

Galloway

COLLEGE PROFILE 2025-26

OUR PHILOSOPHY

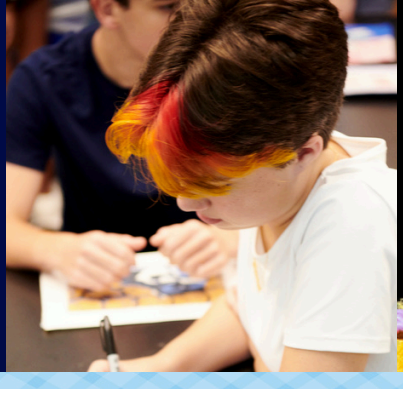
Central to our philosophy is the belief that children learn best when they are comfortable, when they are respected, and when they are challenged. Galloway has few institutional rules and regulations for our students. We have, however, many expectations. We believe that students must take responsibility for their actions, their freedoms, and their learning. Our academic program aims to develop problem solving and higher-order thinking.

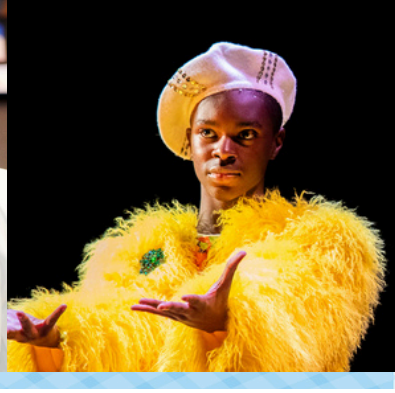
MISSION STATEMENT

The Galloway School is a community where learning is joyful, individuals are valued, and self-discovery is encouraged. Galloway students confidently embrace challenges while developing the knowledge, skills, and cultural competence to thrive as enlightened contributors in their chosen pathways.

SCHOOL OVERVIEW

- Independent, coeducational, nonsectarian
- 750 students in PreK-3–Grade 12
- 81 students in the Class of 2026
- 68 zip codes represented
- 32% students of color (of those who self-identified)
- 8:1 student:faculty ratio
- 78% of Upper Learning faculty hold advanced degrees





Academics

CURRICULUM

Galloway students pursue a college preparatory curriculum in a school year divided into two semesters; students take at least six courses per semester. Class sizes range from five to 18 with an average size of 12.

All courses are college preparatory by design and content. Requirements by discipline include:

- English.....(4 Credits)
- Math.....(4 Credits)
- Science.....(4 Credits)
- Social Studies.....(3 Credits)
- World Language.....(3 Credits)
- Fine Arts.....(1 Credit)
- Kinetic Wellness.....(1/2 Credit)
- Kinetic Movement.....(1/2 Credit)
- Electives.....(4 Credits)

A.P. COURSES

Galloway offers a rigorous academic program and, as such, **no courses are designated as honors**. However, in keeping with the school's philosophy of encouraging students to seek challenges, Galloway provides students the opportunity to enroll in A.P. courses, with permission from the appropriate academic department.

Galloway counsels students to limit the number of A.P. classes they can take based on their academic year:

- 9th Grade: 0
- 10th Grade: 1
- 11th Grade: 2
- 12th Grade: 3

A.P. Courses Offered

- A.P. 2D Art and Design
- A.P. 3D Art and Design
- A.P. Biology
- A.P. Calculus AB
- A.P. Calculus BC
- A.P. Chemistry
- A.P. Comparative Government
- A.P. Drawing
- A.P. English Language
- A.P. English Literature
- A.P. Environmental Science
- A.P. Music Theory
- A.P. Physics C
- A.P. Spanish Language
- A.P. Statistics
- A.P. US Government and Politics
- A.P. US History

At Galloway, distinctions are drawn for individuals rather than between individuals. Written evaluations assess the degree to which a student has mastered the skills, concept, and content of the course. The following designations are used to indicate mastery:

- **E** Mastery with excellence 100-90 • 4.0
- **G** Good mastery 89-80 • 3.0
- **S** Satisfactory mastery 79-73 • 2.0
- **M** Marginal mastery 72-70 • 1.0
- **U** Unsatisfactory mastery 69-0 • 0.0

GRADE POINT AVERAGE

- On a 4.0 scale
- A.P. courses earn 1 additional point
- Includes only Galloway and Global Online Academy courses
- A final grade is issued for all courses. For year-long classes, the final grade is based on the average of fall and spring semester grades
- GPA is based upon final grades only

RANK IN CLASS

Galloway does not rank its students.





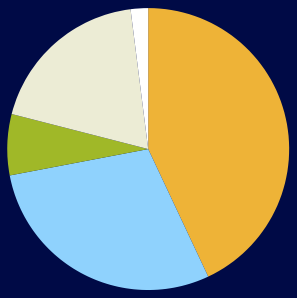
CLASS PROFILE

Highlights from the 88 students in the Class of 2025

- Submitted an average of 7.5 applications per student
- Applied to 206 colleges and universities
- Included a Posse Scholar, a Diller Teen Award Recipient, and National Debate Championship Qualifier
- Enrolled in 60 schools in 24 states, DC, Bermuda, and Japan
- 98.8% attended a four-year institution
- Two National Merit Finalists and eight Commended Students

Five-Year Enrollment by Institution Type

- **43%** Out-of-State Private
- **29%** Out-of-State Public
- **7%** In-State Private
- **19%** In-State Public
- **2%** International



Signature Programs

EXCURSION

Every year, Upper Learning students immerse themselves in the study of one topic outside the walls of the traditional classroom for several weeks. This 0.5-credit intensive term involves experiential, hands-on learning and often, a service component. Beginning in the 2025-26 academic year, Excursion will be graded pass/fail. Recent offerings include:

Local/Regional

- Calming the Brain: Neuroscience of Self-Awareness
- City Building: Civics, Video Games and City Planning
- Realities Redefined: Virtual and Augmented Worlds
- Sheep to Stitch: From Shearing to Crocheting
- UFOs, Aliens, and Extraterrestrial Intelligence

Travel/International

- Florida Keys: Marine Biology
- Ireland: Separatism and Nationalism
- Japan: The Ancient and the Modern
- Morocco: Culture and Inclusion
- New York City: Broadway, Jazz and Beyond





GLOBAL ONLINE ACADEMY

Through GOA, Galloway students may opt to take online, rigorous, credit-bearing classes alongside students from over 150 member schools representing over 30 states, six continents, and more than 30 countries. For more information, visit: gallowayschool.org/goa. A sampling of recent options include:

- Applying Philosophy to Global Issues
- Capitalism: Past, Present, and Future
- Filmmaking
- Game Theory
- Gender and Society
- Japanese Language and Culture
- Medical Problem Solving
- Multilingual International Relations



SPECIALITY ELECTIVES

To prepare for the array of choices students will have in college, we offer a wide range of electives including:

- Art and Contemplation: Creativity, Meaning, and Artistic Practice
- Diaspora Studies: Movement, Identity, and Cultural Transformation
- Electrical Engineering: Digital Circuits and PCB Design
- Extended Realities: AR, VR, MR
- Film Studies: The Magic of Storytelling
- History and Philosophy of Science
- Media, Culture, and Society
- The Science of Death
- Voices in Multicultural Literature
- Writing for Stage and Screen

ACCREDITATION AND MEMBERSHIPS: SAIS-SACS · NAIS · GISA · AAAIS · NACAC · SACAC · ACCIS

2021-2025 College Matriculations

Agnes Scott College (3)
Alberta University of the Arts - Canada
Amherst College
Arcadia University
Arizona State University (2)
Auburn University (6)
Babson College (2)
Barnard College
Belmont University (5)
Berklee College of Music (2)
Bermuda College - Bermuda
Berry College (3)
Boston University (3)
Brandeis University (2)
Brown University (2)
Bucknell University
Carnegie Mellon University
Champlain College (3)
Chapman University (4)
Claflin University
Clark Atlanta University (2)
Clark University
Clemson University (8)
Coastal Carolina University
Colby College (2)
College of Charleston (6)
College of the Atlantic
Colorado College
Colorado State University
Columbia College Chicago (2)
Columbus State University
Cornell University
Dartmouth College (3)
Davidson College
Duke University (2)
East Tennessee State University
Eckerd College
Elon University (4)
Emerson College
Emory University (6)
Florida Agricultural & Mechanical University
Florida Atlantic University
Florida Institute of Technology
Florida State University (3)
Furman University
Gardner-Webb University
George Washington University (12)
Georgia College (4)
Georgia Institute of Technology (36)
Georgia State University (6)
Hampton University
Haverford College
Hofstra University
Howard University (4)
Indiana University at Bloomington
Jewish Theological Seminary/Columbia University
Kennesaw State University (9)
Kenyon College (2)
Kutztown University of Pennsylvania
Lawrence University
Lehigh University
Louisiana State University (3)
Loyola Marymount University
Loyola University New Orleans
Macalester College
McMaster University - Canada
McPherson College
Middlebury College (2)
Montana State University
Montclair State University
Morehouse College (5)
Morgan State University
Muhlenberg College (2)
New York University (6)
Northeastern University (3)
Northwestern University (2)
Oberlin College (2)
Oglethorpe University (5)
Ohio State University (2)
Oxford College of Emory University
Pennsylvania State University (2)
Pitzer College
Pomona College
Pratt Institute
Princeton University
Queens University of Charlotte
Reed College
Rensselaer Polytechnic Institute
Rhodes College (2)
Rice University
Ringling College of Art and Design
Rollins College
San Diego State University
Savannah College of Art and Design
School of the Art Institute of Chicago
Sewanee: The University of the South (2)
Skidmore College
Smith College (2)
Southern Methodist University
Southern Union State Community College
St. Olaf College
Stevens Institute of Technology
Syracuse University (3)
Tallahassee State College
Temple University, Japan Campus
The New School - Eugene Lang College (3)
Tri-County Technical College
Trinity College Dublin - Ireland
Tufts University (4)
Tulane University (5)
University College London - England
University of Alabama
- Huntsville
- Tuscaloosa (5)

University of Arizona (3)
University of California
- Davis
- Santa Barbara
- Santa Cruz

University of Chicago (2)
University of Colorado - Boulder (11)
University of Denver (2)
University of Edinburgh - Scotland
University of Florida
University of Georgia (22)
University of Maryland (6)
University of Miami (5)
University of Michigan (3)
University of Mississippi (3)
University of North Carolina
- Asheville
- Chapel Hill (4)
- Greensboro

University of North Florida
University of Notre Dame
University of Oregon (3)
University of Oxford - England
University of Pittsburgh
University of Rochester (2)
University of South Carolina (4)
University of Southern California (3)
University of Tampa
University of Tennessee - Knoxville (6)
University of Texas - Austin (2)
University of Vermont (3)
University of Virginia (4)
University of Washington
University of Wisconsin - Madison
Vanderbilt University (2)
Villanova University
Wake Forest University (6)
Washington University in St. Louis (5)
Wesleyan University (2)
Wofford College (2)
Worcester Polytechnic Institute
Xavier University of Louisiana (3)

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