

PARK TUDOR SCHOOL

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of the Central States

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SENIOR CLASS ENROLLMENT 2021-22: 81



2021-2022 College Profile

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Park Tudor School, located in northeast Indianapolis, is an independent, coeducational, college-preparatory day school for students in prekindergarten through grade 12.

The School was established in 1970 by a merger of Tudor Hall School for girls (1902) and Park School for boys (1914).

Park Tudor offers a rigorous academic program complemented by a co-curricular program of organizations and clubs, fine arts, and athletics.

The school offers more than \$4.2 million annually in financial aid. Enrollment for the 2021-22 school year is: JK-Grade 5: 343; Grades 6-8: 221; Grades 9-12: 379. Thirty-six percent of the student body is racially and ethnically diverse.

THE MISSION

To create an inspiring college-preparatory learning environment, with exceptional educators and extraordinary opportunities, that prepares and motivates students to become balanced, confident, and resourceful lifelong learners.

SCHOOL POLICIES

Park Tudor School does not:

- Rank students
- Complete student rankings
- Disclose disciplinary matters to colleges

Park Tudor School does report to colleges any change in enrollment, e.g., withdrawal or expulsion, on a student's transcript.

Park Tudor School Class of 2021 Achievements



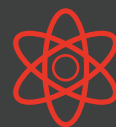
100% college admission



2 Presidential Scholar Semifinalists



78-member class attending 44 schools



5 National Merit Finalists



Ranked best private high school in the Indianapolis area*

*According to niche.com

MARKING SYSTEM & GRADE DISTRIBUTION

A cumulative unweighted grade point average is provided on each student's transcript. The GPA reflects equal weighting for all courses that earn one credit except P.E. and Health. A weighted GPA, reflecting an additional one point for AP courses and one-half point for other advanced courses (e.g. Pre-Calculus) is also provided.

The unweighted GPA range for the last several years has extended from a high of 4.0 to a low of 2.24, with a median GPA of 3.48.

GPA SCALE		NUMERICAL EQUIVALENTS	
A 4.0	B- 2.667	A = 90-100	D = 60-69
A- 3.667	C+ 2.333	B = 80-89	F = Below 60
B+ 3.333	C 2.0	C = 70-79	
B 3.0	D 1.0		

While there are no courses designated as "Honors" on the transcript, **all academic courses are taught at the Honors level.** 18 AP courses are offered.

Park Tudor is a member of the Cum Laude Society, a national organization for secondary schools that recognizes scholastic achievement and encourages the qualities of excellence, justice and honor modeled after the college scholastic fraternity Phi Beta Kappa. Up to 20% of the senior class, based on an unweighted cumulative GPA through the end of the fall semester of their senior year, may be inducted into the Cum Laude Society.

ADVANCED PLACEMENT

In 2021, 184 students in Grades 9-12 took a total of 504 exams in the subjects listed below.

Enrollment in AP courses is largely by self-selection, although certain prerequisites may prevail.

Students wrote AP Exams in the following subjects:

Art History	Computer Science Principles	Physics C-Mech
Biology	English Lang/Comp	Spanish Language
Calculus AB	English Lit/Comp	Statistics
Calculus BC	French Language	U.S. History
Chemistry	Music Theory	World History
Computer Science A	Physics C-EM	

By independent study:

Environmental Science	Chinese Language
Economics - Macro	Psychology
Economics - Micro	

- 56%** Exams earning a score of 4 or 5
- 16** AP Scholars with Honor
- 81%** Exams earning a score 3 or higher
- 33** AP Scholars
- 44** AP Scholars with Distinction
- 93** Scholars with an average score of 3.96

CLASSES OF 2017-2021 - AVERAGE CLASS SIZE - 94 SENIORS

ACT AVERAGES	
English	29
Math	27
Reading	29
Science	27
Composite	28
Mid 50% Composite:	24-31

SAT AVERAGE		
Evidence Based Reading & Writing	Math	Writing
659	645	33
1600 Total: 1313		
SAT MID 50%		
Evidence Based Reading & Writing	Math	
590-700	570-720	

2017-2021 NATIONAL MERIT SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM	
Semifinalists: 44	Commended: 42
Finalists: 43	Scholars: 23
2016-2020 NATIONAL HISPANIC RECOGNITION PROGRAM	
Scholars: 2	
2016-2020 PRESIDENTIAL SCHOLARS PROGRAM	
Candidates: 17	Semifinalists: 8

SAT SUBJECT TEST AVERAGES

	SCORE	NO. TESTED
Biology-E	691	14
Biology-M	710	41
Chemistry	739	52
French	649	7
Literature	655	42
Math I	665	13
Math II	731	111
Physics	756	8
Spanish	679	16
U.S. History	704	54
Chinese	750	3
Latin	680	4

UPPER SCHOOL CURRICULUM 2021-2022

ENGLISH

- Creative Writing: Poetry*
- Creative Writing: Short Stories*
- English I, I Plus
- English II, II Plus
- English III, **III AP**
- English IV, **IV AP**
- Marketing Communications*

MATHEMATICS

- Algebra I, II, II with Trig
- Advanced Algebra II with Trig
- Geometry
- Functions, Statistics and Trigonometry
- Pre-Calculus
- Pre-Calculus/Differential Calculus
- **AP Statistics**
- **AP Calculus I, II**
- **AP Calculus BC**
- Mathematics Seminar (Advanced)

SOCIAL STUDIES

- World Civilizations I, II
- U.S. History, **AP U.S. History**
- **AP World History**
- Social History & Ethics Seminar*
- U.S. Govt. & Political History*
- Economics: Micro*, Macro*
- International Relations*
- Sociology*
- Psychology
- Southern Studies (Summer)
- Gender and Race Studies*

WORLD LANGUAGES

- Chinese I-IV

- French I-IV, **V AP**, VI
- Latin I-III **IV AP**
- Spanish I-IV, **V AP**
- Spanish Seminar

SCIENCE

(All science courses are lab based)

- Biology
- Chemistry
- Conceptual Biology
- Conceptual Chemistry
- Physics
- **AP Biology**
- **AP Chemistry**
- **AP Physics**
- Microbiology
- Advanced Interdisciplinary Study
- Human Anatomy & Physiology
- Environmental Science
- Organic Chemistry
- **AP Computer Science Principles**
- **AP Computer Science A**
- Data Structures
- Data Science*
- Bioinformatics Algorithms*
- Computer Science Seminar

GLOBAL SCHOLARS PROGRAM

Park Tudor's adaptation of International Baccalaureate.

Further information is enclosed for enrolled students.

- Philosophies of Knowing I, II (Grades 11 and 12)

FINE ARTS

- Vocal Music: New Edition™; Park Tudor Singers; Madrigal Singers
- Applied Music: Musical Theatre

- Band
- Orchestra
- Music Theory*
- **AP Music Theory***

THEATRE & SPEECH

- Speech*
- Acting: Text in Performance*
- Contemporary Theatre Practice*
- Repertory Theatre
- Technical Theatre I, II, III, IV

VISUAL ARTS

- **AP Art History**
- Publication Writing & Design
- Ceramics I*, II*, III* IV*
- Observational Drawing*
- Applied & Experimental Drawing*
- Advanced Studio Art*
- Painting Technique*
- Color Explorations and Printmaking*
- Animation and Motion Media*
- Graphic Design*
- Advanced Graphic Design*
- Photography I*
- Photography II*
- Adv Photography*

HEALTH AND WELLNESS

- Health*
- Strength and Conditioning*

*Semester Course
AP Courses in Bold

INDEPENDENT STUDY

Park Tudor students who have completed the requirements in a department, have conducted extensive outside academic research, or who have transferred from another school with curriculum requirements that do not align, may undertake an independent study project with permission from the department.

COVID STATEMENT

For the 2020–2021 academic year, the school returned to in-person instruction five days a week with the exception of county-mandated distance learning beginning on November 11. During this time, students received live, synchronous classroom instruction via a web portal. In-person classroom instruction resumed on January 11, with the option for students to attend in-person classes or to continue live distance learning. For those students learning from home, active participation during instruction was required. For the 2021–2022 academic year, the school has continued to offer in-person instruction five days a week. The distance learning option will only be available to students directed to quarantine. Grading for all students continues to be held to traditional, letter grade standards.

GRADUATION REQUIREMENTS

Students must earn a minimum of 40 credits during their high school years in order to qualify for a diploma. At least 32 of those credits must be earned in the six departments of English, Mathematics, Science, Social Studies, World Languages, and Fine Arts.

Required distribution of credits is as follows:

Within the five academic departments students must take (at a minimum) the following courses:

- **English:** Four full years (I, II, III, and IV)
- **Mathematics:** Three full years
- **Science:** Biology, either Chemistry or Physics, and one other science
- **Social Studies:** World Civilizations I, II, and U.S. History
- **World Languages:** Two years of one language in grades 9–12
(Three or more strongly encouraged)

Students must enroll in five full-credit subjects (four academic) or the equivalent each semester. If a course is failed and later retaken and passed, both grades appear on the official transcript and both grades are included in the GPA calculation. Courses taken and passed may be retaken but cannot be counted for credit (towards graduation or athletic eligibility) twice. Normally this is done to improve performance; both grades appear on the transcript but the second grade is not factored into the GPA. Community service is strongly encouraged, but not required.

COLLEGE MATRICULATION

Park Tudor's mission is to create an inspiring learning environment that prepares and motivates students, fostering persistence, imagination, problem-solving and intellectual agility. To this end, we help our students discover their passions and find colleges that align with their talents, personalities, and goals. We take pride in the wide range of colleges on our matriculation list, representing the great diversity of talent and interests of our students. Equally important, we celebrate that our students graduate from Park Tudor as balanced, confident, and resourceful lifelong learners.

COLLEGE MATRICULATION BY REGION

*99+% College Entrance Rate. *99+% of our graduates matriculate at four-year colleges and universities, well prepared to succeed. Colleges attended from 2017-2021 are listed. Choices for the Class of 2021 (78 students) are listed in bold. Data represent enrolled students, not simply offers of admission. + Two or more students attending from the Class of 2021

EAST

American University

Bates College

Boston College +

Brandeis University

Brown University

Bucknell University

Carnegie Mellon University

Colby College

Colgate University

Columbia University

Cornell University

Dartmouth College

Drexel University

Fashion Institute of Technology

Fordham University

George Washington University

Georgetown University

Harvard University

Howard University

Johns Hopkins University

Lehigh University

Maryland Institute College of Art

Massachusetts Institute of Technology

Middlebury College

New York University

Northeastern University

Pratt Institute

Princeton University

Smith College+

St. John's University

Temple University

Tufts University

U.S. Military Academy

U. of Maryland, BC

U. of Pennsylvania

Vassar College

Wheaton College

Wesleyan University

Yale University

MIDWEST

Anderson University

Ball State University

Bethel University

Butler University

Case Western Reserve U.+

College of Wooster

Columbia College

Defiance College

Denison University

DePaul University

DePauw University +

Earlham College

Eastern Illinois University

Franklin College

Hope College

Illinois Wesleyan University

Indiana State University

Indiana University +

Indiana University Kokomo

IUPUI

Kentucky State University

Kenyon College

Lake Forest College

Loyola University Chicago

Manchester University

Marian University

Miami University (OH)

Michigan State University

Monmouth College

Northwestern University

Notre Dame College of Ohio

Purdue University +

Rose-Hulman Institute of Technology

St. Louis University

Taylor University

University of Chicago

U. of Cincinnati

University of Dayton

University of Evansville

University of Illinois

University of Indianapolis

University of Kansas

University of Kentucky

University of Michigan +

U. of Notre Dame

U. of Southern Indiana

University of Toledo

University of Wisconsin

Valparaiso University

Wabash College

Washington U. – St. Louis

Western Michigan University

Western Illinois University

Wittenberg University

Xavier University

SOUTH

Alabama A&M University+

Auburn University

Belmont University

Bethany College

College of Charleston

Davidson College

Duke University

Elon University

Emory University

George Mason University

Georgia Institute of Technology

High Point University

Lees-McRae College

Liberty University

Methodist University

North Carolina State U.

Rhodes College

Savannah College of Art & Design

Southern Methodist U.

Texas Christian University

Tulane University

University of Miami

University of Mississippi

University of Richmond

U. of South Carolina

University of Virginia

Vanderbilt University

Virginia Commonwealth University

Virginia Polytechnic Institute & State University

Wake Forest U.

Washington & Lee University

WEST

Chapman University

Colorado State University

Harvey Mudd College

Loyola Marymount University

Santa Clara University

Seattle University

Stanford University

University of Arizona

UC – Los Angeles

UC – San Diego

UC – Santa Barbara

U. of Colorado at Boulder

University of Denver

University of Montana

University of Oregon

University of Southern California

INTERNATIONAL

John Cabot University (UK)

St. Louis University

Madrid (Spain)

The American University of Paris (France)+

MOST POPULAR COLLEGE CHOICES (THREE OR MORE STUDENTS ATTENDING 2017-2021)

Ball State University

Boston College

Butler University

Carnegie Mellon University

Columbia University

Denison University

DePaul University

DePauw University

Duke University

Elon University

Emory University

Georgetown University

Georgia Tech

Indiana University

Loyola University Chicago

MIT

Miami University

Middlebury College

New York University

Northeastern University

Princeton University

Purdue University

Rose-Hulman

SCAD

SMU

Standford University

Tufts University

UCLA

UC – Santa Barbara

University of Chicago

U. of Cincinnati

U. of Colorado, Boulder

University of Dayton

University of Denver

University of Miami

University of Michigan

U. of Notre Dame

U. of Pennsylvania

U. of Southern California

U. of Southern Indiana

Vanderbilt University

Wabash College

Washington U. – St. Louis

Wittenberg University

Yale University