

CINCINNATI  
**COUNTRY  
DAY**  
SCHOOL

2021-2022

**COLLEGE PROFILE**

**A PASSION FOR LEARNING  
AND INDEPENDENT THINKING**



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### History and Mission

Founded in 1926, Cincinnati Country Day School is an independent, coeducational, college preparatory day school serving students in Early Childhood through grade 12. Country Day lives its mission to “provide each student with superior preparation for college and life.”

### Global Engagement

Pre-pandemic, CCDS students participated in exchanges with:

- Colegio El Pinar, Málaga, Spain
- Lycée St. André, Colmar, France
- English language-teaching service trip to The Dandelion School, Beijing, China

PK-12 instruction in French and Spanish  
7-12 instruction in Mandarin

### Job Shadows and Internships

Past shadows included:

- The Cancer Institute, University of Cincinnati
- Ernst and Young
- The Heart Institute of CCHMC
- KAO Brands
- Kroger Technology
- The National Underground Railroad Freedom Center
- Taft Law

### CCDX Experiential Learning Week

CCDX Week is expected to return in March 2022. In the past, students built roller coasters and critiqued films, competed in “Cup Cake Wars” and Oxford debate, studied chemical engineering by visiting Cincinnati corporations, forged metals and upcycled trash into public art.

### Accreditations

Cincinnati Country Day is accredited by the Independent Schools Association of the Central States, and chartered as an elementary and secondary school in the State of Ohio. CCDS is also a member of NAIS, NACAC, and ACCIS.

# 273

# students in Upper School

# 70

members of the Class of 2022



# 4 15

team individual

state champions in the past decade

# 5 %

international students

# 13

consecutive years qualifying for the Ohio State Science Olympiad Tournament



# 39%

receiving need- and merit-based assistance

# 71

zip codes represented in student body

# 23%

domestic students of color



# 30%

of the Class of 2022 has earned the Ohio Seal of Biliteracy (4 or 5 on AP French, Spanish or Chinese exams)

# 1 32

National Regional

2021 Scholastic Art and Writing awards

## Grade Weighting

Each Honors (H) and Advanced Placement (AP) course receives +1 point in GPA weighting. **Honors (H) and Advanced Placement (AP) courses are EQUIVALENT and extremely rigorous.** These courses extend well beyond AP exam content and challenge our students to understand, create and express knowledge in multiple ways. Admission to Honors and AP courses is subject to departmental approval. Students are encouraged to limit the number they take.

## Class Ranking

We do not rank students numerically.

## Remote Learning during the COVID-19 Pandemic

**March-May 2020** Live synchronous online instruction for all students. **Final letter grades for 2019-20 reflect student work in all four quarters of the year.**

**2020-21 School Year** In-person classes on campus with traditional letter grading. Some students chose to participate online in real time. Activities online. Sports teams competed without spectators.

**2021-22 School Year.** Required in-person attendance, masked. Normal activities and sports as of September.

### Requirements

Department	Required Credits
Arts	2.0
English	4.0
History	3.0
Math	4.0
World Languages	3.0
Science	3.0
Computer Science	.5
Health	.5
Physical Education	.5
Electives	2.0 or more
<b>TOTAL CREDITS</b>	<b>22.5</b>

### Grading Scale

Letter	Value
A	4.0
A-	3.6667
B+	3.3333
B	3.0
B-	2.6667
C+	2.3333
C	2.0
C-	1.6667
D+	1.3333
D	1.0
D-	0.6667

90 hours of community service are required. One credit equals one full-year course meeting at least four periods per week. One-half credit courses meet for only one semester or for less than four period per year.

### Policy on Reporting Discipline to Colleges

Cincinnati Country Day encourages its students to live the school values of compassion, courage, integrity, responsibility and respect and holds students accountable for academic or conduct violations of the school's Honor Code so that students can learn and grow from their mistakes. Country Day also values its relationships with colleges and directs students to answer honestly questions about school discipline on college applications. When asked by colleges, counselors will report egregious violations of school rules that result in suspension or dismissal from school.

## ACT 2017-2021

### Composite:

CCDS	29
Ohio (2020)	19.9
National (2020)	20.6

### English:

CCDS	30.2
Ohio (2020)	18.8
National (2020)	19.9

### Math:

CCDS	27.1
Ohio (2020)	19.8
National (2020)	20.2

### Reading:

CCDS	30.4
Ohio (2020)	20.4
National (2020)	21.2

### Science:

CCDS	28.6
Ohio (2020)	20
National (2020)	20.6

Students reporting 74%\*

## SAT 2017-2021

### Total:

CCDS	1380
Ohio (2020)	1070
National (2019)	1051

### EBRW:

CCDS	683
Ohio (2020)	536
National (2020)	528

### Math:

CCDS	702
Ohio (2020)	534
National (2020)	523

Students reporting 41%\*

\*All members of the Classes of 2017-21 are represented in either ACT or SAT averages, or both.

## 2017-2021 Advanced Placement

687 students took 1398 exams. Students scoring 3 and above out of a possible 5: 89%

A sampling of CCDS average scores, followed by the number of test-takers in parentheses:

US History	3.89 (183)
Calculus BC	3.84 (113)
Chemistry	4.04 (120)
Biology	4.0 (115)
Spanish	3.8 (102)
2-D Design	3.9 (98)
French	4.27 (47)

## Curriculum

### ENGLISH

English 9  
English 10  
English 11  
English 12 (S1)  
H 19th C. British Literature  
AP English Literature  
H Modern Literature (S1)  
English electives (Q3 & Q4)

### MATHEMATICS

Algebra I  
Geometry, Geometry H  
Algebra II, Algebra II H  
Trigonometry and Data Analysis  
Data Analysis and Inferential Statistics (Pre-Calculus—no longer offered '21-'22)  
H Pre-AB Calculus AP  
H Pre-BC Calculus AP (formerly H Pre-Calculus)  
AP Calculus AB  
AP Calculus BC  
AP Statistics  
Linear Algebra H  
Multivariable Calculus H

### SCIENCE

Bio/Chemistry H  
Biology  
AP Biology  
General Chemistry  
Chemistry  
AP Chemistry  
Physics  
Physics H

### COMPUTER SCIENCE

Principles of Engineering Design  
Serious - Game Design  
Intro-Computer Science  
Computer Science II  
AP Computer Science A

### HISTORY

Ancient and Medieval World History  
Modern World History  
Modern Europe and the World H  
U.S. History and Government  
AP U.S. History  
History electives H (S1)  
History electives (Q3 & Q4)

### WORLD LANGUAGES

French I, II, III H, III  
French III H (formerly Pre-AP French)  
French Cultural Connections  
French Conversation  
AP French Language  
French Literature H  
Chinese I, II, III, III H  
Pre-AP Chinese H  
Spanish I, II, III H, III  
Pre-AP Spanish H  
Spanish Cultural Connections  
Spanish Conversation  
AP Spanish Language  
AP Spanish Literature

### ARTS

Drama I, II, Studio Theater-Drama  
Voice and Speaking Dynamics  
Technical Theater, Studio Theater-Tech  
Chorale  
Band, Band H (formerly Instrumental Ensemble)  
Art I, II, (III—no longer offered '21-'22)  
Advanced Studio Art, Studio Art H  
Photography I, II  
Photography H  
AP Portfolio and 2-D Design  
AP Portfolio in Photography (2-D Design)

# Matriculation 2017-2021

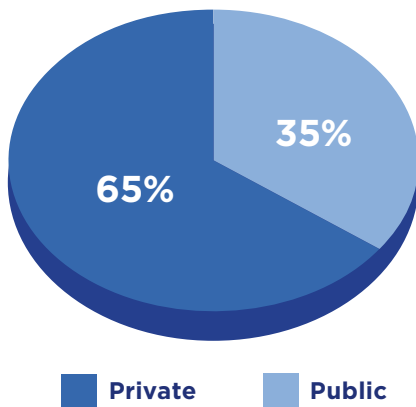
Graduates of the class of 2021 attending each institution are listed in parentheses, followed by the total number of matriculants.

**Alabama, University of (1) 3**  
**American University (1) 1**  
 Arizona University of 2  
 Baldwin Wallace University 2  
**Barnard College (1) 2**  
 Bates College 1  
 Belmont University 2  
**Boston University (1) 3**  
**Bowdoin College (1) 3**  
 Bowling Green State University 1  
 Bucknell University 1  
 Butler University 1  
 California Institute of Tech 2  
 California, University of at Davis 4  
 California University of at Irvine 1  
**California, Univ of at San Diego (2) 6**  
 Capital University 1  
**Carleton College (2) 3**  
 Carnegie Mellon University 1  
 Case Western Reserve Univ 5  
 Centre College 1  
 Chaplain College 1  
 Chapman University 1  
**Chicago, University of (1) 1**  
**Cincinnati, University of (6) 31**  
 Claremont McKenna College 1  
 Clarkson University 1  
 Colgate University 3  
 College of Charleston 1  
 College of Wooster 1  
 Colorado College 1  
**Colorado, University of Boulder (1) 2**  
 Colorado, Univ. of Col. Springs 1  
 Columbia University 1  
**Cornell University (1) 2**  
**Dartmouth College (1) 2**  
 Davidson College 1  
**Dayton, University of (1) 12**  
 Denison University 4  
**Denver, University of (1) 2**  
 DePaul University 2  
 Dickinson College 1  
 Drew University 1  
**Duke University (1) 1**  
 Earlham College 1  
 Elon University 5  
**Emory University (2) 5**  
**Florida Institute of Technology (1) 1**

Florida Southern University 1  
 Franklin Pierce University 1  
 Georgetown University 1  
 George Washington Univ 1  
**Georgia Institute of Technology (1) 2**  
 Gettysburg College 1  
**Grinnell College (1) 1**  
**Hamilton College (1) 2**  
**Hampton University (1) 1**  
 Hanover College 1  
 Harvard College 1  
**Harvey Mudd College (1) 1**  
**Heidelberg University (1) 1**  
**High Point University (1) 2**  
 Hobart and William Smith Coll 1  
**Illinois, University of (2) 3**  
**Indiana University of (1) 3**  
 Ithaca College 1  
 John Carroll University 2  
 Johns Hopkins University 1  
**Kansas, University of (1) 1**  
 Kent State University 1  
**Kentucky, University of (1) 1**  
**Kenyon College (1) 4**  
 Lake Forest College 1  
**Lehigh University (1) 2**  
 Loyola Marymount University 1  
**Loyola University Chicago (1) 4**  
 Massachusetts, Univ of, Amherst 1  
**McGill University (Canada) (1) 1**  
 McMaster University (Canada) 1  
**Miami University OH (1) 16**  
**Miami, University of (FL) (1) 3**  
 Michigan State University 2  
 Michigan, University of 6  
 Middlebury College 4  
 Mississippi, University of 2  
**Morehead State University (1) 3**  
 Muskingum University 2  
 New York University 4  
**North Carolina, U. of Chapel Hill (1) 2**  
 North Florida, University 1  
**Northeastern University (2) 3**  
 Northwestern University 2  
 Northern Kentucky University 1  
**Notre Dame, University of (1) 1**  
**Oberlin Coll of Arts and Sciences (1) 2**  
 Occidental College 1  
 Ohio Dominican University 1

Ohio Northern University 3  
**Ohio State University (4) 28**  
**Ohio University (1) 8**  
 Otterbein University 1  
 Pennsylvania, University of 2  
 Pomona College 1  
 Principia College 1  
**Purdue University (1) 5**  
**Reed College (1) 2**  
 Rensselaer Polytechnic Inst 1  
 Rhodes College 3  
 Rice University 1  
**Ringling College of Art and Design (1) 1**  
**Rose-Hulman Institute of Tech (1) 6**  
**Saint Louis University (1) 1**  
**Santa Clara University (1) 1**  
**Savannah Col. of Art and Design (1) 2**  
 Seton Hall University 1  
 Sewanee: Univ. of the South 1  
 Southern California, University of 1  
**Spelman College (1) 2**  
 St. Edward's University 1  
 Syracuse University 1  
**Tampa, University of (1) 1**  
 Tennessee, University of 1  
 The New School 1  
 Tiffin University 2  
 Trine University 1  
 Trinity College (CT) 3  
**Tufts University (2) 2**  
 Universiteit van Amsterdam 1  
**Vanderbilt University (1) 4**  
 Vermont, University of 1  
 Virginia Military Institute 1  
 Virginia, University of 1  
**Wake Forest University (2) 5**  
 Washington and Lee University 1  
**Washington University (1) 9**  
 Washington, University of 1  
**Wellesley College (1) 3**  
 West Virginia University 1  
 Wheaton College IL 1  
 William and Mary 1  
**Williams College (1) 3**  
 Wittenberg University 1  
 Worcester Polytechnic Institute 1  
**Xavier University (4) 9**  
 Yale University 2

2021 Matriculation:



The 75 members of the Class of 2021 earned **\$6.8** million in scholarships

2021 Regions:

