2023-24 Profile

Respect • Reverence • Responsibility

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Enrollment 2023-24

Lower School	371
Middle School	227
Upper School	214

TOTAL 812

Our Mission

Episcopal Collegiate School prepares students to live principled and fulfilling lives of leadership and service through the pursuit of academic and personal excellence in a challenging and supportive environment.

Our Motto

Respect, Reverence, and Responsibility

Rooted in the Episcopal tradition and affirming people of all faiths, Episcopal Collegiate strives to develop in its students a respect for all persons, a reverence of God, and a sense of moral responsibility.

Our Honor Code

Episcopal Collegiate School's Honor Code promotes an atmosphere of integrity. Trust has formed the foundation of the Episcopal Collegiate community since our inception in 2003, and that trust is built on the expectation that each member of the community strives to live with honor. At the beginning of each school year, students and faculty sign the Episcopal Collegiate School Honor Pledge:

I pledge that I will uphold the Honor Code with my mind, body, and spirit, and that I have neither given nor received inappropriate or unauthorized assistance on academic work, and that I will respect the personal property of all people.

Our Faculty

There are 84 teaching faculty with 72% holding advanced degrees. Students learn in an intimate environment with a student-to-faculty ratio of 10:1 and average class size of 15.

Graduation Requirements

Course	Required Credits
English	4
Mathematics	4
Science	3
History	3
World Languages	2
Visual and Performing Arts	1
Health	0.5
Physical Education	0.5
Religious Studies	0.5
Communications	0.5

During the Senior year, each student must write and present a Chapel Talk to the Middle and Upper School student body and faculty. Seniors are given the opportunity to reflect on their experiences, their moral and spiritual growth, and their development as students and citizens of the world.

Course Selections

English

English I, II American Modernism (1914 - 1945)* Creative Writing* Film Studies* Gothic Literature: Mania and Madness* Harlem Renaissance* Literature of War* Southern Literature* Studies in Dystopian Literature* Studies in Literature: Monsters and Magic through the Ages* Studies in Literature: Rebellious Women* AP® English Language and Composition AP® English Literature and

Composition World Languages

French I, II, III, IV Adv., V AP®, Adv. VI
Latin I, II, III, IV Adv., V Adv.
Spanish I, II, III, IV Adv., V AP®, Adv. VI

Science

Biology Chemistry Physics or Adv. Physics Anatomy and Physiology* Astronomy* Environmental Science* Genetics* AP® Biology AP® Chemistry AP® Physics C

Physical Education/ Health

Health*
Physical Education*
Wildcat Wellness:
Strength and
Conditioning*

History & Social Sciences

Civics and Economics World History or AP® World History US History or AP® US History Economics and Entrepreneurship* Vietnam* AP® European History AP® Psychology AP® Seminar: Principles of Global Citizenship AP® Research: Principles of Global Citizenship AP® US Government and **Politics AP Comparative Government** and Politics

Technology

Coding and Video Game Design* Exploratory Design*

Mathematics

Geometry or Adv. Geometry
Algebra II or Adv. Algebra II
Pre-Calculus or Adv.
Pre-Calculus
Calculus*
College Algebra
Probability and Statistics*
AP® Calculus AB
AP® Calculus BC
AP® Statistics
Advanced Topics in
Mathematics

Algebra I or Adv. Algebra I

Religious Studies

Introduction to Mindfulness* Promise and Liberation* World Religions*

Fine Arts

Acting* Ceramics I - III* Concert Choir Debate* Digital Mixed Media Art* Drawing I - III* Music and Culture* Oral Communications* Orchestra Painting I - III* Percussion Ensemble I - III Publication Design* Technical Theatre* Theatre Practicum* Video Production I* Video Production II AP® Music Theory

^{*} Semester course Most advanced courses in bold.



Grading Scale

Only courses taken at Episcopal Collegiate School count in the GPA. Any student who does not pass a semester course is required to repeat the failed semester or attend summer school. Both the failed course and the remediated course will display on the transcript, but only the original course will calculate in the GPA. Advanced and AP classes receive an additional .5 weighting.

A+	100-98	4.30
A	97-94	4.15
A-	93-90	4.00
B+	89-87	3.75
В	86-84	3.50
B-	83-80	3.15
C+	79-77	2.75
С	76-74	2.50
C-	73-70	2.15
D+	69-67	1.75
D	66-64	1.50
D-	63-60	1.15
F	<60	0.00

AP® Eligibility

Multiple criteria are used to determine student placement:

- A demonstrated interest in the subject
- Performance in prerequisite and/or comparable courses
- Standardized test scores in that area
- Work ethic
- Self-advocacy
- Anticipated overall schedule
- College plans and/or major
- Extracurricular commitments

Additional AP® Notes

A student cannot take more than 5 AP classes in a given year.

Students do not report AP scores until matriculation unless required for admission.

Episcopal by the Numbers

99%

accepted into 4-year colleges and universities in 2023

applications per student for 2023 class. Fewer than 10% applied ED

57%

of Class of 2023 are AP Scholars

Average AP Score for Class of 2020-2023

72%

of 10th - 12th graders took at least one AP course in 2023

82%

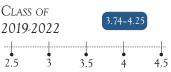
of students taking an AP course earned a 3 or higher (2020-2023)

CLASS OF 2020-2023 Average SAT®

CLASS OF 2020-2023 Average ACT®

27.75





Community Service

Students are required to perform community service hours as responsible citizens in our school community and beyond. Students can complete no more than 25% of the required hours on campus. The minimum required community service hours are:

Grade	Required Hours
9th grade	10 hours
10th grade	10 hours
11th grade	15 hours
12th grade	15 hours

26% receive financial aid in the Upper School

Student Racial/Ethnic **Demographics**

White	77.5%
Black	12.4%
Multi-racial	4.3%
Asian/Pacific Islander	1.4%
Hispanic/LatinX	1.4%
Native American	2.9%
None specified	.1%

Nondiscrimination Policy

Episcopal Collegiate does not discriminate on the basis of sex, race, color, religion, or national origin in administration of its educational programs, admission and financial aid policies, employment practices, athletic, or other school-administered programs.



Signature Programs

Writing Center

The Writing Center is a student-led, student-run organization which offers individualized tutoring, embedded tutoring, workshops, guest speakers, and special events to students in grades 6-12. The Episcopal Writing Fellows program is a leadership and service opportunity for sophomores, juniors, and seniors that focuses on writing and peer tutoring. Writing Fellows are selected through a rigorous application process and volunteer a minimum of two hours per week through the school year.

Senior Peer Leaders

Rising seniors are selected for their leadership, commitment to excellence, and visible demonstration of Respect, Reverence, and Responsibility to mentor incoming freshmen as they grapple with academic, social, and emotional challenges in their transition to Upper School. Peer leaders meet bi-weekly with their groups, as well as leading activities on Shadow Day and assisting chaperones with the Freshman Class trip.

Clubs

Honor Societies

National Honor Society Mu Alpha Theta Société Honoraire de Français Sociedad Honoraria Hispánica

Elected Organizations

Honor Council Student Council

Student Life Organizations

Chess Club Sauce Club **Diversity Council** Spirit Club Fellowship of Tabletop Games Christian Athletes The Chapel Guild Frisbee Club of Saints Martha HistorTea and Martin Investment Club The Comedy Club Latin Club The EpiscaTimes Men's Glee Club (Newspaper) Video Game Club Quiz Bowl

Athletics

Episcopal Collegiate School Athletics creates a strong and competitive program in balance with students' academics and other extracurricular activities. Our no-cut policy invites exploration and participation. More than 80% of Upper School students play at least one sport. More than 70% play multiple sports.

Fall

Football

Tennis

Cheerleading Cheerleading Basketball Crew Wrestling Cross Country Golf

Spring Volleyball (girls) Soccer Baseball

Track

Winter

College Matriculations 2020 - 2023

Racquet Sports Club

American Musical and Dramatic Academy

American University

Appalachian State University

Arkansas State University

Auburn University

Baylor University

Brigham Young University, Idaho

Brown University

Bryn Mawr College

California Polytechnic State University,

San Luis Obispo

Casper College

Christian Brothers University

Clemson University

Cleveland Institute of Art

Dartmouth College

Davidson College

Drury University

Embry-Riddle Aeronautical University

Fashion Institute of Design

& Merchandising Gettysburg College Hamilton College Harding University Harvard University

Henderson State University

Hendrix College Ithaca College

Johns Hopkins University

Loyola Marymount University

Manhattanville College Middlebury College

Mississippi State University

New York University Northeastern University

Ouachita Baptist University

Rhodes College

Saint Louis University

Saint Mary's College of California

Samford University

Savannah College of Art and Design Sewanee: The University of the South

Smith College

Southern Illinois University, Carbondale

Southern Methodist University

Suffolk University

Texas A&M University, Galveston

Texas Christian University Texas Tech University The New School Tulane University

University of Alabama

University of Arkansas, Fayetteville University of Arkansas, Little Rock University of Arkansas, Monticello

University of Arkansas, Pine Bluff University of California, Berkeley University of California, Davis

University of Central Arkansas

University of Chicago

University of Colorado, Boulder

University of Hawaii, Manoa

University of Miami University of Michigan

University of Mississippi

University of North Carolina, Chapel Hill

University of Oklahoma University of Pennsylvania University of Richmond University of Saint Mary University of St. Andrews University of Texas, Arlington

University of Texas, Austin Vanderbilt University

Wake Forest University

Washington and Lee University Washington University in St. Louis Worcester Polytechnic Institute



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