



WAKE PREPARATORY  
ACADEMY

# WAKE PREP ACADEMY K-12 SCHOOL PROFILE

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**LEARN. LEAD.  
CHANGE THE WORLD!**

◀◀ **WPA RAISE VALUES** ▶▶

RESPECT | ACCOUNTABILITY  
INTEGRITY | SERVICE | EXCELLENCE

## MISSION & VISION

Wake Preparatory Academy will provide a challenging, individualized education program with a moral focus while preparing its students to graduate from high school with paths to acceptance and success in college, a career and beyond

## COMMUNITY & SCHOOL

Wake Preparatory Academy (WPA) is a public charter school for students in grades K-12. Current enrollment is 2,247. Qualified students are admitted regardless of race, religion, or ethnic origin. Wake Forest is a town of 44,000 residents, located just north of Raleigh, home to Meredith College, North Carolina State University, Shaw University, William Peace University, and Saint Augustine's University.

## WPA REQUIREMENTS

English	4
Math	4
Science	3
History	4
Physical Education	1
Fine Arts/CTE	2
Leadership/ Entrepreneurship	1
Elective Options	5
<b>Total Minimum</b>	<b>24</b>

## HONORS DIPLOMA

This diploma requires:

- ▶ 1 additional Science
- ▶ 2 years of a Foreign Language
- ▶ 3.8 weighted GPA
- ▶ 8 core classes at an Honors or AP level
- ▶ **24 minimum credits**

## ADVANCED PLACEMENT COURSES

US History, Government & Politics, Literature, Calculus, Psychology, Biology, and Environmental Science.

## CONCURRENT COURSES

WPA students may apply for dual credit courses through Wake Tech Career & College Promise.

## STEM DIPLOMA

This diploma requires:

- ▶ 2 additional Science
- ▶ 1 additional Math
- ▶ 2 years of a Foreign Language
- ▶ 3.8 weighted GPA
- ▶ 8 Math or Science classes at an Honors or AP level
- ▶ **25 minimum credits**

## ACADEMIC YEAR

WPA provides year long courses. Students may take up to seven classes each day.

## ACCREDITATION

WPA receives accreditation through Cognia.

## COURSE DESIGNATION

Higher level courses are designated "honors" in title and are weighted at 4.5. Dual Enrollment courses contain the college course code in title and Advanced Placement courses are designated "AP". Dual Enrollment and AP courses are weighted at 5.0.

## NUMERICAL GRADE SCALE

Letter grades are awarded grade points based on a 10 point scale. GPAs are calculated on a 4.0 scale. Both weighted & un-weighted GPAs are listed on the transcript.

## WPA GRADING SCALE

100 - 90	<b>A</b>
89- 80	<b>B</b>
79 - 70	<b>C</b>
69- 60	<b>D</b>
Below 59.5	<b>F</b>

## CO-CURRICULAR ACTIVITIES

### ATHLETICS

Football, Basketball, Soccer, Volleyball, Baseball, Softball, Wrestling, Cross Country, Track & Field, Tennis, Golf, Swimming and, Cheerleading.

### ARTS

Orchestra, Theater, Choir, Dance, Ballroom Jazz Band, Art, and Photography.

### OTHER ACTIVITIES

Marketing, Visual Design, Computer Science, Technology, Student Government, American Sign Language, Spanish, French, Yearbook, Weight Training, and Financial Literacy/ Entrepreneurship.

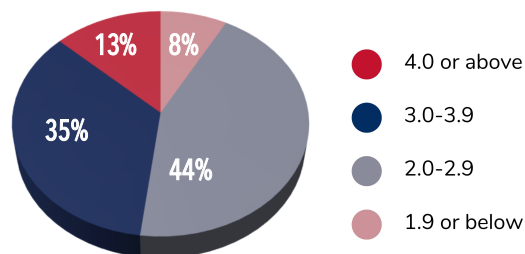
## CLASS OF 2024 ►►► AT A GLANCE

### BACKGROUND

Racial background of the class of 2024:

**Asian: 7%**  
**Black: 21%**  
**Hispanic: 19%**  
**Pacific Islander: 1%**  
**White: 56%**

### GRADE POINT AVERAGE (GPA) 2022-2023



### TESTING

WPA encourages and provides support for students to complete the following assessments:

- Advance Placement
- ASVAB (Career & Military placement)
- ACT
- SAT
- PSAT/NMSQT

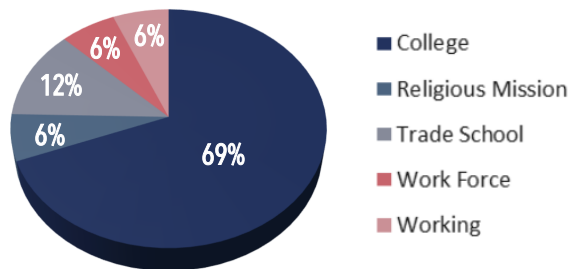
All Juniors are provided the ACT Test as part of state accountability testing. The ACT average composite score for the class of 2024 was 19.7.

*The Pre- ACT test is provided to all sophomore students as part of mandatory state testing.*

### COMMUNITY SERVICE

All seniors complete 60+ hours of community service prior to graduation.

### POST GRADUATE PLANS



### COLLEGE & UNIVERSITY ENROLLMENT

The inaugural 2023 class of 17 students was offered scholarship awards totaling **\$350,000**. The first alumni of Wake Preparatory Academy have been accepted into these notable schools: Benedictine College, East Carolina University, High Point University, University of North Carolina, North Carolina State University, Appalachian State University, University of North Carolina-Wilmington, and Brigham Young University- Idaho.

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# THE CLASS OF 2024 WILL HAVE APPROXIMATELY 64 GRADUATES