Pingry

SCHOOL PROFILE 2025-2026

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PINGRY is a K–12, co-ed, independent day school with campuses in Basking Ridge, Pottersville, and Short Hills, New Jersey. Rooted in relationships, guided by a student-written Honor Code, our community includes more than 1,200 students from more than 95 towns and municipalities.

FACTS BY THE NUMBERS

149 Seniors in the Class of 2026

81% of faculty hold advanced degrees

20 Advanced Placement courses

8 Advanced Topics courses

25 Honors courses

57% of students identify as students of color

Lower School (K-5, Short Hills): **324** students | **Middle School** (6-8, Basking Ridge): **288** students
Upper School (9-12, Basking Ridge): **593** students

ACADEMICS

Pingry offers courses at the college-prep and Honors/Advanced Placement/Advanced Topics levels. The standard academic load is 6 courses and the year is divided into 2 semesters, with some courses yearlong and others a semester or trimester in length. AT courses are AP equivalent or post AP curricula.

GRADUATION REQUIREMENTS — 51 CREDITS

- English — 4 years
- Math — 3 years
- Lab Science — 2 years
- History — 3 years
- World Language — 3 consecutive years of the same language
- Art, Drama, or Music — 1 year
- Financial Literacy — 1 trimester
- Health Education — 2 trimesters
- Community Service — 10 hours per year
- Physical Education — 2 trimesters
- Independent Senior Project
- Spring Intensives (Grades 9-11)

MISSION STATEMENT

The mission of The Pingry School is to foster in students a lifelong commitment to intellectual exploration, individual growth, and social responsibility by inspiring and supporting them to strive for academic and personal excellence within an ethical framework that places the highest value on honor and respect for others.

GRADING SYSTEM

A+ = 97 or above	B+ = 87 – 89	C+ = 77 – 79	D+ = 67 – 69	F = Below 60
A = 93 – 96	B = 83 – 86	C = 73 – 76	D = 63 – 66	P = Pass
A- = 90 – 92	B- = 80 – 82	C- = 70 – 72	D- = 60 – 62	

A cumulative grade point average is not calculated. Pingry does not rank students.

The Pingry School is guided by our Honor Code. We believe that students learn from mistakes and we assign disciplinary consequences that are appropriate relative to the nature of the infractions. Student misconduct in grades nine through twelve that results in multi-day suspension or expulsion is reported to colleges; other disciplinary issues may remain confidential at the discretion of the Division Director and the Head of School.

ACT*	Middle 50%
English	33 – 35
Math	29 – 35
Reading	32 – 36
Science	28 – 34
COMPOSITE (92)	**30 – 35**

SAT**	Middle 50%
Math	680 – 790
Evidence Based Reading & Writing	670 – 760
TOTAL (88)	**1360 – 1540**

**ACT data through July 2025*
***SAT data through August 2025*

NATIONAL MERIT SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM

Class	Class Size	Semi-finalists	Commended	% of Class
2026	149	13	36	33%
2025	147	6	26	22%
2024	142	6	29	25%
2023	141	3	32	25%

The New Jersey National Merit Selection cutoff is 223

ACCREDITATION AND MEMBERSHIP

- Cum Laude Society*
- ACCIS
- NJACAC
- NJAIS
- New Jersey State Dept. of Education
- NACAC
- NAIS

**20% of the class inducted during senior year; 1/3 in the fall and 2/3 in the spring*

MATRICULATIONS OF PINGRY GRADUATES - CLASS OF 2025 COLLEGE ATTENDANCE

	2022-2025
Babson College	**2**
Barnard College	4
Bates College	3
Baylor University	**1**
Belmont University	**1**
Boston College	**14**
Boston University	**6**
Brown University	**13**
Bryn Mawr College	1
Bucknell University	**5**
University of California, Berkeley	2
University of California, Irvine	1
University of California, Los Angeles	**2**
University of California, Merced	1
University of California, San Diego	1
University of California, Santa Barbara	2
California Institute of Technology	**1**
Carleton College	2
Carnegie Mellon University	**2**
Chapman University	1
University of Chicago	**9**
Clemson University	2
Colby College	**7**
Colgate University	**9**
College of the Holy Cross	**6**
University College Cork	1
University of Colorado Boulder	1
Colorado College	1
Columbia University	**9**
Connecticut College	1
University of Connecticut	**2**
Cornell University	**15**
Dartmouth College	6
Davidson College	3
Denison University	2
Drew University	**1**
Drexel University	2
Duke University	**16**
Elon University	**3**
Emory & Henry University	1
Emory University	**9**
Fairfield University	4
University of Florida	1
Fordham University	**3**
Franklin & Marshall College	**1**
George Washington University	1
Georgetown University	**12**
University of Georgia	**2**

	2022-2025
Georgia Institute of Technology	**2**
Gettysburg College	1
Hamilton College	**2**
Hampton University	2
Harvard University	**7**
Harvey Mudd College	1
Haverford College	**5**
High Point University	**2**
Hobart and William Smith Colleges	**2**
Hofstra University	**1**
Howard University	5
Indiana University (Bloomington)	**8**
Johns Hopkins University	**4**
University of Kent	**1**
Kenyon College	**1**
Lafayette College	8
Lehigh University	**11**
Loyola Marymount University	2
Loyola University Maryland	**4**
Macalester College	1
Marist University	1
University of Maryland, College Park	**1**
Massachusetts Institute of Technology	**5**
University of Massachusetts, Lowell	1
Miami University, Oxford	1
University of Miami	**8**
Michigan State University	**1**
University of Michigan	**7**
Middlebury College	**5**
Muhlenberg College	4
New York University	**14**
Norfolk State University	1
Northeastern University	**9**
University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill	**2**
Northwestern University	**10**
University of Notre Dame	**11**
Oberlin College	1
Occidental College	1
Oxford College of Emory University	**2**
Penn State University (University Park)	**5**
University of Pennsylvania	**9**
Pomona College	1
Princeton University	**12**
Providence College	2
Purdue University	4
Rensselaer Polytechnic Institute	2
Rhodes College	1

	2022-2025
Rice University	**1**
University of Richmond	**6**
Ringling College of Art and Design	1
Rochester Institute of Technology	1
University of Rochester	**3**
Rutgers University (Camden)	**1**
Rutgers University (New Brunswick)	**9**
Skidmore College	3
Smith College	2
University of South Carolina	**1**
University of Southern California	**8**
Southern Methodist University	**5**
Spelman College	**4**
University of St Andrews	3
Stanford University	**5**
Stevens Institute of Technology	**5**
Syracuse University	**3**
Temple University	1
Texas A&M University	1
Texas Christian University	2
The College of New Jersey	1
The Ohio State University	1
The University of Alabama	1
The University of Texas at Austin	**4**
Trinity College	1
Trinity University	1
Tufts University	**10**
Tulane University of Louisiana	**14**
University of Vermont	**2**
University of Virginia	1
University of Wisconsin (Madison)	2
Vanderbilt University	**4**
Vassar College	2
Villanova University	**9**
Virginia Polytechnic Institute and State University	**2**
Wake Forest University	**20**
Washington and Lee University	1
Washington University in St. Louis	**15**
Wesleyan University	1
William & Mary	**1**
Williams College	7
Wofford College	1
Worcester Polytechnic Institute	1
Yale University	**11**

Class of 2025 college attendance is in bold

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