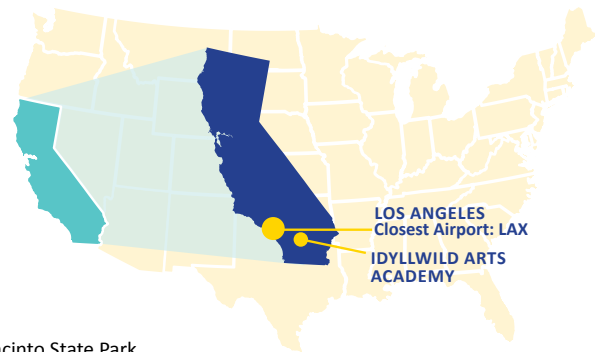
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Idyllwild Arts Academy

Idyllwild, CA



LOCATION:

- Population: 11,800
- Located 2 Hours East of Los Angeles
- Weather:
Summer/Fall: Warm and Dry
Winter/Spring: Cold and Dry

ELIGIBILITY:

- Enrollment Restrictions: Students must submit an example of their art (portfolio, video, etc.)
- Standardized Tests Not Accepted
- Conducts own English competency test
- English beginners in Grade 9 accepted

SCHOOL PROFILE

Idyllwild Arts Academy is a well-renowned, arts-focused private boarding school in the United States. The academy offers prestigious training in creative writing, dance, fashion design, film and digital media, interdisciplinary arts, music, theater, and visual arts. Idyllwild graduates are sought after by some of the top conservatories and universities around the world.

FACILITIES

Located on a 200-acre campus in California's San Jacinto Mountains, campus facilities include a brand new concert hall, performance spaces, art studios, galleries, and an open-air theater. Students also have access to a swimming pool, tennis courts, a fitness center, basketball courts, a writing resource center, an observatory, and a bookstore.

SPORTS AND ARTS

Instead of an organized athletics program, Idyllwild Arts Academy provides recreational facilities for students' athletic development.

Idyllwild focuses on pre-professional training to gifted young artists. Idyllwild Arts Academy is one of the most recognized names in secondary art education. Students develop as professional artists in the field of their choice under the guidance of accomplished and distinguished instructors.

AWARDS AND ACCOMPLISHMENTS

Idyllwild Arts Academy is ranked #4 nationwide on the list of 163 best high schools for the arts in America and #2 in California. Idyllwild alumni include American Idol finalist Casey Abrams, Tony-nominated actress Marin Ireland, and the New York Philharmonic principal oboist Liang Wang.

DORMITORIES AND STUDENT LIFE

Students share a bedroom with one roommate in recently renovated on-campus dormitories. Housing options include a gender-inclusive dorm and an upperclassman honors dorm.

University Acceptance Rate: 100%

Partial List of University Acceptances: Berklee College of Music, Boston Conservatory, Brown University, California Institute of the Arts, Cornell University, Cornish College of the Arts, Emerson College, The Juilliard School, New England Conservatory, New York University - Tisch School of the Arts, Pratt Institute, Royal College of Music, Royal Conservatoire of Scotland, Royal Welsh College of Music and Drama, Tufts University, University of the Arts London, University of Southern California

SCHOOL HIGHLIGHTS:

- Surrounded by Mt. San Jacinto State Park
- Prestigious and recognized school in the art community for students wishing to pursue a career in the arts
- Curriculum designed around professional artistic development

SCHOOL FACTS:

- Grades at School: 9-12, PG
- Total Students in School: 310
- Teacher/Student Ratio: 1:5
- School Uniform Required: NO
- Religious Affiliation: None

OPTIONS AVAILABLE*:

Foreign Languages: French, Spanish

Advanced Placement Courses: As an alternative to AP Courses, the school offers more than 20 weighted honor courses with distinction on transcripts

Arts: Examples of classes within each art major:

Creative Writing: Fiction and Poetry Workshop, Literature and the Writer, Film Studies, Author Seminar, Community of Writers, Publications, Playwriting/Performance Workshop

Dance: Anatomy and Kinesiology, Ballet, Pointe Class, Dance History, Jazz Dance, Modern Dance, Dance Composition, Music Fundamentals for Dancers, Tap

Inter-Arts/Fashion Design: Aesthetics, Critical Thought, Costume and Fashion Design, Fashion Illustration

Film and Digital Media: Cinematography, Directing, Editing, Film History, Film Scoring, Introduction to Filmmaking, Photography for Filmmakers, Post Production, Production, Producing, Screenwriting

Music: Music Theory, Private Lessons, Chamber Ensemble, Piano Beginning, Film Scoring, Musical History, Performance Class, Song Literature, Sound Design, Intro To Songwriting, Jazz Combo, Jazz Ensemble, Jazz Theory

Theater: Acting, Musical Theater Repertoire, Design and Production, Dance for Theater, Design/Tech Lab, Directing, Performing Shakespeare, Stage Combat, Acting for The Camera, Theater History

Visual Arts: Art History, Art Fundamentals, Ceramics, Computer Graphics, Drawing, Painting, Photography, Sculpture, Animation, Digital Photography, New Genres, Screen Printing, Supplies

Athletics: Has recreational athletic facilities as an alternative to organized athletics

Extracurricular Activities: Anime Club, Environmental Club, Fitness Club, Prefects, Running Club, Student Government, Yoga, and more

ESL Available/Level: YES

*All courses and options offered by the school are subject to change.

My experiences at Idyllwild Arts have been more than precious to me. They have turned into stepping-stones to the future and taught me to "remember who you are and what you stand for." Thanks to my experiences at Idyllwild Arts, I am ready to move forward to New York City and continue developing at the School of Visual Arts and see a bigger world. — Shenglong from China





Monterey Bay Academy

Watsonville, CA



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Closest Airport: SFO
MONTEREY BAY
ACADEMY

LOCATION:

- Population: 53,800
- Located 2 Hours South of San Francisco
- Weather:
Summer/Fall: Warm and Sunny
Winter/Spring: Mild and Wet

ELIGIBILITY:

- Enrollment Restrictions: 12th grade acceptance restrictions; higher test scores required for semester students
- Minimum SLEP: Not Accepted
- Minimum TOEFL: 32
- Minimum ELTiS: 194

SCHOOL PROFILE

Monterey Bay Academy prepares students for higher education with a curriculum based on the entrance requirements set by the prestigious University of California system. The school practices the Seventh-day Adventist faith, and the cafeteria serves unique healthy vegetarian food.

FACILITIES

Monterey Bay Academy's 380-acre beachfront campus boasts its own mile-long private beach. Facilities include a gymnasium, ball fields, a pool, a vegetarian cafeteria, and modern academic buildings with dedicated wings for different disciplines. There's a private airstrip for pilots as well as aviation courses.

SPORTS AND ARTS

Monterey Bay Academy offers varsity programs in flag football, volleyball, basketball, soccer, and softball. The beachfront location allows for unique athletic activities such as SCUBA diving and surfing.

Monterey Bay Academy's internationally recognized music and drama groups have performed around the country and abroad. Art and music each have their own academic wing.

AWARDS AND ACCOMPLISHMENTS

Monterey Bay Academy is part of the second-largest school system in the world and has been steadily outperforming the national average across all demographics.

DORMITORIES AND STUDENT LIFE

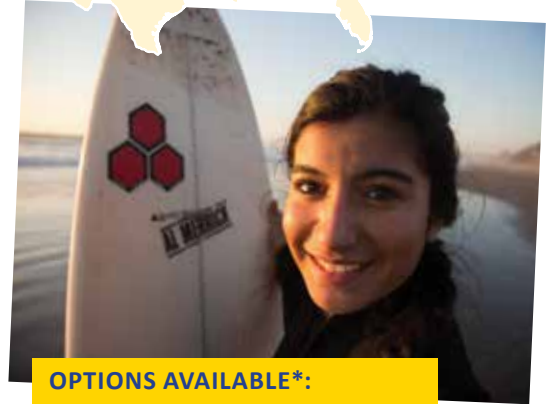
Students live two to a room in traditional dormitories with full-time "house parents" and fully-equipped kitchens.

SCHOOL HIGHLIGHTS:

- Beachfront campus; private beach
- Private airstrip for aviation courses
- Internationally renowned music and drama groups

SCHOOL FACTS:

- Grades at School: 9-12
- Total Students in School: 240
- Teacher/Student Ratio: 1:16
- School Uniform Required: NO
- Religious Affiliation: Christian



OPTIONS AVAILABLE*:

- Foreign Languages:** Spanish
- Advanced Placement Courses:** Calculus, English Literature & Composition, US History
- Arts:** Band, Choir, Drama, Graphics, Technology, Photography
- Athletics:**
 - Boys:**
 - Fall:** Flag Football
 - Winter:** Basketball, Volleyball
 - Spring:** Soccer, Softball
 - Girls:**
 - Fall:** Flag Football, Volleyball
 - Winter:** Basketball
 - Spring:** Soccer, Softball
- Extracurricular Activities:** Aviation, Horsemanship, International Club, Photography, Running, SCUBA, Surfing
- ESL Available/Level:** YES

*All courses and options offered by the school are subject to change.

University Acceptance Rate: 96%

Partial List of University Acceptances: American Musical & Drama Academy, Fashion Institute of Design & Merchandising, Long Beach State University, Penn State University, San Francisco State University, Santa Clara University, Pepperdine University, University of California - Davis, University of California - Irvine, University of California - Riverside, University of California - Santa Barbara, University of California - Santa Cruz, University of San Francisco, Washington University



See the school:
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HIGHLIGHT



BOARDING



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STEM



MOUNTAIN

Ojai Valley School

Ojai, CA

LOCATION:

- Population: 7,600
- Located 2 Hours Northwest of Los Angeles
- Weather:
 - Fall/Winter: Cool and Dry
 - Spring/Summer: Warm and Dry

ELIGIBILITY:

- Enrollment Restrictions: Grades Accepted: 9-10
- Minimum SLEP: Not Accepted
- Minimum TOEFL: 85
- Minimum ELTIS: Not Accepted

SCHOOL HIGHLIGHTS:

- Offers 23 AP and honors courses
- Outdoor education program
- New robotics laboratory and Makerspace

SCHOOL FACTS:

- Grades at School: 6-12
- Total Students in School: 120
- Teacher/Student Ratio: 1:5
- School Uniform Required: NO
- Religious Affiliation: None

SCHOOL PROFILE

Ojai Valley School's experiential learning program allows students to utilize the world as their classroom. Students participate in week-long trips and outdoor activities such as camping, rock climbing, ropes courses, mountain biking, and kayaking. Students have the opportunity to learn from accomplished faculty such as former LA Times journalist and Ojai alum Fred Alvarez.

FACILITIES

The Ojai campus has facilities such as a center for performing arts, art studios, a science and technology center, stadiums, swimming pools, an equestrian stable, a climbing wall, an outdoor amphitheater, and ropes courses. OVS recently opened a new robotics laboratory, woodshop, and Makerspace.

SPORTS AND ARTS

Ojai Valley School's year-round equestrian program allows students the opportunity to work with experienced instructors such as OVS alumna and 2012 Olympic equestrian Tiana Coudray.

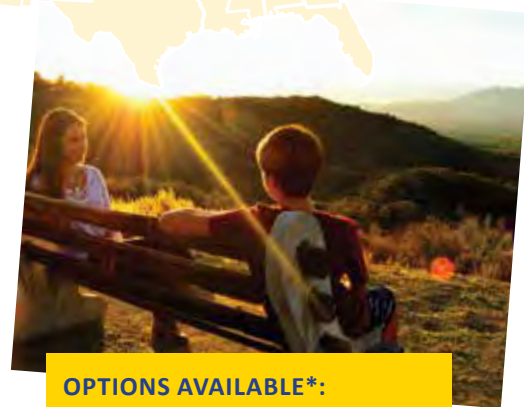
OVS offers 12 different fine arts and media courses such as videography, foundations of voice, and three AP art options. Outside of class, students can participate in activities such as garage band and journalism.

DORMITORIES AND STUDENT LIFE

Ojai Valley School's 80 boarding students live in four dormitories spread across its 95-acre campus in the Southern California foothills. They are supervised by dorm parents and participate in activities such as themed dress days and the Festival of Talent.

University Acceptance Rate: 100%

Partial List of University Acceptances: Arizona State University, Art Institute of New York, Babson College, Boston University, Brown University, Chapman University, George Washington University, Miami University, Michigan State University, New York University, Northeastern University, Pennsylvania State University, Purdue University, Parsons School for Design, Rhode Island School of Design (RISD), Syracuse University, University of California, University of Connecticut, University of Denver, University of Miami, University of San Diego, University of Southern California, University of Washington, Vassar College, Wellesley College



OPTIONS AVAILABLE*:

Foreign Languages: French, Spanish (American Sign Language, German, Latin, and Mandarin offered online)

Advanced Placement Courses: Biology, Calculus AB, Calculus BC, Chemistry, Computer Science, English Language and Composition, English Literature, Environmental Science, Physics I, Physics II, Physics C: Electricity and Magnetism, Physics C: Mechanics, Psychology, Spanish, Statistics, Studio Art: 2D Design, Studio Art: 3D Design, Studio Art: Drawing, US History, World History

Arts: Advanced Studio Art, AP Studio Art: 2D Design, AP Studio Art: 3D Design, AP Studio Art: Drawing, Ceramics, Drawing, Foundations in Media and Digital Design, Foundations of Voice, Music History, Music Theory and Composition, Photography, Videography

Athletics:

Boys:

Fall: Cross Country, Equestrian, Fitness
Winter: Basketball, Equestrian, Soccer
Spring: Baseball, Equestrian, Golf, Lacrosse, Recreational Fitness, Swimming, Tennis

Girls:

Fall: Cross Country, Equestrian, Fitness, Volleyball
Winter: Basketball, Equestrian, Soccer
Spring: Equestrian, Golf, Recreational Fitness, Swimming, Tennis

Extracurricular Activities: Archery, Book Club, Chorus, Climbing, Competitive Robotics, Cooking, Drama, Flight Club, Garage Band, Gardening, Film Studies, SAT Prep, Student Council, On the Hill Student Newspaper, Yearbook

ESL Available/Level: YES

*All courses and options offered by the school are subject to change.



San Domenico School

San Anselmo, CA



LOCATION:

- Population: 12,600
- Located 30 Minutes North of San Francisco
- Weather:
Summer/Fall: Warm and Dry
Spring/Summer: Cool and Humid

ELIGIBILITY:

- Enrollment Restrictions: Grades Accepted: 9-11; No semester enrollment
- Minimum SLEP: Not Accepted
- Minimum TOEFL: Required, No Minimum
- Minimum ELTIS: Not Accepted

SCHOOL HIGHLIGHTS:

- Closest coed boarding school to San Francisco
- Rigorous music conservatory program; 30 rehearsal studios
- About 90% of graduates accepted to top 50 nationally ranked college/university

SCHOOL FACTS:

- Grades at School: K-12
- Total Students in School: 670
- Students in High School: 300
- Teacher/Student Ratio: 1:7
- School Uniform Required: NO
- Religious Affiliation: None

SCHOOL PROFILE

Founded in 1850 as California's first independent school, San Domenico School is located on 515 acres just outside of San Francisco. Students can choose from unique electives such as flute choir, mystery and crime, and hip hop dance. The school features 15 different competitive sports, 15 AP courses, and an iPad for every student.

FACILITIES

The solar-powered campus features an athletic center, performing arts center, swimming pool, tennis courts, an equestrian center, and an acre-large organic garden. The San Domenico Music Conservatory boasts more than 30 professional music faculty.

SPORTS AND ARTS

San Domenico School offers 15 different competitive sports and over 75% of students participate in extracurricular athletics.

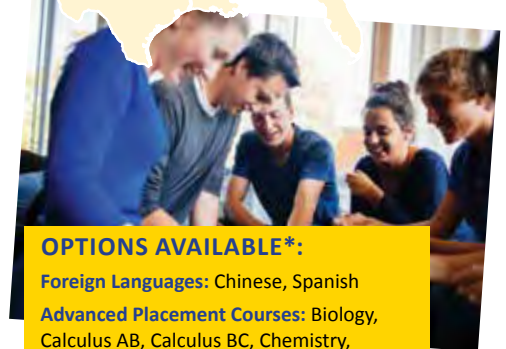
San Domenico is a recognized name in music, digital arts, performing arts, and visual arts. Students can take advanced classes such as broadcasting or participate in the specialized Virtuoso Program, an advanced classical string study track.

AWARDS AND ACCOMPLISHMENTS

San Domenico School has received the Green Ribbon School award by the US Department of Education for their sustainability efforts. Three student filmmakers came in first place in the Lark Theater Student Showcase, and the school's Orchestra Da Camera is a three-time Festival Grand Champion and first place String Orchestra at the ASTA National Orchestra Festival.

DORMITORIES AND STUDENT LIFE

Boarding students eat meals prepared with fresh ingredients from the on-campus organic farm. Students participate in weekend outings and gather in dorm lounges with couches, working fireplaces, and more.



OPTIONS AVAILABLE*:

Foreign Languages: Chinese, Spanish

Advanced Placement Courses: Biology, Calculus AB, Calculus BC, Chemistry, Computer Science Principles, English Language and Composition, English Literature and Composition, Environmental Science, Music Theory, Physics C: Electricity and Magnetism, Psychology, Spanish, Statistics, Studio Art, US History

Arts: Advanced Art Independent Study, Art 1/2/3, Art History, Broadcast Journalism, Ceramics, Choir, Classical Guitar Ensemble, Conservatory Private Lessons, Dance, Drawing and Painting, Ensemble: Chamber Music, Film Studies, Film/Video Production, Flute Choir, Music History and Performance, Music Theory, Performance Workshop, Photography, Piano Ensemble, Public Art, Sinfonia, Studio Art, Theater, 3D Studies, Virtuoso Program, Visual Arts

Athletics:

Boys:

Fall: Cross Country, Equestrian, Golf, Tennis, Soccer, Strength and Conditioning
Winter: Basketball, Equestrian, Strength and Conditioning

Spring: Badminton, Baseball, Equestrian, Golf, Mountain Biking, Swimming, Soccer, Strength and Conditioning, Tennis, Track

Girls:

Fall: Cross Country, Equestrian, Golf, Tennis, Soccer, Strength and Conditioning, Volleyball

Winter: Basketball, Equestrian, Strength and Conditioning

Spring: Badminton, Baseball, Equestrian, Golf, Mountain Biking, Swimming, Soccer, Strength and Conditioning, Track

Extracurricular Activities: Anime, Archery, Ballet, Black Student Association, Body Positive, Calligraphy, Campus Ministry, College Process, Crafting, Dialects, Disney Club, Documentary Film Making, Film Noir, Forensic Science, Gardening, Mountain Biking, Multicultural Club, National Honor Society, Peer Counseling, Quilting, Robotics, Social Justice Club, Song Writing, Student Council, Tea Club

ESL Available/Level: YES

*All courses and options offered by the school are subject to change.

University Acceptance Rate: 100%

Partial List of University Acceptances: Barnard College, Berklee College of Music, Boston College, Boston University, University of California - Los Angeles (UCLA), Carnegie Mellon University, Case Western Reserve University, Cornell University, Duke University, Harvard University, University of Hawaii, College of the Holy Cross, Massachusetts Institute of Technology (MIT), New York University, University of Notre Dame, Pennsylvania State University, Pepperdine University, Princeton University, Tufts University, Wake Forest University, Wellesley College, Worcester Polytechnic Institute





Squaw Valley Academy

Olympic Valley, CA

LOCATION:

- Population: 825
- Located 3 Hours Northeast of San Francisco
- Weather:
Summer/Fall: Warm and Dry
Winter/Spring: Cold and Dry

ELIGIBILITY:

- Enrollment Restrictions: None
- Assesses English level after student enrolls
- Testing Not Required; School Conducts its own ESL Placement Testing

SCHOOL HIGHLIGHTS:

- Located minutes from an Olympic ski resort
- Daily outdoor activities and sports incorporated into curriculum
- Offers 16 AP courses

SCHOOL FACTS:

- Grades at School: 9-12
- Total Students in School: 100
- Teacher/Student Ratio: 1:8
- School Uniform Required: YES
- Religious Affiliation: None

SCHOOL PROFILE

Surrounded by Tahoe National Forest, Lake Tahoe, and Squaw Valley Ski Resort, Squaw Valley Academy incorporates daily outdoor activity into its college preparatory curriculum. The school features year-round athletic opportunities, individualized instruction, and an Apple laptop for each student.

FACILITIES

Squaw Valley's campus is situated within the Sierra Nevada mountain range. The campus is minutes from Lake Tahoe, a ski resort, and a national forest. It features science labs, a darkroom, a music lab, and art studios.

SPORTS AND ARTS

The campus is located two miles from a 3,500-acre Olympic ski resort, providing students the opportunity to ski or snowboard seven days a week during the winter months. In addition to multiple highly competitive ski and snowboard teams, Squaw Valley offers various athletics options year-round.

The school's fine arts program offers diverse options such as jewelry design and photography.

DORMITORIES AND STUDENT LIFE

Students live two to three to a room in on-campus dormitories overlooking Tahoe National Forest and participate in weekend activities and excursions such as mountain biking, city trips, and formal dinners.

University Acceptance Rate: 100%

Partial List of University Acceptances: Academy of Art, Boston University, California College of the Arts, Dominican University, Fashion Institute of Design and Merchandising, George Mason University, Michigan State University, Johnson & Wales University, Lafayette College, Lynn University, San Francisco State University, Sierra Nevada College, University of California - Irvine, University of California - Santa Cruz, University of Colorado - Boulder, Western Washington University



SQUAW VALLEY ACADEMY

SAN FRANCISCO
Closest Airport: RNO



OPTIONS AVAILABLE*:

Foreign Languages: Spanish

Advanced Placement Courses:

Biology, Calculus AB, Calculus BC, Chemistry, Chinese, English Language and Composition, English Literature and Composition, Macroeconomics, Microeconomics, Physics B, Psychology, Spanish Language and Culture, Studio Art, US Government and Politics, US History, World History

Arts: Ceramics, Drama, Jewelry Design, Music, Performing Arts, Photography, Studio Art, Videography

Athletics:

Boys:

Fall: Fly-Fishing, Golf, Hiking, Mountain Biking, Rock Climbing, Skateboarding, Soccer, Tennis, Weightlifting

Winter: Basketball, Cross-Country Skiing, Ice Hockey, Ice Skating, Rock Climbing, Skiing, Snowboarding

Spring: Beach Volleyball, Fly-Fishing, Golf, Lake Kayaking, River Rafting, Rock Climbing, Soccer, Swimming, Tennis

Girls:

Fall: Fly-Fishing, Golf, Hiking, Mountain Biking, Rock Climbing, Running, Skateboarding, Soccer, Tennis, Weightlifting

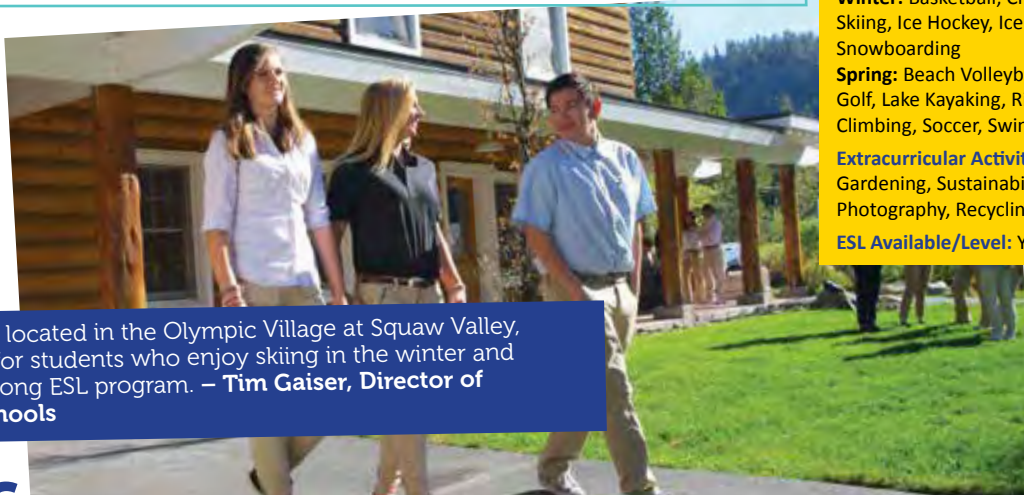
Winter: Basketball, Cross-Country Skiing, Ice Hockey, Ice Skating, Skiing, Snowboarding

Spring: Beach Volleyball, Fly-Fishing, Golf, Lake Kayaking, River Rafting, Rock Climbing, Soccer, Swimming, Tennis

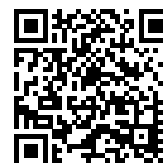
Extracurricular Activities: Art, Chess, Gardening, Sustainability, Music, Photography, Recycling, Science, Yearbook

ESL Available/Level: YES

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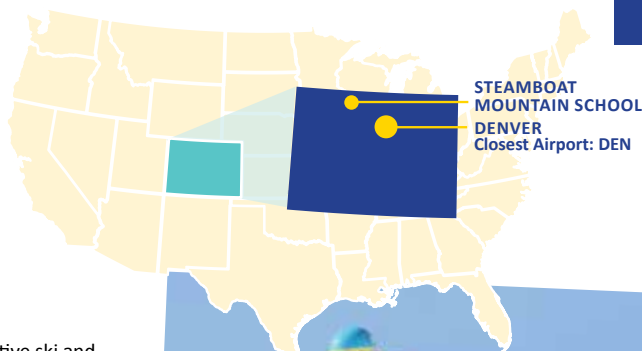
The school is located in the Olympic Village at Squaw Valley, CA. It's ideal for students who enjoy skiing in the winter and has a very strong ESL program. – **Tim Gaiser, Director of Boarding Schools**





Steamboat Mountain School

Steamboat Springs, CO



STEAMBOAT MOUNTAIN SCHOOL
DENVER
Closest Airport: DEN

LOCATION:

- Population: 12,700
- Located 3 Hours Northwest of Denver
- Weather:
Summer/Fall: Warm and Dry
Winter/Spring: Cold and Dry

ELIGIBILITY:

- Enrollment Restrictions: None
- Minimum SLEP: Not Accepted
- Minimum TOEFL: 65
- Minimum ELTIS: Not Required

SCHOOL HIGHLIGHTS:

- World-renowned competitive ski and snowboard program
- Partnered with one of Colorado's largest ski mountains
- Outdoor experiential learning curriculum

SCHOOL FACTS:

- Grades at School: 9-12
- Total Students in School: 60
- Teacher/Student Ratio: 1:8
- School Uniform Required: NO
- Religious Affiliation: None

SCHOOL PROFILE

Steamboat Mountain School is partnered with the third-largest ski mountain in Colorado, Steamboat Mountain. Its competitive ski and snowboard programs have produced dozens of Olympians, and its outdoor experiential learning program gets students out of the classroom.

FACILITIES

The 140-acre campus is surrounded by two million mountainous acres. Steamboat's campus features science and computer labs, a library, an art studio, a theater, and a greenhouse. Recreational facilities include a skiing field, a skateboarding half-pipe, a gymnasium, fitness equipment, bikes, a basketball court, and a climbing wall.

SPORTS AND ARTS

All students participate in an experiential outdoor program that offers kayaking, rock and ice climbing, backpacking, mountain biking, canoeing, camping, skiing, and snowboarding. Many of Steamboat Mountain School's students ski or ride competitively in partnership with the award-winning Steamboat Springs Winter Sports Club. Students may enroll in courses to learn or improve basic media and artistic techniques such as drawing and painting, mosaics, murals, sculpture, photography, and graphic design are introduced in class.

AWARDS AND ACCOMPLISHMENTS

In 2017, Steamboat Mountain School was named a Best Private High School in Colorado. 30 alumni have been members of the US Olympic ski, snowboarding, or X Games teams, two of whom have won Olympic medals.

DORMITORIES AND STUDENT LIFE

Students live with roommates in on-campus dormitories. The dorms have televisions, ski and snowboard waxing rooms, a gym with a weight room, and a theater for live performances and movie nights.

OPTIONS AVAILABLE*:

Foreign Languages: Chinese, Spanish

Advanced Placement Courses: Calculus, English Literature and Composition, Environmental Science, Spanish

Arts: Film, Graphic Design, Photography, Studio Art

Athletics: Instead of competitive teams, Steamboat Springs offers POPs (Physical and Outdoor Pursuits). All students participate in POPs 3 days a week. POPs include mountain biking, rock climbing, alpine skiing, Nordic skiing, snowboarding, snow shoeing, hiking, and team sports.

Extracurricular Activities: 1 Earth, Art, Camping, Cooking, Dance, Drama, Fishing, Foreign Travel, Kayaking, Mountain Biking, Music, Photography, Physical Training, Rock Climbing, Ski/Ride Programs, Student Council, Student Government, Team Sports, Training

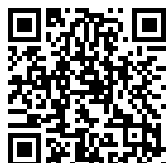
ESL Available/Level: NO

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University Acceptance Rate: 100%

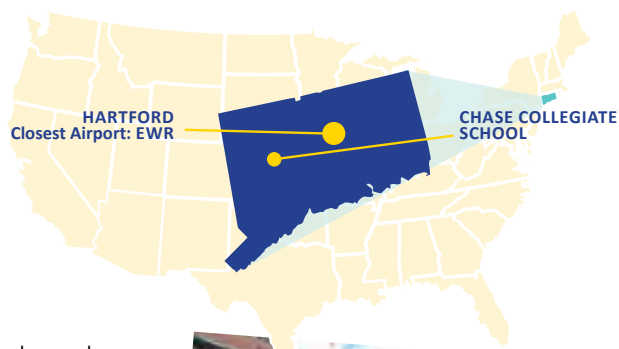
Partial List of University Acceptances: American University, Boston University, Carnegie Mellon University, Colorado School of Mines, Colorado State University, Cornell University, Georgetown University, Harvard University, McGill University (Canada), Michigan State University, Middlebury College, Montana State University, Northeastern University, Rensselaer Polytechnic Institute (RPI), Texas A & M University, University of California - Santa Cruz, University of Chicago, University of Colorado, University of Miami, University of Southern California, University of Texas - Austin, University of Washington, Williams College





Chase Collegiate School

Waterbury, CT



LOCATION:

- Population: 110,000
- Located 1 Hour 30 Minutes Northeast of New York City
- Weather:
Fall/Winter: Cold and Temperate
Spring/Summer: Warm and Humid

ELIGIBILITY:

- Enrollment Restrictions: Grades Accepted: 9-11
- Minimum SLEP: Not Accepted
- Minimum TOEFL: Accepted
- Minim ELTIS: Accepted

SCHOOL PROFILE

Located less than two hours from New York City, Chase Collegiate School provides students with a one-of-a-kind environment for learning. With a curriculum centered around design and innovation, the school encourages students to follow their passions and think outside of the box.

FACILITIES

Located in a quaint residential neighborhood, Chase Collegiate School has state-of-the-art facilities including a field house, tennis courts, and arts center.

SPORTS AND ARTS

Students at Chase Collegiate School can participate in a number of sports throughout the school year. The Highlanders compete in the New England Preparatory School Athletic Council (NEPSAC).

There are plenty of opportunities in the arts at Chase Collegiate School. From options like acting and band to more unique programs like set design and theater production, students are encouraged to explore their passions.

AWARDS AND ACCOMPLISHMENTS

Chase Collegiate School has produced a number of distinguished alumni, including Porter Goss, former Congressman and Director of the CIA, TV producer Christopher Licht, and James Smith, President of Webster Bank.

DORMITORIES AND STUDENT LIFE

The school recently completed its International Residence building. Home to international boarding students, it features modern amenities, including access to a campus-wide wireless network.

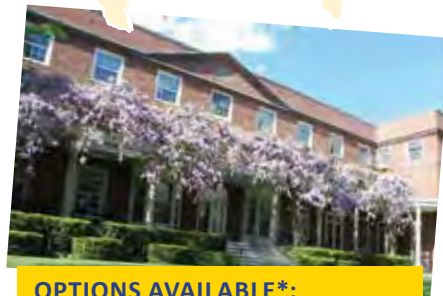
Partial List of University Acceptances: American University, Boston College, Boston University, Colgate University, Connecticut College, Cornell University, Fairfield University, Fordham University, George Washington University, Middlebury College, New York University, Northeastern University, Pennsylvania State University, Providence College, Trinity College, Tufts University, University of Connecticut, University of Hartford, University of New Hampshire, University of Pennsylvania, University of Rochester, Vanderbilt University, Villanova University, Yale University

SCHOOL HIGHLIGHTS:

- School curriculum centered around design and innovation
- Capstone project allows seniors to design and create a cross-curricular project
- Many performing arts opportunities including the Chase Rock Band

SCHOOL FACTS:

- Grades at School: 9-12
- Total Students in School: 250
- Teacher/Student Ratio: 1:8
- School Uniform Required: YES



OPTIONS AVAILABLE*:

Foreign Languages: French, Latin, Spanish

Advanced Placement Courses: Biology, Calculus AB, Calculus BC, Chemistry, English Language and Composition, English Literature and Composition, European History, French Language and Culture, Physics, Spanish Language and Culture, Statistics, US History, World History

Arts: Acting, Advanced Studio Art, Band, Black and White Photography, Ceramics, Chorus, Digital Photography, Drawing, Painting, Revolution in Print, Set Design, Short Documentary Production, Sound Design, Theater Production, Yearbook

Athletics:

Boys:

Fall: Cross Country, Soccer, Volleyball
Winter: Basketball, Indoor Track, Wrestling
Spring: Baseball, Golf, Lacrosse, Tennis, Ultimate Frisbee

Girls:

Fall: Cross Country, Soccer, Volleyball
Winter: Basketball, Indoor Track
Spring: Golf, Lacrosse, Softball, Tennis, Ultimate Frisbee

Extracurricular Activities: Bowling, Chase Information Agency, Culture Club, Current Events Club, Executive Council, Habitat for Humanity, Honor Council, Investment Club, Life is Delicious, Literary Magazine, Math Team, Robotics Club, Special Wishes, Student Council, Trees of Hope

ESL Available/Level: YES

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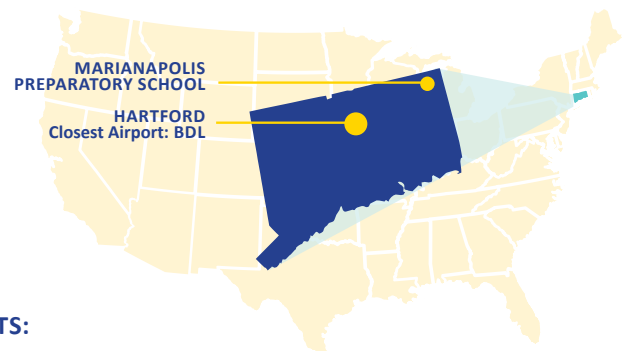




BOARDING COED NEW ENGLAND FOUR SEASONS ARTS SPORTS

Marianapolis Preparatory School

Thompson, CT



LOCATION:

- Population: 9,400
- Located 1 Hour Northeast of Hartford
- Weather:
Summer/Fall: Warm and Temperate
Winter/Spring: Cold and Temperate

ELIGIBILITY:

- Enrollment Restrictions: Grades Accepted: 9-11, PG
- Minimum SLEP: Not Accepted
- Minimum TOEFL: 55
- Minimum ELTiS: Not Required

SCHOOL HIGHLIGHTS:

- Internship program
- Week-long, immersive destination learning project (LEAP Week)
- Offers 42 honors and AP courses

SCHOOL FACTS:

- Grades at School: 9-12, PG
- Total Students in School: 400
- Teacher/Student Ratio: 1:7
- School Uniform Required: NO (There is a Dress Code)
- Religious Affiliation: Catholic

SCHOOL PROFILE

Situated on a 150-acre campus within an hour's drive of three Ivy League Universities, Marianapolis Preparatory School offers 42 honors and AP courses and plenty of extracurricular options as well as a week-long, immersive, for-credit destination learning project.

FACILITIES

Marianapolis Preparatory School's facilities include a black box theater for drama and musical productions, a newly renovated track and turf field, a dark room for film development, tennis courts, and an athletic field house with a dance studio, a wrestling room, basketball courts, and a weight and fitness center.

SPORTS AND ARTS

All students participate in at least two extracurricular activities every year. These options include competitive sports such as badminton and ultimate frisbee or club sports, such as martial arts and skiing.

Marianapolis Prep offers a wide range of arts options both for credit and as extracurriculars. Some unique options include tap technique, introduction to printmaking, ukulele club, and rock band.

DORMITORIES AND STUDENT LIFE

Marianapolis Prep's nine houses and residence halls have kitchens, common spaces, and Wi-Fi. On the weekends, students can join events such as city excursions and cultural activities. The residence halls have exciting traditions such as the House Cup Challenge.

OPTIONS AVAILABLE*:

Foreign Languages: Chinese, Spanish

Advanced Placement Courses: Biology, Calculus AB, Calculus BC, Chemistry, Computer Science Principals, English Language and Composition, English Literature and Composition, Modern European History, Physics, Psychology, Spanish Language, Spanish Literature and Culture, Statistics, Studio Art, US History, World History

Arts: Advanced Practice in Voice, AP Studio Art, Art Foundation, Book Arts, Chorus, Concert Choir, Dance, Design and Architecture, Digital Photography, Drawing, Film Photography, Foundations of Design and Architecture, Graphic Design, Guitar, Independent Studies in Art, Independent Study in Dance, Introduction to Printmaking, Jazz Band, Layout and Design, Mixed Media Design, Music Tech, Music Theory, Orchestra, Painting, Photography, Piano, Rock Band, Schola Choir, Sculpture, String Quartet, Tap Technique, Treble Chorus

Athletics:

Boys:

Fall: Crew, Cross Country, Golf, Tennis, Soccer

Winter: Badminton, Basketball, Swimming, Indoor Track & Field, Wrestling

Spring: Badminton, Baseball, Crew, Golf, Lacrosse, Tennis, Track & Field, Ultimate Frisbee

Girls:

Fall: Crew, Cross Country, Golf, Tennis, Soccer, Volleyball, Field Hockey

Winter: Badminton, Basketball, Swimming, Indoor Track & Field, Wrestling

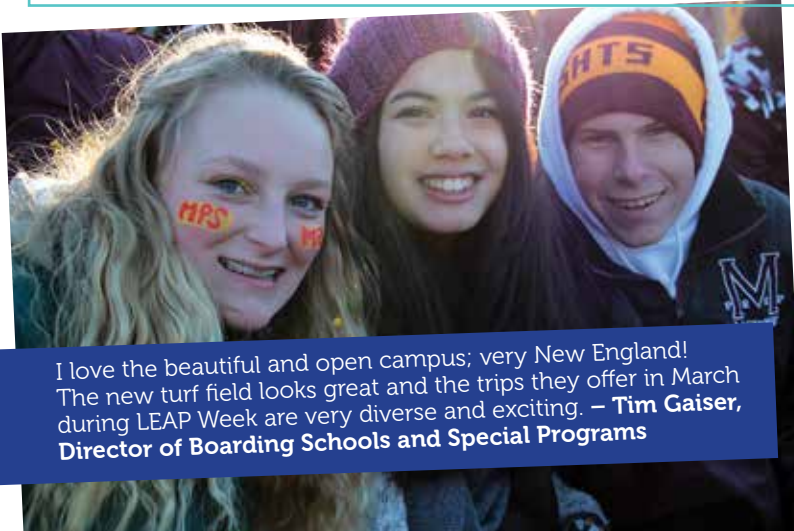
Spring: Badminton, Crew, Golf, Lacrosse, Softball, Tennis, Track & Field, Ultimate Frisbee

Extracurricular Activities: Ambassador Club, Art & Comic Club, Astronomy Club, Calliope, Campus Activity Board, Campus Ministry, Class Officers, Community Service Council, Disaster Relief, Film Club, Green Knights, Gymnastics, Knitting Club, Martial Arts, Math Team, Media Team, Photography Club, Politics & Pastry, Resident Assistants, Robotics, Sign Language, Skiing, Student Council, Tai Chi, Tech Crew, Ukulele Club, Yearbook, Yoga

ESL Available/Level: YES

University Acceptance Rate: 100%

Partial List of University Acceptances: Amherst College, Bowdoin College, Brown University, Dartmouth College, George Washington University, Indiana University, Michigan State University, Northeastern University, Pennsylvania State University, Providence College, Temple University, Texas Christian University (TCU), Tulane University, University of California - Davis, University of California - Irvine, University of California - Santa Barbara, University of Connecticut, University of Florida, Wake Forest University



I love the beautiful and open campus; very New England! The new turf field looks great and the trips they offer in March during LEAP Week are very diverse and exciting. — **Tim Gaiser, Director of Boarding Schools and Special Programs**



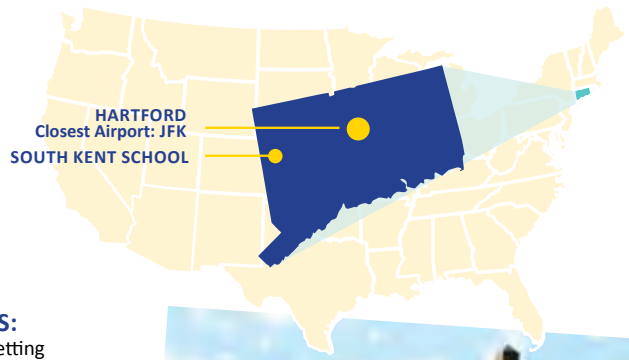
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BOARDING BOYS NEW ENGLAND FOUR SEASONS SPORTS

South Kent School

Kent, CT



LOCATION:

- Population: 2,600
- Located 1 Hour 15 Minutes West of Hartford
- Weather:
Summer/Fall: Warm and Humid
Winter/Spring: Cool and Temperate

ELIGIBILITY:

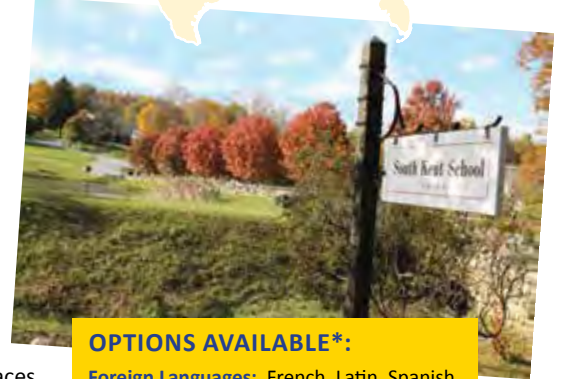
- Enrollment Restrictions: None
- Minimum SLEP: Not Accepted
- Minimum TOEFL: 60
- Minimum ELTIS: Not Accepted

SCHOOL HIGHLIGHTS:

- Classic New England setting
- Coed activities each weekend
- Two hours from New York City

SCHOOL FACTS:

- Grades at School: 9-12
- Total Students in School: 175
- Teacher/Student Ratio: 1:9
- School Uniform Required: NO
- Religious Affiliation: Episcopalian



SCHOOL PROFILE

South Kent School features rigorous academics and outstanding athletics and places strong emphasis on community service. The campus' 650 acres display stunning fall foliage, snow in the winter, and a small pond, giving the school a classic New England style. South Kent offers small classes and individualized instruction.

FACILITIES

The campus houses a library, a science building, an academic resource center, an art studio, a theater, a dining hall, a student center, and a health center. Athletic facilities include an indoor gym, an ice hockey rink, fields, a weight room, and a rowing center.

SPORTS AND ARTS

Six alumni of South Kent's competitive ice hockey team from the past two seasons have gone on to the NHL. In addition to the strong hockey program, students can participate in varsity sports including crew, golf, and tennis.

Students can choose from art options ranging from gospel choir to rock band and have the opportunity to participate in events like drama productions, art shows, and concerts.

DORMITORIES AND STUDENT LIFE

South Kent School's eight dormitories have wireless internet, common rooms, kitchenettes, TVs, social spaces, and dorm parents. Students participate in coed activities such as dances, laser-tag, and amusement parks every weekend with students from various single-gender boarding schools throughout New England and New York.

University Acceptance Rate: 99%

Partial List of University Acceptances: University of Washington, California Art Institute, Emory University, Yale University, Dartmouth College, Massachusetts Institute of Technology (MIT), University of Connecticut, Babson College, Bates College, Boston College, Boston University, Brown University, Cornell University, Indiana University, Michigan State University, Northwestern University, Pace University, Pennsylvania State University, Purdue University, Rensselaer Polytechnic University, Rutgers University, Kidd Moore School, St. John's University, St. Lawrence University, University of California at Los Angeles, University of Chicago, University of Michigan, University of Pittsburgh, University of Virginia, Wake Forest University

OPTIONS AVAILABLE*:

Foreign Languages: French, Latin, Spanish

Advanced Placement Courses: Economics, English Literature and Composition, Environmental Science, French Language and Culture, Psychology, Spanish Language and Culture, US Government and Politics

Arts: Art College Portfolio Preparation, Chamber Orchestra, Chorus, Class Piano, Drawing & Painting, Gospel Choir, Guitar, Music Appreciation, Rock Band

Athletics:

Boys:

Fall: Cross Country, Soccer

Winter: Basketball, Hockey

Spring: Baseball, Crew, Golf, Lacrosse, Tennis

Extracurricular Activities: C&B Olympics, Live broadcasting with Advanced Media Group, Gospel Choir, Cardinal News Network, VISIONS Service, Ocean Classrooms, Chewonki Semester School, Czech Student Exchange program, Yoga, Robotics Chili Cook-off, Dodge Ball, Flag Football, Giant Basketball, Kickball, Nearspace Mission, Softball, Trivia Bowl, Ultimate Frisbee

ESL Available/Level: YES

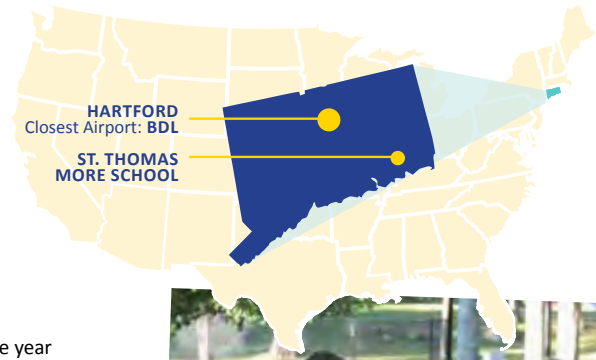
*All courses and options offered by the school are subject to change.





St. Thomas More School

Montville, CT



LOCATION:

- Population: 19,500
- Located 45 Minutes Southeast of Hartford
- Weather:
Summer/Fall: Warm and Temperate
Winter/Spring: Cold and Temperate

ELIGIBILITY:

- Enrollment Restrictions: Grades Accepted: 8-12, PG
- Minimum SLEP: No Minimum
- Minimum TOEFL: Preferred, No Minimum
- Minimum ELTIS: No Minimum

SCHOOL PROFILE

St. Thomas More School, situated on Connecticut's largest natural lake, has a strong basketball program and small class sizes that ensure individualized attention.

FACILITIES

Opened in 1962, St. Thomas More's 100-acre lakefront campus features a boathouse with a dock, athletic fields, a track, three dormitories, and a chapel.

SPORTS AND ARTS

St. Thomas More offers traditional athletics as well as a successful E Sports program. The school has a particularly strong basketball program; 2016 NBA All-Star Andre Drummond of the Detroit Pistons graduated from St. Thomas More in 2011. Students can choose from art courses such as photography and ceramics.

DORMITORIES AND STUDENT LIFE

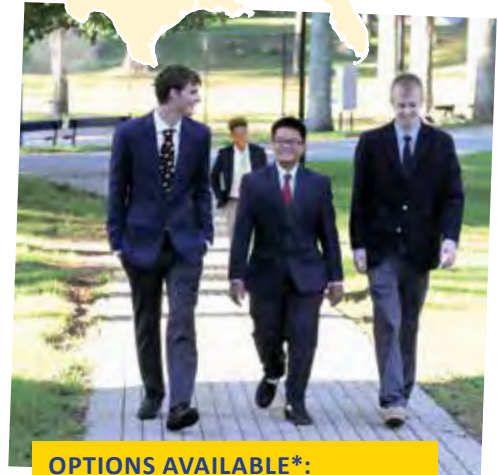
Students live in one of three on-campus dormitories along with the 95% of staff who live on campus. Dormitories feature kitchens and lounge rooms with televisions.

SCHOOL HIGHLIGHTS:

- Experiential post-graduate year
- Strong basketball program
- Lakefront campus

SCHOOL FACTS:

- Grades at School: 7-12, PG
- Total Students in School: 100
- Teacher/Student Ratio: 1:5
- School Uniform Required: YES
- Religious Affiliation: Catholic



OPTIONS AVAILABLE*:

- Foreign Languages:** Spanish
- Advanced Placement Courses:** Macroeconomics, Microeconomics
Note: AP testing conducted every spring for - Calculus AB, Calculus BC, Chemistry, Physics, US History
- Arts:** 2D Art, 3D Art, Ceramics, Photography
- Athletics:**
- Boys:**
- Fall:** Cross Country, E Sports, Football, Soccer
- Winter:** Basketball, E Sports, Fitness Training
- Spring:** Baseball, Fitness Training, Lacrosse, Tennis
- Extracurricular Activities:** E Sports, Fitness Training, Photography, Yearbook
- ESL Available/Level:** YES - Beginner to Intermediate

* All courses and options offered by the school are subject to change.

University Acceptance Rate: 100%

Partial List of University Acceptances: Boston University, Brown University, Colorado State University, Georgetown University, Drexel University, Harvard University, Indiana University Bloomington, John Hopkins University, Marquette University, Michigan State University, New York University, Northeastern University, Northwestern University, Ohio State University, Pennsylvania State University, Princeton University, Purdue University, University of California, University of Colorado, University of Miami, University of Michigan, University of South Carolina, University of Southern California, University of Texas, University of Washington, University of Wisconsin, Yale University





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Woodstock Academy

Woodstock, CT

LOCATION:

- Population: 8,000
- Located 1 Hour 20 minutes Southwest of Boston
- Weather:
Summer/Fall: Warm and Humid
Winter/Spring: Cold and Temperate

ELIGIBILITY:

- Enrollment Restrictions: None
- Minimum SLEP: No Minimum
- Minimum TOEFL: Required, Grades 9-10: No Minimum, Grades 11-12: 60
- ELTIS: Not Accepted

SCHOOL PROFILE

Founded in 1801, Woodstock Academy is a historic, traditional New England school with a postgraduate program. The school's campus is located a short drive from Boston and dozens of world class colleges and universities. Woodstock Academy offers more than a dozen AP and early college credit courses.

FACILITIES

Woodstock's traditional New England campus consists of six main buildings that include counseling centers, computer labs, an activities center, a memorial hall, a library with a media center, a multi-purpose stadium, sports fields, and a track. The recent addition of South Campus introduced an engineering lab and Makerspace workshop to the school.

SPORTS AND ARTS

Woodstock Academy offers several competitive athletics, featuring a year-round post-graduate basketball program.

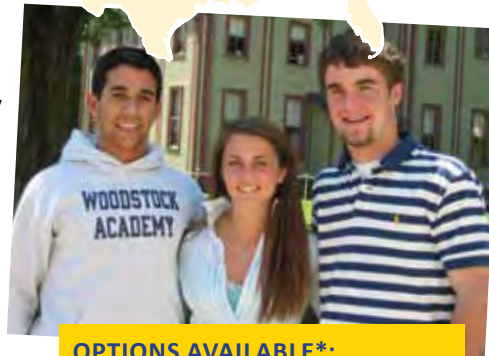
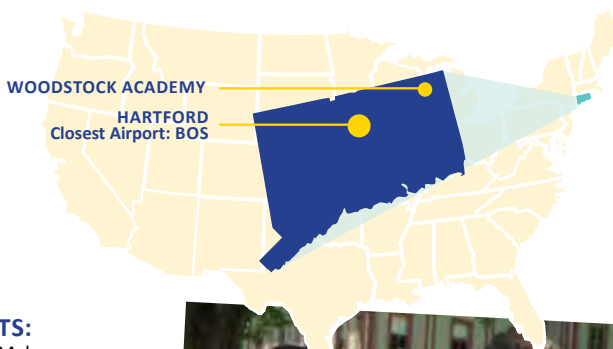
Woodstock offers various unique art and media courses such as radio station, wood technology, and culinary arts.

DORMITORIES AND STUDENT LIFE

Woodstock's three on-campus dormitories house two students per room and feature lounges, study spaces, laundry facilities, and dorm parent apartments.

University Acceptance Rate: 88%

Partial List of University Acceptances: Adelphi University, American International College, Amherst College, Boston University, Boston College, Bowdoin College, Brown University, Carnegie Mellon University, Columbia University, Cornell University, Dartmouth College, Emerson College, Emory University, Harvard University, Manhattanville College, Quinnipiac University, Tufts University, University of Connecticut, University of Vermont, University of Virginia, Villanova University, Vanderbilt University, Williams College, Yale University



OPTIONS AVAILABLE*:

Foreign Languages: Chinese, German, Italian, Latin, Spanish

Advanced Placement Courses: Biology, Calculus, Chemistry, English Literature and Composition, European History, French Language and Culture, Latin Language, Physics, Statistics, Studio Art: Drawing, US History

Arts: 3D Animation and Game Design, Broadcast Media, Culinary Arts, Digital Drawing, Digital Media Production, Drama, Electronic Design, Exploring, Film, Multimedia, Music, Radio Station, Special Explorations in Woodworking, Theater, Wood Technology

Athletics:

Boys:

Fall: Cross Country, Football, PG Basketball, Soccer

Winter: Basketball, Ice Hockey, Indoor Track, PG Basketball, Wrestling

Spring: Baseball, Lacrosse, PG Basketball, Tennis, Track and Field

Girls:

Fall: Cheerleading, Cross Country, Field Hockey, PG Basketball, Soccer, Volleyball

Winter: Basketball, Cheerleading, Gymnastics, Ice Hockey, Indoor Track, PG Basketball

Spring: Lacrosse, PG Basketball, Softball, Tennis, Track and Field

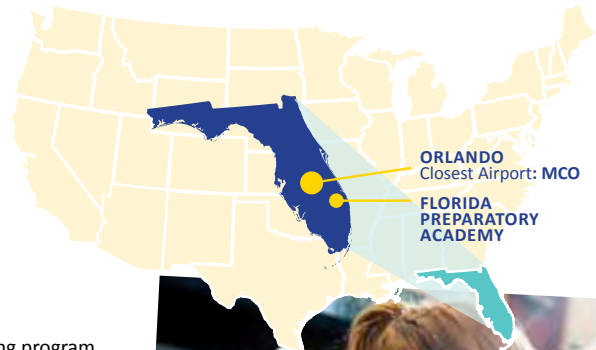
Extracurricular Activities: Amnesty International, Chess Club, Choir (Hill Singers), Drama, Earth Save, International Club, Math Team, Model United Nations, Ocean Bowl, Plastics Team, Robotics, SAT Prep, Student Council

ESL Available/Level: YES

*All courses and options offered by the school are subject to change.

Florida Preparatory Academy

Melbourne, FL



LOCATION:

- Population: 81,200
- Located 1 Hour 15 Minutes Southeast of Orlando
- Weather:
Summer: Hot and Humid
Fall/ Winter/Spring: Warm

ELIGIBILITY:

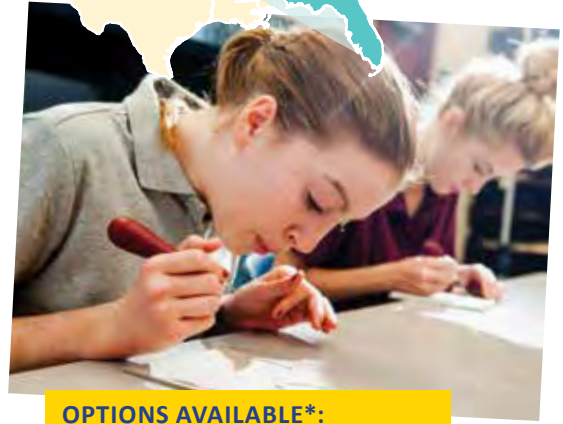
- Enrollment Restrictions: Grades Accepted: 7-12
- Minimum SLEP: Not Accepted
- Minimum TOEFL: Required, No Minimum
- Minimum ELTIS: Not Accepted

SCHOOL HIGHLIGHTS:

- Renowned aviation training program
- Nationally ranked top 100 Air Force JROTC program
- Educational excursion week

SCHOOL FACTS:

- Grades at School: 5-12
- Total Students in School: 200
- Students in High School: 140
- Teacher/Student Ratio: 1:14
- School Uniform Required: Yes
- Religious Affiliation: None



SCHOOL PROFILE

Established in 1961, Florida Preparatory Academy offers a wide range of academic opportunities including honors, AP, and dual enrollment courses. They feature a distinguished aviation program and nationally ranked Air Force JROTC program. Students have the opportunity to pursue a Private Pilot License.

FACILITIES

Florida Prep's 11-acre tropical campus is located a 10 minute drive from the beach and features a snack bar, an outdoor stage, a gymnasium, a tennis court, sports fields, a music/recording studio, and a golf course.

SPORTS AND ARTS

Students can participate in a wide range of athletics, clubs, and activities such as golf, basketball, and surf club.

Florida Preparatory offers unique art courses such as culinary arts, sound engineering, and film studies. The school's on-campus music/recording studio allows students to develop particularly strong technical music skills.

AWARDS AND ACCOMPLISHMENTS

Florida Preparatory Academy's Air Force JROTC Program received one of 277 National 2017-18 Air Force JROTC Distinguished Unit Awards.

DORMITORIES AND STUDENT LIFE

Students live 2-4 to a room in on-campus dormitories with lounges, wide-screen televisions, dorm supervisors, and high-speed internet access.

OPTIONS AVAILABLE*:

Foreign Languages: Chinese, Spanish

Advanced Placement Courses: Biology, Calculus AB, Chemistry, English Language and Composition, English Literature and Composition, Environmental Science, Macroeconomics, Microeconomics, Physics, Studio Art, US Government and Politics, US History, World History

Arts: Art, Culinary Arts, Film Studies, Instrumental Music, Music Technology and Sound Engineering, Music Theory

Athletics:

Boys:

Fall: Cross Country, Golf, Swimming

Winter: Basketball, Soccer

Spring: Baseball, Tennis, Track and Field, Weightlifting

Girls:

Fall: Cross Country, Golf, Swimming, Volleyball

Winter: Basketball, Soccer

Spring: Softball, Track and Field, Weightlifting

Extracurricular Activities: Air Force JROTC, Community Service Club, GLEE Club, Model Rocket Club, National Junior Honor Society, National Honor Society, Surf Club, Skateboarding Club

ESL Available/Level: YES - Beginner to Advanced

*All courses and options offered by the school are subject to change.

University Acceptance Rate: 100%

Partial List of University Acceptances: Auburn University, Boston University, Brown University, Case Western Reserve University, Drexel University, Duke University, Emory University, Harvard University, Indiana University, Michigan State University, Pennsylvania State University, Purdue University, Stanford University, Tulane University, University of Iowa, University of Miami, University of Rochester, University of Alabama, Virginia Polytechnic Institute and State University

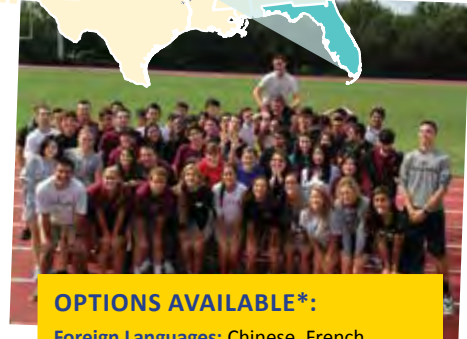




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Lake Mary Preparatory School

Lake Mary, FL



LOCATION:

- Population: 16,200
- Located 30 Minutes North of Orlando
- Weather:
Summer/Fall: Temperate and Warm
Winter/Spring: Cool and Humid

ELIGIBILITY:

- Enrollment Restrictions: Grades Accepted: 7-12
- Minimum SLEP: Not Accepted
- Minimum TOEFL: Required, No Minimum
- Minimum ELTIS: Not Accepted
- If no TOEFL, OOPT will be provided

SCHOOL HIGHLIGHTS:

- STEAM program with Makerspace and 15 honors and AP science courses
- AP capstone project
- Self-directed student interest project with advisory mentor

SCHOOL FACTS:

- Grades at School: Pre K-12
- Total Students in School: 520
- Students in High School: 250
- Teacher/Student Ratio: 1:11
- School Uniform Required: Yes
- Religious Affiliation: None

SCHOOL PROFILE

Lake Mary Preparatory School is an academically rigorous boarding school located 30 minutes from the city of Orlando. The school's distinguished STEAM program features 15 honors and AP science courses and a new Makerspace.

FACILITIES

The 48-acre campus features science and computer labs, art studios, instrumental and vocal music rooms, a performance stage, a pottery room, and a new Makerspace equipped with a 3D printer, laser cutter, and Clear Touch interactive board. Athletic facilities include a weight room, a gymnasium, a dance studio, and sports fields and courts.

SPORTS AND ARTS

Lake Mary Preparatory School's competitive athletics program has won state championships in several sports but is best known for its outstanding golf program. Lake Mary collaborates with Mike Bender Golf Academy and Eagles Dream Golf Academy. The school's arts program offers students unique opportunities in disciplines such as drama, music, graphic design, photography, and fine arts.

AWARDS AND ACCOMPLISHMENTS

Lake Mary was awarded the AP Capstone in recognition of academic achievement. Fifty percent of Lake Mary graduates are admitted into a top 50 American college or university. Both boys' and girls' golf and archery teams have won multiple state championships. The school's 2017-18 debate team was in the country's top ten percent.

DORMITORIES AND STUDENT LIFE

Boarding students live in university-style residence halls close to campus and participate in weekend activities and excursions such as beach trips, theme parks, NBA games, festivals, concerts, and trips during school vacations.

University Acceptance Rate: 100%

Partial List of University Acceptances: Boston College, Boston University, Brandeis University, College of William and Mary, Colorado State University, Columbia University, Florida State University, Georgia Institute of Technology, Harvard University, Indiana University, Miami University - Ohio, Northwestern University, Ohio State University, Pennsylvania State University, Purdue University, University of Arizona, University of California, University of Colorado, University of Florida, University of Illinois, University of Miami, University of Michigan, University of Minnesota, University of Rochester, University of Tampa, University of Texas, University of Wisconsin - Madison, Vanderbilt University

OPTIONS AVAILABLE*:

Foreign Languages: Chinese, French, Spanish

Advanced Placement Courses: Biology, Calculus AB, Calculus BC, Chemistry, Computer Science, English Composition, English Literature, Environmental Science, Government & Politics, Physics B, Psychology, Spanish Language and Culture, Statistics, Studio Art: 2D Design, US Government, US History, World History

Arts: 2D Art, 3D Art, Acting, Animation, AP Studio Art: 2D Design, Band, Chorus, Costume and Makeup, Dance, Digital Art, Drama, Film, Graphic Design, Music, Photography, Portfolio, Studio Art, Symphonic Band, Technical Theater, Television Production, Yearbook

Athletics:

Boys:

Fall: Bowling, Cross Country, Football, Golf, Swimming

Winter: Basketball, Soccer, Weightlifting

Spring: Archery, Baseball, Tennis, Track and Field

Girls:

Fall: Bowling, Cross Country, Golf, Swimming, Volleyball

Winter: Basketball, Soccer, Weightlifting

Spring: Archery, Lacrosse, Softball, Tennis, Track and Field

Extracurricular Activities: Art Honor Society, Band, Chess Club, Choir, Dance Team, Female Empowerment, Film & Photography Club, Global Society, Habitat for Humanity, Intramural Sports, Key Club, Latin Club, Math Counts, National Honor Society, News Network, Newspaper Club, Robotics, Spanish Club, Speech and Debate, Spirit Club, Yearbook

ESL Available/Level: YES

*All courses and options offered by the school are subject to change.





Montverde Academy

Montverde, FL



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 Closest Airport: MCO

LOCATION:

- Population: 940
- Located 30 Minutes West of Orlando
- Weather:
 Summer/Fall: Hot and Temperate
 Winter/Spring: Warm and Temperate

ELIGIBILITY:

- Enrollment Restrictions: Grades Accepted: 7-12, PG
- Minimum SLEP: Not Accepted
- Minimum TOEFL: Required, No Minimum
- Minimum ELTiS: Not Accepted

SCHOOL HIGHLIGHTS:

- Year-round Sports Academies with high-level athletic training
- Specialized subject concentration degree programs
- Offers 44 honors and AP courses

SCHOOL FACTS:

- Grades at School: K-12, PG
- Total Students in School: 1,330
- Students in High School: 800
- Teacher/Student Ratio: 1:14
- School Uniform Required: YES
- Religious Affiliation: None



SCHOOL PROFILE

Spanning 125 acres in sunny central Florida, Montverde Academy's rich academics include subject area concentration diplomas, partnerships with several colleges and universities, and 44 honors and AP courses. The school is nationally recognized for its elite athletic training programs.

FACILITIES

Montverde Academy's expansive facilities include a professional fine arts center with a large auditorium, dressing rooms, music halls, and studios. It also features sports fields, courts, gymnasiums, and an equestrian center. In addition, students have access to a library with over 13,000 books, a professional level recording studio, and personal iPads. Recent additions to campus facilities include beach volleyball courts, the Center for Sportsmanship and Wellness, and a newly renovated science building.

SPORTS AND ARTS

Montverde Academy's athletic training program is world-renowned, and has produced various professional athletes and won several national championships. The Montverde Academy Center for Basketball Development is led by Kevin Boyle, 4-time National Coach of the Year. Many alumni go on to play on professional sports teams. Montverde Academy's art options include particularly strong music and theater programs as well as media, TV and radio broadcasting, journalism, photography, and more.

DORMITORIES AND STUDENT LIFE

Students live in on-campus dormitories with house parents and amenities such as televisions, gaming tables, and kitchenettes. Students can choose from 46 clubs and societies including yoga and the cultural diversity club. Boarding students participate in organized weekend activities, such as trips to theme parks and the beach.

OPTIONS AVAILABLE*:

Foreign Languages: Chinese, French, Spanish

Advanced Placement Courses: Art History, Biology, Calculus AB, Calculus BC, Chemistry, Chinese Language and Culture, Comparative Government and Politics, Computer Science A, Computer Science Principles, English Language and Composition, English Literature and Composition, Environmental Science, European History, Human Geography, Macroeconomics, Microeconomics, Music Theory, Physics 1, Physics 2, Physics C: Mechanics, Physics C: Electricity and Magnetism, Psychology, Spanish Language and Culture, Statistics, Studio Art: 2D Design, Studio Art: 3D Design, Studio Art: Drawing, US Government and Politics, US History, World History

Arts: 2D Art, 3D Art, Acting, Children's Theater, Choir, Digital Video Editing, Drama, Digital Media Communications, Drumline, Ensemble, Film Production, Music, Photography, Piano, Play Directing, Radio Broadcasting, Stage Performance, Studio Art: Drawing, Strings, Symphonic Band, Television and Remote Broadcasting, Theater, Video Journalism

Athletics:

Boys: Baseball, Basketball, Cross Country, Equestrian, Golf, Lacrosse, Soccer, Swimming, Tennis, Track and Field

Girls: Basketball, Cross Country, Equestrian, Golf, Softball, Swimming, Tennis, Track and Field, Volleyball

Extracurricular Activities: Academic Team, Aquatic Club, Book Club, Chess Club, Chinese Language, Computer, Cultural Diversity, DeeJay, Drama, Environmental, Equestrian Fellowship of Christian Athletes, Fishing, International Thespian Society, National Honor Society, Psychology, Programming, Theater Tech, Music Honor Society, Visual Arts, Yearbook, Yoga

ESL Available/Level: YES

*All courses and options offered by the school are subject to change.

University Acceptance Rate: 100%

Partial List of University Acceptances: Boston College, Boston University, Carnegie Mellon University, Chapman University, Clemson University, Cornell University, Dartmouth College, Duke University, Emerson College, George Mason University, Harvard University, Johns Hopkins University, Johnson & Wales University, Massachusetts Institute of Technology (MIT), New York University, Northeastern University, Princeton University, Purdue University, University of California, Wake Forest University, Yale University

I loved the wide open campus and convenient Florida location, close to Disney and Universal Studios. They offer some very elite sports programs in golf, basketball and soccer. – **Tim Gaiser, Director of Boarding Schools**





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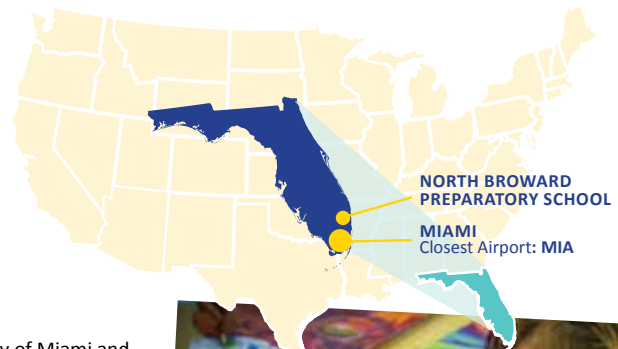
SPORTS

STEM

PROGRAM

North Broward Preparatory School

Coconut Creek, FL



LOCATION:

- Population: 55,000
- Located 45 Minutes North of Miami
- Weather:
Summer/Fall: Warm and Humid
Winter/Spring: Warm and Temperate

ELIGIBILITY:

- Enrollment Restrictions: Grades Accepted: 6-12
- Minimum SLEP: Not Accepted
- Minimum TOEFL: Preferred, No Minimum
- Minimum ELTIS: Not Accepted
- If no TOEFL, OOPT will be provided

SCHOOL HIGHLIGHTS:

- Driving distance to the city of Miami and many beaches
- International Baccalaureate Diploma
- Professional-level hockey program

SCHOOL FACTS:

- Grades at School: Pre K-12
- Total Students in School: 1,550
- Students in High School: 895
- Teacher/Student Ratio: 1:10
- School Uniform Required: YES
- Religious Affiliation: None

SCHOOL PROFILE

Located just north of the famous coastal cities of Miami and Fort Lauderdale, North Broward Preparatory School offers more than 15 honors and AP classes, a STEM program, and the prestigious International Baccalaureate Diploma. North Broward Preparatory's students have access to exceptional athletics and arts programs.

FACILITIES

North Broward Preparatory's 80-acre campus features gymnasiums, swimming pools, a yoga studio, a lighted stadium, a baseball diamond, a wellness center, an on-campus coffee shop, and modern classrooms with smart technology.

SPORTS AND ARTS

The school's competitive athletics program is highlighted by its professional-level hockey program with former NHL coaching staff.

North Broward Preparatory is newly affiliated with The Juilliard School to enhance students' artistic development in the areas of music, dance, and drama.

DORMITORIES AND STUDENT LIFE

Students live with roommates and full-time dorm parents in on- or off-campus housing equipped with Wi-Fi, kitchens, common areas, and study rooms. In addition to access to an on-campus medical clinic, counselors, and nurses, students have the opportunity to explore different parts of the country on organized trips during vacation weeks.

University Acceptance Rate: 100%

Partial List of University Acceptances: Berklee College of Music, Boston College, Boston University, Brown University, Carnegie Mellon University, Columbia University, Cornell University, Dartmouth College, Duke University, George Washington University, Georgia Institute of Technology, Harvard University, Johns Hopkins University, Massachusetts Institute of Technology (MIT), Middlebury College, New York University, Northwestern University, Princeton University, Purdue University, Stanford University, University of California, University of Chicago, University of Miami, University of Michigan, University of Notre Dame, University of Pennsylvania, University of Southern California, University of Texas, University of Wisconsin, Vanderbilt University, Yale University



OPTIONS AVAILABLE*:

Foreign Languages: Chinese, French, German, Spanish

Advanced Placement Courses: Biology, Calculus AB, Calculus BC, Chemistry, Comparative Government and Politics, Computer Science, Human Geography, Macroeconomics, Microeconomics, Music Theory, Physics C, Psychology, Statistics, Studio Art, US Government and Politics, US History, World History

Arts: 2D Painting and Drawing, 3D Ceramics and Sculpture, Animation and Special Effects, Applied Design Ballet, Choir, Cinema Studies, Concert Band, Digital Art, Film, Film Production, Hip-Hop, IB Film, IB Music, IB Theater, Jazz, Jazz Band, Journalism Honors, Lyrical, Modern, Musical Theater, Music Comprehensive, Music Recording And Production, Photography Honors, Songwriting, String Orchestra, Tap, Theater Arts

Athletics:

Boys:

Fall: Cross Country, Football, Golf, Ice Hockey, Swimming, Volleyball

Winter: Basketball, Ice Hockey, Soccer

Spring: Baseball, Ice Hockey, Lacrosse, Tennis, Track and Field

Girls:

Fall: Cheerleading, Cross Country, Golf, Swimming, Volleyball

Winter: Basketball, Soccer

Spring: Lacrosse, Swimming, Softball, Tennis, Track and Field

Extracurricular Activities: Book Club, Creative Writing, French Honor Society, Gay Straight Alliance, Harry Potter Club, Health And Fitness Club, Investment Club, Journalism Club, Key Club, Math Club, National Art Honor Society, Spanish Honor Society, Thespian Society

ESL Available/Level: YES

*All courses and options offered by the school are subject to change.





The King's Academy

West Palm Beach, FL



LOCATION:

- Population: 108,200
- Located 1 Hour 20 Minutes North of Miami
- Weather: Summer/Fall: Hot and Temperate Winter/Spring: Cool and Temperate

ELIGIBILITY:

- Enrollment Restrictions: Grades Accepted: 7-12
- Minimum SLEP: Not Required
- Minimum TOEFL: 70
- Minimum ELTiS: 228

SCHOOL HIGHLIGHTS:

- Located in the coastal community of West Palm Beach, Florida
- National Blue Ribbon School
- One of the top 50 private schools in the country

SCHOOL FACTS:

- Grades at School: K-12
- Total Students in School: 1,300
- Students in High School: 750
- Teacher/Student Ratio: 1:17
- School Uniform Required: YES
- Religious Affiliation: Christian

SCHOOL PROFILE

In addition to particularly strong athletic and performing arts programs, The King's Academy in West Palm Beach features a rigorous academic curriculum with one-on-one mentoring through the Global Ambassador Program, 28 AP and dual enrollment college credit courses, and ESL and TOEFL/SAT/ACT preparation.

FACILITIES

The school's facilities feature an 11,000-square foot athletic complex and an Olympic swimming pool. Students also have access to a tennis academy, a television and film production studio, and a brand new 23,000-square foot Center for Performing Arts offering theater, instrumental arts, dance, filmmaking, broadcasting, and visual/digital arts.

SPORTS AND ARTS

TKA offers professional-level athletics training and features a renowned tennis program. Teams at the school have won a combined 10 state championships. The professional-level performing arts program competes statewide, drawing top universities like Harvard, Yale, Princeton and Columbia to recruit their performers. TKA's prestigious Conservatory of the Arts program has performed at Disney's Magic Kingdom and a US Presidential Inauguration.

AWARDS AND ACCOMPLISHMENTS

Recently recognized by the U.S. Secretary of Education as one of the top 50 private schools in the country, The King's Academy has received the prestigious Blue Ribbon School designation and its Conservatory of the Arts program is in the national top five.

DORMITORIES AND STUDENT LIFE

Boarding students stay in homes close to campus equipped with study areas, game rooms, outdoor sports areas, and swimming pools.

University Acceptance Rate: 100%

Partial List of University Acceptances: Brown University, California Institute of Technology, Carnegie Mellon University, Columbia University, Cornell University, Dartmouth College, Duke University, Emory University, Georgetown University, Harvard University, Princeton University, Rice University, Tufts University, University of Chicago, University of Michigan, University of Pennsylvania, University of Virginia, Vanderbilt University, Wake Forrest University, Washington University, Yale University

OPTIONS AVAILABLE*:

Foreign Languages: Chinese, Latin, Spanish

Advanced Placement Courses: Art History, Biology, Calculus AB, Calculus BC, Chemistry, Chinese Language and Culture, Computer Science, English Language and Composition, English Literature and Composition, Environmental Science, Macroeconomics, Music Theory, Physics C: Mechanics, Psychology, Spanish Language and Culture, Statistics, Studio Art 2D: Design, Studio Art: Drawing, US Government and Politics, US History, World History

Arts: 2D Art, 3D Art, Acting, Ballet, Band, Chamber Ensemble, Concert Band, Dance, Digital Cinema Production, Drawing, Jazz, Music Theater, Music Theory, Orchestra, Painting, Piano, Printmaking, Sound Engineering, Technical Theater, Vocal Ensemble, World Arts

Athletics:

Boys:

Fall: Bowling, Cross Country, Football, Golf, Swimming

Winter: Basketball, Soccer

Spring: Baseball, Lacrosse, Tennis, Track and Field

Girls:

Fall: Bowling, Cheerleading, Cross Country, Golf, Swimming, Volleyball

Winter: Basketball, Cheerleading, Soccer

Spring: Lacrosse, Softball, Tennis, Track and Field

Extracurricular Activities: Chess, Debate, Future Business Leaders of America, Honor Council, Key, Model United Nations, Prom Committee, Robotics, Trips

ESL Available/Level: YES





Windermere Preparatory School

Windermere, FL



LOCATION:

- Population: 2,500
- Located 30 Minutes West of Orlando
- Weather:
Summer/Fall: Hot and Temperate
Winter/Spring: Warm and Temperate

ELIGIBILITY:

- Enrollment Restrictions: Grades Accepted: 8-12
- Minimum SLEP: Not Accepted
- Minimum TOEFL: Preferred, No Minimum
- Minimum ELTIS: Not Accepted
- If no TOEFL, OOPT will be provided

SCHOOL HIGHLIGHTS:

- Partnerships with MIT and Juilliard
- International Baccalaureate Diploma
- Experiential Entrepreneurial Studies program

SCHOOL FACTS:

- Grades at School: Pre K-12
- Total Students in School: 1,450
- Students in High School: 550
- Teacher/Student Ratio: 1:18
- School Uniform Required: YES
- Religious Affiliation: None

SCHOOL PROFILE

Located on 48 lakefront acres a half-hour from the city of Orlando and its famous theme parks, Windermere Preparatory School offers the prestigious International Baccalaureate Diploma and maintains partnerships with Massachusetts Institute of Technology (MIT) and The Juilliard School to offer outstanding STEAM and performing arts programs.

FACILITIES

Facilities include a sports performance center, a weight room, a Mac computer lab, art studios, band and choral rooms, a track, a pool, and multi-purpose athletic fields and courts. The school is in the process of building a new state-of-the-art Visual and Performing Arts Center.

SPORTS AND ARTS

The school is a member of the Florida High School Athletic Association (FHSAA) which allows their sports teams to compete with the best schools in the state of Florida. Collaboration with The Juilliard School ensures the highest degree of training when it comes to Windermere Prep's prestigious performing arts program.

AWARDS AND ACCOMPLISHMENTS

Windermere Preparatory School has been voted the best private school in Central Florida and is consistently ranked in the top three private schools by organizations such as Orlando Style Magazine, Best of Southwest, and Orlando Magazine.

DORMITORIES AND STUDENT LIFE

Boarding students live two or three to a room in spacious homes in gated residential neighborhoods surrounding the school. Students have access to a family room, a recreation room, a meeting/study room, and a kitchen. Each house has a live-in Housemaster for supervision and homework help.



OPTIONS AVAILABLE*:

Foreign Languages: French, Latin, Spanish

Advanced Placement Courses:

Environmental Science, European History, Human Geography, World History

Arts:

2D Art, 3D Art, Advanced Dance, Advanced Film History and Production, Beginning Band, Beginning Dance, Building Art, Concert Band, Concert Choirs, Dance Techniques Beginner And Advanced, Drawing and Painting Beginner and Advanced, Drawing Art, Graphic Design, IB Dance, IB Film, IB Visual Art, Intermediate Dance, Jazz Band, Marching Band, Photography, Piano Class/Lab, Show Choirs, Technical Theater, Theater Production, Wind Ensemble, Yearbook

Athletics:

Boys:

Fall: Cross Country, Football, Golf, Swimming

Winter: Basketball, Soccer

Spring: Archery, Baseball, Lacrosse, Tennis, Track and Field, Weightlifting

Girls:

Fall: Cross Country, Golf, Swimming, Volleyball

Winter: Basketball, Soccer

Spring: Archery, Lacrosse, Softball, Tennis, Track and Field, Weightlifting

Extracurricular Activities:

Art Club, Dance Team, Choir Performances, Community Service, Drama Performances, French Club, Global Citizens, Latin Club, National Honor Society, Newspaper, Pep Band School Concerts, Spanish Club, Speech and Debate, Thespan Society, Yearbook

ESL Available/Level: YES

*All courses and options offered by the school are subject to change.

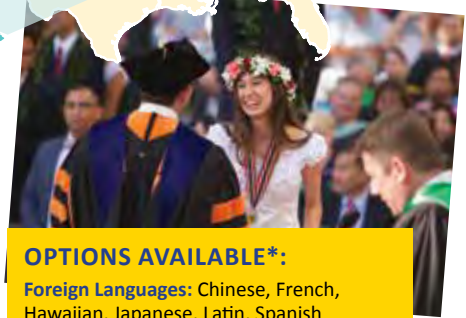
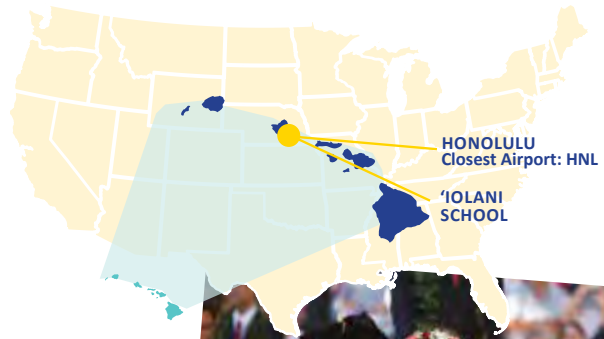
University Acceptance Rate: 100%

Partial List of University Acceptances: Boston College, Boston University, Brown University, Carnegie Mellon University, Duke University, George Washington University, Georgetown University, Georgia Institute of Technology, Johns Hopkins University, Michigan State University, New York University, Northwestern University, Ohio State University, Pennsylvania State University, Princeton University, Purdue University, Queen Mary University of London (UK), School of the Art Institute of Chicago, Stanford University, Syracuse University, University of California, University of Miami, University of Notre Dame, University of Pennsylvania, University of Texas, Worcester Polytechnic Institute (WPI), Vanderbilt University





'Iolani School Honolulu, HI



LOCATION:

- Population: 400,000
- Located in Honolulu
- Weather:
Summer/Fall: Hot and Humid
Winter/Spring: Warm and Humid

ELIGIBILITY:

- Enrollment Restrictions: Grades Accepted: 9-11
- Minimum SLEP: Not Accepted
- Minimum TOEFL: Accepted, no minimum (recommended score of 85+)
- Minimum ELTIS: Not Accepted

SCHOOL HIGHLIGHTS:

- Offers 28 AP courses and 6 foreign languages
- Many famous alumni, including professional athletes, businesspeople, and entertainers
- More than 75 sports state championships

SCHOOL FACTS:

- Grades at School: K-12
- Total Students in School: 1,900
- Teacher/Student Ratio: 1:10
- School Uniform Required: NO

SCHOOL PROFILE

'Iolani School is a culturally diverse, co-educational college preparatory school. With more than 150 years of history, it is recognized as one of the top college preparatory schools in the United States. Through dynamic and personalized instruction in a multi-itude of disciplines, 'Iolani develops liberally educated, well-rounded individuals.

FACILITIES

There are a number of great facilities at 'Iolani School. The Sullivan Center for Innovation and Leadership is a 40,000 square foot building that is home to research science, design, and applied technologies. Outside of the academic buildings, students can use a number of athletic facilities, including fields, a pool, and a six lane outdoor track.

SPORTS AND ARTS

Students at 'Iolani School participating in sports are continuing a long, proud tradition that goes back to the 1930s. The Raiders have won more than 75 state championships with 'Iolani being the only school to win five consecutive boy's basketball championships (2002-2006).

The 'Iolani arts program consists of 32 performing arts groups and over 15 course offerings including AP classes. Student performances have brought 'Iolani several awards and special invites to perform in the US and internationally.

AWARDS AND ACCOMPLISHMENTS

'Iolani School's long tradition of academic excellence has seen it ranked the #2 college preparatory private high school in Hawaii by Niche.

DORMITORIES AND STUDENT LIFE

A brand new residence hall opened for the 2018-19 academic year, providing students with a state-of-the-art facility where they are supervised by residential advisors. Outside of the classroom, students have plenty of opportunity to pursue their passions, whether that be through athletics, arts, or other school-sponsored extracurriculars.

OPTIONS AVAILABLE*:

Foreign Languages: Chinese, French, Hawaiian, Japanese, Latin, Spanish

Advanced Placement Courses: Biology, Calculus AB, Calculus BC, Capstone: AP Research, Chemistry, Chinese Language and Culture, Computer Science Principles, English Literature and Composition, European History, French Language and Culture, Japanese Language and Culture, Latin, Macroeconomics, Microeconomics, Multivariable Calculus, Physics 1, Physics 2, Physics C: Electricity and Magnetism, Physics C: Mechanics, Psychology, Spanish Language and Culture, Statistics, Studio Art: 3D Design, Studio Art: Drawing, US Government and Politics, US History

Arts: 3D Design, Band, Ceramics, Choir, Dance, Mixed Media, Musical Theater, Orchestra, Painting/Drawing, Photography, Theater

Athletics:

Boys:

Fall: Bowling, Cheerleading, Cross Country, Football, Kayaking, Tennis, Volleyball, Water Polo

Winter: Basketball, Cheerleading, Diving, Paddling, Soccer, Swimming, Tennis, Wrestling

Spring: Baseball, Golf, Judo, Sailing, Tennis, Track and Field, Volleyball

Girls:

Fall: Bowling, Cheerleading, Cross Country, Kayaking, Tennis, Volleyball

Winter: Basketball, Cheerleading, Diving, Paddling, Soccer, Swimming, Tennis, Wrestling

Spring: Golf, Judo, Sailing, Softball, Tennis, Track and Field, Volleyball

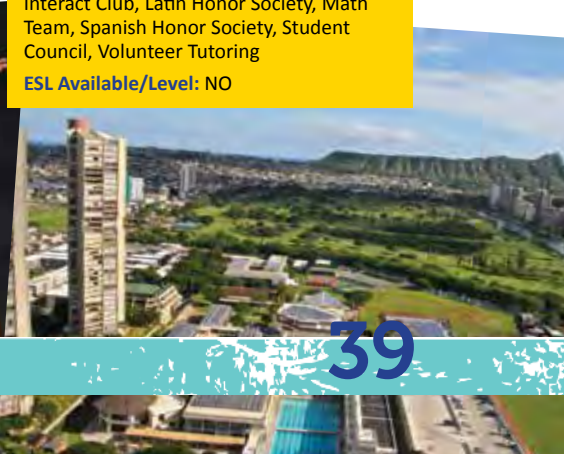
Extracurricular Activities: Astronomy Club, Business Club, Cum Laude Society, Disney Club, French Honor Society, Hiking Club, Interact Club, Latin Honor Society, Math Team, Spanish Honor Society, Student Council, Volunteer Tutoring

ESL Available/Level: NO

*All courses and options offered by the school are subject to change.

University Acceptance Rate: 99%

Partial List of University Acceptances: American University, Amherst College, Brown University, California Institute of Technology (CalTech), Carnegie Mellon University, Colorado College, Columbia University, Duke University, Harvard University, Macalester College, Massachusetts Institute of Technology (MIT), McGill University, Occidental College, Princeton University, Scripps College, Swarthmore College, Tufts University, University of California - Berkeley, University of Notre Dame, Vanderbilt University, Washington University in St. Louis, Wesleyan University, Yale University





Maui Preparatory Academy

Lahaina, HI



LOCATION:

- Population: 11,700
- Located 45 Minutes West of Maui
- Weather:
Summer/Fall: Hot and Humid
Winter/Spring: Warm and Humid

ELIGIBILITY:

- Enrollment Restrictions: Grades Accepted: 8-12
- Minimum SLEP: Not Required
- Minimum TOEFL: Preferred, No Minimum
- Minimum ELTIS: Not Required

SCHOOL HIGHLIGHTS:

- Semester-long Marine Studies immersion program
- Prestigious surfing program with one of the world's top surf teams
- Exceptional golf and tennis training opportunities

SCHOOL FACTS:

- Grades at School: Pre K-12
- Total Students in School: 215
- Students in High School: 75
- Teacher/Student Ratio: 1:8
- School Uniform Required: YES
- Religious Affiliation: None



OPTIONS AVAILABLE*:

Foreign Languages: Japanese, Spanish
Advanced Placement Courses: Biology, Calculus AB, English Language and Composition, English Literature and Composition, Human Geography, Macroeconomics, Physics, Studio Art: 2D Design, US History

Arts: Dance, Drama, Music, Pop/Rock Band

Athletics:

Boys:

Fall: Cross Country
Winter: Paddling, Swimming
Spring: Golf, Surfing, Tennis, Track and Field

Girls:

Fall: Cross Country, Volleyball
Winter: Paddling, Swimming
Spring: Golf, Surfing, Tennis, Track and Field

Extracurricular Activities: Community Service, Music, National Art Honor Society, Peer Tutoring, Student Government, Theater, Yearbook

ESL Available/Level: YES - Intermediate to Advanced

*All courses and options offered by the school are subject to change.

SCHOOL PROFILE

Maui Preparatory Academy occupies 25 acres on the famous island of Maui, Hawaii. The school is located just minutes from the Pacific Ocean and its surf team is one of the best in the country. The school has guaranteed acceptance partnerships with 13 colleges and universities and offers a semester-long Marine Studies immersion program.

FACILITIES

Maui Prep's facilities include science and computer labs, a college counseling office, and other traditional classroom accommodations.

SPORTS AND ARTS

All students participate in two seasons of athletics each school year. Maui Preparatory School's tennis and golf academies are located on world-class facilities, and its prestigious surfing academy produces some of the best surfers in the world. Maui Preparatory offers arts options such as dance, performing arts, and band.

AWARDS AND ACCOMPLISHMENTS

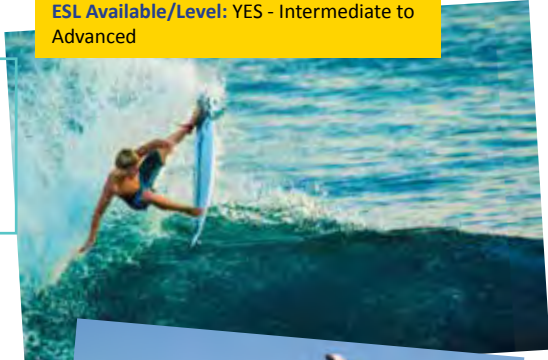
As a select five-year member of the Hawaii Community Foundation's Schools of the Future initiative, Maui Preparatory has received extensive grants to implement initiative, collaboration, and development. The school has won county and state champions in several sports including swimming, surfing, and tennis.

DORMITORIES AND STUDENT LIFE

Maui Preparatory gated, apartment-style residential facilities have private beach access, kitchenettes, and private balconies.

University Acceptance Rate: 100%

Partial List of University Acceptances: Boston University, Brown University, Chapman University, Columbia University, Dartmouth College, Duke University, George Washington University, Johns Hopkins University, New York University, Pepperdine University, Pennsylvania State University, San Diego State University, University of California - Berkeley, University of California - Los Angeles (UCLA), University of Hawaii - Manoa, University of Miami, University of Notre Dame, University of Southern California (USC)

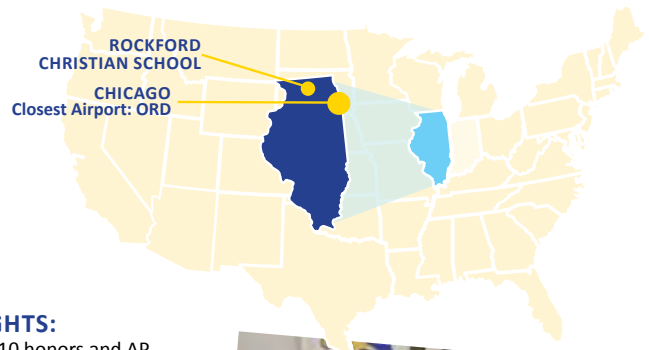




BOARDING COED FOUR SEASONS ARTS

Rockford Christian School

Rockford, IL



LOCATION:

- Population: 152,200
- Located 90 Minutes Northwest of Chicago
- Weather:
- Summer/Fall: Warm and Humid
- Winter/Spring: Cool and Wet

ELIGIBILITY:

- Enrollment Restrictions: None
- Minimum SLEP: 55
- Minimum TOEFL: 50
- Minimum ELTIS: 228

SCHOOL HIGHLIGHTS:

- Offers more than 10 honors and AP courses
- Advanced graphic design laboratory
- Fine arts faculty includes professional artists and musicians

ACADEMICS AND FACTS:

- Grades at School: 9-12
- Total Students in School: 344
- Teacher/Student Ratio: 1:13
- School Uniform Required: YES
- Religious Affiliation: Christian



SCHOOL PROFILE

Rockford Christian School is a private, non-denominational Christian day school that welcomes a select group of international students to board on campus every year. It provides a curriculum that includes over 10 honors and AP courses.

FACILITIES

The campus covers 35 acres and features facilities such as advanced technology classrooms, computer labs, science labs, and a stadium. There's also an advanced art laboratory for graphic design.

SPORTS AND ARTS

Students are always encouraged to participate in sports teams and clubs like swimming, soccer, and even bass fishing.

Rockford Christian School's fine arts faculty is comprised of professional artists and musicians that help students put on programs and concerts throughout the year. There is even an annual trip where students go on a week-long tour to perform at destinations such as Nashville and Disney World.

DORMITORIES AND STUDENT LIFE

The residence halls at Rockford Christian School provide students with independence in a safe, supervised environment. Outside of the classroom, students have the opportunity to go on weekend trips to engage in activities such as dining, shopping, sporting events, and movie theaters.

OPTIONS AVAILABLE*:

Foreign Languages: Chinese, French, German, Spanish

Advanced Placement Courses: Biology, Calculus, English Literature and Composition, Environmental Science, Macroeconomics, Music Theory, Physics, Statistics, Studio Art, US Government and Politics, US History

Arts: 2D Art, 3D Art, Art, Art History, Choir, Chorale, Concert Band, Dance, Ensemble, Graphic Design, Jazz, Theater

Athletics:

Boys:

Fall: Cross Country, Football, Golf, Soccer, Volleyball

Winter: Basketball, Bowling, Swimming

Spring: Baseball, Bass Fishing, Softball, Tennis, Track

Girls:

Fall: Cross Country, Dance, Football, Sideline Cheer, Swimming, Volleyball

Winter: Basketball, Bowling, Competition Cheerleading, Dance, Sideline Cheerleading

Spring: Baseball, Bass Fishing, Soccer, Softball, Track

Extracurricular Activities: Chapel Assistants, Choir, Cultural Diversity, High School Musical, International National Honor Society, Newspaper, Prayer and Praise, Robotics, Science Olympiad Club, Strings, Student Government

ESL Available/Level: YES (additional cost)

University Acceptance Rate: 98%

Partial List of University Acceptances: Baylor University, Bethel College, California College of the Arts, Colorado State University, Columbia College, Cornell University, Duke University, Florida Southern College, Illinois Wesleyan University, Indiana Wesleyan University, Loyola University, Marquette University, Miami University, Milwaukee Institute of Art and Design, New York Art Institute, New York University, Purdue University, Rhode Island School of Design, Savannah College of Art and Design, Seattle Pacific University, St. Louis University, Texas Christian University, University of Colorado, University of Iowa, University of Kentucky, University of Michigan, University of Notre Dame, University of Pennsylvania, University of Tennessee, University of Washington, Wheaton College



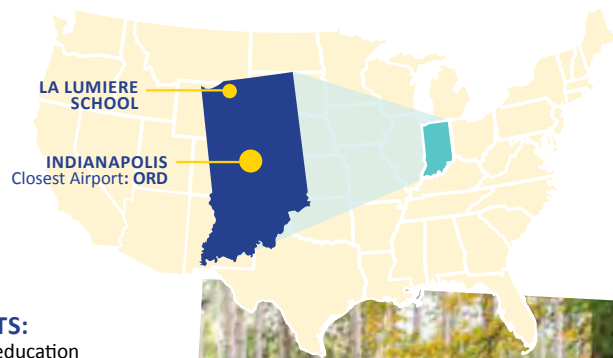
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BOARDING COED FOUR SEASONS ARTS

La Lumiere School

La Porte, IN



LOCATION:

- Population: 21,700
- Located 1 Hour Southeast of Chicago
- Weather:
Summer/Fall: Warm and Temperate
Winter/Spring: Cold and Humid

ELIGIBILITY:

- Enrollment Restrictions: None
- Minimum SLEP: 40
- Minimum TOEFL: 60
- Minimum ELTIS: Not Required

SCHOOL HIGHLIGHTS:

- Versatile liberal arts education
- Immersive cultural and language courses
- Offers over a dozen AP courses

SCHOOL FACTS:

- Grades at School: 9-12
- Total Students in School: 230
- Teacher/Student Ratio: 1:7
- School Uniform Required: YES
- Religious Affiliation: Catholic



OPTIONS AVAILABLE*:

Foreign Languages: Chinese, French, Latin, Spanish

Advanced Placement Courses: Calculus AB, Calculus BC, Comparative Government and Politics, Macroeconomics, Microeconomics, English Literature and Composition, Environmental Science, Physics I, Physics II, Psychology, Statistics, US Government and Politics, US History, World History

Arts: Advanced Study in Art Studio, Art Foundations, Art History, Art Studio: 2D, Art Studio: 3D, Choir, Desktop Publishing, Introduction to Drama, Independent Study in Art, Jazz Band, Music Appreciation, Music Theory, Photography

Athletics:

Boys:

Fall: Crew, Cross Country, Football, Soccer, Tennis

Winter: Basketball

Spring: Baseball, Crew, Golf, Lacrosse, Track and Field

Girls:

Fall: Crew, Cross Country, Golf, Soccer, Volleyball

Winter: Basketball, Cheerleading

Spring: Crew, Soccer, Tennis, Track and Field

Extracurricular Activities: Academic Decathlon, Art Portfolio, Cheer, Choir, Community Service, Developmental Crew, Drama, Entrepreneurship Club, Fitness, Jazz Band, Music Ensemble, National Honor Society, Poetry Out Loud Competition, Running Club, Science Olympiad, Show Choir, Spanish National Honor Society, Yearbook

ESL Available/Level: YES

*All courses and options offered by the school are subject to change.

SCHOOL PROFILE

La Lumiere School is located about an hour from Chicago. Students can choose from a variety of unique academic opportunities such as internships, immersive cultural and language training, Science Olympiad, Academic Decathlon, and Academic Super Bowl.

FACILITIES

La Lumiere's 190-acre campus is home to computer labs, academic buildings, athletic and recreational fields and facilities, and dormitories. Spring-fed lakes dot the campus.

SPORTS AND ARTS

La Lumiere students can choose from competitive sports such as American football, cheerleading, track and field, and crew.

The performing and fine arts programs allow students to participate in theater productions and a selection of music ensembles and activities.

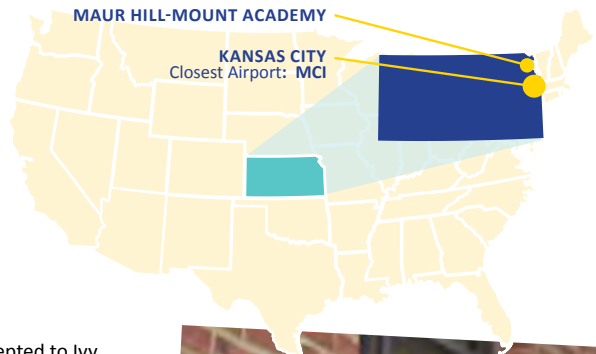
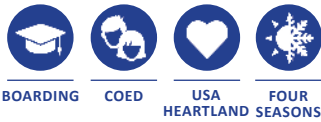
DORMITORIES AND STUDENT LIFE

La Lumiere's boarding students live in one of six intimate dorms consisting of 16 to 18 students each. The majority of the dorm rooms are spacious doubles that face one of La Lumiere's several lakes.

University Acceptance Rate: 100%

Partial List of University Acceptances: Auburn University, Baylor University, Boston College, Colgate University, Cornell University, DePaul University, Georgetown University, John Hopkins University, New York University, Northwestern University, Pepperdine University, Stanford University, University of California - Berkeley, University of Notre Dame, University of Chicago, Villanova University, Wake Forest University





Maur Hill-Mount Academy

Atchison, KS

LOCATION:

- Population: 11,000
- Located 1 Hour North of Kansas City
- Weather:
Summer/Fall: Hot and Temperate
Winter/Spring: Cold and Temperate

ELIGIBILITY:

- Enrollment Restrictions: None
- Minimum SLEP: 40
- Minimum TOEFL: 30
- Minimum ELTIS: Not Required

SCHOOL HIGHLIGHTS:

- Many graduates are accepted to Ivy League Universities
- Offers dual enrollment with Benedictine University
- Strong ESL program

SCHOOL FACTS:

- Grades at School: 9-12
- Total Students in School: 225
- Teacher/Student Ratio: 1:9
- School Uniform Required: YES
- Religious Affiliation: Catholic



SCHOOL PROFILE

Maur Hill-Mount Academy (MH-MA) is a Catholic preparatory school offering honors, AP, and dual enrollment college credit courses, both on campus and at a nearby university. MH-MA's renowned ESL program has been in place for six decades.

FACILITIES

The modern, climate-controlled, facilities include dormitories, a dining hall, and athletic facilities that are centrally located on a 90 acre campus. Recent renovations have brought a science wing, a workout/exercise center, a green house, an auditorium, and a basketball court to the campus.

SPORTS AND ARTS

In addition to offering competitive sports such as wrestling, volleyball, and swimming, Maur Hill-Mount Academy has won championships in football and basketball. Students have various artistic clubs and courses to choose from including sculpting, photography, and show choir.

DORMITORIES AND STUDENT LIFE

Dorms are fully equipped with lounges, kitchens, laundry facilities, and Wi-Fi. The school organizes weekend trips to concerts, sightseeing, and amusement parks. Overnight trips during longer breaks are also available.

OPTIONS AVAILABLE*:

Foreign Languages: French, Spanish

Advanced Placement Courses: In addition to traditional AP courses, the school offers dual enrollment courses for college credits at nearby Benedictine University

AP Calculus AB, AP History, AP US Government and Politics, College Algebra, College Anatomy & Physiology, College Astronomy, College Calculus, College Calculus II, College English Literature, College English Composition, College Government, College History, College Spanish

Arts: Art, Advanced Art, Band, Hobby Art, Layout/Design, Music Appreciation, Music Theory, Photography, Sculpting, Show Choir

Athletics:

Boys:

- Fall:** Cross Country, Football, Soccer
- Winter:** Basketball, Wrestling
- Spring:** Baseball, Golf, Track and Field

Girls:

- Fall:** Cheerleading, Cross Country, Soccer, Volleyball
- Winter:** Basketball, Dance
- Spring:** Golf, Softball, Swimming, Track and Field

Extracurricular Activities: Ambassadors, Art Club, Band, Business Club, Chess Club, Debate, Drama, Forensics, French Club, International Club, Math Club, National Honors Society, Photography, Publications, Scholars Bowl, Science Club, Show Choir, Spanish Club

ESL Available/Level: YES

*All courses and options offered by the school are subject to change.

University Acceptance Rate: 100%

Partial List of University Acceptances: Boston College, California Institute of the Arts, Davis College, Duke University, Johns Hopkins University, Northwestern University, Pennsylvania State University, Purdue University, State University of New York (SUNY), Syracuse University, University of California, University of California - Los Angeles, University of Kansas, University of Michigan, University of Notre Dame, University of Pennsylvania, Vanderbilt University

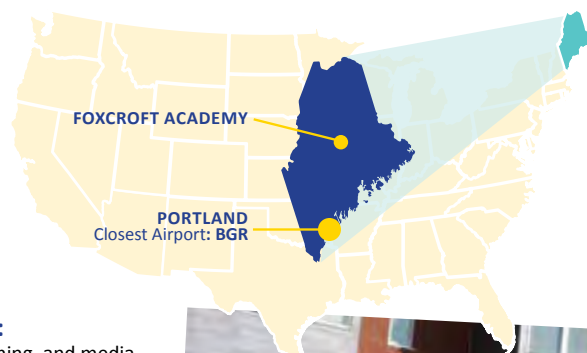




BOARDING COED NEW ENGLAND FOUR SEASONS ARTS STEM

Foxcroft Academy

Dover-Foxcroft, ME



LOCATION:

- Population: 4,200
- Located 2 Hours North of Portland
- Weather:
Summer/Fall: Warm and Humid
Winter/Spring: Cold and Wet

ELIGIBILITY:

- Enrollment Restrictions: None
- Minimum SLEP: Not Accepted
- Minimum TOEFL: Required, No Minimum
- Minimum ELTIS: Not Required

SCHOOL HIGHLIGHTS:

- Offers 25 visual, performing, and media arts courses
- Strong STEM program
- Beautiful New England campus

SCHOOL FACTS:

- Grades at School: 9-12
- Total Students in School: 460
- Teacher/Student Ratio: 1:11
- School Uniform Required: NO
- Religious Affiliation: None

SCHOOL PROFILE

Founded in 1823, Foxcroft Academy's college preparatory curriculum offers comprehensive visual, performing, and media arts courses along with technical education programs as well as a recently introduced STEM program.

FACILITIES

Located on 125 acres in northern New England, the campus facilities include four modern residence halls, five athletic playing fields, four brand-new tennis courts, an outdoor basketball court, and a main academic complex.

SPORTS AND ARTS

Foxcroft Academy's athletics program is exceptionally strong with more than 20 sports teams and 19 state championship titles.

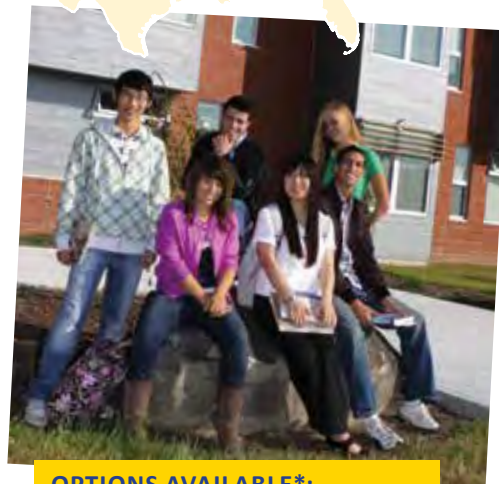
The school's visual, performing, fine, and media arts programs are comprehensive, offering courses such as sculptural welding, creative textiles, and filmmaking.

DORMITORIES AND STUDENT LIFE

Foxcroft Academy's two male and two female dorms house 8-12 students each and provide access to wireless internet and televisions. Students can take advantage of Maine's expansive wilderness with extracurriculars such as outdoors club and environmental club.

University Acceptance Rate: 95%

Partial List of University Acceptances: Boston College, Carnegie Mellon University, Case Western Reserve, Colby College, College of the Holy Cross, Georgetown University, Lehigh University, New York School of Interior Design, Northwestern University, Parsons The New School For Design, San Francisco Art Institute, School of the Visual Arts, University of California - Los Angeles (UCLA), University of California - Berkeley, University of North Carolina - Chapel Hill, University of Virginia, Wake Forest University



OPTIONS AVAILABLE*:

Foreign Languages: Chinese, French, Latin, Spanish

Advanced Placement Courses: Biology, Calculus AB, Chemistry, English Literature and Composition, Macroeconomics, Microeconomics, Physics B, Statistics, Studio Art, US History, World History

Arts: Art, Advanced Art, Architectural Drawing and Design, Ceramics, Chorus, Contemporary Ensemble, Creative Textiles, Digital Photography, Filmmaking, Introduction to Guitar, Introduction to Piano, Jazz Band, Sculptural Welding, Studio Art, Theater, Video Game Design, Woodworking

Athletics:

Boys:

Fall: Cross Country, Football, Golf
Winter: Basketball, Indoor Track, Swimming, Wrestling
Spring: Baseball, Track

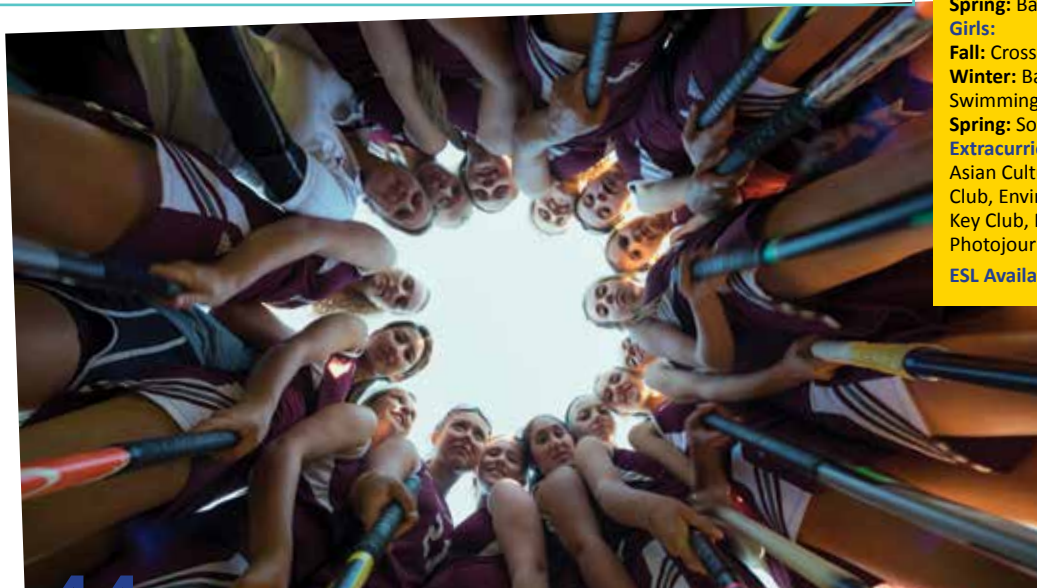
Girls:

Fall: Cross Country, Field Hockey, Golf
Winter: Basketball, Indoor Track, Swimming
Spring: Softball, Track

Extracurricular Activities: Art Club, Asian Culture Club, Cooking Club, Dance Club, Environmental Club, Jazz Band, Key Club, Math Team, Outdoors Club, Photojournalism Club, Student Tech Team

ESL Available/Level: YES

*All courses and options offered by the school are subject to change.





Fryeburg Academy

Fryeburg, ME

LOCATION:

- Population: 3,500
- Located 1 Hour Northwest of Portland
- Weather:
Summer/Fall: Warm and Humid
Winter/Spring: Cold and Humid

ELIGIBILITY:

- Enrollment Restrictions: None
- Minimum SLEP: Not Required
- Minimum TOEFL: Preferred, No Minimum
- Minimum ELTIS: Not Required

SCHOOL PROFILE

Founded in 1792, Fryeburg Academy is a historic, academically rigorous school located in a classic New England village. The school offers specialized programs such as the film making program taught by a director who formerly worked at Hollywood's MGM Studios. Additionally, the math program has won many state and regional championships.

FACILITIES

The rural 38-acre campus features an art gallery and a state-of-the-art Performing Arts Center where 80 school and local performances are held each year. The school is currently building a new dining hall and student center.

SPORTS AND ARTS

Fryeburg offers over 20 varsity sports teams. The Nordic ski program is exceptional, having recently won the state championship and graduates have gone on to compete in the Olympics.

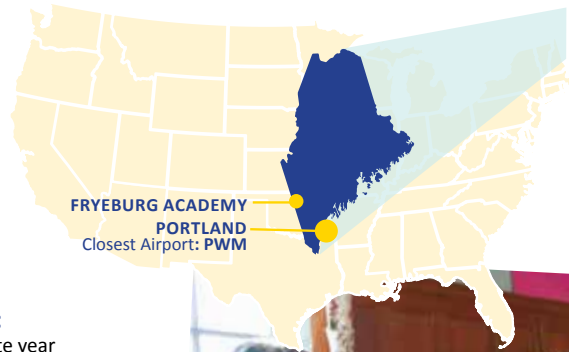
Fryeburg Academy's performing arts and music programs are outstanding. The school has won multiple first place championships in vocal jazz, big band, and new standard jazz combo in both the state and the national Berklee High School Jazz Festival.

DORMITORIES AND STUDENT LIFE

Boarding students stay in on-campus dormitories equipped with televisions, lounges, and computers. All students participate in a new after-school activity each week such as cooking lessons, swimming, or tennis at an off-campus facility. On weekends, the school organizes activities such as water tubing, video game tournaments, and campfires.

University Acceptance Rate: 99%

Partial List of University Acceptances: Bates College, Berklee College of Music, Boston College, Boston University, Brown University, Carnegie Mellon University, Columbia College, Drexel University, Hampshire College, Johns Hopkins University, Northeastern University, Oberlin College, Ohio State University, Otis College of Art and Design, Smith College, University of California - Berkeley, University of Maine



OPTIONS AVAILABLE*:

Foreign Languages: Chinese, French, Latin, Spanish

Advanced Placement Courses: Biology, Calculus AB, Calculus BC, Chemistry, Computer Science, English Language and Composition, English Literature and Composition, Environmental Science, European History, French Language and Culture, Music Theory, Physics, Spanish Language and Culture, Statistics, US History

Arts: Art, Band, Chorus, Digital Filmmaking, Digital Photography, Instrumental Music, Guitar Performance/Theory, Jazz Theory and Improvisation, Lighting/Sound Tech, Music Technology, Music Theory, New Media and Website Design, Photoshop, Photography Workshop, Piano Keyboard/Theory, Theater

Athletics:

Boys:

Fall: Cross Country, Football, Golf, Mountain Biking, Soccer

Winter: Alpine Skiing, Basketball, Ice Hockey, Indoor Track, Nordic Skiing, Wrestling

Spring: Baseball, Lacrosse, Tennis, Track and Field, Ultimate Frisbee

Girls:

Fall: Cheerleading, Cross Country, Field Hockey, Golf, Mountain Biking, Soccer

Winter: Alpine Skiing, Basketball, Ice Hockey, Indoor Track, Nordic Skiing, Wrestling

Spring: Lacrosse, Softball, Tennis, Track and Field, Ultimate Frisbee

Extracurricular Activities: All School Musical, Audio-Visual Club, Big Band, Chess Club, Choir, Drama, Dorm Council, Environmental Club, French Club, International Club, Jazz Band, Math Team, Outing Club and Trail Crew, Rock Band, Scholar Bowl, Speaking Partner Program, Student Council, Student Press Association, Talking Circle, Ultimate Frisbee, Vocal Jazz Ensemble, Women's Group, Yearbook

ESL Available/Level: YES

*All courses and options offered by the school are subject to change.



This school is beautifully located on a traditional boarding school campus and has a new science center. I was very impressed! – **Erica McAllister, Program Advisor**





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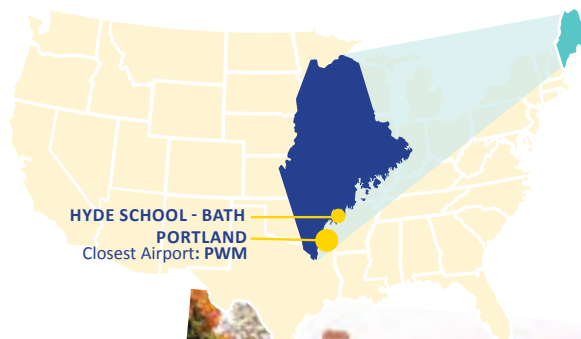
STEAM



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Hyde School

Bath, ME



LOCATION:

- Population: 8,400
- Located 35 Minutes Northeast of Portland
- Weather:
Summer/Fall: Warm and Humid
Winter/Spring: Cold and Wet

ELIGIBILITY:

- Enrollment Restrictions: None
- Minimum SLEP: No Minimum
- Minimum TOEFL: 55
- Minimum ELTIS: No Minimum

SCHOOL PROFILE

Hyde School is located on a historic 145-acre campus in the coastal town of Bath, Maine. Aspiring singer/songwriters can take advantage of Hyde School's on-campus recording studio and workshops with accomplished music industry professionals in Nashville, Tennessee, while future scientists have six real-world applicable STEAM courses to choose from.

FACILITIES

Hyde School recently added a new dorm and expanded media and science labs as well as an all-inclusive athletic center featuring a field house, an indoor track, indoor tennis and basketball courts, and cardio/weight rooms. Students also have access to cultural and spiritual centers, an on-campus recording studio, and a new Makerspace.

SPORTS AND ARTS

Because Hyde School's athletes come with varying sports backgrounds the department presents a comprehensive activity program to pique everyone's interests. Students can explore their artistic talents in the Art Barn: an old barn with a front window that lets plenty of natural light inside for painting. They can also produce original music in the fully-equipped, professional recording studio.

AWARDS AND ACCOMPLISHMENTS

Niche rated Hyde School the #1 Best Boarding School in the state of Maine. It is listed among the top 20 boarding schools for low teacher-student ratio by Boarding School Review. The boys varsity soccer team won the 2017 conference championship.

DORMITORIES AND STUDENT LIFE

Students live who to three per room in buildings with televisions, lounge areas, and kitchens. During free time they can enjoy miles of wooded trails for running, biking, and cross-country skiing that extend beyond the campus.

University Acceptance Rate: 100%

Partial List of University Acceptances: Boston College, Boston University, Berklee College of Music, Chapman University, Columbia College, Concordia College, Emerson College, George Washington University, Johnson & Wales University, New York University, Northeastern University, University of California, University of Massachusetts

SCHOOL HIGHLIGHTS:

- Niche's Best Boarding School in Maine
- STEAM program; Makerspace
- Singer/songwriter workshop; on-campus recording studio

SCHOOL FACTS:

- Grades at School: 9-12, PG
- Total Students in School: 185
- Teacher/Student Ratio: 1:6
- School Uniform Required: NO
- Religious Affiliation: None



OPTIONS AVAILABLE*:

Foreign Languages: Chinese, Spanish

Advanced Placement Courses: Calculus AB, Calculus BC, English Literature and Composition, Human Geography, Statistics, Studio Art: Drawing, Environmental Science, US History

Arts: Advanced Integrated Art, Advanced Music Theory and Performance, Continuing Art Studies, Dramatic Performance, Foundations in Art, Introduction to Music and Songwriting, Public Speaking, Sound Engineering and Stage Production

Athletics:

Boys:

Fall: Cross Country, Football, Soccer
Winter: Basketball, Dance, Indoor Track, Swimming, Weight Lifting, Wrestling
Spring: Lacrosse, Tennis, Track and Field

Girls:

Fall: Cross Country, Soccer
Winter: Basketball, Dance, Indoor Track, Swimming, Weight Lifting, Wrestling
Spring: Lacrosse, Tennis, Track and Field

Extracurricular Activities: Big Brothers and Sisters, Campus Singers, Community Service, Dance, Maine State Leadership Host, Service Learning, Robotics Club, Tech Crew, Public Speaking, Ultimate Frisbee, Wilderness Leadership Experience, Yearbook

ESL Available/Level: YES

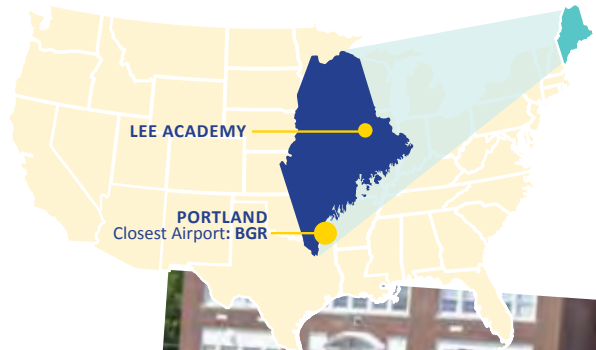
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Lee Academy

Lee, ME



LOCATION:

- Population: 900
- Located 2 Hours 30 Minutes North of Portland
- Weather:
Summer/Fall: Warm and Humid
Winter/Spring: Cold and Wet

ELIGIBILITY:

- Enrollment Restrictions: None
- Minimum SLEP: Not Required
- Minimum TOEFL: Preferred, No Minimum
- Minimum ELTIS: Not Required

SCHOOL HIGHLIGHTS:

- Extensive arts program
- Driving distance to renowned Acadia National Park
- Plant Conservatory; Planetarium

SCHOOL FACTS:

- Grades at School: 9-12, PG
- Total Students in School: 250
- Teacher/Student Ratio: 1:15
- School Uniform Required: NO
- Religious Affiliation: None



SCHOOL PROFILE

Founded in 1845, Lee Academy utilizes AP courses and an Academic Learning Lab to prepare students to succeed beyond high school. The school is located in the far northeastern corner of New England within driving distance to the expansive Acadia National Park and surrounded by Canada to the east, north, and west.

FACILITIES

The campus' 12 buildings include athletic fields, a plant conservatory, a planetarium, an auditorium, two gymnasiums, and a music center.

SPORTS AND ARTS

Lee Academy has recently added golf, tennis, indoor track, wrestling, and bowling to its athletics program. Lee Academy has won state championships in basketball, baseball, softball, and cross country.

The school's extensive arts program offers students unique opportunities such as architectural drawing and concert band.

DORMITORIES AND STUDENT LIFE

All dormitories at Lee Academy are equipped with wireless internet, lounge rooms with televisions, and laundry facilities. Students participate in year-round activities such as seasonal dances, musicals, and recreational athletics.

OPTIONS AVAILABLE*:

Foreign Languages: French, Spanish

Advanced Placement Courses: Biology, Calculus AB, Calculus BC, Chemistry, English Language and Composition, English Literature and Composition, Macroeconomics, Physics, Statistics, Studio Art, US Government and Politics, US History

Arts: Architectural Drawing, Art Advanced, Art Beginner, Band Beginner, Guitar Advanced, Guitar Beginner, Chorus, Concert Band, Digital Photography, Introduction to Drama, Introduction to Music, Music Theory and Composition, Piano, Pre-AP Art, Studio Art

Athletics:

Boys:

Fall: Cross Country, Golf, Soccer, Volleyball
Winter: Alpine Skiing, Basketball, Cheerleading, Cross Country Skiing, Indoor Track, Wrestling
Spring: Baseball, Tennis

Girls:

Fall: Cross Country, Golf, Soccer, Volleyball
Winter: Alpine Skiing, Basketball, Cheerleading, Cross Country Skiing, Indoor Track, Wrestling
Spring: Softball, Tennis

Extracurricular Activities: Arts Gala, Bicycling, Bowling, Canoeing, Chorus and Pep Band, Civil Rights Team, Community Service Club, Concert Band, Drama, Envirothon, French Club, Hiking and Orienteering, Ice Fishing, Ice Skating, Kayaking, Math Team, Ski Program, National Honor Society, Peer Counseling, Poetry Out Loud, Robotics Club, Snowshoeing, Student Council, Swimming, Wilderness Experience, Yearbook

ESL Available/Level: YES

University Acceptance Rate: 95%

Partial List of University Acceptances: Arizona State University, Art Institute of Boston, Bates College, Barry University, Beal College, Bellarmine University, Berea College, Boston College, Boston University, Butler University, Caldwell University, California Baptist University, California State University, Case Western Reserve University, Central Connecticut University, Cleveland Institute of the Arts, Colby College, Colby Sawyer College, Drexel University, Elmira College, Emory University, Northeastern University, University of Arizona



*All courses and options offered by the school are subject to change.

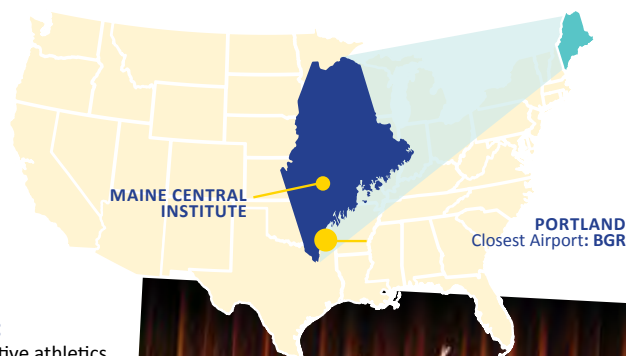




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Maine Central Institute

Pittsfield, ME



LOCATION:

- Population: 4,200
- Located 1 Hour 30 Minutes North of Portland
- Weather:
Summer/Fall: Warm and Humid
Winter/Spring: Cool and Humid

ELIGIBILITY:

- Enrollment Restrictions: None
- Minimum SLEP: No Minimum
- TOEFL: No Minimum
- Minimum ELTIS: No Minimum

SCHOOL HIGHLIGHTS:

- Award-winning competitive athletics
- New aviation program/flight school
- Pre-professional ballet program

SCHOOL FACTS:

- Grades at School: 9-12, PG
- Total Students in School: 436
- Teacher/Student Ratio: 1:9
- School Uniform Required: No
- Religious Affiliation: None



OPTIONS AVAILABLE*:

Foreign Languages: Chinese, French, Spanish

Advanced Placement Courses: Art, Biology, Calculus AB, Calculus BC, Chemistry, Computer Science, English Language and Composition, English Literature and Composition, Physics, Statistics, US Government and Politics, US History

Note: Students have access to additional online AP courses.

Arts: 3D Design, Art and Design Fundamentals, A Capella, Ballet, Bossov Ballet Theater, Concert Band, Concert Choir, Ceramics, Drama, Festival Theater Ensemble, Jazz Ensemble, Music in Society, Photography, Studio Art, Theater Arts

Athletics:

Boys:

Fall: Cross Country, Football, Golf, Soccer, Rifle Team, Volleyball

Winter: Basketball, Cheerleading, Ice Hockey, Indoor Track and Field, Rifle Team, Swimming, Wrestling

Spring: Baseball, Lacrosse, Outdoor Track and Field, Rifle Team, Tennis

Girls:

Fall: Cross Country, Field Hockey, Golf, Soccer, Rifle Team, Volleyball

Winter: Basketball, Cheerleading, Ice Hockey, Indoor Track and Field, Rifle Team, Swimming, Wrestling

Spring: Softball, Lacrosse, Outdoor Track and Field, Rifle Team, Tennis

Extracurricular Activities: Art, Book Club, Chess, Calligraphy, Chinese, Creative Writing, Culinary, Culture Diversity, Dorm Counsel, Fencing, Flight School, French, Model United Nations, Math Team, National Honor Society, Outdoor Adventure, Paper Art, Ping Pong, Rocketry, Role Playing, Robotics, Sewing, Student Leadership Committee, Science and Outing, Student Ambassadors, Tennis, Yearbook

ESL Available/Level: YES - Beginner to Advanced

*All courses and options offered by the school are subject to change.

SCHOOL PROFILE

Maine Central Institute offers American and international students a rigorous academic environment surrounded by the best of New England town life. Maine Central Institute provides a comprehensive educational program and a newly founded aviation program.

FACILITIES

Maine Central Institute's campus includes a state-of-the-art Math and Science Center, two computer classrooms, a chemistry lab, a botany area, and recently renovated art facilities. Maine Central Institute's sports facilities includes gymnasiums, weightlifting equipment, sports fields, a golf course, a track, and tennis courts.

SPORTS AND ARTS

MCI's impressive athletic record includes three football state championships and two field hockey state championships. Three NBA All-Stars have graduated from MCI. Over 25% of students participate in drama or art competitions each year. The Bossov Ballet Theater at MCI is both a performing company and an internationally renowned pre-professional ballet school.

DORMITORIES AND STUDENT LIFE

Maine Central Institute's four dormitories include two boys dorms, a girls dorm, and an honors dorm. Each building has laundry and student lounges. In addition to the 17 competitive sports teams, students have 40 clubs and activities to choose from throughout the school year.

University Acceptance Rate: 98%

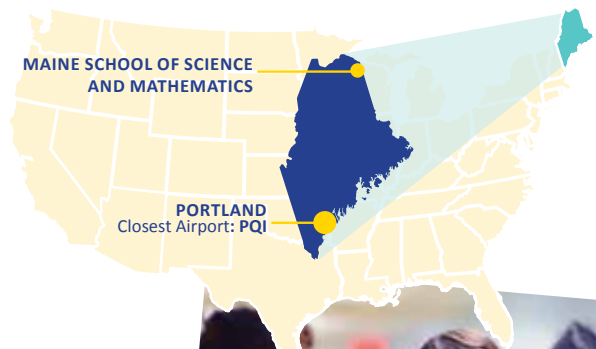
Partial List of University Acceptances: American University, Boston University, Brandeis University, Brown University, Cornell University, Georgetown University, Harvard University, Miami University, Northeastern University, New York University, Pace University, Pennsylvania State University, Princeton University, Rochester Institute of Technology, Syracuse University, Savannah College of Art and Design, Tulane University, University of Washington, University of Vermont, University of Texas, University of Pittsburgh, University of Massachusetts, University of Maine, University of Illinois, University of California, University of Southern California, University of Wisconsin





Maine School of Science and Mathematics

Limestone, ME



LOCATION:

- Population: 2,200
- Located 4 Hours 30 Minutes North of Portland
- Weather:
Summer/Fall: Warm and Temperate
Winter/Spring: Cold and Temperate

ELIGIBILITY:

- Enrollment Restrictions: None
- Minimum SLEP: Not Accepted
- Minimum TOEFL: 100
- Minimum ELTiS: Not Accepted

SCHOOL HIGHLIGHTS:

- School-wide STEM focus
- Dual enrollment classes for college credit
- US News and World Report 12th best high school in the US

SCHOOL FACTS:

- Grades at School: 9-12
- Total Students in School: 154
- Teacher/Student Ratio: 1:5
- School Uniform Required: NO
- Religious Affiliation: None

SCHOOL PROFILE

Maine School of Science and Mathematics is a unique STEM-track boarding school situated along the Canadian border in northern Maine. The school features a rigorous academic curriculum and a partnership with a local university that allows students to enroll in dual enrollment courses for college credit.

FACILITIES

In addition to Maine's vast expanse of northern New England countryside, Maine School of Science and Mathematics students have access to a Jr. Olympic swimming pool, five sports fields, multiple science labs, and an organic chemistry greenhouse.

SPORTS AND ARTS

The school offers several competitive and recreational sports such as cross country, soccer, and volleyball. The school's northeastern location provides a long ski season, making their Nordic skiing team particularly strong. Students can learn about the wilderness that surrounds them in classes such as Acadian culture and history, or develop their fine and performing arts skills with courses like watercolor and theater.

AWARDS AND ACCOMPLISHMENTS

Maine School of Science and Mathematics is ranked the 12th best high school in the United States by *U.S. News and World Report*. The school took first place in the 2018 Maine State Math Meet. The underwater robotics team came in second place at the 2018 Northern New England regional underwater robotics competition, qualifying them for nationals.

DORMITORIES AND STUDENT LIFE

Boarding students live in a large five-wing dorm with several lounges, full kitchens, and a connected combination gym, game room, and music practice rooms. Students participate in various clubs and activities such as dances. Weekend trips and activities have included hiking, concerts, and dog sled races.



OPTIONS AVAILABLE*:

Foreign Languages: Chinese, French, Spanish

Advanced Placement Courses: Biology, Calculus AB, Calculus BC, Chemistry, English Language and Composition, English Literature and Composition, Environmental Science, Physics B, Physics C, Psychology, Statistics, US History

Arts: Acadian Culture and History, Art History, Basic Design, Chorus, Drawing, Fiction Writing, Introduction to Theater, Small Instrumental Ensemble, String Ensemble, Watercolor, Yearbook

Athletics:

Boys:

Fall: Cross Country, Soccer

Winter: Intramural Basketball, Nordic Skiing

Spring: Outdoor Track and Field, Volleyball

Girls:

Fall: Cross Country, Soccer

Winter: Intramural Basketball, Nordic Skiing

Spring: Outdoor Track and Field, Volleyball

Extracurricular Activities: Chess, Computing Machinery, Key Club, Math Team, Prom Committee, Robotics, Science Bowl, Student Senate, Youth and Government

ESL Available/Level: NO

*All courses and options offered by the school are subject to change.

University Acceptance Rate: 100%

Partial List of University Acceptances: Amherst College, Boston University, Bowdoin College, Colorado State University, Florida Institute Of Technology, Georgia Institute of Technology, Johns Hopkins University, Massachusetts Institute of Technology (MIT), Northeastern University, Pomona College, Rensselaer Polytechnic Institute (RPI), Rochester Institute of Technology, University of Massachusetts, University of Vermont, Vassar College, Worcester Polytechnic Institute, Wesleyan College





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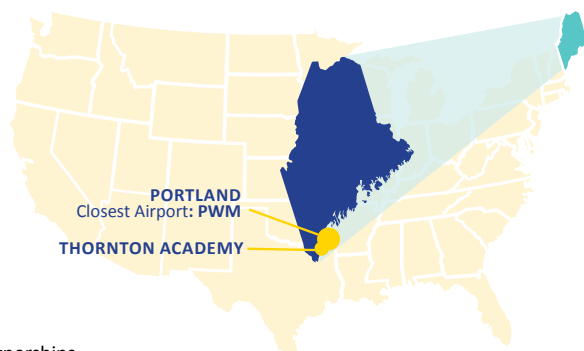
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SPORTS

Thornton Academy

Saco, ME



LOCATION:

- Population: 18,500
- Located 20 Minutes South of Portland
- Weather:
Summer/Fall: Warm and Temperate
Winter/Spring: Cold and Temperate

ELIGIBILITY:

- Enrollment Restrictions: Grades Accepted: 8-12, PG
- Minimum SLEP: No Minimum
- Minimum TOEFL: No Minimum
- Minimum ELTIS: No Minimum

SCHOOL PROFILE

Founded in 1811, Thornton Academy is one of New England's oldest college preparatory schools. Its comprehensive curriculum consists of 140 courses, including seven foreign languages, 30 arts classes, and several AP, dual enrollment, and honors courses. The school's collaborations with both the University of New England and the University of Maine School of Engineering allows students to bypass freshman year at both schools.

FACILITIES

Campus facilities feature a science building, a foreign language building, an art center, an observatory, and a 500-person theater. Athletic facilities include sports fields, an outdoor track, basketball court, and four large multi-purpose stadiums.

SPORTS AND ARTS

As a member of Maine's top athletic league, Thornton Academy offers several competitive varsity sports. Their football, tennis, golf, swimming, and volleyball teams consistently place top in the state or region.

Thornton's dramatic arts are regarded as a highly developed program that includes courses in theater basics, acting, and technical theater with a focus on media arts.

DORMITORIES AND STUDENT LIFE

Thornton Academy has several dormitory options including three small house-style dorms and three brand-new large, traditional buildings. Students have their own outdoor basketball court and several barbecue cookouts throughout the year.

University Acceptance Rate: 100%

Partial List of University Acceptances: American University, Bates College, Berklee College of Music, Brandeis University, Boston College, Boston University, Brown University, Cornell University, Georgia Institute of Technology, Johns Hopkins University, Massachusetts Institute of Technology (MIT), Northeastern University, Syracuse University, Tulane University, University of Massachusetts, University of San Diego, University of Virginia, University of Washington, Virginia Institute of Technology, Wellesley College, Wesleyan University

SCHOOL HIGHLIGHTS:

- College acceleration partnerships
- Offers more than 20 AP courses
- Competitive athletics

SCHOOL FACTS:

- Grades at School: 6-12, PG
- Total Students in School: 1,630
- Students in High School: 1,430
- Teacher/Student Ratio: 1:14
- School Uniform Required: NO
- Religious Affiliation: None

OPTIONS AVAILABLE*:

Foreign Languages: Ancient Greek, Arabic, Chinese, French, German, Latin, Spanish

Advanced Placement Courses: Biology, Calculus AB, Calculus BC, Chemistry, Chinese, Computer Science A, Microeconomics, English Language and Composition, English Literature and Composition, Environmental Science, European History, French Language and Culture, Human Geography, Latin, Music Theory, Physics C, Physics I, Physics II, Psychology, Spanish, Statistics, Studio Art: 2D Design, US Government and Politics, US History

Arts: Acting, Art History, Band, Chamber Singers, Choir, Dance, Design For Stage, Illustration, Jazz Band, Music History, Music Technology, Painting, Photography, Piano Lab, Pottery, Printmaking, Rock 'n Roll, Sculpture, String Orchestra, Theater, Treble Choir, Visual Arts, Wind Ensemble

Athletics:

Boys:

Fall: Cheerleading, Cross Country, Football, Golf, Soccer

Winter: Basketball, Competition Cheerleading, Ice Hockey, Indoor Track, Skiing, Swimming, Wrestling

Spring: Baseball, Lacrosse, Tennis, Track and Field

Girls:

Fall: Cheerleading, Cross Country, Field Hockey, Football, Golf, Soccer, Volleyball

Winter: Basketball, Competition Cheerleading, Ice Hockey, Indoor Track and Field, Skiing, Swimming

Spring: Lacrosse, Softball, Tennis, Track and Field

Extracurricular Activities: Academic Decathlon, Animal Rights Group, Anime Club, Environmental Club, Game Development, Gay/Straight Alliance, Student Council, Literary Arts Magazine, Music Appreciation, National Honor Society, Political Action Group, Robotics Club, Science Olympiad Team

ESL Available/Level: YES

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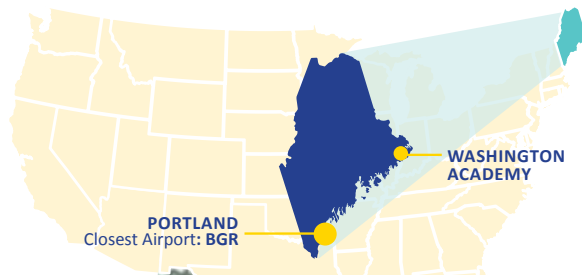
This school has a great STEM program, and it is only 2 hours from Boston. – Erica McAllister, Program Advisor





Washington Academy

East Machias, ME



LOCATION:

- Population: 1,300
- Located 3 Hours 30 Minutes Northeast of Portland
- Weather:
Summer/Fall: Warm and Temperate
Winter/Spring: Cold and Temperate

ELIGIBILITY:

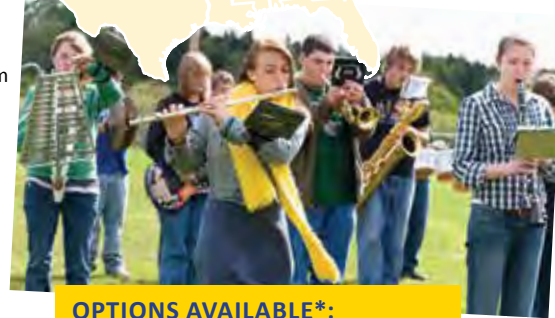
- Enrollment Restrictions: 2.0+ GPA; PG Not For Credit
- Minimum SLEP: No Minimum
- Minimum TOEFL: No Minimum
- Minimum ELTIS: No Minimum

SCHOOL HIGHLIGHTS:

- Coastal ecology/marine biology program
- Hands-on vocational programs: boat building; health occupations
- Offers AP and college credit courses

SCHOOL FACTS:

- Grades at School: 9-12, PG
- Total Students in School: 430
- Teacher/Student Ratio: 1:13
- School Uniform Required: NO
- Religious Affiliation: None



SCHOOL PROFILE

Located on the coast of northeastern Maine, Washington Academy offers unique programs such as a high-level coastal ecology/marine biology track and hands-on vocational options including boat building, health occupations, and culinary arts, as well as AP, honors, and college credit courses.

FACILITIES

Washington Academy's facilities include an industrial arts building, a gymnasium, several athletic fields and courts, a fine arts building, and a large music hall. The first academy building, built in 1823, houses classrooms and the health center.

SPORTS AND ARTS

Many of Washington Academy's competitive sports teams, including soccer, cheering, and basketball, have won state championships. The school's tennis team is extremely popular among the student body.

The school's arts department puts on plays throughout each school year and an annual Spring Show. Students can learn to play the guitar or study cultural dance.

DORMITORIES AND STUDENT LIFE

Washington Academy's three dormitories are equipped with phone service, wireless internet, televisions, and large kitchens. Boarding students participate in the residential life curriculum, which facilitates weekend trips and events, family-style dinners, and daily extracurriculars.

OPTIONS AVAILABLE*:

Foreign Languages: Chinese, Spanish

Advanced Placement Courses: Biology, Calculus AB, Calculus BC, Chemistry, English Language and Composition, English Literature and Composition, European History, Latin Language, Music Theory, Physics, Spanish, Statistics, Studio Art, US History

Arts: Applied Media, Band, Chorus, Cultural Dance, Digital Animation, Guitar, Music Theory, Studio Art, Theater, Visual Arts

Athletics:

Boys:
Fall: Cross Country, Football, Golf, Soccer
Winter: Basketball, Swimming, Wrestling
Spring: Baseball, Tennis, Track and Field

Girls:
Fall: Cheering, Cross Country, Golf, Soccer, Volleyball
Winter: Basketball, Cheering, Swimming
Spring: Softball, Tennis, Track and Field

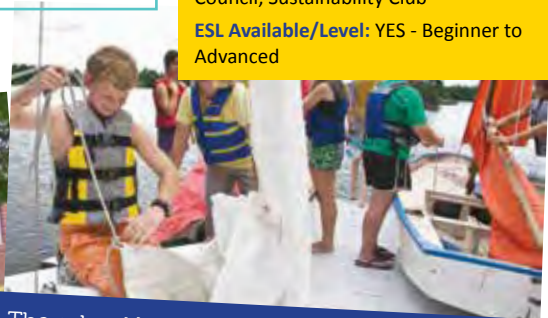
Extracurricular Activities: A Capella, Chess, Envirothon, Drama, Gay-Straight Alliance, Jazz Band, Junior Prom Committee, Literary Magazine, Math Team, National Honor Society, New Media Club, Pep Band, School Newspaper, Science Club, Ski Club, Student Council, Sustainability Club

ESL Available/Level: YES - Beginner to Advanced

*All courses and options offered by the school are subject to change.

University Acceptance Rate: 100%

Partial List of University Acceptances: Boston College, Dartmouth University, Drexel University, Franklin Pierce University, Husson University, International Academy of Design and Technology, Middlebury College, New York University, Pennsylvania State University, Purdue University, Rutgers University, Syracuse University, South Carolina University, Simmons University, University of Texas at Austin, Vanderbilt University, Wheaton College, Westminster College, Worcester Polytechnic Institute



The school has a very good Marine Science Program. Students have a possibility to earn college credits.
 – Erica McAllister, Program Advisor



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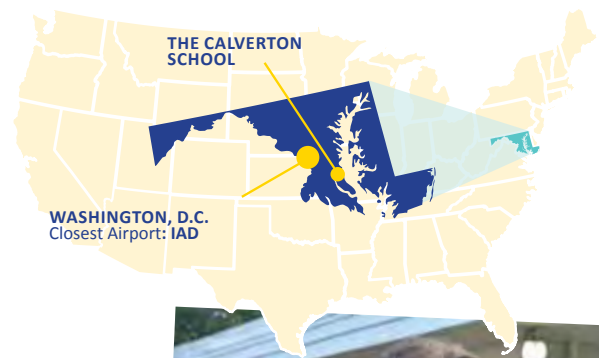
SPORTS



ARTS

The Calverton School

Huntingtown, MD



LOCATION:

- Population: 3,300
- Located 1 Hour Southeast of Washington, D.C.
- Weather:
Summer/Fall: Warm and Humid
Winter/Spring: Cold and Mild

ELIGIBILITY:

- Enrollment Restrictions: Grades Accepted: 9-11
- Minimum SLEP: Not Accepted
- Minimum TOEFL: 70 (Higher for 10/11)
- Minimum ELTiS: 180 (212 for 10/11)

SCHOOL HIGHLIGHTS:

- International Baccalaureate Diploma
- Affiliation with the D.C. United Soccer Program
- Unique neighborhood-style residential village for boarding students

SCHOOL FACTS:

- Grades at School: Pre K-12
- Total Students in School: 259
- Teacher/Student Ratio: 1:7
- School Uniform Required: YES
- Religious Affiliation: None

SCHOOL PROFILE

Located near the coast of Maryland one hour southeast of the nation's capital, The Calverton School offers the prestigious International Baccalaureate Diploma and a new neighborhood-style Global Residential Village.

FACILITIES

The addition of the new Global Residential Village brought Calverton's campus to a spacious 153 acres. Its modern facilities include Smart Touch technology in every classroom, a large sports complex with numerous fields and courts, a new turf stadium, a contemporary arts and science center, a student art gallery, science labs, and a theater/auditorium. Students have access to campus-wide wireless internet access and iPads or laptops in every classroom.

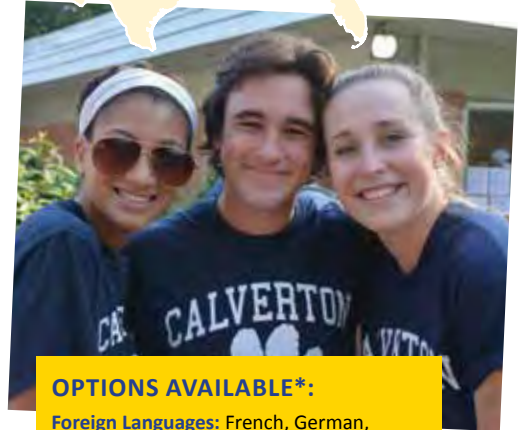
SPORTS AND ARTS

In addition to 10 competitive sports, The Calverton School offers the D.C. United Academy Program: a partnership with the D.C. United professional soccer team that offers residency training for aspiring professional soccer players.

In addition to two IB diploma art offerings, students can choose from interesting electives such as 3D printing and film study.

DORMITORIES AND STUDENT LIFE

The Calverton School recently incorporated a new Global Residential Village onto campus. The village is a neighborhood-style village of large houses with full-time house parents, Wi-Fi, theaters, exercise rooms, and entertainment areas. The housing is located along a wooded area with direct access to outdoor nature trails.



OPTIONS AVAILABLE*:

Foreign Languages: French, German, Spanish

Advanced Placement Courses: Calculus AB, Calculus BC

Arts: 3D Printing, Film Study, Guitar, IB Music, IB Visual Arts, Musical Theater, Music Appreciation, Repertoire and Performance, Studio Art, Yearbook

Athletics:

Boys:

Fall: Cross Country, Golf, Soccer

Winter: Basketball, Swimming

Spring: Lacrosse, Tennis

Girls:

Fall: Cross Country, Field Hockey, Golf, Soccer, Volleyball

Winter: Basketball, Swimming

Spring: Lacrosse, Softball, Tennis

Extracurricular Activities: Anime, Cooking

ESL Available/Level: YES

*All courses and options offered by the school are subject to change.

University Acceptance Rate: 98%

Partial List of University Acceptances: Berklee College of Music, Boston University, Brown University, Bryn Mawr College, Carnegie Mellon University, Harvard University, Middlebury College, Mount Holyoke College, Savannah College of Art and Design, Smith College, Stanford University, Syracuse University, University of California - Los Angeles, Yale University

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West Nottingham Academy

Colora, MD



LOCATION:

- Population: 2,600
- Located 1 Hour Northeast of Baltimore
- Weather:
Summer/Fall: Warm and Humid
Winter/Spring: Cold and Humid

ELIGIBILITY:

- Enrollment Restrictions: Grades Accepted: 9-11
- Minimum SLEP: Not Accepted
- Minimum TOEFL: 50-75 (Varies by Grade)
- Minimum ELTiS: 200

SCHOOL HIGHLIGHTS:

- Driving distance to Washington, D.C. and New York City
- Experiential project-based learning
- New Innovation Center; 3D Printers; Virtual Reality Technology

SCHOOL FACTS:

- Grades at School: 9-12, PG
- Total Students in School: 130
- Teacher/Student Ratio: 1:7
- School Uniform Required: NO (There is a Dress Code)
- Religious Affiliation: None

SCHOOL PROFILE

Founded in 1744, West Nottingham Academy is the oldest boarding school in the United States. The school's ideal location places students within driving distance to the Atlantic coast, New York City, and Washington, D.C. Students participate in experiential, project-based learning.

FACILITIES

West Nottingham's facilities, located on 100 acres near the Atlantic Ocean, include a student center, a science center, sports fields, and an amphitheater. The school's brand new Innovation Center features 3D printers, HP computers, podcasting equipment, virtual reality technology, and green screen technology.

SPORTS AND ARTS

All students participate in three seasons each year of competitive or recreational athletics. Options include badminton, soccer, and cheerleading.

West Nottingham's artist-in-residence collaboration with the New York Academy of Art allows students to be taught by professional graduated artists who reside and teach on campus.

DORMITORIES AND STUDENT LIFE

Students live in one of four residence halls. Each dormitory is fully equipped with air conditioning, flat-screen televisions, lounges, laundry, kitchenettes, and internet.



OPTIONS AVAILABLE*:

Foreign Languages: French, Spanish

Advanced Placement Courses: Biology, Calculus AB, Calculus BC, Chemistry, Computer Science, English Literature and Composition, Environmental Science, European History, French Language, Music Theory, Physics 1, Physics C, Spanish Language, Statistics, Studio Art, US History

Arts: Chorus, Drama, Humanities Art and Music, Instrumental Performance, Music Production, Photography, Songwriting and Music Theory, Studio I and II, Topics in Music Entrepreneurship, Vocal Performance

Athletics:

Boys:

Fall: Cross Country, Soccer

Winter: Basketball

Spring: Badminton, Baseball, Lacrosse, Tennis

Girls:

Fall: Cross Country, Soccer, Volleyball

Winter: Basketball, Cheerleading

Spring: Badminton, Lacrosse, Tennis

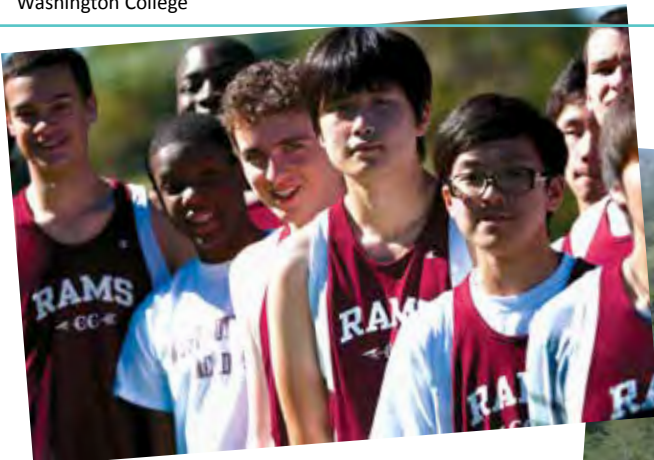
Extracurricular Activities: Admission Ambassadors, Chamber Ensemble, Cheerleading, Chess, Chorus, Dance, Drama, Model United Nations, Photography, Robotics, Service Learning, Student Environmental Council, Yearbook

ESL Available/Level: YES - Intermediate

*All courses and options offered by the school are subject to change.

University Acceptance Rate: 100%

Partial List of University Acceptances: University of Alabama, American University, Boston College, Boston University, University of California, University of Delaware, Drexel University, George Washington University, University of Illinois, Indiana University, University of Maryland, University of Massachusetts, Massachusetts Institute of Technology (MIT), Michigan State University, Northeastern University, Pennsylvania State University, Philadelphia University, Purdue University, Rochester Institute of Technology, University of San Francisco, Syracuse University, University of Virginia, Virginia Polytechnic Institute and State University, Washington College





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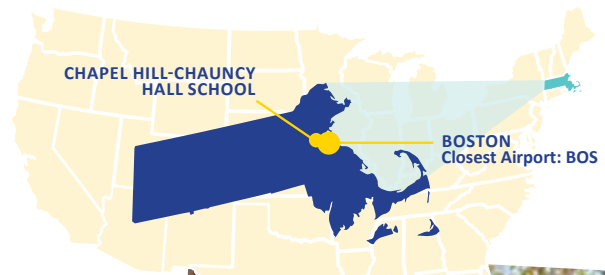
ARTS



PROGRAM

Chapel Hill - Chauncy Hall School

Waltham, MA



LOCATION:

- Population: 60,600
- Located 20 Minutes West of Boston
- Weather:
Summer/Fall: Warm and Humid
Winter/Spring: Cold and Humid

ELIGIBILITY:

- Enrollment Restrictions: None
- Minimum SLEP: Not Accepted
- Minimum TOEFL: Required, No Minimum
- Minimum ELTIS: Not Accepted

SCHOOL HIGHLIGHTS:

- Independent senior capstone project
- International Baccalaureate Diploma
- Classic New England campus minutes from Boston

SCHOOL FACTS:

- Grades at School: 9-12, PG
- Total Students in School: 175
- Teacher/Student Ratio: 1:5
- School Uniform Required: NO
- Religious Affiliation: None

SCHOOL PROFILE

Founded in 1860, Chapel Hill-Chauncy Hall School is located just minutes west of Boston, Massachusetts and its world-renowned colleges and universities. The academically rigorous school offers the International Baccalaureate Diploma along with various AP courses and a senior capstone project that promotes independence and responsibility.

FACILITIES

The school's historical buildings are located on a forested 40-acre campus with a classic New England feel. Students have access to a media arts center, barn houses with a theater, a digital arts lab, a photography dark room, a pottery studio, and a dance/yoga studio. Additionally, the campus features a pond with a zip-line, a greenhouse, multiple athletic fields, swimming pools, a gymnasium, a fitness center, and a student commons.

SPORTS AND ARTS

Chapel Hill-Chauncy Hall School is home to 12 intercollegiate sports teams, six of which won the state championships during the 2017-18 season. In addition to competitive athletics, students can participate in recreational activities such as fitness.

The school offers a wide and unique range of arts options such as sculpting and wheel throwing as well as extracurricular clubs such as drama tech and media internship.

AWARDS AND ACCOMPLISHMENTS

CH-CH is listed among the top 10 schools in the state for their range of Advanced Placement courses. The 2017-18 school year brought six state championships in volleyball, cross country, boy's basketball, boy's lacrosse, wrestling, and softball.

DORMITORIES AND STUDENT LIFE

Students live in one of four dorms with laundry, common rooms, and dorm parents. The school organizes various activities such as college sports games, kayaking, and skiing. Since the school is located so close to Boston, students have the opportunity to take public transportation into the city and explore on their own.

University Acceptance Rate: 100%

Partial List of University Acceptances: Boston College, Boston University, Brown University, Emerson College, Georgia Institute of Technology, Northeastern University, Pratt Institute, Purdue University, School of the Art Institute of Chicago, Temple University, Tufts University, Tulane University, University of California - San Diego, University of Connecticut, University of Maine, University of Massachusetts, University of Miami



OPTIONS AVAILABLE*:

Foreign Languages: Chinese, French, Spanish

Advanced Placement Courses: Calculus AB, English Literature and Composition, Environmental Science, Studio Art, US Government and Politics

Arts: Advanced 2D/3D Design, Art History/Theory/Criticism, Chamber Ensemble, Digital Photography, Guitar, Piano, Publications, Sculpting in Clay, Sculpture, Theater, Visual Arts, Vocal Ensemble, Wheel Throwing and Non-Traditional Vessel Construction

Athletics:

Boys:

Fall: Cross Country, Golf, Soccer

Winter: Basketball, Wrestling

Spring: Baseball, Lacrosse, Ultimate Frisbee

Girls:

Fall: Cross Country, Golf, Soccer, Volleyball

Winter: Basketball, Wrestling

Spring: Lacrosse, Softball, Ultimate Frisbee

Extracurricular Activities: American Sign Language, Cavalry TV, Drama, Drama Tech, Fitness, Frisbee Club, Improv Club, Latin Culture Club, Media Internship, Movie Club, Newspaper, Peer Support, Rock-Climbing, Students of Color, Student Government

ESL Available/Level: YES - Intermediate to Advanced

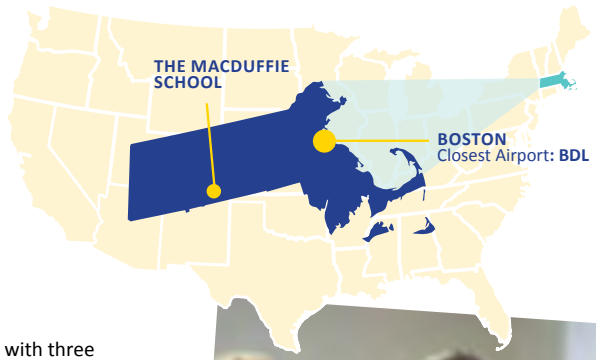
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The MacDuffie School

Granby, MA



LOCATION:

- Population: 6,200
- Located 1 Hour 30 Minutes West of Boston
- Weather:
Summer/Fall: Warm and Humid
Winter/Spring: Cold and Dry

ELIGIBILITY:

- Enrollment Restrictions: None
- Minimum SLEP: 55
- Minimum TOEFL: 70
- Minimum ELTiS: Not Required

SCHOOL HIGHLIGHTS:

- Academic collaborations with three colleges and universities including two Ivy Leagues
- Unique leadership certificate curriculum
- Guaranteed college admission partnerships

SCHOOL FACTS:

- Grades at School: 6-12, PG
- Total Students in School: 280
- Students in High School: 245
- Teacher/Student Ratio: 1:7
- School Uniform Required: NO

SCHOOL PROFILE

The MacDuffie School offers students unique academic programs such as their Leadership Program, developed by a professor from the Cornell University Graduate School of Management. MacDuffie's science department has partnerships with UMass Amherst's Polymer Science Lab and the Harvard University Science Department. The school also has guaranteed admission agreements with Wentworth Institute of Technology and Massachusetts College of Pharmacy and Health Sciences.

FACILITIES

The MacDuffie School's new 50-acre campus features state of the art technology in each building. The school is in the process of building a new Creativity Center and a new artificial turf field.

SPORTS AND ARTS

The MacDuffie School has a longstanding reputation as a fierce intercollegiate athletic competitor. The school has recently won championships in soccer, basketball, volleyball, badminton, and cross country. The girls soccer team reached a record 45-game win streak and has won three of the last four New England Championships.

Students have several academic opportunities including drama, in which students write and perform their own original one-act plays each spring.

DORMITORIES AND STUDENT LIFE

Boarding students take advantage of the school's New England campus each weekend with activities such as apple picking, skiing, and trips to Boston and local colleges and universities. Students can participate in extracurricular activities such as the Math Team, which is ranked #13 in the country.



OPTIONS AVAILABLE*:

Foreign Languages: Chinese, French, Latin, Spanish

Advanced Placement Courses: Calculus AB, Calculus BC, Chemistry, Computer Science Principles, English Language and Composition, English Language and Literature, French Language and Culture, Latin Language, Physics 1, Physics 2, Spanish Language and Culture, Statistics, US History, World History

Arts: Band, Choral, Dance Ensemble, Drama, Instrumental Guitar, Keyboarding, Music Theory, Theater, Visual Arts

Athletics:

Boys:

- Fall:** Crew, Cross Country, Soccer
- Winter:** Basketball, Swimming
- Spring:** Crew, Golf, Tennis, Track and Field, Ultimate Frisbee

Girls:

- Fall:** Crew, Cross Country, Soccer, Volleyball
- Winter:** Basketball, Swimming
- Spring:** Badminton, Crew, Golf, Lacrosse, Tennis, Track and Field, Ultimate Frisbee

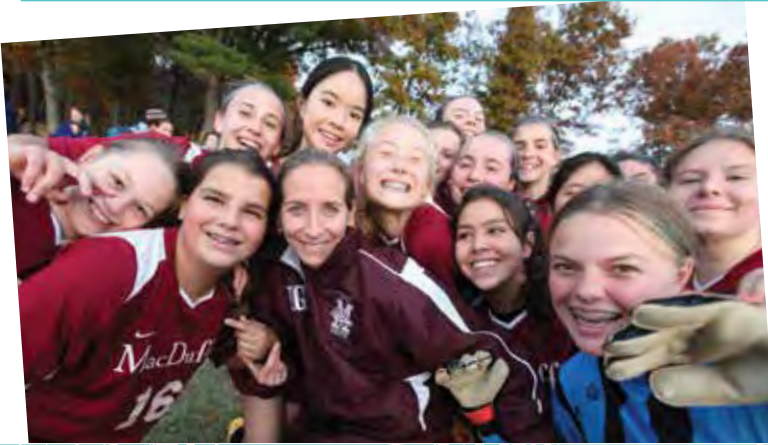
Extracurricular Activities: Anime, Chess, Dance, Film, Fitness, Improv, Key, Mathletes, Model United Nations, Music Ensembles, Musical Production, Photography, Play Production, Poetry, Student Government, Student Newspaper

ESL Available/Level: YES

*All courses and options offered by the school are subject to change.

University Acceptance Rate: 100%

Partial List of University Acceptances: Babson University, Boston College, Boston University, Brandeis University, Cornell University, Georgetown University, George Washington University, Harvard University, Michigan State University, Northwestern University, Northeastern University, Pratt Institute, Reed College, Rensselaer Polytechnic Institute, Rose-Hulman Institute, Art Institute of Chicago, University of California - Berkeley, University of California - Davis, University of Rochester, Wheaton College, Villanova University

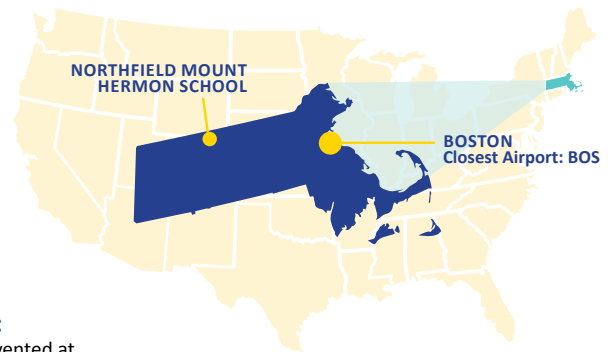




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Northfield Mount Hermon School

Northfield, MA



LOCATION:

- Population: 3,000
- Located 2 Hours West of Boston
- Weather:
Summer/Fall: Warm and Humid
Winter/Spring: Cool and Wet

ELIGIBILITY:

- Enrollment Restrictions: May not be age 19 before year of graduation
- Minimum SLEP: Not Accepted
- Minimum TOEFL: 90 (9th/10th grade), 100 (11th/12th grade)

SCHOOL PROFILE

Northfield Mount Hermon School is a one-of-a-kind boarding school that combines excellent academics with education for the head, heart, and land. With more than 30 AP courses and a wealth of extracurricular activities, there is plenty of opportunity for students to have a great education with a premier boarding school while enjoying the beautiful New England campus.

FACILITIES

Students at Northfield Mount Hermon have access to a number of fantastic facilities, including a 34-acre farm, an observatory, and a high-level athletic complex which includes three turf fields and an all-weather outdoor track.

SPORTS AND ARTS

The school has a long history of athletic success, including a powerhouse cross country program, and has produced a number of Olympians, including Tessa Gobbo, who won an Olympic Gold Medal in Rowing at the 2016 Olympics.

In terms of arts, Northfield Mount Hermon's 65,000 square-foot Rhodes Art Center is home to all of the school's performing arts. Students also have the option to enroll in a number of fine arts classes, including three AP studio art classes.

AWARDS AND ACCOMPLISHMENTS

Many Northfield Mount Hermon students win academic, athletic, and artistic awards. In 1968, the sport of Ultimate Frisbee was invented at the school.

DORMITORIES AND STUDENT LIFE

With dormitories that range from 14 to 150 students, Northfield Mount Hermon has something for every student. Each dormitory has a faculty "dorm parent" around to support students outside of class.

On the weekends, there is plenty to do. The Student Activities Office plans a number of on-campus and off-campus events, including trips to local malls, the movies, and even other boarding schools for dances.

SCHOOL HIGHLIGHTS:

- Ultimate Frisbee was invented at Northfield Mount Hermon School in 1968
- Offers over 30 AP courses
- A variety of scheduled weekend trips and activities

SCHOOL FACTS:

- Grades at School: 9-12, PG
- Total Students in School: 650
- Teacher/Student Ratio: 1:6
- School Uniform: NO

OPTIONS AVAILABLE*:

Foreign Languages: Chinese, French, Latin, Spanish

Advanced Placement Courses: Biology, Calculus AB, Calculus BC, Chemistry, Chinese Language and Culture, Computer Science A, English Language and Composition, English Literature and Composition, Environmental Science, European History, French Language and Culture, Latin, Macroeconomics, Microeconomics, Music Theory, Physics 1, Physics 2, Physics C: Electricity and Magnetism, Physics C: Mechanics, Psychology, Spanish Language and Culture, Statistics, Studio Art: 2D Design, Studio Art: 3D Design, Studio Art: Drawing, US History

Arts: Dance, Music, Theater, Visual Art

Athletics:

Boys:

Fall: Cross Country, Crew, Soccer, Outdoor Team

Winter: Alpine Skiing, Basketball, Ice Hockey, Nordic Skiing, Swimming, Wrestling

Spring: Baseball, Rowing, Golf, Lacrosse, Tennis, Track, Volleyball, Ultimate Frisbee

Girls:

Fall: Cross Country, Crew, Field Hockey, Soccer, Volleyball, Outdoor Team

Winter: Alpine Skiing, Basketball, Ice Hockey, Nordic Skiing, Swimming, Wrestling

Spring: Softball, Rowing, Golf, Lacrosse, Tennis, Track, Ultimate Frisbee

Extracurricular Activities: Activities and Programming Board, Art and Literary Magazine, Chinese Review, Courthouse Volunteers, Debate Society, Habitat for Humanity, Health and Wellness, Model United Nations, Robotics Team, Science Club, Spanish Workshop, Yearbook

ESL Available/Level: YES - Advanced

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University Acceptance Rate: 100%

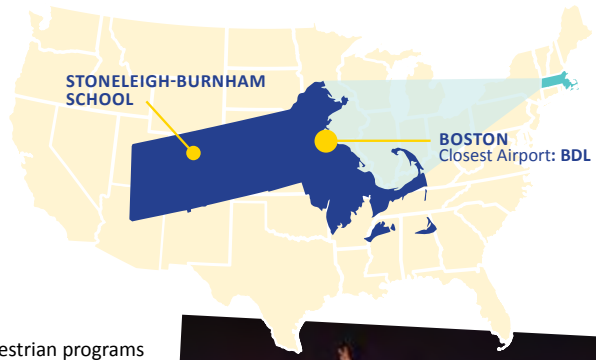
Partial List of University Acceptances: Amherst College, Boston College, Boston University, Bowdoin College, Brandeis University, Brown University, Bucknell University, Carleton College, Carnegie Mellon University, Colgate University, Columbia University, Dartmouth College, Duke University, Harvard University, Massachusetts Institute of Technology (MIT), New York University (NYU), Northwestern University, Occidental College, Pitzer College, Princeton University, Scripps College, Stanford University, Tufts University, University of Chicago, University of Michigan, University of Virginia, Wesleyan University, Yale University





Stoneleigh-Burnham School

Greenfield, MA



LOCATION:

- Population: 17,500
- Located 2 Hours West of Boston
- Weather:
Summer/Fall: Warm and Humid
Winter/Spring: Cold and Humid

ELIGIBILITY:

- Enrollment Restrictions: None
- Minimum SLEP: Not Accepted
- Minimum TOEFL: 70
- Minimum ELTIS: Not Accepted

SCHOOL HIGHLIGHTS:

- Intensive dance and equestrian programs
- Cultural orientation program
- International Baccalaureate Diploma

SCHOOL FACTS:

- Grades at School: 7-12, PG
- Total Students in School: 150
- Students in High School: 125
- Teacher/Student Ratio: 1:6
- School Uniform Required: NO
- Religious Affiliation: None



SCHOOL PROFILE

Stoneleigh-Burnham School is situated on 100 acres in the heart of the New England countryside. The nationally recognized school is New England's only girls' school to offer the prestigious International Baccalaureate Diploma.

FACILITIES

Stoneleigh-Burnham School's internet-accessible facilities include a new science center, dance studios, athletic facilities, and an art gallery. The school's recently renovated and expanded equestrian center features indoor and outdoor riding rings for year round riding, heated barns, an indoor heated viewing room, an extensive trail network around the 100-acre campus, and a Derby Field.

SPORTS AND ARTS

Students can take advantage of the school's New England location by participating in its competitive alpine skiing or figure skating winter teams. The school's equestrian program is partnered with Smith College, giving students access to instruction and facilities of collegiate quality.

Stoneleigh-Burnham offers unique art courses such as octet and weaving. The school's prestigious dance program offers instruction to students of all levels as well as a selective group that travels to New York City each spring and to various festivals and concerts throughout the year.

AWARDS AND ACCOMPLISHMENTS

Stoneleigh-Burnham is the only secondary school in the US to offer the British Horse Society Certification and is a four-time national equestrian champion. Thirteen students have ranked as World Competitors in Debate and Public Speaking.

DORMITORIES AND STUDENT LIFE

Students are housed in single or double dorm rooms in the school's main building. Students spend weekends participating in activities such as trips to Boston, New York City, ski resorts, and more.

OPTIONS AVAILABLE*:

Foreign Languages: Chinese, French, Spanish

Advanced Placement Courses: Offers IB Courses in place of AP Courses.

Arts: Acting, Dance (Beginning/Intermediate), Big Band, Chorus, Octet, Ceramics, Chamber Music Ensemble, Dance Performance Project, Design and Color, Desktop Publishing, Digital Photography, Graphic Design with Photoshop, Jazz Combo, IB Art, IB Dance, IB Music, Introduction to Studio Arts, Middle School Theater, Middle School Art, Pointe Dance, Rock Band, Winter Play Production, Weaving, Yearbook, World Music

Athletics:

Girls:

Fall: Cross Country, Dance, Equestrian, Soccer, Volleyball

Winter: Alpine Skiing, Basketball, Dance, Equestrian, Figure Skating

Spring: Dance, Equestrian, Lacrosse, Softball, Tennis

Extracurricular Activities: Blue Key Society, Business Club, Community Service Club, Debate and Public Speaking Society, Gay/Straight Alliance, International Club, Literary Society, Multimedia Club, Photography, Student Alumnae Association, Students of Color

ESL Available/Level: YES - Intermediate and Advanced

*All courses and options offered by the school are subject to change.

University Acceptance Rate: 100%

Partial List of University Acceptances: American University, Assumption College, Boston University, Drexel University, Elon University, Emerson College, Fordham University, George Washington, Harvard University, Marist College, Massachusetts Institute of Technology (MIT), Mount Holyoke College, New York University, Northeastern University, Pennsylvania State University, Salve Regina University, Syracuse University, University of Chicago, University of Delaware, University of Massachusetts, University of San Francisco, University of Virginia, University of Washington, Villanova University, Worcester Polytechnic Institute





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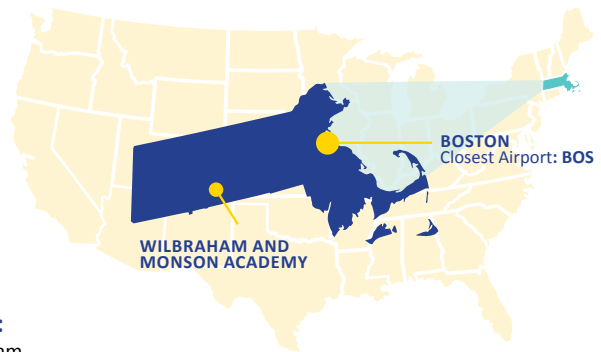
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SPORTS

Wilbraham And Monson Academy

Wilbraham, MA



LOCATION:

- Population: 14,600
- Located 1 Hour 30 Minutes West of Boston
- Weather:
Summer/Fall: Warm and Humid
Winter/Spring: Cold and Wet

ELIGIBILITY:

- Enrollment Restrictions: Grades Accepted: 8-12
- Minimum SLEP: Not Accepted
- Minimum TOEFL: 100
- Minimum ELTiS: Not Accepted

SCHOOL HIGHLIGHTS:

- Hands-on fashion program
- Financial Trading Center
- Central New England location

SCHOOL FACTS:

- Grades at School: 6-12, PG
- Total Students in School: 425
- Students in High School: 352
- Teacher/Student Ratio: 1:6
- School Uniform Required: NO (There is a Dress Code)
- Religious Affiliation: None

OPTIONS AVAILABLE*:

Foreign Languages: Chinese, French, Latin, Spanish

Advanced Placement Courses: Calculus AB, Calculus BC, Chemistry, English Language and Composition, English Literature and Composition, Environmental Science, European History, French Language and Culture, Human Geography, Latin Language, Macroeconomics, Microeconomics, Music Theory, Physics C, Spanish Language and Culture, Statistics, Studio Art: 2D Design, Studio Art: 3D Design, US History, World History

Arts: Ceramics, Chamber Ensemble, Creative Media and Video, Digital Photography, Drawing, Fashion Design, Fashion Production, Fundamentals of Theater Performance, Introduction to Keyboard and Music Theory, Introduction to Theater and Performance, Jazz Ensemble, Mosaic Harmony, Music Theory, Painting, Photography, Portfolio Art, Repertory Company, Sculpture, Singers, Studio Art, World Music Appreciation

Athletics:

Boys:

Fall: Crew, Cross Country, Football, Soccer, Water Polo

Winter: Basketball, Indoor Track, Rifle, Skiing, Swimming, Wrestling

Spring: Baseball, Golf, Lacrosse, Rugby, Tennis, Track and Field, Volleyball

Girls:

Fall: Crew, Cross Country, Field Hockey, Soccer, Volleyball

Winter: Basketball, Indoor Track, Rifle, Skiing, Swimming, Wrestling

Spring: Golf, Lacrosse, Softball, Tennis, Track and Field

Extracurricular Activities: Art, Community Service, Dance, Drama, Finance Society, Global Women's Group, Human Rights and Equality, Model United Nations, Student Government, Yearbook

ESL Available/Level: YES - Advanced Only

SCHOOL PROFILE

Wilbraham and Monson Academy is placed on a traditional New England campus and offers innovative curriculum such as a fashion design program, a simulation Financial Trading Center and a center for Entrepreneurial and Global Studies.

FACILITIES

School facilities include classrooms, science and innovation laboratories, a financial trading floor, a library, lecture halls, computer labs, a gymnasium, an indoor pool, a weight training room, a dance studio with lockers, outdoor stadiums, and campus-wide internet coverage.

SPORTS AND ARTS

Students participate in three seasons of after-school activities through the school's newly implemented Afternoon Program. The school's varsity teams such as track and rugby consistently take home titles and championships. WMA's swimming coach has won 3 national swim titles for the 2018 season.

WMA's unique fashion program offers students the chance to experience all facets of the global fashion industry with a specially designed program of coursework.

DORMITORIES AND STUDENT LIFE

Wilbraham's three large dormitories accommodate two students per room. Students have access to phones and internet connection. The school has many annual traditions such as the Color Run, a Slip 'n' Slide day, and a Spring Fling.

University Acceptance Rate: 100%

Partial List of University Acceptances: Art Institute of Chicago, Babson College, Boston College, Boston University, Brown University, University of California, Carnegie Mellon University, Case Western Reserve University, Cornell University, George Washington University, Harvard University, University of Miami, Northeastern University, Parsons The New School for Design, Pennsylvania State University, Pepperdine University, Purdue University, Rensselaer Polytechnic Institute, University of Rochester, University of Southern California, Stanford University, Virginia Polytechnic Institute, University of Washington



I love WMA because of its global community, which is able to create an incredible network with people from everywhere in the world. — Edoardo from Italy

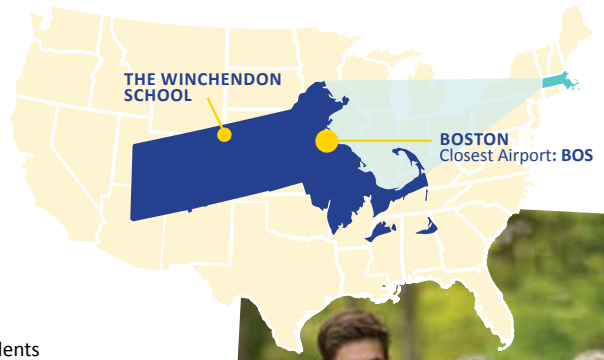


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The Winchendon School

Winchendon, MA



LOCATION:

- Population: 10,700
- Located 1 Hour and 30 Minutes West of Boston
- Weather:
Summer/Fall: Warm and Humid
Winter/Spring: Cool and Wet

ELIGIBILITY:

- Enrollment Restrictions: None
- Minimum SLEP: Not Accepted
- Minimum TOEFL: Required, No Minimum
- Minimum ELTiS: Not Required

SCHOOL HIGHLIGHTS:

- Micro-classes of 6-8 students
- Personal passions incorporated into curriculum with COLLAB program
- Campus includes an ice rink and 18-hole golf course

SCHOOL FACTS:

- Grades at School: 9-12, PG
- Total Students in School: 235
- Teacher/Student Ratio: 1:6
- School Uniform Required: NO (There is a Dress Code)
- Religious Affiliation: None



SCHOOL PROFILE

The Winchendon School is a traditional college preparatory school with small class sizes. The school's COLLAB program allows students to independently complete a semester-long project of their choosing with support from teachers. The school is a member of the Hybrid Learning Consortium, a program that offers students a wide variety of online AP, honors, and regular courses.

FACILITIES

The Winchendon School is set among the heart of the New England countryside less than two hours from the city of Boston. Facilities include a new art facility, new athletic fields, a performing arts studio, a science and math building, a greenhouse and garden with a chicken coop, an ice rink, and an 18-hole golf course.

SPORTS AND ARTS

The school offers a wide variety of interscholastic athletics and recreational sports. Many students have been recruited to play at the highest collegiate levels. Winchendon also has an outstanding fine arts program featuring the Annual Student Art Show, a yearly musical production, and a spring play production.

AWARDS AND ACCOMPLISHMENTS

A student of The Winchendon School was nationally recognized by the National Center for Women in Information Technology for "Aspirations in Computing" two years in a row.

DORMITORIES AND STUDENT LIFE

The Winchendon School's six dormitories house two students to a room and are staffed by dorm parents on every floor. Students have an extensive selection of activities and clubs to choose from, such as Women in STEM, snowboarding, and journalism.

University Acceptance Rate: 100%

Partial List of University Acceptances: Academy of Art University, Bishop University, Curry College, Elms College, Emmanuel College, Johnson & Wales University, Keene State College, Lake Washington Institute of Technology, North Carolina State University, Pennsylvania State University, Purdue University, Quinnipiac University, Regis College, Sacred Heart University, Suffolk University, Temple University, Trinity College, University of Massachusetts - Lowell, University of Connecticut, University of Massachusetts - Boston, Wentworth Institute of Technology, Wheelock College



Beautiful campus with their own golf course. The school also recently built a new dorm for girls. – Erica McAllister, Program advisor



OPTIONS AVAILABLE*:

Foreign Languages: American Sign Language, Ancient Greek, Chinese, French, Latin, Spanish

Advanced Placement Courses: Biology, Calculus AB, Calculus BC, Chinese Language and Culture, Comparative Government and Politics, Computer Science, English Literature and Composition, Environmental Science, European History, French Language and Culture, Latin, Psychology, Spanish Language and Culture, Statistics, U.S. Government and Politics, U.S. History

Arts: 2D Foundations, Art History, Ceramics, Chorus, Classical and Modern Sculpture, Creative Writing, Drawing, Graphic Design, Instrumental Ensemble, Jazz Band, Music, Music Theory and Social Impact, Painting, Playwriting, Portfolio Art, Screenwriting, Studio Art, Theater, Understanding Film, Vocal Ensemble

Athletics:

Boys:

Fall: Cross Country, Soccer

Winter: Basketball, Ice Hockey

Spring: Baseball, Badminton, Golf, Lacrosse, Tennis, Ultimate Frisbee

Girls:

Fall: Cross Country, Soccer, Volleyball

Winter: Basketball, Ice Hockey

Spring: Badminton, Golf, Lacrosse, Softball, Tennis, Ultimate Frisbee

Extracurricular Activities: A Capella, Basketball, Bowling, Dance, Debate, Diversity Club, Fine Arts, Fun Fitness, Gay Straight Alliance, General Exercise, Golf, Group Fitness, Hiking, Horseback Riding, Jazz Band, Journalism, Leadership, Math Club, Mind, Body, and Nutrition, Model United Nations, Music, Ping Pong, Robotics, Science Fair, Student Government, Skiing, Snowboarding, Swimming, Tennis, Theater, Triathlon Training, Ukulele, Ultimate Frisbee, Video Gaming, Weightlifting, Women in STEM, Yearbook

ESL Available/Level: YES - Beginner to Advanced

*All courses and options offered by the school are subject to change.



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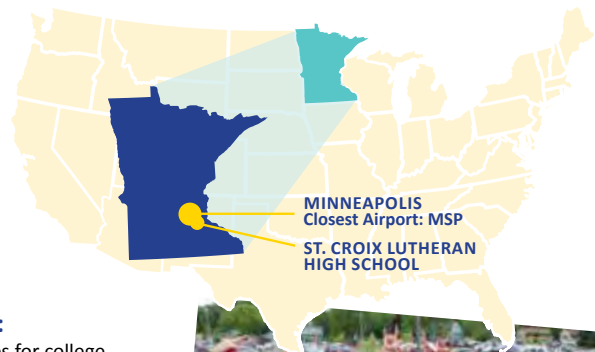


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St. Croix Lutheran High School

West St. Paul, MN



LOCATION:

- Population: 19,700
- Located 20 Minutes Southeast of Minneapolis
- Weather:
Summer/Fall: Warm and Temperate
Winter/Spring: Cold and Humid

ELIGIBILITY:

- Enrollment Restrictions: Grades Accepted: 6-11
- Minimum SLEP: 45
- Minimum TOEFL: Preferred, No Minimum
- Minimum ELTIS: Not Required

SCHOOL HIGHLIGHTS:

- More than 10 AP courses for college credit
- Two levels of ESL available
- Dormitories are mixed with both American and international students

SCHOOL FACTS:

- Grades at School: 6-12
- Total Students in School: 500
- Students in High School: 440
- Teacher/Student Ratio: 1:13
- School Uniform Required: NO
- Religious Affiliation: Lutheran

SCHOOL PROFILE

Founded in 1958, St. Croix Lutheran High School provides challenging college preparatory curriculum that gives special attention to international students through ESL programs and full-time international advisors. The school is located in the greater Minneapolis metropolitan area, one of the largest and most progressive cities in the Midwest.

FACILITIES

Students have access to an award-winning chapel music performance space, a full gymnasium, a soccer/football stadium, a running track, baseball and softball diamonds, a weight room, tennis courts, cross country paths to the Mississippi River, a video arts lab, and science laboratories.

SPORTS AND ARTS

St. Croix participates in over a dozen interscholastic sports such as softball, bowling, and hockey.

Many students choose to join one of Saint Croix's performing arts groups and participate in events such as the Snow Fest Talent Show.

DORMITORIES AND STUDENT LIFE

The 30-acre lakefront campus is located five minutes from downtown Saint Paul and its many boutiques, shops, and restaurants. Student residences are fully equipped with double room dormitories, a full cafeteria, laundry, and a computer lab.

University Acceptance Rate: 95%

Partial List of University Acceptances: Boston College, Cornell University, Columbia College, Clark University, Carnegie Mellon University, Florida Institute of Technology, Harvard University, Indiana University, Massachusetts Institute of Technology, Marquette University, Ohio State University, Pennsylvania State University, Pepperdine University, Purdue University, Syracuse University, University of Michigan, University of Wisconsin, University of Iowa, University of Texas, University of Washington, University of Notre Dame, University of San Francisco, University of California, University of Colorado, Wheaton College, Washington State University



OPTIONS AVAILABLE*:

Foreign Languages: Chinese, German, Latin, Spanish

Advanced Placement Courses: Biology, Calculus, Chemistry, English Literature and Composition, Music Theory, Physics, Psychology, Studio Art, US History

Arts: Ceramics, Fundamentals of Art, Fundamentals of Drawing, Lettering and Printmaking, Painting, Sculpture

Athletics:

Boys:

Fall: Bowling, Cross Country, Football, Soccer

Winter: Basketball, Ice Hockey, Swimming, Wrestling

Spring: Baseball, Golf, Tennis, Track and Field

Girls:

Fall: Bowling, Cross Country, Soccer, Volleyball

Winter: Basketball, Cheerleading, Dance, Hockey, Swimming

Spring: Golf, Softball, Tennis, Track and Field

Extracurricular Activities: Business Club, Chamber Brass, Chapel Band, Chapel Players, Honors Choir, Drama and Performing Arts, Jazz Band, Model United Nations, National Honor Society, Peer Leadership, Right Triangle Theater, Student Newspaper, Yearbook, Youth in Government

ESL Available/Level: YES

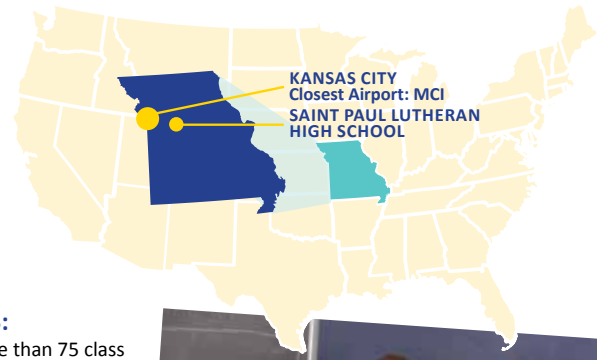
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Saint Paul Lutheran High School

Concordia, MO



LOCATION:

- Population Number: 2,500
- Located 1 Hour East of Kansas City
- Weather: Summer/Fall: Warm and Temperate Winter/Spring: Cold and Temperate

ELIGIBILITY:

- Enrollment Restrictions: None
- Minimum SLEP: Not Required
- Minimum TOEFL: 45
- Minimum ELTIS: Not Required

SCHOOL HIGHLIGHTS:

- Variety of courses; more than 75 class options
- Low teacher to student ratio
- Strong traveling choir group

SCHOOL FACTS:

- Grades at School: 9-12
- Total Student in School: 205
- Teacher/Student Ratio: 1:11
- School Uniform Required: NO
- Religious Affiliation: Lutheran



SCHOOL PROFILE

Since 1883, Saint Paul Lutheran High School has been providing a traditional Lutheran education with a low student-to-teacher ratio and various courses for college credit.

FACILITIES

The 40-acre campus includes academic classrooms, dormitories, a fine arts building, a gymnasium, a dining hall, outdoor track and sports fields, a chapel, and a new education conference center.

SPORTS AND ARTS

Saint Paul competes with other high schools in the area in nine varsity sports, and the boys soccer team won the 2016 state championships.

The school's choir, The Singing Saints, tours each spring and has performed hundreds of concerts across the US and Canada, and has appeared at Carnegie Hall in New York City on three separate occasions. Students can participate onstage or behind the scenes in two annual plays.

AWARDS AND ACCOMPLISHMENTS

Saint Paul's boys soccer team won the 2016 state championship. The National Lutheran Schools Association has granted Saint Paul "Exemplary Status," and the school is ranked #2 Best Christian High School in Missouri by Niche.com.

DORMITORIES AND STUDENT LIFE

More than half of Saint Paul students reside in traditional dormitory style housing on campus with live-in counselors. The high boarding population percentage fosters a sense of community at the school.

OPTIONS AVAILABLE*:

Foreign Languages: German, Spanish

Advanced Placement Courses: Calculus, Computer Science

Arts: Art, Band, Ceramics, Choir, Drama, Drawing, Orchestral Band, Painting, String Orchestra

Athletics:

Boys:

Fall: Cross Country, Football, Soccer

Winter: Basketball

Spring: Baseball, Golf, Track and Field

Girls:

Fall: Cheerleading, Cross Country, Golf, Volleyball

Winter: Basketball, Cheerleading

Spring: Soccer, Softball, Track and Field

Extracurricular Activities: Academic Team, Dance, Drama, Math, National Honor Society, Student Government, Students Teaching Adolescent Youth (STAY), Theater

ESL Available/Level: NO - Language Assistance Available

*All courses and options offered by the school are subject to change.

University Acceptance Rate: 98%

Partial List of University Acceptances: Colorado School of Mines, Concordia University, Fresno University, Hofstra University, Iowa State University, Missouri State University, Northwest Missouri State University, Northeastern University Oregon State University, Pennsylvania State University, University of Missouri, University of Central Missouri, University of Delaware, University of Cincinnati, University of Minnesota, University of Arizona, University of Colorado, University of Oklahoma, University of Vermont





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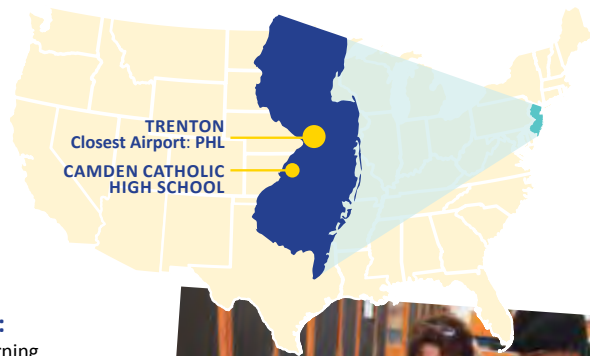
CITY



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Camden Catholic High School

Cherry Hill, NJ



LOCATION:

- Population: 71,000
- Located 15 Minutes East of Philadelphia
- Weather:
 - Summer/Fall: Warm and Humid
 - Winter/Spring: Cold and Humid

ELIGIBILITY:

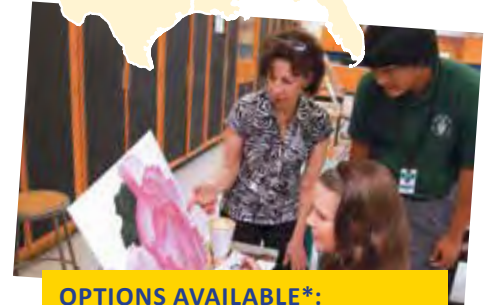
- Enrollment Restrictions: None
- Minimum SLEP: 50
- Minimum TOEFL: Preferred, No Minimum
- Minimum ELTIS: 220

SCHOOL HIGHLIGHTS:

- Several experiential learning opportunities
- Global Leadership Program
- Offers 37 AP and honors classes plus dual enrollment courses

SCHOOL FACTS:

- Grades at School: 9-12
- Total Students in School: 780
- Teacher/Student Ratio: 1:13
- School Uniform Required: YES
- Religious Affiliation: Catholic



OPTIONS AVAILABLE*:

Foreign Languages: French, German, Latin, Spanish

Advanced Placement Courses: Art History, Biology, Calculus AB, Chemistry, English Language and Composition, English Literature and Composition, European History, Music Theory, Psychology, Studio Art, US History

Arts: Advanced Theater, Choir, Chorus, Dance and Movement, Design, Drawing and Painting, Fundamentals of Art, Gospel Ensemble, Guitar Ensemble, Instrumental Ensemble, Music Theory, Public Speaking, Symphonic Band, Theater

Athletics:

Boys:

Fall: Cross Country, Football, Soccer

Winter: Basketball, Indoor Track, Swimming, Wrestling

Spring: Baseball, Golf, Lacrosse, Rugby, Tennis, Track and Field

Girls:

Fall: Cheerleading, Cross Country, Field Hockey, Soccer, Tennis, Volleyball

Winter: Basketball, Cheerleading, Indoor Track, Swimming

Spring: Lacrosse, Softball, Track and Field

Extracurricular Activities: Anime, Art Club/Scenery Painting, Creative Writing, Dance Team, Drama, Environmental Club, Field Band, French Club, Jazz Band, Liturgical Choir and Musicians, Media and Technology Crew, Newspaper, Model United Nations, Musical Production – Spring, National Honor Society, Photography Crew, Prop Crew, Show Band, Stage Crew, TV Studio, Yearbook

ESL Available/Level: YES - Intermediate

*All courses and options offered by the school are subject to change.

SCHOOL PROFILE

Located less than 20 minutes from the historic city of Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, Camden Catholic High School offers 37 AP and honors classes along with dual enrollment courses taught at two nearby colleges. Camden stands out for its experiential learning opportunities, such as Envirothon and Broadway Behind the Scenes, and its Global Leadership Program, which allows students to take advantage of the region's rich history.

FACILITIES

The 33-acre suburban campus features a multipurpose turf field, baseball and softball diamonds, a lacrosse field, and a gymnasium. Students also have access to a television studio, a recording studio, an auditorium, a Mac computer lab, and science labs.

SPORTS AND ARTS

The school's sports teams compete in over 10 different sports such as field hockey, football, and lacrosse, with most varsity teams also offering freshman and junior varsity levels.

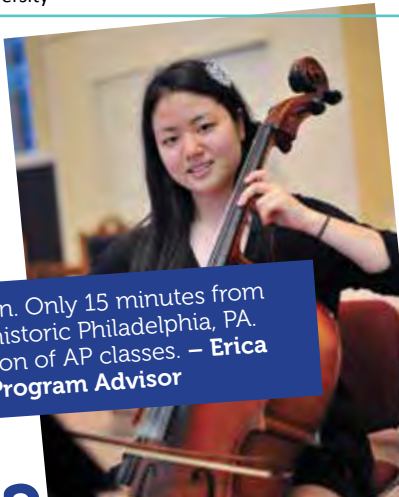
Camden Catholic stands out for its drama and musical production, choir, and instrumental music (concert, show, field, jazz, and fusion band) programs.

DORMITORIES AND STUDENT LIFE

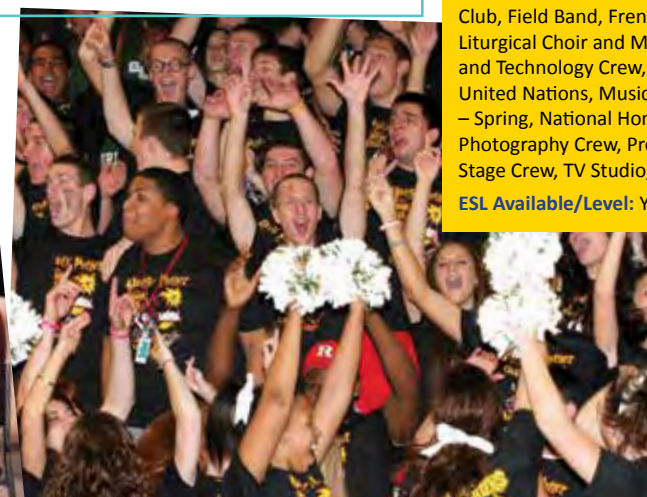
The school's newly renovated boarding facility is situated just steps away from the main building, making it easy to walk to class, the library, or recreational activities.

University Acceptance Rate: 100%

Partial List of University Acceptances: Boston College, Boston University, Catholic University of America, College of New Jersey, Columbia University, Drexel University, University of Michigan, Duke University, Howard University, George Washington University, La Salle University, New York University, North Carolina State University, Pace University, Parsons – The New School of Design, Pennsylvania State University, Rutgers University, Stanford University, Syracuse University, St. Joseph's University, University of Scranton, University of Virginia, University of Connecticut, University of Massachusetts, University of Notre Dame, University of Pennsylvania, University of South Carolina, University of Wisconsin, Vanderbilt University, Virginia Tech, Villanova University



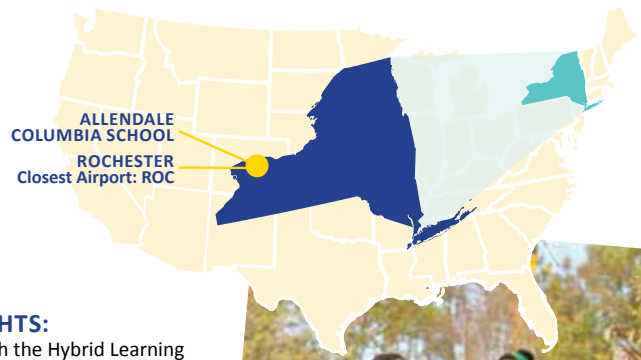
Great location. Only 15 minutes from vibrant and historic Philadelphia, PA. Good selection of AP classes. – Erica McAllister, Program Advisor





Allendale Columbia School

Rochester, NY



LOCATION:

- Population: 208,900
- Located in Rochester
- Weather:
Summer/Fall: Warm and Temperate
Winter/Spring: Cold and Humid

ELIGIBILITY:

- Enrollment Restrictions: Grades Accepted: 9-12
- Minimum SLEP: Not Accepted
- Minimum TOEFL: 75
- Minimum ELTIS: Not Accepted

SCHOOL HIGHLIGHTS:

- Online courses with the Hybrid Learning Consortium
- Programs in global engagement, entrepreneurship, and STEM/innovation
- Academic community projects

SCHOOL FACTS:

- Grades at School: Pre K-12
- Total Students in School: 399
- Students in High School: 146
- Teacher/Student Ratio: 1:8
- School Uniform Required: NO
- Religious Affiliation: None



SCHOOL PROFILE

Located in the city of Rochester, New York, Allendale Columbia School is a member of the Hybrid Learning Consortium to offer online AP, honors, and regular courses that wouldn't be accessible on campus. They offer specialized programs in global engagement, entrepreneurship, and STEM/innovation, as well as community projects for local engagement and an enriching hands-on academic experience.

FACILITIES

The 30-acre campus has 41 classrooms, a library, a performance art center, three music rooms, three art studios, six science labs, four computer labs, and a digital art lab. In 2015, the school added a design and innovation laboratory with 3D printers, Mac computers, drafting tables, and tools.

SPORTS AND ARTS

Allendale Columbia School is partnered with another independent school in Rochester to offer a comprehensive selection of competitive sports such as golf, volleyball, and track.

Students present four drama productions and six concerts each year on the 500-seat Curtis Performance Center's professional stage.

AWARDS AND ACCOMPLISHMENTS

Worth Magazine recognized Allendale Columbia School as a top 100 school for sending students to Ivy League universities.

DORMITORIES AND STUDENT LIFE

Boarding students at Allendale live in one of two homes next to the campus. The boys' dorm houses ten students and the girls' dorm houses eight. A private chef serves dinner every evening and the school organizes on- and off-campus activities every weekend.

OPTIONS AVAILABLE*:

Foreign Languages: Chinese, French, Latin, Spanish

Advanced Placement Courses: Biology, Calculus AB, Calculus BC, Chemistry, Chinese Language and Culture, Comparative Government and Politics, Computer Science, English Language and Composition, English Literature and Composition, European History, French Language and Culture, Latin Language, Physics C: Mechanics, Psychology, Spanish Language and Culture, Statistics

Arts: 2D Art, 3D Art, Choir, Band, Jazz, Video Arts

Athletics:

Boys:

Fall: Cross Country, Golf, Soccer
Winter: Basketball, Bowling, Swimming
Spring: Baseball, Tennis, Track

Girls:

Fall: Cross Country, Golf, Soccer, Tennis, Volleyball
Winter: Basketball, Bowling, Swimming
Spring: Softball, Track

Extracurricular Activities: Classics Club, Community Service Club, Drama Club, Environmental Club, French Club, Mock Trial, Model United Nations, Muse, Social Committee, Spanish Club, Student Ambassador Club, Student Life Committee, Synergy

ESL Available/Level: YES

*All courses and options offered by the school are subject to change.

University Acceptance Rate: 100%

Partial List of University Acceptances: Amherst College, Arizona State University, Boston College, Columbia University, Cornell University, Georgetown University, Harvard University, John Hopkins University, Massachusetts Institute of Technology, New York University, Oberlin College, Princeton University, Stony Brook University, Syracuse University, The George Washington University, University of California at Berkeley, University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign, University of Miami, University of Michigan, Villanova University, Wheaton College, Yale University

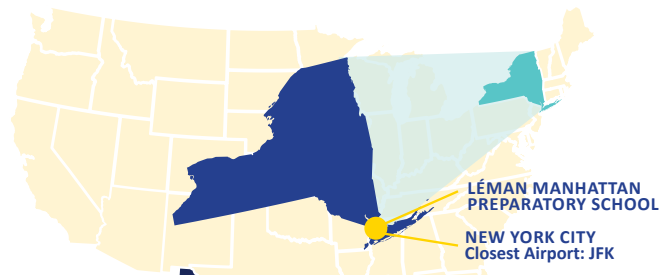


The teachers and students have a wonderful relationship. The students are comfortable to express themselves and have many opportunities to discover their passions. — **Melanie Smith, Director of School Relations**



Léman Manhattan Preparatory School

New York, NY



LOCATION:

- Population: 8.5 million
- Located in New York City
- Weather:
Summer/Fall: Warm and Humid
Winter/Spring: Cold and Humid

ELIGIBILITY:

- Enrollment Restrictions: Grades Accepted: 9-12
- Minimum SLEP: Not Accepted
- Minimum TOEFL: Required, No Minimum
- Minimum ELTIS: Not Accepted

SCHOOL HIGHLIGHTS:

- Located in the heart of New York City
- Luxury student accommodations
- International Baccalaureate Diploma

SCHOOL FACTS:

- Grades at School: Nursery-12
- Total Student in School: 650
- Students in High School: 328
- Teacher/Student Ratio: 1:6
- School Uniform Required: YES
- Religious Affiliation: None



OPTIONS AVAILABLE*:

Foreign Languages: Arabic, Chinese, French, Spanish

Advanced Placement Courses: Offers IB Courses in place of AP Courses.

Arts: Acting Studio, Art Portfolio, Band, Chorus, Film and Video, Graphic Arts, Visual Arts

Athletics:

Boys:

Fall: Cross Country, Soccer

Winter: Basketball, Indoor Track, Squash, Swimming

Spring: Baseball, Golf, Table Tennis, Track

Girls:

Fall: Cross Country, Volleyball

Winter: Basketball, Indoor Track, Squash, Swimming

Spring: Golf, Table Tennis, Track

Extracurricular Activities: Chess Team, Digital Photography, Film Production and Acting, Hip Hop Dance, Intramural Badminton, Intramural Fencing, Intramural Basketball, Intramural Volleyball, Robotics Club, Rock Band, Student Government, Yoga

ESL Available/Level: YES

*All courses and options offered by the school are subject to change.

SCHOOL PROFILE

Léman Manhattan Preparatory School is the first school in New York City to provide full boarding services for international students, offering the opportunity to live and learn in one of the most lively cities in the world. Léman offers the International Baccalaureate Diploma and provides luxury accommodations for boarding students in the heart of the Manhattan neighborhood.

FACILITIES

Léman's urban campus features a library, a 400-seat theater, art and music studios, computer labs, a private café, and an athletic facility with a competition-size swimming pool, a gymnasium, and a fitness center. The school's science labs and performing arts spaces are some of the best of any high school in the city.

SPORTS AND ARTS

Léman offers various competitive sports at the varsity and junior varsity levels including squash, table tennis, and baseball.

Students can participate in arts courses such as acting studio as well as extracurriculars such as hip hop dance.

DORMITORIES AND STUDENT LIFE

Boarding students live in a luxury apartment-style dormitory located on Wall Street, a brief walk to campus. Apartments are designed as two to four person suites with private kitchens, bathrooms, and study areas. The accommodations have Wi-Fi and are under 24 hour monitoring by on-site security.

University Acceptance Rate: 100%

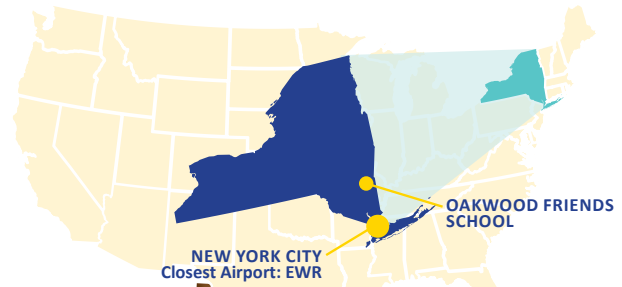
Partial List of University Acceptances: American University, Brown University, Bryn Mawr College, Boston University, Clark University, Columbia University, University of Connecticut, Cornell University, Dartmouth College, Drexel University, Duke University, University of Hartford, Johns Hopkins University, University of Maryland, University of Massachusetts, Mount Holyoke College, University of New Haven, Northeastern University, Pace University, Parsons The New School for Design, University of Pennsylvania, Pennsylvania State University, Princeton University, Rochester Institute of Technology, Rutgers University, Syracuse University, University of Tampa, Tulane University, University of Vermont, University of Washington





Oakwood Friends School

Poughkeepsie, NY



LOCATION:

- Population: 30,300
- Located 2 Hours North of New York City
- Weather:
Summer/Fall: Warm and Humid
Winter/Spring: Cold and Humid

ELIGIBILITY:

- Enrollment Restrictions: Grades Accepted: 9-12
- Minimum SLEP: 40-46
- Minimum TOEFL: 50-80
- Minimum ELTiS: 200-207
- Test Scores Vary by Grade

SCHOOL HIGHLIGHTS:

- Strong STEM program
- Surrounded by the state's best ski resorts
- Music partnership with Marist College

SCHOOL FACTS:

- Grades at School: 6-12
- Total Students in School: 155
- Total Students in High School: 140
- Teacher/Student Ratio: 1:4
- School Uniform Required: NO (There is a dress code)
- Religious Affiliation: Quaker

SCHOOL PROFILE

Established in 1796, Oakwood Friends School in New York State is the state's oldest coed boarding school with an exceptionally low teacher to student ratio of 1:4. Oakwood is a Quaker school, promoting the values of peace, integrity, equality, community, and simplicity. Many students pursue careers in business or the sciences after completing the school's comprehensive STEM program, while others develop their musical abilities through its partnership with Marist College.

FACILITIES

Oakwood Friends' 63-acre campus features an art studio, a ceramics studio, a black-box theater, a film photography studio and dark room, a full-size gymnasium, tennis courts, and a sports field. A two-acre solar field provides 100% of electricity used by the school, and a student-run greenhouse provides the dining hall's produce.

SPORTS AND ARTS

All students participate in one team sport and one life sport per academic year. Students can choose from options such as soccer, ultimate Frisbee, martial arts, and gardening. Oakwood students can participate in a variety of creative arts opportunities such as theater productions, art classes, and bands. The school's music partnership with Marist College allows students to prepare for a future musical career.

AWARDS AND ACCOMPLISHMENTS

Dutchess Outreach recognized Oakwood for exemplary service to the local community with the 2018 Community Award. Alumni of Oakwood include former US Poet Laureate Mark Strand and women's rights activist Lucretia Mott. The school's Humanities Department chair, Stephen Miller, was recognized for outstanding teaching with PLATO's Kinsley Award for K-12 philosophy teachers. He also received APPE's award for Best Formal Paper on Pre-College Ethics.

DORMITORIES AND STUDENT LIFE

Students live in double rooms with access to laundry, kitchens, and lounges. Students regularly travel off-campus to destinations such as restaurants and sporting events.



OPTIONS AVAILABLE*:

Foreign Languages: American Sign Language, Chinese, French, Spanish

Advanced Placement Courses: Biology, Calculus AB, Calculus BC, English Literature and Composition, Environmental Science, French Language and Culture, Spanish Language and Culture

Arts: 3D Print and Clay, Abnormal Psychology in the Theater, Acting, Advanced Portfolio, Animation, Art in Nature, Ceramics, Concert, Dance, Drama, Graphic Design, Guitar, Mixed Media, Music Composition and Songwriting, Musical Improvisation, Orchestra, Painting and Drawing, Photography, Theater Production, Theater Arts and Technology, Video Art, Visual Arts

Athletics:

Boys:

Fall: Cross Country, Soccer
Winter: Basketball, Fencing, Fitness/Strength Training, Ping Pong
Spring: Baseball, Tennis, Ultimate Frisbee

Girls:

Fall: Cross Country, Soccer, Volleyball
Winter: Basketball, Dance, Fencing, Fitness/Strength Training, Fencing
Spring: Running, Softball, Tennis, Ultimate Frisbee

Extracurricular Activities: Academic World Quest, Animal Rights, Anime/Manga, Badminton, Book Club, Business Club, Calligraphy, Chess, Dance/Hip Hop, Drama, Dumbledore's Army, Ethics Bowl, Fitness, Friends Club, Gardening, Gay-Straight Alliance, Horseback Riding, Judicial Committee, Library Committee, Martial Arts, Model United Nations, National Art Society, Nominating Committee, OakWood Literary Magazine, Orchestra, Ping Pong, Prom Committee, School Spirit, Ski Club, Spectrum, Students Against Destructive Decisions (SADD), Student Government, Sustainability and Agriculture, Table Top Gaming, Team Green, Walking, Writers Club, Yearbook, Yoga

ESL Available/Level: YES - Beginner to Advanced

*All courses and options offered by the school are subject to change.

University Acceptance Rate: 100%

Partial List of University Acceptances: Allegheny College, Champlain College, Clark University, Drexel University, Goucher College, Massachusetts Institute of Technology, Mount St. Mary College, Northeastern University, Pace University, Parsons The New School for Design, Pennsylvania State University, Siena College, State University of New York - Stony Brook, State University of New York - Buffalo, University of California - Davis, University of California - San Diego, University of California - Santa Barbara, University of Hartford, University of Rochester, University of Virginia, Vassar College, Western New England University, Worcester Polytechnic Institute





BOARDING COED MOUNTAIN FOUR SEASONS ARTS SPORTS STEM

The Storm King School

Cornwall-On-Hudson, NY



LOCATION:

- Population: 2,900
- Located 1 Hour 30 Minutes North of New York City
- Weather:
Summer/Fall: Warm and Humid
Winter/Spring: Cold and Humid

ELIGIBILITY:

- Enrollment Restrictions: None
- Minimum SLEP: Not Required
- Minimum TOEFL: 55
- Minimum ELTIS: Not Required

SCHOOL PROFILE

Founded in 1867 and located on the peak of Storm King Mountain in the Hudson River Valley, The Storm King School is less than two hours from New York City. The school's Science Department chair is former NASA scientist Dr. Paul Feffer. SKS offers unique, intensive short-term courses based upon student and faculty interest such as The Science and Art of Makeup and How Sports Shaped American Culture.

FACILITIES

The mountaintop campus features a 230-seat professional theater, an observatory with a Newtonian telescope, fully equipped science labs, access to the 3,800-acre Black Rock Forest Consortium, a gymnasium, five tennis courts, a brand new sports field, a ceramics studio, a greenhouse, private music practice rooms, and a recording studio. The school is in the process of building a brand new academic center.

SPORTS AND ARTS

Storm King's sports teams have won 24 league championships over the last five years, and the boys' basketball team has won the New England Prep School Athletic League championship for two years in a row. Storm King alumni include US Olympian Burke Boyce (fencing) and Thomas Price (rowing). Storm King School offers an exceptional arts program with an especially competitive dance program in which students choreograph and present their own pieces each week. Students perform three major theater productions and a musical each school year. Academy Award-winning cinematographer and director Wally Pfister graduated from SKS.

DORMITORIES AND STUDENT LIFE

Storm King students live two to a room in spacious, fully-staffed dormitories. Students have access to various extracurriculars such as outdoor adventure and A Capella.

SCHOOL HIGHLIGHTS:

- Strong arts program with students going on to attend top art schools in the US
- Intensive short-term interest courses
- Close to New York City and the northeast mountains

SCHOOL FACTS:

- Grades at School: 8-12, PG
- Total Students in School: 180
- Students in High School: 165
- Teacher/Student Ratio: 1:5
- School Uniform Required: YES
- Religious Affiliation: None

OPTIONS AVAILABLE*:

Foreign Languages: American Sign Language, Chinese, Spanish

Advanced Placement Courses: Art History, Biology, Calculus, Computer Science, Music Theory, English Literature and Composition, Psychology, Physics, Statistics, Studio Art

Arts: Acting, Art History, Broadcasting, Ceramics, Chorus, Creative Technology, Dance, Drawing and Painting, Digital Art and Design, Digital Photography, Ensemble, Fashion, Guitar, Instrumental Instruction, Music Lab, Music Production, Music Theory, Photography, Piano, Songwriting, Stagecraft, Studio Art, Video Production, Vocal Music and Ensembles, Voice, World Culture Arts

Athletics:

Boys:

Fall: Crew, Cross Country, Fitness, Hiking, Soccer

Winter: Basketball, Bowling, Fencing, Fitness, Wrestling, Yoga

Spring: Baseball, Hiking, Lacrosse, Mountain Biking, Soccer, Tennis, Ultimate Frisbee

Girls:

Fall: Crew, Cross Country, Fitness, Hiking, Soccer, Volleyball

Winter: Basketball, Bowling, Fencing, Fitness, Yoga

Spring: Lacrosse, Mountain Biking, Soccer, Tennis, Ultimate Frisbee

Extracurricular Activities: A Capella, Black and Latino Student Union, Community Service, International Friendship, LGBT, Literary and Arts Publication, Model United Nations, Outdoor Adventure, Student Events Committee, Theater, Yearbook

ESL Available/Level: YES, Pre-Beginner to Advanced

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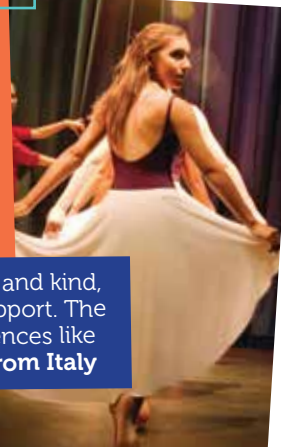
University Acceptance Rate: 100%

Partial List of University Acceptances: Amherst College, Boston College, Boston University, Bucknell, Cornell, Emerson, George Mason, George Washington University, Harvard University, Johnson & Wales, Michigan State, MIT, NYU, Northwestern, Oberlin, Parsons, Pratt, Purdue, Rhode Island School of Design, Rochester Institute of Technology, Smith College, Trinity College, University of California, University of Pennsylvania, University of Rochester, University of Washington, Washington University

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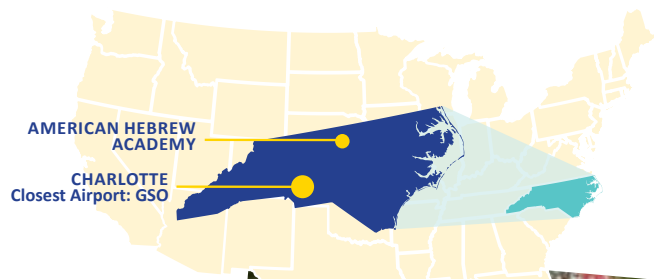
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Storm King is an amazing place to excel academically. The teachers are all so helpful and kind, they help you with whatever you need and are always available to give you more support. The lunch here is great, especially the noodles. We have so many unique learning experiences like going to the art center just down the road! I love The Storm King School! – **Filippo from Italy**

American Hebrew Academy

Greensboro, NC



LOCATION:

- Population: 280,800
- Located in Greensboro
- Weather:
Summer/Fall: Warm and Temperate
Winter/Spring: Cool and Temperate

ELIGIBILITY:

- Enrollment Restrictions: Accepts Jewish students only
- Minimum SLEP: 40
- Minimum TOEFL: 51
- Minimum ELTiS: Not Accepted

SCHOOL HIGHLIGHTS:

- World's only international all-Jewish boarding school
- Dual college preparatory and Jewish studies curriculum
- Lakefront campus with modern facilities

SCHOOL FACTS:

- Grades at School: 9-12
- Total Students in School: 145
- Teacher/Student Ratio: 1:3
- School Uniform Required: NO
- Religious Affiliation: Jewish



SCHOOL PROFILE

American Hebrew Academy is the only international all-Jewish boarding school in the world. The academy provides a rigorous academic curriculum that embraces the values, customs, history, culture, and practices of the Jewish religion. International students have access to specialized programs in English and additional guidance to prepare for admission to US universities.

FACILITIES

Situated on a beautiful 100-acre lakefront, the campus' state-of-the-art facilities were built out of Jerusalem stone. The athletic center includes two basketball courts, rock climbing walls, a racquetball court, a gymnasium, and an eight-lane pool.

SPORTS AND ARTS

The American Hebrew Academy has produced multiple NCAA Division I and II collegiate athletes through its competitive athletic program. For students with creative talents there are a variety of fine arts classes offered, such as acting, comedy improvisation/storytelling, fashion arts, and dance.

AWARDS AND ACCOMPLISHMENTS

In 2012, the U.S. Department of Education named American Hebrew Academy a Green Ribbon School.

DORMITORIES AND STUDENT LIFE

The modern residences accommodate two students per room. Students have access to campus-wide Wi-Fi, a laundry room, and full-time supervising staff all within a secure environment. The school's private bistro offers home-cooked snacks and meals.

OPTIONS AVAILABLE*:

Foreign Languages: Hebrew, Spanish

Advanced Placement Courses: Biology, Calculus AB, Calculus BC, Chemistry, Computer Science, English Language and Composition, English Literature and Composition, Environmental Science, Macroeconomics, Microeconomics, Music Theory, Physics B, Physics C, Psychology, Statistics, Studio Art: 2D Design, Studio Art: 3D Design, Studio Art: Drawing, US History

Arts: Acting, Bible in Art, Chorus, Clay, Film Appreciation, Holocaust Imagery, Improvisation, Introduction to Art, Music Theory, Musical Theater, Piano, Swing Dancing, Photography, Studio Art, Technical Theater, Visual Arts, Voice Class, Yearbook

Athletics:

Boys:

Fall: Cross Country, Soccer
Winter: Basketball, Swimming
Spring: Golf, Tennis, Track and Field

Girls:

Fall: Cross Country, Volleyball
Winter: Basketball, Swimming
Spring: Soccer, Track and Field

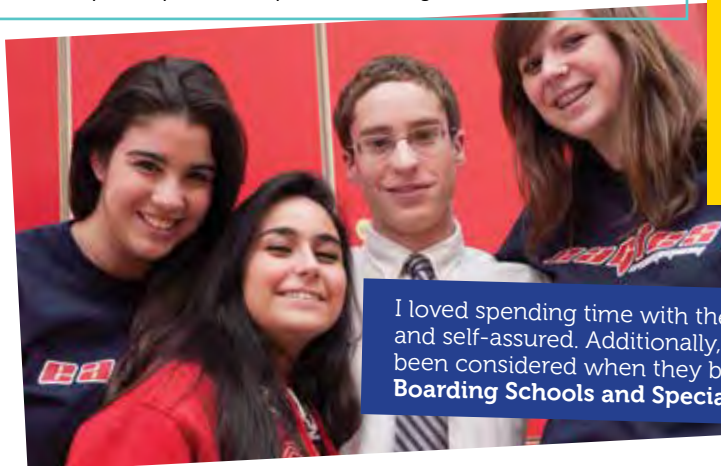
Extracurricular Activities:

Student Ambassador Program, Comedy Troupe – Cheese Wagon, Comic Book Club, Cooking Club, Creative Writing Club, Environmental Club 'Green Team,' Four Corners Tzedakah Fund, Israel Club, Programming Committee, Theatrical Society, Sister to Sister, Social Action Board

ESL Available/Level: YES

*All courses and options offered by the school are subject to change.

Partial List of University Acceptances: American University, Babson College, Boston University, Brandeis University, Cornell University, Drexel University, Duke University, Fordham University, George Washington University, Georgia Institute of Technology, Jewish Theological Seminary of America, Johns Hopkins University, Mount Holyoke College, New York University, Princeton University, Purdue University, Syracuse University, Tufts University, Tulane University, University of California, University of Connecticut, Virginia Polytechnic Institute and State University, Wesleyan University, Wheaton College



I loved spending time with the students here. They were so impressive and self-assured. Additionally, the campus is amazing! Every detail has been considered when they built the school. – **Tim Gaiser, Director of Boarding Schools and Special Projects**



BOARDING



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Grand River Academy

Austinburg, OH

LOCATION:

- Population: 2,100
- Located 1 Hour Northeast of Cleveland
- Weather:
Summer/Fall: Warm and Temperate
Winter/Spring: Cool and Humid

ELIGIBILITY:

- Enrollment Restrictions: Grades Accepted: 9-12, PG
- Minimum SLEP: Not Required
- Minimum TOEFL: Not Required
- Minimum ELTIS: Not Required

SCHOOL PROFILE

Founded in 1831, Grand River Academy requires college acceptance as a condition of graduation, virtually guaranteeing admission to an American university. Its college preparatory curriculum offers four course of study concentrations including STEM, Humanities, English and Composition, and Visual and Fine Arts. The school's intimate size allows for individualized attention in small classes of six students on average.

FACILITIES

Students have access to a weight room, a basketball court, an indoor batting cage, an updated fitness room, a library, and a lecture center. At the student center, students can get snacks at the café, play ping-pong, billiards, and shuffle board, practice instruments in the music room, and more.

SPORTS AND ARTS

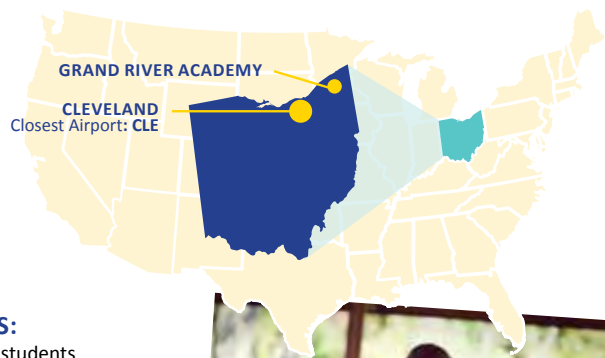
Grand River Academy implements a no-cut policy, so all students have the opportunity to be a member of a varsity team such as baseball, golf, or tennis. The school offers art courses such as sound engineering and web design. Students can further develop their artistic talents at the nearby Ashtabula Art Center.

DORMITORIES AND STUDENT LIFE

Grand River's four dormitories each have a large common room where students can relax or watch television and dorm parents in attached apartments. Dormitories are college-style to further prepare students for higher education.

University Acceptance Rate: 100%

Partial List of University Acceptances: Babson University, Boston College, Boston University, Brandeis University, Cornell University, Georgetown University, George Washington University, Harvard University, Michigan State University, Northwestern University, Northeastern University, Pratt Institute, Reed College, Rensselaer Polytechnic Institute, Art Institute of Chicago, University of Illinois, University of California - Berkeley, University of California - Davis, University of Rochester, Wheaton College, Villanova University



SCHOOL HIGHLIGHTS:

- Average class size of 6 students
- Academic concentrations such as STEM, Humanities, and Visual Arts
- No-cut sports teams

SCHOOL FACTS:

- Grades at School: 8-12, PG
- Total Students in School: 79
- Students in High School: 71
- Teacher/Student Ratio: 1:5
- School Uniform Required: NO
- Religious Affiliation: None

OPTIONS AVAILABLE*:

Foreign Languages: Spanish

Advanced Placement Courses: Students can have AP tests arranged for Calculus, English and Science

Arts: Art, Ceramics, Contemporary Performance, Digital Photography, Digital Video, Graphic Design, Music Theory, Painting, Photo, Sculpture, Sound Engineering, Stage Band, Theater, Web Design

Athletics:

Boys:

Fall: Cross Country, Golf, Soccer

Winter: Basketball, Indoor Soccer, Wrestling

Spring: Baseball, Tennis

Extracurricular Activities: Art, Astronomy, Backpacking, Chess, Computer, Cycling, Debate, Environmental, Equestrian, Fishing, Fitness, Flag Football, Garden, Guitar, Honor Council, International Club, Model United Nations, National Honor Society, Paintball, Peer Tutoring, Publications, Rock Band, Science Bowl, Skateboarding, Ski and Snowboard, Student Government, Videography, Weightlifting, Yearbook, Yoga, Young Democrats, Young Republicans

ESL Available/Level: YES - Beginner to Advanced

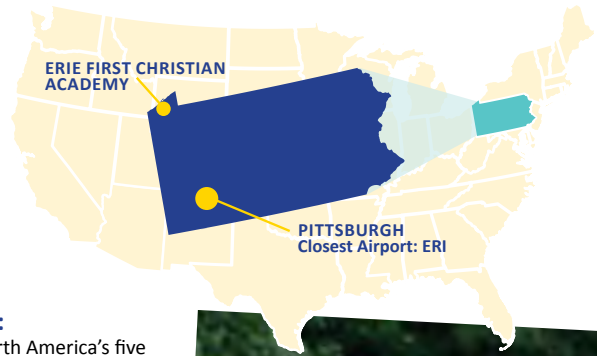
*All courses and options offered by the school are subject to change.

It's hard to pick a favorite class here because all the teachers are very good, they are very friendly, they really care about you. You always have a nice conversation and always have a good class with them. – **Guilherme from Brazil**



Erie First Christian Academy

Erie, PA



LOCATION:

- Population: 98,600
- Located 2 Hours North of Pittsburgh
- Weather:
Summer/Fall: Warm and Temperate
Winter/Spring: Cool and Humid

ELIGIBILITY:

- Enrollment Restrictions: Grades Accepted: 8-12
- Minimum SLEP: No Minimum
- Minimum TOEFL: No Minimum
- Minimum ELTiS: No Minimum

SCHOOL HIGHLIGHTS:

- Located near one of North America's five Great Lakes
- Offers 15 dual enrollment courses
- Modern facilities and newly constructed housing

SCHOOL FACTS:

- Grades at School: Pre K-12
- Total Students in School: 200
- Students in High School: 140
- Teacher/Student Ratio: 1:13
- School Uniform Required: YES
- Religious Affiliation: Christian



SCHOOL PROFILE

Erie First Christian Academy is located on the southeastern shores of Lake Erie, one of North America's five Great Lakes. Students can choose from 15 dual enrollment courses, taken at Gannon University and Pennsylvania State University.

FACILITIES

The campus provides modern classrooms and buildings including a newly constructed housing facility, a science lab, a technology/computer lab, drama and music facilities, sports fields, a large indoor gymnasium, workout areas, and a youth/activities center.

SPORTS AND ARTS

Students can choose to participate in interscholastic sports such as football and basketball as well as intramural athletic programs and leagues such as kayaking, horseback riding and cycling.

Erie First's arts program includes courses like drama, film media, and set design.

DORMITORIES AND STUDENT LIFE

Students live together with faculty house parents and staff workers in a boarding facility that was completed in 2010. Students have access to an activities center with a modern game room, private bathrooms, high speed internet access, dining facilities, a fitness center membership with a pool, and fitness equipment in the dorm.

OPTIONS AVAILABLE*:

Foreign Languages: Spanish

Advanced Placement Courses: In lieu of AP courses, Erie First Christian Academy offers 15 dual enrollment courses.

Arts: Art Studio, Chorus, Debate, Drama, Drawing, Film Media, Industrial Design, Praise Band, Set Design, Yearbook

Athletics:

Boys:

Fall: Football, Soccer

Winter: Basketball

Girls:

Fall: Volleyball

Winter: Basketball

Spring: Soccer

Extracurricular Activities: Academic Decathlon, Arts and Crafts, Boating and Canoeing, Business Club, Chess, Cooking Club, Concerts, Cycling, Graphic Club, Horseback Riding, Hiking/Orienteering, Kayaking, Photography, Ping Pong, Praise Band, Running, Skiing and Ice Skating, Speech and Debate, Student Government and Leadership, Travel and History Trips, Weight Training

ESL Available/Level: YES

*All courses and options offered by the school are subject to change.

University Acceptance Rate: 97%

Partial List of University Acceptances: Boston College, Case Western Reserve University, Cedarville University, Edinburgh University, Embry Riddle, Gannon University, Geneva College, Grove City College, Michigan State University, Pennsylvania State University, Pittsburgh Art Institute, Rutgers University SUNY University of Buffalo, Texas A & M University, University of California





BOARDING



GIRLS

FOUR
SEASONS

ARTS



SPORTS

Grier School

Tyrone, PA

LOCATION:

- Population: 5,300
- Located 2 Hours East of Pittsburgh
- Weather:
Summer/Fall: Warm and Humid
Winter/Spring: Cold and Temperate

ELIGIBILITY:

- Enrollment Restrictions: Grades Accepted: 7-11
- Minimum SLEP: Not Accepted
- Minimum TOEFL: Grade 9: No Minimum; Grades 10-11: 70
- Minimum ELTIS: Not Accepted

SCHOOL PROFILE

Founded in 1853, Grier School offers 20 AP courses and nationally recognized dance, horseback riding, and fine arts programs. The school organizes about 14 service events each month to support the local community.

FACILITIES

Grier's facilities include art studios for ceramics, batik, and photo printmaking, computer studios, language classrooms, and the Landon Library, containing 16,000 volumes. The campus also houses the Fine Arts Center, the Science Center, the Performing Arts Center, a state-of-the-art fitness center with an outdoor heated pool, an indoor horseback riding ring, a music building with grand piano studios and an orchestra rehearsal room, a video and music production lab, and a brand new greenhouse. The school is in the process of renovating their technology corridor to include two brand new computer labs.

SPORTS AND ARTS

Grier offers competitive sports such as archery, horseback riding, and tennis as well as unique art courses such as knitting, pottery, and fiber arts.

Grier's world-renowned dance program incorporates arts with athletics. It offers ballet, pointe, jazz, modern, contemporary, hip-hop, tap, musical theater, and flexibility and strength building at every level from true beginner to expert. The annual Grier Gala allows students to participate in workshops, watch visiting professional dance companies perform, perform their own productions, and audition for companies.

DORMITORIES AND STUDENT LIFE

In addition to four dormitories, housing options include seven cottages. The double rooms include bathrooms and furnishings while the cottages offer living rooms and kitchens.

University Acceptance Rate: 100%

Partial List of University Acceptances: American University, Babson College, Bates College, Boston College, Boston University, Brandeis University, Carleton College, Case Western Reserve University, Central Saint Martins University of the Arts - London, Cornell University, Duke University, Georgetown University, Haverford College, Pennsylvania State University, New York University, Northwestern University, Purdue University, Rhode Island School of Design, University of California



GRIER SCHOOL

PITTSBURGH
Closest Airport: IAD

SCHOOL HIGHLIGHTS:

- Signature programs in visual art, dance, music, theater, and horseback riding
- Extensive AP course selection
- Nationally-recognized dance program

SCHOOL FACTS:

- Grades at School: 7-12
- Total Students in School: 300
- Students in High School: 250
- Teacher/Student Ratio: 1:6
- School Uniform Required: NO (There is a Dress Code)
- Religious Affiliation: None



OPTIONS AVAILABLE*:

Foreign Languages: French, Spanish

Advanced Placement Courses: Art History, Biology, Calculus AB, Calculus BC, Chemistry, Computer Science Principles, English Literature and Composition, Environmental Science, European History, French Language and Culture, Macroeconomics, Microeconomics, Music Theory, Physics 1, Psychology, Spanish Language and Culture, Statistics, Studio Art: 2-D Design, US Government and Politics, US History, World History

Arts: Acting, Acting for the Camera, Art History, Ceramics, Costume Design, Fiber Arts, Dance, Drawing, Graphic Design, Ensemble, Hand Spinning, Intensive Music Lessons, Knitting, Jewelry, Metals, Musical Theater, Painting, Photography, Piano, Pottery, Printmaking, Private Music Lessons, Recording Technology, Stagecraft, Video Production, Weaving

Athletics:

Girls:

Fall: Archery, Cross Country, Dance, Horseback Riding, Soccer, Tennis, Volleyball

Winter: Archery, Basketball, Dance, Fencing, Horseback Riding

Spring: Dance, Horseback Riding

Extracurricular Activities: Anti-Bullying Club, Archery, Astronomy Club, Badminton, Basketball, Body Sculpt, Choir, Cooking, Dance, Empowering Girls Globally, Environmental Club, Fencing, Golf, Journalism, Tae Kwon Do, National Honor Society, Outing Club, Personal Fitness, Prom Committee, Science Club, Scuba Diving, Select Singers, Self Defense, Skiing/Snowboarding, Theater, Ultimate Frisbee, Yoga, Zumba

ESL Available/Level: YES - Beginner to Advanced

*All courses and options offered by the school are subject to change.

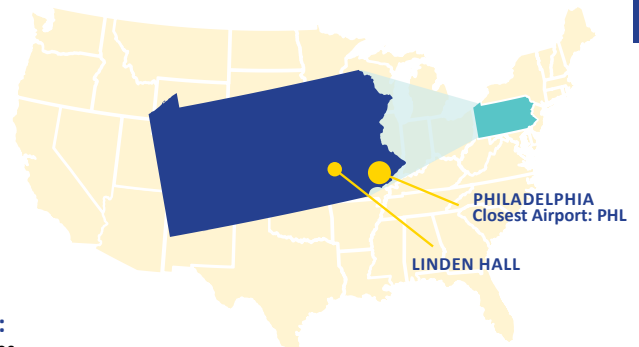




BOARDING GIRLS FOUR SEASONS ARTS STEAM SPORTS

Linden Hall

Lititz, PA



LOCATION:

- Population: 9,200
- Located 1 Hour 30 Minutes West of Philadelphia
- Weather:
Summer/Fall: Warm and Temperate
Winter/Spring: Cold and Humid

ELIGIBILITY:

- Enrollment Restrictions: None
- Minimum SLEP: Not Accepted
- Minimum TOEFL: 45-80 (from ESL 1 to no ESL)
- Minimum ELTiS: Not Accepted

SCHOOL PROFILE

Located under two hours from Philadelphia and three hours from New York City, Linden Hall is the oldest girls' boarding school in the United States. Linden offers an Advanced Scholars' Program, 28 AP courses (including two post-AP), a comprehensive STEAM program, an aviation course of study, and a signature equestrian program.

FACILITIES

The facilities on Linden Hall's 49-acre campus include a library, state of the art classrooms, a gym center with a modern dance studio, equestrian amenities with spacious indoor and lighted outdoor riding rings, athletic fields and courts, and a private aviation field.

SPORTS AND ARTS

Students have various competitive athletics to choose from, most offering junior varsity programs along with varsity, such as softball, field hockey, and year-round archery, equestrian, and dance. Linden's signature equestrian program offers quality instruction for all levels from beginner to expert.

Linden offers various options in the arts including dance, drama, and acting. Students have several AP art courses to choose from and can follow the college preparatory Visual and Performing Arts course of study to prepare for a higher education in the arts.

DORMITORIES AND STUDENT LIFE

Girls reside in double dorm rooms with internet connection, student lounges, and laundry facilities. The school arranges trips to destinations throughout the eastern US every weekend such as New York City, Washington, D.C., and Philadelphia. During breaks, students can take trips across the country to places such as Disney World and New Orleans.

University Acceptance Rate: 100%

Partial List of University Acceptances: Arizona State University - Rutgers, Binghamton University, Boston University, Bryn Mawr College, Carnegie Mellon University, Colgate University, Indiana University - Bloomington, Michigan State University, Miami University - Oxford, New York University, Northeastern University, Oberlin College, Princeton University, Pennsylvania State University, Temple University, University of Pennsylvania, University of Rochester, University of Washington, University of Massachusetts Dartmouth, University of Southern California, University of Illinois - Chicago, University of Colorado - Boulder, University of Connecticut

SCHOOL HIGHLIGHTS:

- Offers over 25 AP courses
- STEAM program with a Makerspace
- Year-round competitive equestrian program

SCHOOL FACTS:

- Grades at School: 6-12
- Total Students in School: 220
- Total High School Students: 160
- Teacher/Student Ratio: 1:6
- School Uniform Required: YES
- Religious Affiliation: None

OPTIONS AVAILABLE*:

Foreign Languages: Chinese, French, Spanish

Advanced Placement Courses: Biology, Calculus AB, Calculus BC, Chemistry, Chinese Language and Culture, Computer Science A, English Language and Composition, English Literature and Composition, Environmental Science, European History, French Language and Culture, Macroeconomics, Microeconomics, Physics, Post-AP Linear Algebra, Post-AP Multivariable Calculus, Psychology, Statistics, Spanish Language and Culture, Spanish Literature and Culture, Statistics, Studio Art: 2D, Studio Art: 2D Photo, US History, World History

Arts: 2D Design, 3D Design, Acting, Advanced 2D Concentration, Advanced 3D Concentration, Aural and Composition, Ceramics, Dance, Independent Study, Language Of Music, Introduction to Theater, Middle School Art, Middle School Drama, Music and Culture, Orchestra, Photography, Technology and Music, Women's Choir

Athletics:

Girls:

Fall: Archery, Cross Country, Dance, Equestrian, Field Hockey, Golf, Soccer, Tennis, Volleyball

Winter: Archery, Basketball, Bowling, Dance, Equestrian, Swimming

Spring: Archery, Dance, Equestrian, Lacrosse, Equestrian, Softball, Track and Field

Extracurricular Activities: Astronomy, Chinese Yo-Yo Club, Cooking, Debate Team, DECA, Drama, Film-Lit Club, Ledger, Hand Bell, International Club, International Conversation Partner Initiative, Key Club, Math, Model United Nations, Operation Smile, Resident Assistance, Robotics Club, Social Media, Spanish Conversation, Stage Crew, Student Ambassador, Student Council/Class Government, Treble Chorus, Technology Aide, Yearbook

ESL Available/Level: YES - Beginner to Advanced





BOARDING



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STEM

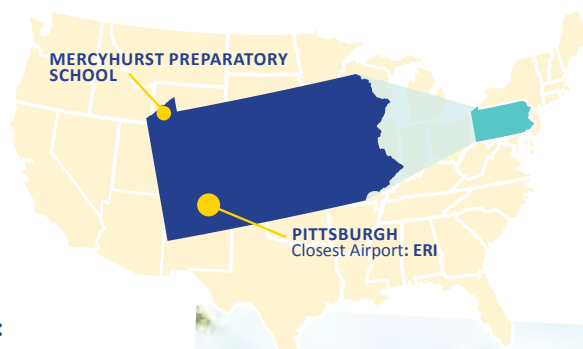


PROGRAM

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RIBBON

Mercyhurst Preparatory School

Erie, PA



LOCATION:

- Population: 98,600
- Located 2 Hours North of Pittsburgh
- Weather:
Summer/Fall: Warm and Temperate
Winter/Spring: Cool and Humid

ELIGIBILITY:

- Enrollment Restrictions: None
- Minimum SLEP: Not Accepted
- Minimum TOEFL: 80
- Minimum ELTiS: No Minimum

SCHOOL HIGHLIGHTS:

- Outstanding music program
- International Baccalaureate Diploma
- 23 varsity teams have won eight state championships

SCHOOL FACTS:

- Grades at School: 9-12
- Total Student in School: 550
- Teacher/Student Ratio: 1:12
- School Uniform Required: YES
- Religious Affiliation: Christian

SCHOOL PROFILE

Established in 1926, Mercyhurst Preparatory School currently offers 30 IB and 23 honors courses along with dual enrollment courses at three different local colleges and universities. The international population is only about 15%, so students get a real American immersion experience.

FACILITIES

Mercyhurst's DREAM (design, research, arts, engineering, and math) technology lab features Z-space virtual reality, a 3D printer, and drones. Other facilities include a new library, a new theater, a dance studio, a dark room, science labs, and athletic facilities.

SPORTS AND ARTS

Mercyhurst's 23 varsity teams have won eight state championships and have produced several junior Olympic athletes.

Students have nearly 50 art courses to choose from. The school's outstanding music program consistently sends students to the Pennsylvania Music Educators Association All-State ensembles and The National Association for Music Education All-Eastern Conference ensembles.

AWARDS AND ACCOMPLISHMENTS

The school has twice been awarded the National Blue Ribbon School of Excellence by the United States Department of Education.

DORMITORIES AND STUDENT LIFE

Boarding students are able to stay in the key-fob accessible, off-campus dormitory year-round, including all holidays and school breaks. Mercyhurst organizes weekly field trips to destinations such as Carnegie Mellon University, sporting events, and Niagara Falls.

University Acceptance Rate: 100%

Partial List of University Acceptances: Boston College, Brown University, Columbia University, Cornell University, George Washington University, Georgetown University, Harvard University, Johns Hopkins University, Loyola University, Massachusetts Institute of Technology (MIT), Mercyhurst University, New York University, Northeastern University, Northwestern University, Purdue University, Rochester Institute of Technology, Syracuse University, Temple University, University of Pennsylvania, Vassar College, Villanova University, Vanderbilt University, Wheaton College



OPTIONS AVAILABLE*:

Foreign Languages: Chinese, French, Italian, Spanish

Advanced Placement Courses: In lieu of AP courses, MPS offers 30 IB courses, such as Concert Choir, History of the Americas, and Theory of Knowledge

Arts: 3D Modeling, 3D Printing and Design, Acting, American Musical Theater, Art Appreciation, Art History, Ceramics, Choir, Chorus, Dance Company, Drawing, Evolution of Games, Game Design, Game Production and Marketing, Guitar, Jazz Band, Jewelry, Media Production, Mixed Media, Modern Coding/Web Development, Music Appreciation, Music History, Music Theory, Musical Production, Oil Painting, Orchestra, Painting, Photography, Photo/Publication Graphics, Photoshop, Piano, Printmaking, Screenwriting, Sculpture, Stop Animation, Technical Theater Production, Theater, Yearbook

Athletics:

Boys:

Fall: Football, Golf, Soccer

Winter: Basketball, Swimming and Diving

Spring: Baseball, Rowing, Tennis, Track and Field

Girls:

Fall: Cross Country, Dance, Golf, Soccer, Tennis, Volleyball

Winter: Basketball, Bowling, Cheerleading, Dance, Swimming and Diving

Spring: Rowing, Softball, Track and Field

Extracurricular Activities: Baking, Feed the Hungry, Fitness, French Club, International Thespan Society, Literary Magazine, Math, Model United Nations, National Art Honor Society, National Honor Society, Orchestra, Show Choir, Ski, Spanish Club, Speech and Debate, Spirit, Strategic Society, Student Council, Travel Club, Ultimate Frisbee, Women in Motion

ESL Available/Level: NO

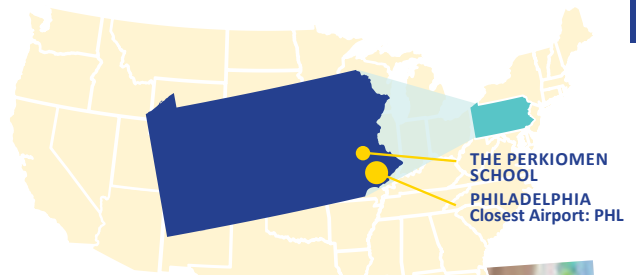
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The Perkiomen School

Pennsburg, PA



LOCATION:

- Population: 3,800
- Located 1 Hour North of Philadelphia
- Weather:
Summer/Fall: Warm and Temperate
Winter/Spring: Cold and Humid

ELIGIBILITY:

- Enrollment Restrictions: None
- Minimum SLEP: Not Accepted
- Minimum TOEFL: 60-80 (Varies by Grade)
- Minimum ELTIS: Not Accepted

SCHOOL HIGHLIGHTS:

- Offers over 30 AP courses
- Medical and Entrepreneurship academic tracks
- Entrepreneurship partnership with Penn State University

SCHOOL FACTS:

- Grades at School: 6-12, PG
- Total Students in School: 332
- Students in High School: 262
- Teacher/Student Ratio: 1:12
- School Uniform Required: YES
- Religious Affiliation: None

SCHOOL PROFILE

Located near the historic city of Philadelphia, The Perkiomen School's competitive academic curriculum features more than 30 AP options, fields of study in entrepreneurship and medical/veterinary, and a partnership with Penn State's entrepreneurship faculty.

FACILITIES

Perkiomen's versatile new Entrepreneurship Institute features a full suite of rapid prototyping equipment, a wide array of technology, the Entrepreneurial Ecosystem, and various creativity and innovation labs. Additionally, the campus houses science labs, a music studio, a gym, an indoor swimming pool, and several athletic facilities.

SPORTS AND ARTS

Perkiomen athletes have various varsity and junior varsity sports to choose from, including year-round badminton, boxing, and strength & conditioning as well as an extremely competitive award-winning basketball program.

Perkiomen artists have access to a one-on-one portfolio building with faculty members, as well as a wide array of art courses such as American music, performance and public speaking, and rock band.

DORMITORIES AND STUDENT LIFE

Boarding students live in one of six traditional college-style and cottage-style dormitories on campus. The school organizes frequent weekend trips such as skiing, college fairs, and Broadway shows.

University Acceptance Rate: 100%

Partial List of University Acceptances: Berklee College of Music, Boston College, Boston University, Clemson University, George Washington University, Johns Hopkins University, New York University, Northwestern University, Pennsylvania State University, Purdue University, Temple University, University of California, University of Maryland, University of Miami, University of Pennsylvania



The best part about Perk is the people. The faculty and the small community of students is almost like a family. If you are missing home, teachers like Mr. Lopez brings my spirit back. The trips that he takes us to are awesome. I feel at home with him and my friends here on campus. – Henrik from Norway



OPTIONS AVAILABLE*:

Foreign Languages: Chinese, French, German, Latin, Spanish

Advanced Placement Courses: Art History, Biology, Calculus AB, Calculus BC, Chemistry, Chinese Language and Culture, Computer Science A, Computer Science Principles, English Language and Composition, English Literature and Composition, Environmental Science, European History, French Language and Culture, German Language and Culture, Human Geography, Latin, Macroeconomics, Microeconomics, Music Theory, Physics I, Physics II, Physics C: Electricity and Magnetism, Physics C: Mechanics, Psychology, Spanish Language and Culture, Statistics, Studio Art: 2D Design, Studio Art: Drawing, US Government and Politics, US History, World History

Arts: American Music, Digital Photography and Design, Improvisation, Graphic Design and Marketing, Guitar Ensemble, Performance and Public Speaking, Rock Band, Scene Study, Theater Production

Athletics:

Boys:

Fall: Badminton, Boxing, Cross Country, Football, Golf, Soccer, Strength

Winter: Badminton, Boxing, Basketball, Strength, Swimming, Track

Spring: Badminton, Boxing, Baseball, Golf, Lacrosse, Strength, Tennis, Track and Field

Girls:

Fall: Badminton, Boxing, Cross Country, Golf, Soccer, Strength, Tennis, Volleyball

Winter: Badminton, Boxing, Basketball, Strength, Swimming, Track

Spring: Badminton, Boxing, Golf, Lacrosse, Softball, Strength, Track and Field

Extracurricular Activities: Amnesty International, Gay Straight Alliance, Horticulture Society, Knitting, Math, Origami, Performance Arts, Photography and Social Media, Poetry, Video Editing

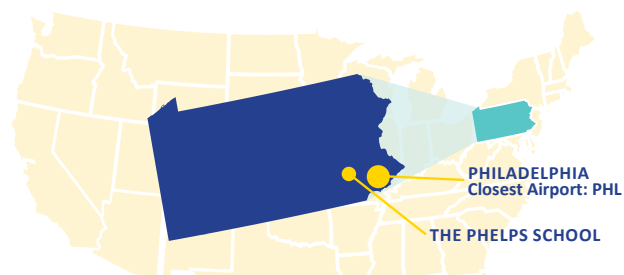
ESL Available/Level: YES

*All courses and options offered by the school are subject to change.



The Phelps School

Malvern, PA



LOCATION:

- Population: 3,000
- Located 45 Minutes West of Philadelphia
- Weather:
Summer/Fall: Warm and Temperate
Winter/Spring: Cold and Humid

ELIGIBILITY:

- Enrollment Restrictions: None
- Minimum SLEP: Not Required
- Minimum TOEFL: No Minimum
- Minimum ELTiS: Not Accepted

SCHOOL HIGHLIGHTS:

- Very small class sizes and low teacher to student ratio
- Located close to historic Philadelphia
- Large new multi-purpose athletic facility

SCHOOL FACTS:

- Grades at School: 6-12, PG
- Total Students in School: 92
- Total Students in High School: 76
- Teacher/Student Ratio: 1:4
- School Uniform Required: YES
- Religious Affiliation: None



SCHOOL PROFILE

Located less than an hour from historic Philadelphia, The Phelps School's small student body ensures intimate class sizes and a low teacher to student ratio of only 1:4. The school places an emphasis on physical activity, offering courses such as fitness/weight training and health & PE, and every student completes two health and/or fitness classes.

FACILITIES

The campus' academic and administrative buildings are located a short walk from the dormitories, while athletes have access to facilities such as a new athletic center, soccer and lacrosse fields, all-weather tennis courts, a running track, a basketball court, a fitness room, a wrestling ring, a weight room, volleyball courts, and a roller hockey rink.

SPORTS AND ARTS

The 2015 Phelps School basketball team won the PAISSA state championship. The school's new athletic center features a 500-seat competition gymnasium. Students interested in the arts can take courses such as graphic design and studio art.

DORMITORIES AND STUDENT LIFE

Boarding students at Phelps stay in one of seven dormitories located on campus. Members of the staff and faculty live in the dorms as house parents, and older students assist as proctors. On the weekends, students travel to places such as the zoo, professional sports games, and college fairs.

University Acceptance Rate: 100%

Partial List of University Acceptances: American University, Binghamton University, Boston University, Ithaca College, Ohio State University, Pennsylvania State University, Purdue University, Skidmore College, Syracuse University, The College of New Jersey, Ursinus College, Virginia Commonwealth University

OPTIONS AVAILABLE*:

Foreign Languages: Spanish

Advanced Placement Courses: Biology, Calculus AB, Calculus BC, Chemistry, Computer Science Principles, English Language and Composition, English Literature and Composition, Environmental Science, Physics, Spanish Language and Culture, Spanish Literature and Culture, Statistics, US Government and Politics, US History, World History

Arts: Chorus, Graphic Design, Music, Studio Art

Athletics:

Boys:

Fall: Cross Country, Soccer

Winter: Basketball, Wrestling

Spring: Baseball, Golf, Lacrosse, Tennis

Extracurricular Activities: Bowling, Ceramics, Film Appreciation, Fitness, Gardening, Music, National Honor Society, Photography, Robotics, Studio Art, Web Design, Weight Training, Yearbook

ESL Available/Level: YES - Beginner to Advanced

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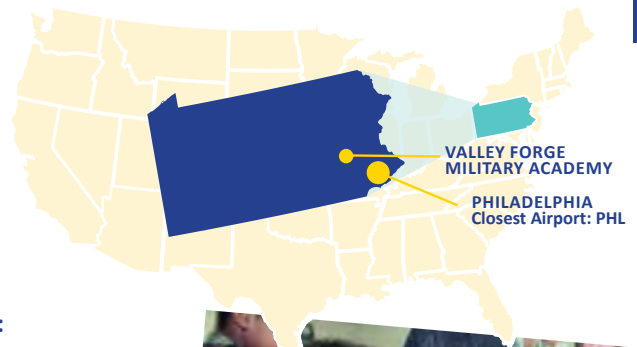




BOARDING BOYS FOUR SEASONS SPORTS

Valley Forge Military Academy

Wayne, PA



LOCATION:

- Population: 1,600
- Located 40 Minutes Northwest of Philadelphia
- Weather:
Summer/Fall: Warm and Humid
Winter/Spring: Cold and Temperate

ELIGIBILITY:

- Enrollment Restrictions: Grades Accepted: 7-12 (7-11 Spring Semester)
- Minimum SLEP: Not Accepted
- Minimum TOEFL: No Minimum
- Minimum ELTIS: Not Accepted

SCHOOL HIGHLIGHTS:

- Offers college credit
- Emphasis on physical fitness; leadership training
- Very low international student population

SCHOOL FACTS:

- Grades at School: 6-12
- Total Students in School: 298
- Teacher/Student Ratio: 1:12
- School Uniform Required: YES
- Religious Affiliation: None

SCHOOL PROFILE

Established in 1928, Valley Forge Military Academy is built on five main cornerstones: academic excellence, character development, personal motivation, physical development, and leadership. Cadets are able to obtain college credit while studying. Famous author of *Catcher in the Rye*, J.D. Salinger, graduated from Valley Forge.

FACILITIES

Valley Forge's 100-acre campus is a short ride from Philadelphia and features new tennis courts, basketball courts, indoor and outdoor swimming pools, a fully equipped weight room with brand new state-of-the-art workout equipment, meeting rooms, and the L. Maitland Blank Hall of Fame.

SPORTS AND ARTS

VFMA has a strong athletic reputation and has gained national recognition in sports. Many alumni have gone on to play at the collegiate level. Larry Fitzgerald of the NFL's Arizona Cardinals graduated from Valley Forge in 2002.

Students can take part in unique opportunities such as VFMA's competitive military band or the Field Music Drums Unit.

DORMITORIES AND STUDENT LIFE

Boarding cadets follow a structured daily schedule supervised by Tactical Officers and are housed two per dormitory room. On weekends, students can travel a short distance to the historic city of Philadelphia, attend a monthly Chapel service, or attend on-campus movie nights.



OPTIONS AVAILABLE*:

Foreign Languages: Chinese, French, Spanish

Advanced Placement Courses: Biology, English Language and Composition, English Literature and Composition, European History, Physics, Statistics, US History

Arts: Architecture, Field Music Unit (Drums), Independent Study, Military Band Unit, Portfolio, Studio Art

Athletics:

Boys:

Fall: Cross Country, Football, Soccer

Winter: Basketball, Wrestling, Swimming

Spring: Baseball, Lacrosse, Track and Field

Extracurricular Activities: Aviation/Flight Training, Business Club, Equestrian, Fencing, Ice Hockey, Indoor Track and Field, Martial Arts/Judo, Painting, Red Cross, Scouts, Scuba Diving, Swimming

ESL Available/Level: YES

*All courses and options offered by the school are subject to change.

University Acceptance Rate: 95%

Partial List of University Acceptances: Boston University, Brown University, Case Western Reserve University, Clemson University, Cornell University, Drexel University, Michigan State University, New York University, Northeastern University, Ohio State University, Pace University, Purdue University, Syracuse University, University of Chicago, University of Connecticut, University of Florida, University of Kansas, University of Maryland, University of Massachusetts, University of Michigan, University of North Carolina, University of Pittsburgh, University of Texas





BOARDING



COED



SUNNY



SPORTS



STEM

Ben Lippen School

Columbia, SC

LOCATION:

- Population: 133,300
- Located in Columbia
- Weather:
Summer/Fall: Warm and Temperate
Winter/Spring: Cool and Temperate

ELIGIBILITY:

- Enrollment Restrictions: Grades Accepted: 7-12
- Minimum SLEP: Not Accepted
- Minimum TOEFL: 50-70 (Varies by Grade)
- Minimum ELTIS: Not Accepted

SCHOOL PROFILE

Located in the heart of Columbia, South Carolina, Ben Lippen School has more than a dozen AP courses to choose from. Students can graduate as "Innovative Scholars," an academic option with tracks in robotics, pre-engineering, or pre-business. The school's partnership with Columbia International University offers students several dual enrollment courses. Ben Lippen School has a low international student population, giving international students an immersive experience.

FACILITIES

Ben Lippen School shares a campus and amenities with Columbia International University. The 100 acre campus includes three science labs, a band/music studio, a gymnasium, and several athletic fields. In August of 2018, Ben Lippen completed construction on its brand new 8-lane, Olympic-quality running track.

SPORTS AND ARTS

In 2016, several Ben Lippen athletes made the league All-Star baseball, softball, and soccer teams. Samkon Gado of the NFL's Green Bay Packers graduated from Ben Lippen in 2001. Teams regularly go to and win state championships.

Students can take media, fine arts, visual arts, and music classes such as digital media, drawing, and band.

AWARDS AND ACCOMPLISHMENTS

Ben Lippen awarded 55 National Merit Scholars in the last 20 years, four of whom were in 2017. Both the football and cross country teams have won state championships in the past three seasons.

DORMITORIES AND STUDENT LIFE

Boarding students live in family-style cabins staffed by house parents. Each suite has a telephone, wireless internet connection, and television. Students are integrated into Columbia International University's campus, sharing the dining hall and other amenities.

University Acceptance Rate: 98%

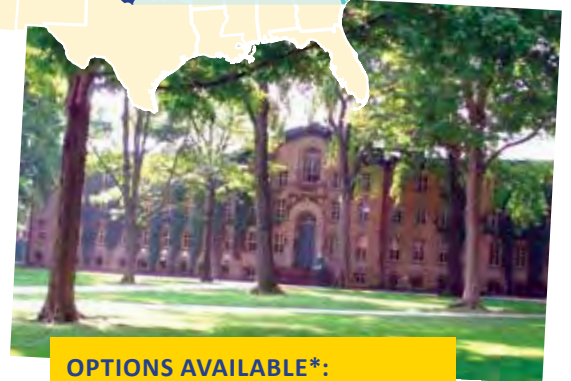
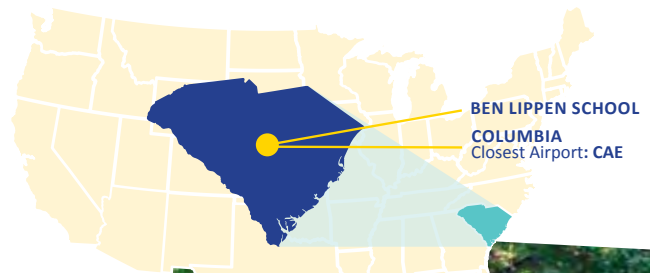
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SCHOOL HIGHLIGHTS:

- High school campus is integrated with Columbia International University
- Offers 13 AP courses; dual enrollment
- Optional robotics, pre-engineering, and pre-business academic tracks

SCHOOL FACTS:

- Grades at School: Pre K-12
- Total Students in School: 780
- Students in High School: 424
- Teacher/Student Ratio: 1:16
- School Uniform Required: YES
- Religious Affiliation: Christian



OPTIONS AVAILABLE*:

Foreign Languages: Chinese, French, Spanish

Advanced Placement Courses: Biology, Calculus AB, Calculus BC, Chemistry, Comparative Government and Politics, English Language and Composition, English Literature and Composition, European History, Physics, Spanish Language and Culture, Statistics, Studio Art, US History

Arts: Art Appreciation, Band, Choir, Digital Media, Drama, Drawing, Chorus, Guitar, Music Appreciation, Painting, Sculpting, Sotro Voice, Worship Arts, Yearbook

Athletics:

Boys:

Fall: Cross Country, Football, Swimming

Winter: Basketball, Bowling, Wrestling

Spring: Baseball, Golf, Soccer, Sporting Clays, Tennis, Track and Field

Girls:

Fall: Cheerleading, Cross Country, Swimming, Tennis, Volleyball

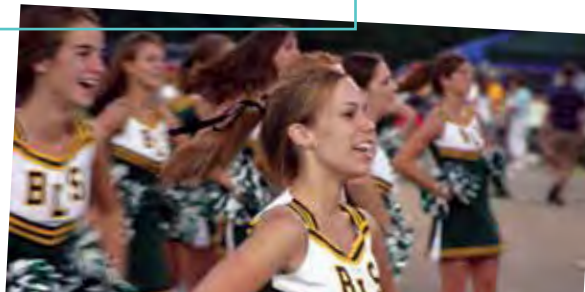
Winter: Basketball

Spring: Soccer, Softball, Track and Field, Sporting Clays

Extracurricular Activities: Art, Band, Chamber Orchestra, Chess, Chorus, Drama Fellowship, Fellowship of Christian Athletes, Foreign Language, Math, Missionary, National Honor Society, Retreats, Special Interest, Student Ambassadors, Student Government, Weightlifting, Worship, Yearbook

ESL Available/Level: YES - Beginner to Advanced

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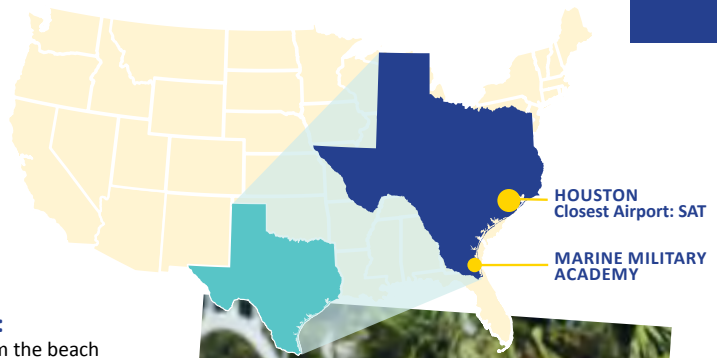




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Marine Military Academy

Harlingen, TX



LOCATION:

- Population: 65,500
- Located 5 Hours Southwest of Houston
- Weather:
Summer/Fall: Hot and Humid
Winter/Spring: Warm and Humid

ELIGIBILITY:

- Enrollment Restrictions: 8-11 No Restrictions; 12: Fall Enrollment Only
- Minimum SLEP: Not Required
- Minimum TOEFL: Preferred, No Minimum
- Minimum ELTiS: Not Required

SCHOOL HIGHLIGHTS:

- Located 30 minutes from the beach
- Strong STEM program
- The only Marine Corps high school in the US

SCHOOL FACTS:

- Grades at School: 8-12, PG
- Total Students in School: 300
- Students in High School: 260
- Teacher/Student Ratio: 1:12
- School Uniform Required: YES
- Religious Affiliation: None

SCHOOL PROFILE

Located 30 minutes from the coast of the Gulf of Mexico, Marine Military Academy is the only military school based on the traditions, values, and ideals of the United States Marine Corps. The school offers an outstanding Junior ROTC program as well as a STEM track.

FACILITIES

On-campus facilities offer many resources to students such as learning and reference centers, computer-equipped classrooms, cinematography/photography classrooms, and more. The science department features modern technology with Smart Boards and digital document cameras for class use.

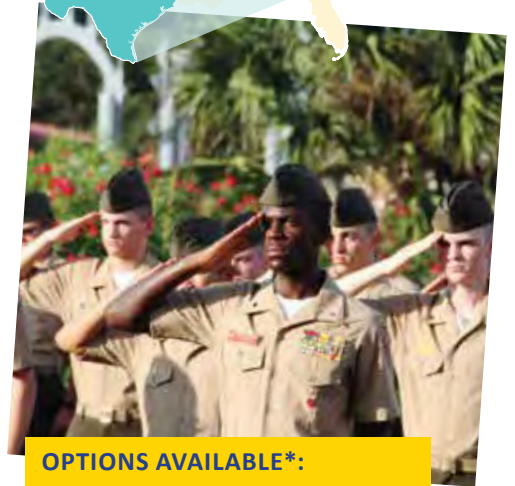
SPORTS AND ARTS

Students can participate in sports such as wrestling and tennis, as well as traditional American sports like football and baseball.

Marine Military offers students unique opportunities in the arts program such as desktop publishing and photography.

DORMITORIES AND STUDENT LIFE

The cadet barracks host students two to a room with a TV/game room and a study room with computer work stations. The barracks feature an adjoining apartment for each company drill instructor and his family. Students can choose from a variety of activities such as drill team, color guard, and sailing.



OPTIONS AVAILABLE*:

Foreign Languages: Chinese, Spanish

Advanced Placement Courses: Calculus AB, Calculus BC, Chemistry, English Literature and Composition, English Language and Composition, Physics, Statistics, US History

Arts: Band, Chinese Culture, Cinema and Photography, Desktop Publishing, Photography

Athletics:

Boys:

Fall: Basketball, Cross Country, Football, Soccer, Swimming

Winter: Boxing, Jiu-jitsu, Tennis, Weightlifting, Wrestling

Spring: Baseball, Cycling, Golf, Tennis, Track and Field

Extracurricular Activities: Band, Boy Scouts, Chess Club, Climbing Club, Cyber Patriot, Drill Team, Eighth Grade Sports, Interact, Key, National Honor Society, Rifle Team, Rotary, Sailing, Weight Lifting

ESL Available/Level: YES - Beginner to Advanced

*All courses and options offered by the school are subject to change.

University Acceptance Rate: 100%

Partial List of University Acceptances: Berklee College of Music, Boston College, California Polytechnic State University, Carnegie Mellon University, Clemson University, Cornell University, Georgia Institute of Technology, Lehigh University, Massachusetts Institute of Technology, Pennsylvania State University, Pepperdine University, State University of New York - Binghamton, Swarthmore College, Texas A & M University, University of California - Davis, University of Chicago, University of Massachusetts - Amherst, University of Miami, University of Texas at Austin, Yale University





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TMI - The Episcopal School of Texas

San Antonio, TX



LOCATION:

- Population: 2 Million
- Located in San Antonio
- Weather:
Summer/Fall: Hot and Humid
Winter/Spring: Cold and Temperate

ELIGIBILITY:

- Enrollment Restrictions: Grades Accepted: 8-11
- Minimum SLEP: Not Accepted
- Minimum TOEFL: Required, No Minimum
- Minimum ELTIS: Not Accepted

SCHOOL HIGHLIGHTS:

- Distinguished JROTC program
- Offers 21 AP courses
- Ranked 5th most beautiful high school campus in Texas

SCHOOL FACTS:

- Grades at School: 6-12
- Total Students in School: 470
- Total Students in High School: 340
- Teacher/Student Ratio: 1:9
- School Uniform Required: YES
- Religious Affiliation: Episcopalian

OPTIONS AVAILABLE*:

Foreign Languages: Latin, Spanish

Advanced Placement Courses: Biology, Calculus AB, Calculus BC, Chemistry, Comparative Government and Politics, Computer Science, English Language and Composition, English Literature and Composition, Environmental Science, European History, Human Geography, Latin, Macroeconomics, Physics C, Physics I, Psychology, Spanish Language and Culture, Spanish Literature and Culture, Statistics, Studio Art, US History

Arts: 3D Design, Acting, Animation, Band, Ceramics, Choir, Dance, Digital Art, Drawing and Painting, History in Styles of Jazz, Instrumental Ensemble, Photography, Playwriting, Studio Art, Technical Theater, Videography, Yearbook

Athletics:

Boys:

Fall: Cross Country, Football
Winter: Basketball, Soccer, Swimming
Spring: Baseball, Golf, Lacrosse, Tennis, Track and Field

Girls:

Fall: Cheerleading, Cross Country, Volleyball
Winter: Basketball, Cheerleading, Soccer, Swimming
Spring: Golf, Softball, Tennis, Track and Field

Extracurricular Activities: Bakers Club, Chinese Club, Debate, Engineering, Fellowship of Christian Athletes, Finance, International Club, Ladies Choir, Latin, Military History, Model United Nations, Newspaper, Photography Club, Pre-Med, Quiz Bowl, Robotics, Science, Sign Language, Spanish Club, Technical Theater, Yearbook

ESL Available/Level: YES

*All courses and options offered by the school are subject to change.

SCHOOL PROFILE

Founded in 1893, TMI – The Episcopal School of Texas is located in the diverse city of San Antonio, minutes from downtown. The school offers a wide selection of advanced courses, including 21 AP options. The school has a very low international student population, offering international students a great experience to connect with their peers.

FACILITIES

Located in San Antonio, the seventh most populated city in the United States, the TMI campus is comprised of sports fields, science labs, computer labs, a library, and more.

SPORTS AND ARTS

Students can participate in a variety of competitive sports including award-winning American football, soccer, and cross country.

TMI has a diverse arts and music program. It includes classes such as 3D design, acting, history in styles of jazz, and playwriting.

AWARDS AND ACCOMPLISHMENTS

TMI's nationally distinguished JROTC program is ranked one of the top 25 in the country and is recognized as an Honor Unit with Distinction. The TMI campus is ranked as the 5th most beautiful high school campus in Texas by Aceable. Last season, the school won state championships in boys soccer, boys swimming, and girls cross country.

DORMITORIES AND STUDENT LIFE

Boarding students reside in recently refurbished residence halls alongside full-time, live-in dorm parents. Common rooms contain televisions and a game room with a pool table, foosball, air hockey, and more.

University Acceptance Rate: 100%

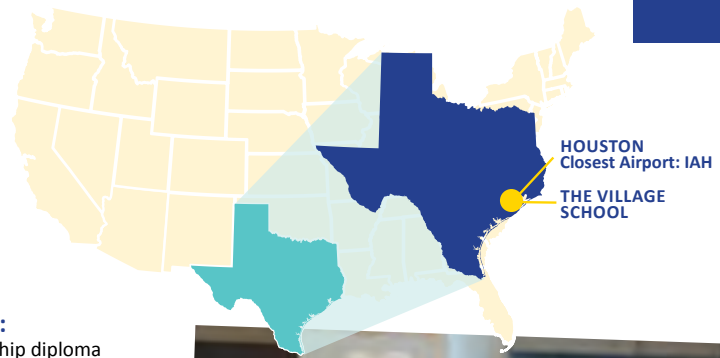
Partial List of University Acceptances: Boston College, Boston University, Brandeis University, Case Western Reserve University, Columbia University, Duke University, Harvard University, Georgetown University, George Washington University, Johns Hopkins University, Juilliard School, Manhattan School of Music, New York University, Notre Dame University, Pennsylvania State University, Pepperdine University, Savannah College of Art and Design, Texas A & M University, University of Texas - Austin, University of California - Berkeley, University of Rochester, University of Chicago, Stanford University, Swarthmore College, University of Miami, University of Pennsylvania, Vanderbilt University, Worcester Polytechnic Institute, Yale University





The Village School

Houston, TX



LOCATION:

- Population: 2.2 Million
- Located in Houston
- Weather:
Summer/Fall: Temperate and Hot
Winter/Spring: Temperate and Warm

ELIGIBILITY:

- Enrollment Restrictions: Grades Accepted: 8-12
- Minimum SLEP: Not Accepted
- Minimum TOEFL: No Minimum
- Minimum ELTiS: Not Accepted

SCHOOL HIGHLIGHTS:

- Optional entrepreneurship diploma
- STEAM collaboration with MIT
- International Baccalaureate Diploma

SCHOOL FACTS:

- Grades at School: Pre K-12
- Total Students in School: 1,728
- Total Students in High School: 617
- Teacher/Student Ratio: 1:8
- School Uniform Required: YES
- Religious Affiliation: None

SCHOOL PROFILE

The Village School is located in sunny Houston, Texas, just 20 minutes from the city's downtown area. The school offers the International Baccalaureate Diploma, an optional entrepreneurship diploma, and a comprehensive STEAM program in collaboration with MIT; students in the program visit MIT annually.

FACILITIES

The Village School is situated on 28 acres in West Houston. The campus has athletic facilities that include a turf field for football, soccer and lacrosse, a competition track, and tennis courts that are some of the best in the nation. Brand new or soon-to-be facilities include an aquatic center, an additional athletic center, and a dormitory.

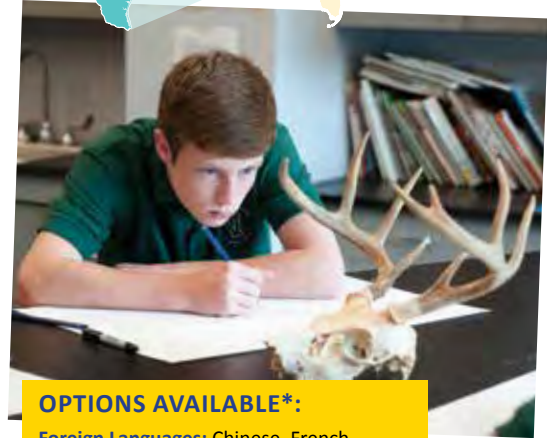
SPORTS AND ARTS

The Village School's competitive sports teams include options such as American football, golf, and lacrosse.

In collaboration with The Juilliard School, the fine arts program's unique curriculum prepares students for higher education in the arts.

DORMITORIES AND STUDENT LIFE

Boarding students live in brand new on-campus dormitories with four-bedroom suites and study areas. The school is known for its annual class trips, including a freshman retreat, a service-focused, cultural and educational trip sophomore year, an IB-focused science trip junior year, and a senior retreat.



OPTIONS AVAILABLE*:

Foreign Languages: Chinese, French, Spanish (Additional options available online)

Advanced Placement Courses: Instead of AP courses, The Village School offers IB Courses (Students have the option to sit for AP exams)

Arts: Ballet, Ceramics, Digital Photography, Drawing, Foundations of Art, Jazz Dance, Mixed Media, Music, Painting, Sculpture, Tap Dance Techniques, Theater Essentials, IB Visual Art, Yearbook

Athletics:

Boys:

Fall: Cross Country, Football

Winter: Basketball, Soccer, Swimming

Spring: Golf, Tennis, Track and Field

Girls:

Fall: Cross Country, Volleyball

Winter: Basketball, Soccer, Swimming

Spring: Golf, Lacrosse, Tennis, Track and Field

Extracurricular Activities: Band, Chess, Dance and Cheerleading Club, Debate Club, Environmental, Glee Club, Habitat for Humanity, International Film, Literary Magazine, Math and Science, Model United Nations, MIT Invent Team, Newspaper, Social Club, Student Government, Quiz Bowl, Yearbook

ESL Available/Level: YES

*All courses and options offered by the school are subject to change.

University Acceptance Rate: 100%

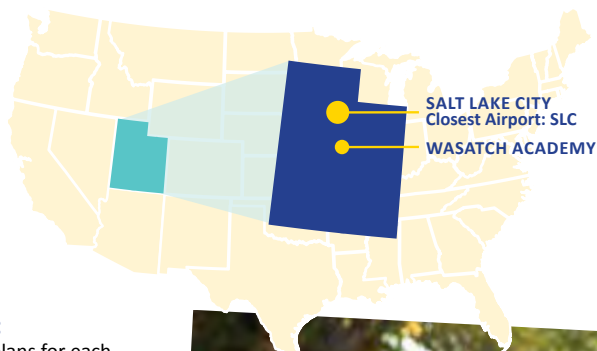
Partial List of University Acceptances: Baylor University, Boston College, Brown University, Columbia University, Cornell University, DePaul University, Duke University, Northeastern University, New York University, Purdue University, Rice University, Savannah College of Art and Design, School of the Art Institute of Chicago, University of Southern California, The University of Texas, Washington University, University of California, University of Connecticut, University of Chicago, University of Massachusetts, University of North Carolina, University of Pennsylvania, University of Virginia





Wasatch Academy

Mount Pleasant, UT



LOCATION:

- Population: 3,400
- Located 1 Hour 40 minutes South of Salt Lake City
- Weather:
Summer/Fall: Warm and Temperate
Winter/Spring: Cold and Sunny

ELIGIBILITY:

- Enrollment Restrictions: None
- Minimum SLEP: Not Required
- Minimum TOEFL: Preferred, No Minimum
- Minimum ELTIS: Not Required

SCHOOL HIGHLIGHTS:

- Individualized learning plans for each student
- Close to national parks; great location for Alpine and Nordic skiing
- Elite athletic programs

SCHOOL FACTS:

- Grades at School: 8-12, PG
- Total Students in School: 340
- Teacher/Student Ratio: 1:10
- School Uniform Required: NO
- Religious Affiliation: None

SCHOOL PROFILE

With individualized learning programs tailored to each student's needs, students develop at their own pace. At Wasatch Academy, students' outdoor learning experiences are just as important as their coursework. This is made possible by the school's proximity to skiing, hiking, and a dozen national parks.

FACILITIES

Campus facilities include the Center for Evolving Technologies, a multi-purpose athletic building with a gym, a weight room, a dance studio, a climbing wall, a music conservatory, a studio arts center, a field house, and equestrian facilities.

SPORTS AND ARTS

The school's mountainous location is ideal for opportunities like Alpine and Nordic skiing. The school offers both regular-level competition teams and elite national traveling squads.

Wasatch offers unique arts courses such as acting and comedy, hip-hop dance, and Photoshop for arts.

DORMITORIES AND STUDENT LIFE

The school has eight dorms on campus with full-time dorm parents. In addition to traveling to world-class ski resorts on weekends, students can take advantage of the school's private ski hill after classes during the week. Other popular activities include mountain biking, rock climbing, equestrian, and hiking.



OPTIONS AVAILABLE*:

Foreign Languages: Chinese, French, Spanish

Advanced Placement Courses: Biology, Calculus AB, Calculus BC, Chemistry, Chinese Language and Culture, Computer Science, English Language and Composition, English Literature and Composition, Environmental Science, European History, Physics, Psychology, Spanish, Statistics, Studio Art, US Government and Politics, US History

Arts: Acting and Comedy, Art Portfolio, Ceramics, Classical Ensemble, Composition, Dance, Design for Theater, Drawing and Painting, Fusion Ensemble, Guitar, Hip Hop Dance, Jazz, Music History, Photoshop for Arts, Piano, Script into Performance

Athletics:

Boys:

Fall: Cross Country

Winter: Alpine Skiing, Basketball, Nordic Skiing, Snowboarding

Spring: Baseball, Soccer, Tennis, Track and Field

Girls:

Fall: Cross Country, Tennis, Volleyball

Winter: Alpine Skiing, Basketball, Cheerleading, Nordic Skiing, Snowboarding

Spring: Soccer, Track and Field

Extracurricular Activities: Biking, Camping, Creative Writing, Dance, Debate, Digital Animation, Fencing, Guitar, Hiking, Journalism, Kayaking, Literary Magazine, Model United Nations, National Honor Society, Photography, Rock Climbing, Robotics, Skateboarding, Snowshoeing, Spanish, Swimming, Tech Crew, Ultimate Frisbee, Video Game Design, Whitewater Rafting

ESL Available/Level: YES - Beginner to Advanced

*All courses and options offered by the school are subject to change.

University Acceptance Rate: 100%

Partial List of University Acceptances: Boston University, Brandeis University, Brigham Young University, California Institute of Technology, Colorado State University, Harvard University, Massachusetts Institute of Technology, Michigan State University, Northeastern University, Pace University, Pennsylvania State University, Rice University, Rochester Institute of Technology, Savannah College of Art and Design, The Art Institute of Chicago, Syracuse University, University of Texas, University of California, University of Colorado at Boulder, University of Massachusetts, University of Richmond, University of Rochester, University of Virginia, University of Washington

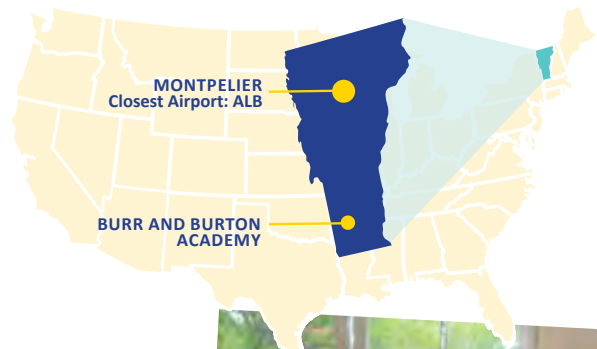




BOARDING COED MOUNTAIN NEW ENGLAND FOUR SEASONS ARTS SPORTS

Burr and Burton Academy

Manchester, VT



LOCATION:

- Population: 4,300
- Located 2 Hours South of Montpelier
- Weather:
Summer/Fall: Warm and Humid
Winter/Spring: Cold and Temperate

ELIGIBILITY:

- Enrollment Restrictions: None
- Minimum SLEP: Not Accepted
- Minimum TOEFL: 60-85 (Varies by Grade)
- Minimum ELTiS: 210-223 (Varies by Grade)

SCHOOL HIGHLIGHTS:

- Optional Mountain Campus semester
- Extensive arts program
- Ideal balance for student athletes

SCHOOL FACTS:

- Grades at School: 9-12
- Total Students in School: 713
- Teacher/Student Ratio: 1:14
- School Uniform Required: NO
- Religious Affiliation: None



OPTIONS AVAILABLE*:

Foreign Languages: French, German, Spanish

Advanced Placement Courses: Biology, Chemistry, Calculus AB, Calculus BC, English Language and Composition, English Literature and Composition, French Language and Culture, German Language and Culture, Microeconomics, Physics C: Mechanics, Psychology, Spanish Language and Culture, Studio Art, US Government and Politics, US History

Arts: Actors Studio, Applied Music, Audio Production, Chorus, Cinematography, Culinary Arts, Ceramics, Cinematography, Dance, Design Studio, Digital Animation, Digital DJ, Digital Photography, Drama, Electronic Music, Film Scoring, Graphic Design, Instrumental Music Ensemble, Jazz Studies, Music Technology, Music Theory, Music History, Orchestra, Technical Theater, Video Game Design, Visual Art, Vocal Music Ensemble, Woodworking

Athletics:

Boys:

Fall: Cross Country, Football, Soccer
Winter: Alpine Skiing, Basketball, Ice Hockey, Nordic Skiing, Snowboarding, Wrestling, Dance Team

Spring: Baseball, Lacrosse, Tennis, Track and Field

Girls:

Fall: Cross Country, Field Hockey, Golf, Soccer

Winter: Lacrosse, Softball, Tennis, Track and Field

Spring: Cross Country, Football, Golf, Soccer

Extracurricular Activities: Astronomy, Broadway Workshop, Choir, Composer's Club, Debate, Digital Photo, Ecology, Equestrian, Film Club, French, Gay Straight Alliance, German, Investment, Jazz Combo, Mountain Biking, Newspaper, Pit Orchestra, Recording Studio, Rock Climbing, Spanish, Stock Market, Theater, Ultimate Frisbee, Volleyball, Wrestling, Yoga

ESL Available/Level: YES - Beginner to Advanced

SCHOOL PROFILE

At the base of Mount Equinox in northern New England, Burr and Burton Academy incorporates physical activity into its academic curriculum and offers an exceptional arts program with a Steinway partnership and modern technology. Students may choose to attend the Mountain Campus for a semester, where they can take dual enrollment courses for college credit, design their own independent study, explore career options through internships, attend a winter ski academy, or partake in off-campus study. BBA's student body has a low international student population.

FACILITIES

Burr and Burton Academy features both historic and newly renovated facilities on its college-style campus. These include a sky observatory, a high-tech computer lab, a large woodworking shop, a STEAM lab, a fully equipped photography and graphic design classroom, an art studio, 3D printers, and a music technology lab.

SPORTS AND ARTS

The school's location in the mountains of northern New England is the perfect setting for athletic opportunities such as skiing and snowboarding. Physical education is incorporated into the academic curriculum.

BBA's exceptional arts program features five Steinway pianos, 18 Apple computers with professional Adobe Suite, a fully-equipped photography studio with 15 Canon DSLR cameras, a large new ceramics kiln, a graffiti/street art wall, and 3D printers. Students have access to accomplished music teachers across the world through Skype lessons.

AWARDS AND ACCOMPLISHMENTS

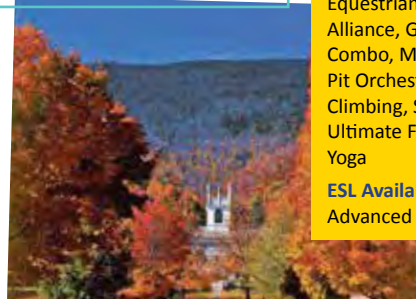
The BBA competitive sports teams have won 44 state championships in 10 years. Students in the art department have won five congressional art awards. The school won the Mountain Campus Governor's Award for Environmental Excellence.

DORMITORIES AND STUDENT LIFE

Students live in traditional New England houses on campus. Dorms have wireless internet, televisions, computer areas, living rooms, dining rooms, and kitchens.

University Acceptance Rate: 100%

Partial List of University Acceptances: Boston College, Boston University, Brigham Young University, California College of the Arts, Emerson College, Fashion Institute of Design and Merchandising, George Washington University, New York University, Northeastern University, State University of New York, Syracuse University, Tufts University, University of California - Davis, University of Chicago, University of Massachusetts, Vanderbilt University, Wake Forest University, Worcester Polytechnic Institute



*All courses and options offered by the school are subject to change.



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ARTS

Lyndon Institute

Lyndon Center, VT

LOCATION:

- Population: 5,800
- Located 1 Hour Northeast of Montpelier
- Weather:
Summer/Fall: Warm and Humid
Winter/Spring: Cold and Humid

ELIGIBILITY:

- Enrollment Restrictions: None
- Minimum SLEP: Not Accepted
- Minimum TOEFL: 38-74 (Varies by Grade)
- Minimum ELTiS : Not Accepted

SCHOOL PROFILE

Founded in 1867, Lyndon Institute is a historic school in New England that offers a STEM program, dual enrollment courses at nearby Northern Vermont University, 14 AP course options, and more than 20 visual, performing, and media arts courses. Lyndon Institute is located 10 minutes from Burke Mountain ski resort.

FACILITIES

Lyndon Institute's 150-acre campus includes nature trails, science labs, computer labs, a multimedia center/library, sports fields, an ice hockey arena, a greenhouse, and a track and field facility. A new student center was introduced in 2016.

SPORTS AND ARTS

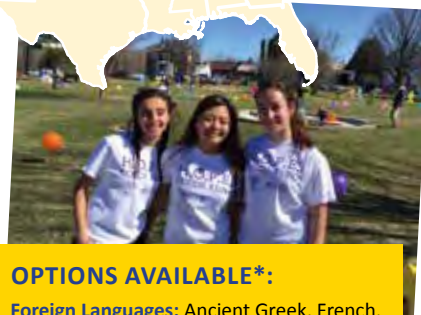
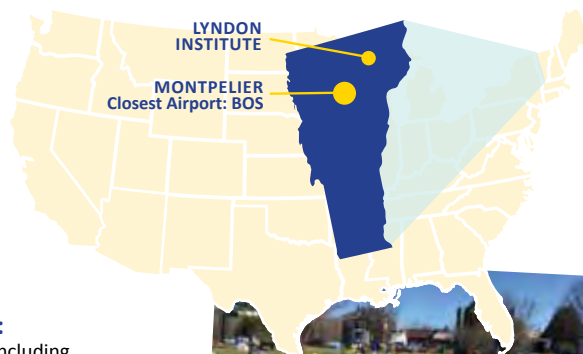
Lyndon's indoor track, boys basketball, girls slope-style snowboarding, boys giant slalom alpine skiing, and softball teams were all 2015-16 State Champions. Also, recently the field hockey team won the state title, while the boys ice hockey team made it to the finals. All students participate in Lyndon's arts program. Students choose from unique courses such as world music, ballet, and analog photography. Additionally, Lyndon offers several AP-level art courses.

DORMITORIES AND STUDENT LIFE

The school has both traditional dormitories and small cottage-style housing. Each dormitory's lounge area is equipped with a television, a kitchen, and computers. The school organizes trips and activities such as professional sporting events, kayaking, and sledding.

University Acceptance Rate: 99%

Partial List of University Acceptances: Arizona State University, Clarkson University, Dartmouth College, Drexel University, George Washington University, Indiana University - Bloomington, Ohio State University, Pennsylvania State University, Pratt Institute, Purdue University, Savannah College of Art and Design, Suffolk University, Syracuse University, Tufts University, University of California, University of Denver, University of Maryland, University of Minnesota, University of Tulsa, University of Pittsburgh, University of Vermont, University of Washington, University of Wisconsin



OPTIONS AVAILABLE*:

Foreign Languages: Ancient Greek, French, Latin, Spanish

Advanced Placement Courses: Calculus AB, Calculus BC, Chemistry, English Language and Composition, English Literature and Composition, Environmental Science, European History, Macroeconomics, Microeconomics, Music Theory, Physics 1, Physics 2, Studio Art: Drawing, US History

Arts: Acrylic and Oil Painting, Acting, Analog Photography, Ballet, Chorus, Band, Choral Ensemble, Concert Band, Dance, Dance History, Drama, Dramatic Literature, Drawing Beginner, Graphic Arts, Jazz Band, Jazz Dance, Painting, Photography, Printmaking, Select Chorus, Stage Craft, Studio Art, Theater, Watercolor Painting, Welding/Metal Arts, World Music

Athletics:

Boys:

Fall: Cross Country, Football, Golf, Soccer, Volleyball

Winter: Alpine Skiing, Basketball, Ice Hockey, Indoor Track, Nordic Skiing

Spring: Baseball, Track and Field, Ultimate Frisbee

Girls:

Fall: Cheerleading, Cross Country, Field Hockey, Golf, Soccer, Volleyball

Winter: Alpine Skiing, Basketball, Cheerleading, Ice Hockey, Indoor Track, Nordic Skiing

Spring: Softball, Track and Field, Ultimate Frisbee

Extracurricular Activities: Anime Club, Athletic Honor Society, Drama, Dance, Equestrian, Forensics, French Club, Literary Magazine, National Art Honor Society, National Honor Society, Outing Club, Spanish Club, Student Council, Sustainability, Tech, Yearbook

ESL Available/Level: YES - Intermediate to Advanced

*All courses and options offered by the school are subject to change.



Living in the dorms is an amazing experience. It helps you to make friends really fast and to adapt to the USA living style. – **Mario from Italy**



St. Johnsberry Academy

St. Johnsberry, VT

LOCATION:

- Population: 7,600
- Located 1 Hour Northeast of Montpelier
- Weather:
Summer/Fall: Warm and Humid
Winter/Spring: Cold and Humid

ELIGIBILITY:

- Enrollment Restrictions: None
- Minimum SLEP: Not Required
- Minimum TOEFL: Preferred, No Minimum
- Minimum ELTIS: Not Required

SCHOOL PROFILE

Founded in 1842, St. Johnsberry Academy offers over 200 courses, including more than 30 AP classes and the AP Capstone Diploma program, seven engineering and robotics courses, and five foreign languages. A National Blue Ribbon School, St. Johnsberry also has an extensive ESL program, a biomedical and health sciences certificate, and dual enrollment partnership with Southern New Hampshire University and Colby-Sawyer College.

FACILITIES

St. Johnsberry Academy's village-style campus is situated in a traditional small New England town. The campus features a photography studio, music performance studios, a 250-seat black box theater, a 20,000-volume library, an indoor pool, tennis courts, a 1.5 mile track, and many more professional-quality facilities and amenities.

SPORTS AND ARTS

Students can choose from dozens of interscholastic sports teams including skiing, ice hockey, and ultimate Frisbee. Recently, athletes ave taken home state championships in American football, indoor track, girls basketball, and boys alpine skiing.

Students can choose from over 40 unique art courses such as clay, stagecraft, and fashion design. Many students win the State and National Scholastic Art Award each year.

AWARDS AND ACCOMPLISHMENTS

St. Johnsberry has received the Blue Ribbon School award, had two National Merit Finalists and 44 Scholastic Art Awards in 2017, and placed first in the 2017 Catamount Arts 48 Hour Film Slam. The 30th president of the United States, Calvin Coolidge, graduated from St. Johnsberry Academy.

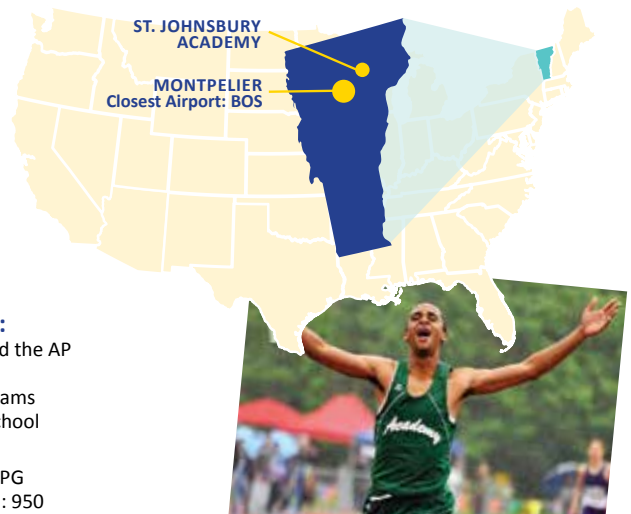
DORMITORIES AND STUDENT LIFE

Faculty members reside in each dorm, and each student is assigned a dorm parent who acts as the student's mentor and communicates regularly with the student's family. Students choose activities for the school to plan, such as concerts and wilderness excursions.

University Acceptance Rate: 100%

Partial List of University Acceptances: American University, Berklee College of Music, Carnegie Mellon University, Cornell University, Fashion Institute of Technology, Harvard University, Imperial College London, Lehigh University, Middlebury College, Mount Holyoke College, New York University, Northeastern University, Pennsylvania State University, Purdue University, Rensselaer Polytech Institute, Rhode Island School of Design (RISD), Syracuse University, Temple University, University of California, University of Michigan, University of Rochester, University of Vermont, University of Washington, Vassar College, Worcester Polytechnic Institute

Living in the dorm and meeting people from all over the world helped me learn how to socialize with people from other countries... I like how the dorm, club and sports teams run, it is totally different compared to what I had at home.
— Ho Man from Hong Kong



SCHOOL HIGHLIGHTS:

- Offers 31 AP courses and the AP Capstone Diploma
- Championship sports teams
- National Blue Ribbon School

SCHOOL FACTS:

- Grades at School: 9-12, PG
- Total Students in School: 950
- Teacher/Student Ratio: 1:8
- School Uniform Required: NO (There is a Dress Code)
- Religious Affiliation: None

OPTIONS AVAILABLE*:

Foreign Languages: Chinese, French, Japanese, Latin, Spanish

Advanced Placement Courses: Biology, Calculus AB, Calculus BC, Chemistry, Computer Science A, Computer Science Principles, English Language and Composition, English Literature and Composition, Environmental Science, European History, French Language and Culture, Japanese Language and Culture, Latin, Microeconomics, Music Theory, Physics 1, Physics 2, Physics C: Electricity and Magnetism, Physics C: Mechanics, Psychology, Research, Seminar, Spanish Language and Culture, Statistics, Studio Art, US History, US Government and Politics, World History

Arts: A Capella, Acting, Advanced Art, Anatomy and Figure Drawing, Band, Celtic Arts, Chorus, Clay, Dance, Drawing and Painting, Digital Graphics and Design, Fashion Design, Filmmaking, Guitar, Jazz Band, Music Appreciation and Theory, Oil Painting, Photography, Portfolio, Printmaking, Sculpture, Stagecraft, String Ensemble, Water-Based Painting

Athletics:

Boys:

Fall: Cross Country, Football, Golf, Soccer
Winter: Alpine Skiing, Basketball, Ice Hockey, Indoor Track, Nordic Skiing, Wrestling
Spring: Baseball, Lacrosse, Tennis, Track and Field, Ultimate Frisbee

Girls:

Fall: Cheerleading, Cross Country, Field Hockey, Golf, Soccer, Volleyball
Winter: Alpine Skiing, Basketball, Gymnastics, Indoor Track, Nordic Skiing, Wrestling
Spring: Lacrosse, Softball, Tennis, Track and Field, Ultimate Frisbee

Extracurricular Activities: A Capella, Anime, Art, Badminton, Chess, Community Service, Dance, Environmental, Fashion, Filmmaking, Future Business Leaders of America, Gay Straight Union, Japanese, Literary Society, Math Club, Model United Nations, National Honor Society, Outing, Personal Fitness, Photography, Robotics, Science Olympiad, Scholars Bowl, Spanish Club, Student Council, Swimming, Tennis Club, Theater, Yearbook, Yoga

ESL Available/Level: YES, 4 levels

*All courses and options offered by the school are subject to change.

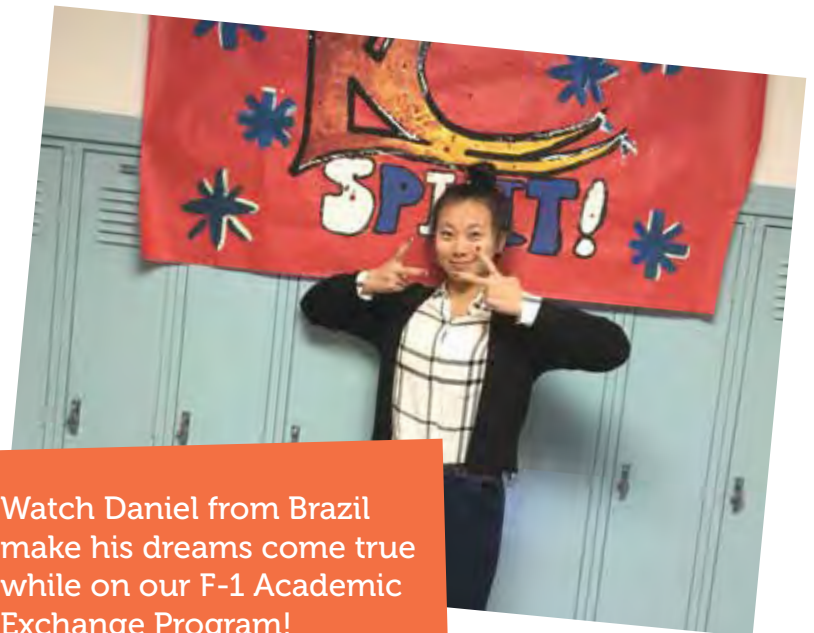
Academic Exchange (F-1) Program

The Educatius Academic Exchange Program on an F-1 visa is perfect for international students looking for a more affordable program with all the academic benefits of our F-1 SELECT High School program. If you can be flexible and let us choose your destination, you can study in the USA at a Private or Public High School at a lower price. This means that Educatius chooses the high school for the student. However, with schools in great locations like Illinois, Michigan, and New York State, students can look forward to an authentic American high school experience. It's truly the best of both worlds!

Students can attend for an Academic Year or a Semester in grades 9-12, and students entering grade 12 can even earn a US High School Diploma. Our Academic Exchange students have been accepted to colleges and universities like University of New Jersey (Rutgers), SUNY, Texas A&M University, Maastricht University in the Netherlands, and Renmin University of China. Whatever your goals and ambitions may be, our Academic Exchange Program is a fantastic place to start!

Why International Students Love This Low-Cost Program

- They are able to earn a US Diploma in grade 12 (and continue to a US university, if desired) or earn academic credit in younger grades
- Our program accepts students ages 14-18
- More flexible than the J-1 Exchange in admission requirements, medical conditions, and deadlines
- Choose a Public or Private High School placement
- Year and Semester enrollments, Fall or January start
- Late applications accepted
- Guaranteed placement for ALL accepted applicants
- Study for more than one year (at a Private Day School) with our 2nd Year Price Guarantee



VIDEO
HIGHLIGHT



Watch Daniel from Brazil make his dreams come true while on our F-1 Academic Exchange Program!
educatius.org/DANIEL



DID YOU KNOW?

Students who have already finished a year on the J-1 Exchange Program can take this program as a low cost option to continue their studies in the USA!

Compare Academic F-1 Exchange vs Traditional J-1 Exchange

ADVANTAGES:	F-1 ACADEMIC EXCHANGE	J-1 EXCHANGE
Take a full schedule of courses and earn academic credit transferable to your country	✓	✗
Earn a US Diploma if entering grade 12 & continue to US University	✓	✗
Guaranteed Placements if accepted to program	✓	✗
Late applications accepted	✓	✗
Study for multiple years in the USA	✓	✗

Most control for the best price

HOW IT WORKS:

Step 1: Tell us if you prefer to attend a Public or Private School

Step 2: Tell us if you'd like to earn a diploma (if you are entering grade 12)

Step 3: Choose your 1st favorite from a list of options including language, sport, art, climate or subject choice.

Step 4: We will place you in a school that has your favorite choice:

For instance, French, Spanish, Soccer, American Football, Tennis, Golf, Basketball, Track & Field, Drama/Theatre, Art, Music, Warm all year, Four Seasons, AP Calculus, Generic AP Science.



Short-Term High School Programs

Unable to take a full semester or year to study abroad? You can still study in the USA! Whether you choose the short term or super-short term option, you will never forget your time studying in the USA. These programs take place during the academic year so students can experience real American high school life!

Choose the program that works best for you!

Short Term High School Program Options

DURATION	2-4 weeks	10-12 weeks
SCHOOL TYPE	SELECT Boarding Schools	SELECT Public or Private Day Schools
ACCOMMODATION	Live in a friendly Dormitory with great cuisine	Live with a welcoming American Host Family
CREDIT	Students attend but do not participate in class	Can take a full course load and get a certificate of courses taken
LOCATIONS	Inquire for location information	Florida, California, New York, Iowa
ELIGIBILITY	Ages 12-15	Ages 14-18
ENGLISH REQUIREMENT	195 ELTiS	195 ELTiS
START DATES	Late October or Early February	Fall, Winter, Spring



Other High School Options in the USA



SELECT Private Day High School Programs

The Educatus SELECT Private Day School Program is the best of both worlds – an opportunity to study at a selective private school while living with an American family. Students can choose from incredible schools in California, Florida, New York, Boston, Arizona and many more places.

One reason why international students choose an American Private School is to be able to study multiple years if they wish. The Private Day School Program is academically challenging and many students pursue a diploma and dream of attending a top university in the USA.

Private Day Schools also provide students with a wealth of opportunities in art classes, clubs, sports, and leadership.

Example Private School: Saint Edward's School - Vero Beach, Florida

Number of Students: 540

Accepts Students to Grades: 9-12

Diploma Year Offered: No

Number of AP Courses: 22

Foreign Languages: Chinese, Spanish

Sports: Baseball, Basketball, Cheerleading, Crew, Cross Country, Football, Golf, Lacrosse, Soccer, Swimming, Tennis, Volleyball, Weightlifting

Arts: Concert Band, Concert Choir, Conservatory, Design, Electronic, Music, Graphics, Photojournalism, Studio Art, Theater



View all schools in our
SELECT Private Day School
Program!



SELECT Public High School Programs

Studying at an Educatus SELECT high public school lets international students experience the very best of the USA public school system on an F-1 visa! This means they can choose their high school and get academic credit, or even earn a diploma!

Each school in Educatus' portfolio has been chosen because it offers something extraordinary. What's more, the public schools in Educatus' program are some of the highest ranked schools in regions throughout the USA.

Example Public School: Oak Park High School - Oak Park, California

Number of Students: 1,550

Accepts Students to Grades: 9-12

Diploma Year Offered: No

Number of AP Courses: 20

Foreign Languages: American Sign Language, Chinese, French, Spanish

Sports: Baseball, Basketball, Cross Country, Football, Golf, Lacrosse, Soccer, Softball, Tennis, Track and Field, Volleyball

Arts: 3D Design/Ceramics, Acting, Choir, Computer Animation, Computer Graphics, Drawing/Painting, Instrumental Music, Stagecraft, Web Design



View all schools in our
SELECT Public School Program!

Educatus College and University Services

Educatus College and University Services (ECUS) works with more than 160 institutions in North America. With our guidance, we will help you save money and eliminate all the confusion during the application process. With a number of unique educational opportunities, we cater to all students.

Programs Include:

- University Scholarship Program
- Study in California Program
- Community College Program

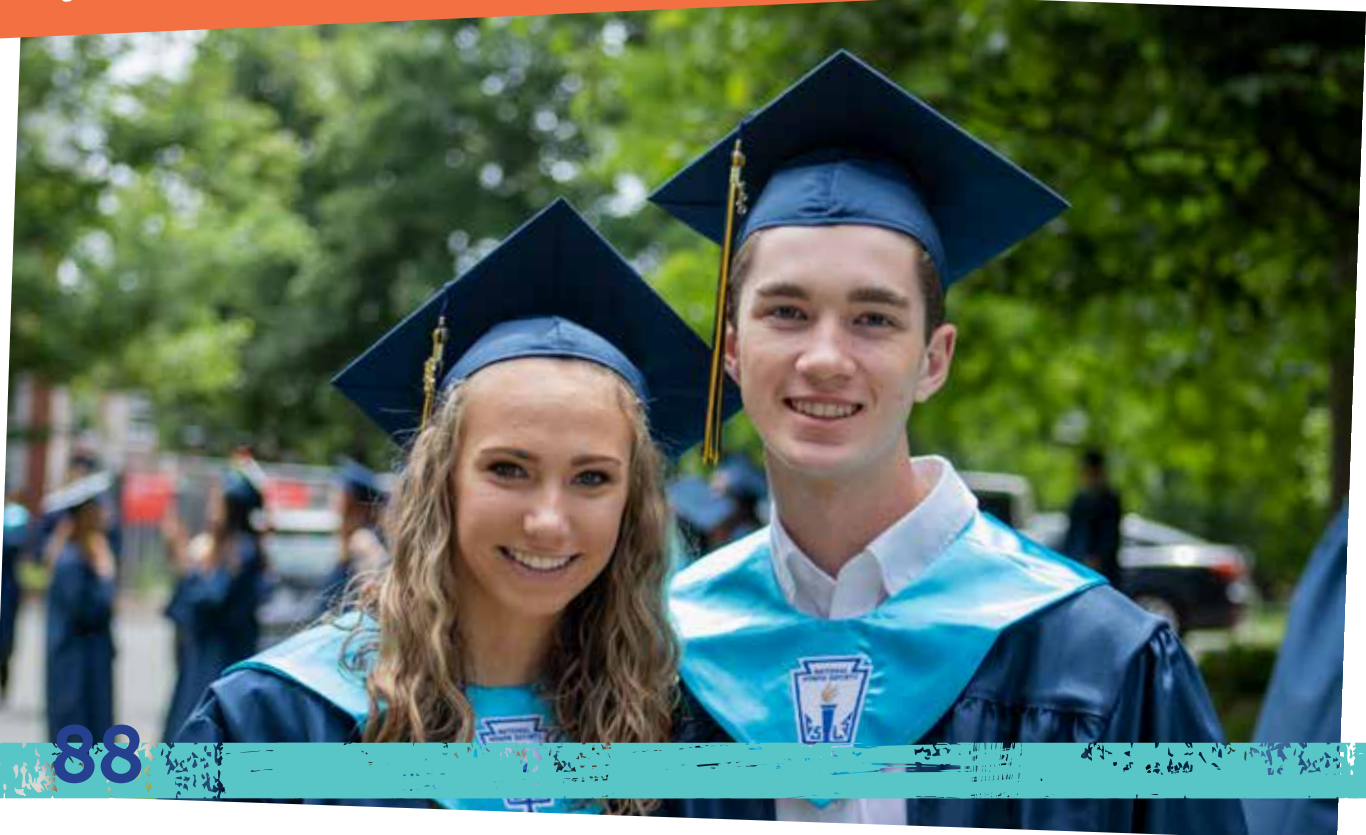
Our University Partners

Our network of schools include institutions that are highly ranked in areas such as research and technology. We work with schools in 43 states, so you have a variety of options.

What Students Say About Educatus College and University Services

I really enjoyed my year at the college! I live at the dorms with three native speakers so I can practice my English a lot and get to know about the country. I enjoy living on my own and getting more confident and independent. The Americans are super friendly. Not only the teacher but also your classmates are respectful and also want to know more about your country. I found lots of good friends and I don't want to go back. I will miss not only my wonderful relaxed life but also my American friends. I would recommend everyone to study abroad! Thank you Educatus for letting me experience this wonderful year in the US. – **Kay O. from Germany**

I felt like I was heard and seen by the Educatus staff. I also felt like I got all the help I could ask for throughout the process. – **Camilla S. from Finland**



Find the Right Fit and Get Scholarships

Scholarships are available to international students applying through our representatives

Educatus Group negotiates significant scholarships on behalf of students at over 125 competitive universities. By applying to our University Scholarship Program, international students can lower their costs by about \$10,000-\$25,000 a year. With Educatus' assistance, students can locate affordable programs and study in prestigious American institutions.

BENEFITS OF THE SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM

- Complete ONLY ONE application and receive pre-acceptances to up to 10 institutions
- You get regular updates on your application
- You get personal advice during the process
- Assistance in all areas of college registration and enrollment
- Coordination of housing, meal plans, health insurance, and additional services
- Flexible start dates



DID YOU KNOW?

- Our students have received scholarships that were up to 60% of their tuition.
- Educatus facilitated over \$1.5 million in university scholarships for our students last year.
- Students can save up to \$100,000 over 4 years.
- There are more than \$3 million in scholarships available for 2019!

Community College Program

Two-year colleges can help students improve English skills, save money, and adapt to US education. The Community College Program allows for quality education at an affordable cost. Not only are community colleges less expensive than four-year institutions, but they provide the first two years of coursework necessary to transfer to a four-year institution where students can continue to pursue a bachelor's degree at a top ranked university. Our community colleges accept lower English scores and no SAT, making it easier to apply.

BENEFITS OF THE COMMUNITY COLLEGE PROGRAM:

- Easier admission requirements
- Costs are lower: Tuition at Community Colleges can be as much as 20% to 80% less than at four-year American universities. This is a tremendous cost savings for the first two years of the bachelor's degree
- Small classes, more support
- Opportunity to transfer to a highly ranked university

ENGLISH TRAINING
(IF NECESSARY)



COMMUNITY COLLEGE
(2 YEARS)



TRANSFER TO UNIVERSITY
(2 YEARS)

= BACHELOR'S DEGREE

DID YOU KNOW?

- Some of our top transfer destinations are: University of California - Berkeley (UC - Berkeley), University of California - Los Angeles (UCLA), San Francisco State University.
- Famous alumni of community colleges include director George Lucas, actor Tom Hanks, author Amy Tan, and former US Surgeon General Richard Carmona.

How to Apply

STEP 1

PLAN YOUR ADVENTURE

Consider your budget.

What kind of experience do you want?
Where do you want to study?

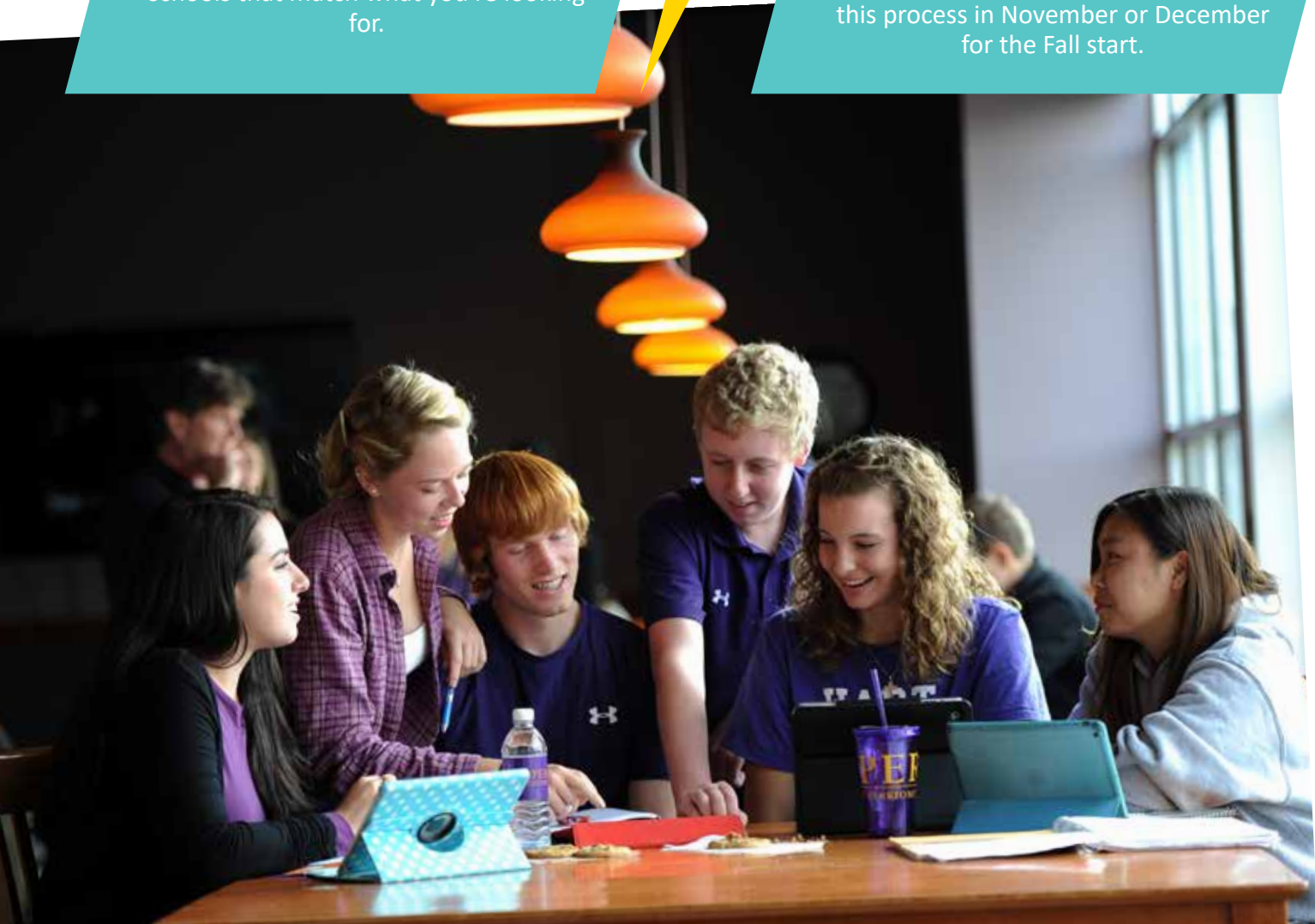
Decide what you want from your experience — and our international representatives will help you find schools that match what you're looking for.

STEP 2

SEND IN YOUR APPLICATION

Get the documents you need — English test scores, school transcripts, teacher recommendations, and personal essay — and submit your application online.

If the school has space, it will almost always accept an application submitted by us! Many students start this process in November or December for the Fall start.





STEP 3

GET YOUR I-20 FOR YOUR STUDENT VISA

International students on our F-1 program need an I-20 to apply for a student visa.

Once the school has received your deposit, they'll send you an I-20, which you'll use to schedule a visa interview.

Do this as soon as possible!

STEP 4

FINAL ARRANGEMENTS

When final payment and your flight info are received, you'll get a orientation packet from your local representative. Get ready to travel!

STEP 5

ARRIVAL AND ADJUSTMENT

Arriving in the USA can be exciting and a bit scary! Lots of teens feel this way at first! Jet lag, homesickness, culture shock and speaking English 24/7 can be exhausting — but don't worry, it will pass! Your teachers, dorm staff and new friends will be there to help you adjust to your new home and school.



CHOOSE A HIGH SCHOOL PROGRAM FROM 17 COUNTRIES:

- Argentina
- Australia
- Canada
- Chile
- Denmark
- Finland
- France
- Germany
- Ireland
- Italy
- Japan
- New Zealand
- Norway
- Spain
- Sweden
- UK
- USA



Worldwide High School Programs

We are *the* High School Experts!

More than 6,000 international students from 60+ countries studied on one of Educatius Group's high school programs last year and had the experience of their lifetime!

We have three types of high school programs depending on the country.

JAPAN

The SELECT program is a premium high school experience where students can choose exactly the location and the school they'd like to attend. Available in the USA, Canada, UK, Ireland, Australia, New Zealand, France, and Spain.

The CLASSIC program is the typical exchange program where students go abroad to have a cultural high school experience and improve their language skills. The CLASSIC program is available in all countries except Canada.

The Academic Exchange program is a low-cost way for students to get a great academic experience. Providing the academic credit and a pathway to university that Classic programs do not offer, the Academic Exchange program is available in the USA, as well as (for non-EU passport holders only) both the UK and Ireland.

AUSTRALIA

NEW ZEALAND

This year by far was the best year of my life. I'll remember all the experiences that I had here forever. My host family was the greatest thing for me; I actually consider them as my family. I really love them. All the friends that I made here I won't be able to forget. Everyone was super nice to me and they were always there to support me when I needed. I really have nothing to complain about this year. – **Gustavo from Brazil**

One of the most amazing experiences I have ever done in my life! I came in a country where I had no idea about anything, people, culture, language...I came completely alone! And "alone" I could learn the "real" of the life and grow up my mind about the world. – **Anna from Taiwan**

This was my first "cold" Christmas. It was the best experience ever. We celebrated with my entire host family and friends. Even my host sister who was in the USA at the time joined in by Skype. I don't regret going to Germany! – **Clara from Mexico**





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