Founded in 1905, The Savannah Country Day School is an independent, coeducational college preparatory school with a student population of 1,203, ranging from our early childhood program to grade 12. The campus is located on 65 wooded acres on the south side of Savannah near the Vernon River. Students are admitted to Country Day on the basis of academic record, test scores, recommendations, and an interview. Last year Country Day awarded $2.9M in financial aid to 226 students.

Savannah Country Day students are limited to nine AP courses. Students may enroll in a maximum of one AP course as a sophomore, four as a junior and four as a senior. There are no exceptions to this policy.

CLASS OF 2023

97% of the graduates matriculated to four-year colleges (one Gap Year / one PG boarding school). The 79 members of the class of 2023 submitted 503 applications, 60% of which were successful at 110 institutions in 33 states and the District of Columbia.
GRADUATION REQUIREMENTS

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SAT (MID 50%)

- EBRW: 580-700
- Math: 560-690
- EBRW + Math: 1150-1370

MAY 2022 AP SCORES (ALL STUDENTS)

- # of exams: 518
- Subject areas: 17
- % earning at least 3: 83.1

ACADEMIC LIFE UNDER COVID

In March 2020 we shuttered our doors and transitioned to online learning; our synchronous and asynchronous virtual curriculum maintained the rigor and scholarship long associated with The Savannah Country Day School. We began the 2020-2021 school year under a cohort system in which one half of the upper school attended classes on campus one week followed by the other cohort on campus the next week. Our remote students continued to attend their classes via Zoom while at home. After approximately six weeks, we invited all students to return to campus for instruction; however, a number of our students remained remote learners for the entire year due to health concerns.

FACULTY

Of the 45 Upper School faculty members, 32 hold advanced degrees in their fields. Nearly all teachers serve as academic advisors and many coach and/or sponsor on-campus clubs and activities. The average teaching experience is 18 years.

GPA

The Savannah Country Day transcript indicates both a raw cumulative average and a weighted cumulative average; the latter includes three points added to Honors classes, and five points added to all AP and Advanced (Adv.) classes for GPA calculation. These bonus points are not added to semester course grades; they are only included for weighted cumulative average calculations. Only those grades earned in courses taken at Country Day or through the Global Online Academy are included in each cumulative average. Country Day does not rank its students.

FINE ARTS AT SCDS


GLOBAL ONLINE ACADEMY (GOA)

The Savannah Country Day School became a member institution of the GOA in 2016. The mission of this consortium of the world’s leading independent schools is to translate into online classrooms the intellectually rigorous programs and excellent teaching that are hallmarks of its select member schools. Country Day is one of only six GOA member schools in the state of Georgia and all courses are taught by GOA member school faculty. GOA courses are clearly indicated on student transcripts and included in cumulative GPA calculations.

THE INSTITUTE FOR ATLANTIC STUDIES

The Institute for Atlantic Studies (IAS) was born in spring 2021 by a group of upper school faculty from diverse academic backgrounds who wanted to create an interdisciplinary vehicle to promote both scholarship about and community engagement within our historic city and region, using Savannah as a lens through which to study the wider Atlantic world. The IAS not only promotes the inclusion of Atlantic studies across disciplines, it also hosts the Atlantic Institute Seminar, a year-long elective course available on application to students in grades 10-12. The IAS director leads this course and these students will explore topics of interest throughout the year culminating in a capstone research-based project each spring. The IAS encourages learning and teaching beyond traditional boundaries and we feel it will become a signature program for our school emphasizing the principles of place-based learning and capitalizing on our unique location.

DISCIPLINE REPORTING POLICY

It is the policy of The Savannah Country Day School to share a student’s disciplinary history with regards to suspensions emanating from either discipline or honor offenses incurred on our campus if requested. For colleges and universities that require acknowledgement of criminal infractions, we will provide that information as well if we are aware of these incidents.
## Upper School Curriculum

The core curriculum at SCDS requires students to complete a rigorous and diverse course of study which prepares them for highly challenging, college-level work. Honors, Advanced, and Advanced Placement classes offer demanding curricular choices, while our elective options permit students to diversify their range of selections, and at the same time, explore their interests. **AP courses are capped at nine with individual caps by year, provided below. AP, Advanced courses and 600 level courses receive a five point weight.** Honors courses provide a three point weight. This weight is included in the cumulative weighted GPA provided on the transcript, but individual grades remain unweighted. Bolded courses are considered the most rigorous in the discipline.

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*Indicates courses that may be taken at Regular, Honors, or, in World Languages, Advanced Levels.
COLLEGE ACCEPTANCES | CLASSES OF 2020-2023 (matriculations in bold)

Abraham Baldwin Agricultural College  
Adelphi University  
Agnes Scott College  
Albany State University  
American Musical and Dramatic Academy  
American University  
Appalachian State University  
Arizona State University  
Auburn University  
Augusta University  
Austin Peay State University  
Bard College  
Barnard College  
Bellevue University  
Bement College  
Berklee College of Music  
Berry College  
Binghamton University  
Boston College  
Boston University  
Brandeis University  
Brenau University  
Brown University  
Bryant University  
Bryn Mawr College  
California College of the Arts  
Campbell University  
Carleton College  
Carnegie Mellon University  
Case Western Reserve University  
Centre College  
Citadel Military College of South Carolina  
Clark Atlanta University  
Clemson University  
Coastal Carolina University  
Colgate University  
College of Charleston  
Colorado School of Mines  
Colorado State University  
Davidson College  
Denison University  
DePaul University  
DePauw University  
Drexel University  
Duke University  
East Carolina University  
Eckerd College  
Elon University  
Embry-Riddle Aeronautical University  
Emerson College  
Emory University  
Fashion Institute of Technology  
Fisk University  
Flagler College  
Florida Institute of Technology  
Florida Southern College  
Florida State College at Jacksonville  
Florida State University  
Fordham University  
Furman University  
Gardner-Webb University  
George Washington University  
Georgia College  
Georgia Institute of Technology  
Georgia Southern University  
Georgia Southern University  
Georgia State University  
Gonzaga University  
Hamden-Sydney College  
Harvard University  
High Point University  
Hobart and William Smith Colleges  
Hollins University  
Howard University  
Indiana University  
Ithaca College  
Jackson State University  
James Madison University  
Kansas State University  
Kennesaw State University  
Keuka College  
Laflayette College  
LaGrange College  
Lawrence University  
Lees-McRae College  
Lehigh University  
Louisiana State University  
Loyola University Chicago  
Loyola University Maryland  
Loyola University New Orleans  
Lynn University  
Manhattan School of Music  
Marist College  
Marymount Manhattan College  
Massachusetts Institute of Technology  
Mercer University  
Miami University Oxford  
Michigan State University  
Middle Georgia State University  
Middle Tennessee State University  
Mississippi State University  
Montana State University  
Morehouse College  
Mount Holyoke College  
Muhlenberg College  
New York University  
North Carolina State University  
Northeastern University  
Oberlin College  
Occidental College  
Oglethorpe University  
Oxford College of Emory University  
Pace University  
Parsons School of Design at The New School  
Penn State University  
Piedmont University  
Pratt Institute  
Presbyterian College  
Princeton University  
Purdue University  
Queen’s University  
Rensselaer Polytechnic Institute  
Rhode Island School of Design  
Rhodes College  
Rollins College  
Rutgers University  
Saint Francis University  
Saint Louis University  
Samford University  
San Francisco Art Institute  
Santa Clara University  
Sarah Lawrence College  
Savannah College of Art and Design  
School of the Art Institute of Chicago  
School of Visual Arts  
Seton Hall University  
Sewanee: The University of the South  
Smith College  
Southern Methodist University  
St. Lawrence University  
Stetson University  
Stevens Institute of Technology  
Stony Brook University  
SUNY at Purchase College  
SUNY University at Buffalo  
Swarthmore College  
Syracuse University  
Temple University  
Texas A&M University  
Texas Christian University  
The American University of Paris  
The New School  
The Ohio State University  
The Peabody Institute of The Johns Hopkins University  
The University of Alabama  
The University of Tampa  
The University of Tennessee  
The University of Texas at Austin  
Trinity University  
Tulane University of Louisiana  
Union College  
United States Military Academy at West Point  
United States Naval Academy  
University of Alabama at Birmingham  
University of Alabama in Huntsville  
University of Arizona  
University of California (Davis)  
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University of California (Santa Cruz)  
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University of Colorado Boulder  
University of Colorado Denver  
University of Connecticut  
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University of Georgia  
University of Hawaii at Manoa  
University of Houston  
University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign  
University of Iowa  
University of Kentucky  
University of Louisville  
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University of Massachusetts (Amherst)  
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Xavier University of Louisiana  
Young Harris College