



# Pantego Christian Academy

Equipping servant leaders to honor Christ and impact the world.

## 2026- 2027 ACADEMY PROFILE

### SCHOOL

Pantego Christian Academy is an early childhood through grade 12 independent, inter-denominational, biblically-based, Christian school in Arlington, Texas. Founded in 1963, PCA is a co-educational, college-preparatory school with selective admissions.

### PERSONNEL

Kathy Ferrell, Ed.D.  
Head of School

Lane Rhodes, M.Ed.  
High School Principal

Jill Sapp, M.Ed.  
Director of College & Academic Advising

Brooke Van Cleave  
Registrar/ International Admissions

### STUDENT BODY

Total Enrollment.....647  
Elementary & ECA.....308  
Middle School (Grades 5-8).....161  
High School (Grades 9-12).....178  
Class of 2027.....60

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### ACCREDITATION/ MEMBERSHIPS

- Association of Christian Schools International (ACSI)
- Cognia
- North American Coalition for Christian Admissions Professionals (NACCAP)
- Texas Association of Private & Parochial Schools (TAPPS)
- Texas Association of Private & Parochial Schools (TAPPS)-Athletics
- Texas Private School Accreditation Commission
- The College Board

### GPA CALCULATION

Cumulative weighted GPA is on a 100 point scale.

Honors classes = 5 point weighting on cumulative average.

AP, DC = 10 point weighting on cumulative average.

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|---|----------|
| A | 90-100   |
| B | 80-89    |
| C | 70-79    |
| D | Below 70 |

Class Rank: On transcripts for top 10% only.

Service Hours: Yearly class mission trips and PCA Gives Back service days allow students to earn 24 Christian Ministry hours each year they are enrolled at PCA.

### ADVANCED COURSES

#### Bible

- Honors Bible 1- 4

#### English

- Honors English I & II
- DC English III - Research Writing
- DC English III - Composition & Rhetoric
- DC English IV - American Literature
- DC English IV - British Literature

#### Math

- DC College Algebra
- DC Statistics
- DC Calculus I
- Honors Algebra II
- Honors Geometry
- Honors Pre-Calculus
- Honors College Algebra

#### Social Studies

- AP Human Geography
- AP World History
- AP United States History
- DC United States History
- Honors Macroeconomics
- AP US Government & Politics

#### Science

- AP Biology
- DC Biology
- AP Chemistry
- Honors Biology
- Honors Chemistry
- Honors Conceptual Physics
- Honors Anatomy & Physiology

#### Foreign Language

- Honors Spanish & Latin I, II, III
- AP Latin

#### Fine Arts/ Electives

- AP Studio Art
- AP Psychology
- DC Intro to Business Management & Ethics
- Advanced Art
- Advanced Theater Arts
- AP Computer Science Principles
- AP Computer Science A



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CHRISTIAN ACADEMY  
PREPARE • HONOR • EXCEL

TEPSAC: # 220-187-001  
School/CEEBS Code: 440-247

# NATIONAL MERIT

- 11 Finalists and 28 Commended (Since 1993)
- 2 National Achievement Scholars (Since 2013)
- 3 National Hispanic Recognition Scholars (Since 2013)

# TEST SCORES

|                           | ACT<br>Composite | SAT Total<br>Score |
|---------------------------|------------------|--------------------|
| Texas 2026                | 19.4             | 964                |
| National 2026             | 19.4             | 1029               |
| PCA Top 25% Class of 2026 | 25.5             | 1307               |

In 2026, our seniors earned over \$2.1 million in merit-based scholarships.

# GRADUATION REQUIREMENTS

Curriculum is equal in content and rigor to course in RHS or DAP as outlined by TEA

|                    | Standard<br>Diploma | Distinguished<br>Diploma* |
|--------------------|---------------------|---------------------------|
| Bible              | 4 credits           | 4 credits                 |
| English            | 4 credits           | 4 credits                 |
| Math               | 4 credits           | 4 credits                 |
| Science            | 4 credits           | 4 credits                 |
| Social Studies     | 4 credits           | 4 credits                 |
| Foreign Language   | 3 credits           | 3 credits                 |
| Fine Arts          | 1 credit            | 1 credit                  |
| Physical Education | 1 credit            | 1 credit                  |
| Electives          | 4 credits           | 5 credits                 |
| Total              | 28 credits          | 29 credits                |

\*Requires a minimum GPA and either 3 FL + 6 AP/DC or 2 FL + 7 AP/DC

## PCA Graduates Have Been Accepted to the Following Colleges

|                                     |                                               |                                                                                               |                                                                                    |
|-------------------------------------|-----------------------------------------------|-----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| Abilene Christian University        | Howard Payne University                       | Regent University                                                                             | University of Georgia                                                              |
| American University                 | Howard University                             | Rhodes College                                                                                | University of Hawaii                                                               |
| Appalachian State University        | Iowa State University                         | Rice University                                                                               | University of Houston                                                              |
| Arizona State University            | John Brown University                         | Rochester Institute of Technology                                                             | University of Illinois                                                             |
| Arkansas State University           | Kansas State University                       | Samford University                                                                            | University of Indiana                                                              |
| Arlington Baptist University        | Kansas Wesleyan University                    | Sam Houston State University                                                                  | University of Iowa                                                                 |
| Art Institute of Dallas             | King's College                                | Savannah College of Art and Design                                                            | University of Kansas                                                               |
| Auburn University                   | Langston University                           | Schreiner University                                                                          | University of Kentucky                                                             |
| Austin College                      | Lawrence Technical University                 | South Carolina State University                                                               | University of Little Rock                                                          |
| Averett University                  | LeTourneau University                         | Southeastern Oklahoma State                                                                   | University of Louisiana - Lafayette                                                |
| Azusa Pacific University            | Liberty University                            | Southern Methodist University                                                                 | University of Mary Hardin-Baylor                                                   |
| Baker University                    | Lipscomb University                           | Southern Nazarene University                                                                  | University of Miami                                                                |
| Baylor University                   | Louisiana State University                    | Southern Union State                                                                          | University of Michigan                                                             |
| Belmont University                  | Louisiana Tech University                     | Southwestern Assemblies of God                                                                | University of Minnesota                                                            |
| Bethany College                     | Loyola Marymount University                   | Southwestern University                                                                       | University of Mississippi                                                          |
| Biola University                    | Loyola University - Chicago                   | Southwestern University - Georgetown                                                          | University of Missouri - Columbia                                                  |
| Boston University                   | Loyola University - Maryland                  | Spelman College                                                                               | University of Montana                                                              |
| Brown University                    | Lubbock Christian University                  | St. Edward's University                                                                       | University of Nebraska                                                             |
| Central Methodist University        | Lyon College                                  | St. John's University - Manhattan                                                             | University of New Hampshire                                                        |
| Chinese University of Hong Kong     | Madonna University - Michigan                 | St. Mary's University - San Antonio                                                           | University of New Mexico                                                           |
| Clarke University                   | Marymount Manhattan College                   | Stanford University                                                                           | University of North Carolina - Charlotte                                           |
| Clemson University                  | McMurry University                            | Stephen F. Austin State University                                                            | University of North Texas                                                          |
| Coe College                         | Michigan State University                     | Sterling College                                                                              | University of Notre Dame                                                           |
| Colorado Christian University       | Mid-America Christian University              | Sul Ross University                                                                           | University of Oklahoma                                                             |
| Colorado State University           | Midwestern State University                   | Syracuse University                                                                           | University of Oregon                                                               |
| College of Charleston               | Minnesota State University                    | Tarleton State University                                                                     | University of the Ozarks                                                           |
| College of the Ozarks               | Mississippi College                           | Taylor University                                                                             | University of Saint Mary                                                           |
| Concordia University                | Missouri University of Science and Technology | Texas A&M University (including Commerce, Corpus Christi, Galveston, and Kingsville campuses) | University of San Diego                                                            |
| Covenant College                    | Nelson University                             | Texas Christian University                                                                    | University of Santa Barbara                                                        |
| Creighton University                | New Mexico Military Institute                 | Texas Lutheran University                                                                     | University of South Carolina                                                       |
| Dallas Baptist University           | New York University                           | Texas State University                                                                        | University of Southern California                                                  |
| Dartmouth College                   | North Lake College                            | Texas Tech University                                                                         | University of Southern Maine                                                       |
| DePaul University                   | Northwestern College - Iowa                   | Texas Wesleyan University                                                                     | University of Tampa                                                                |
| Dordt College                       | Northwood University                          | Texas Women's University                                                                      | University of Tennessee                                                            |
| East Texas Baptist University       | Notre Dame University                         | Trinity University                                                                            | University of Texas (including Arlington, Dallas, San Antonio, and Tyler campuses) |
| Eastern Illinois University         | Ohio State University                         | Trinity University - San Antonio                                                              | University of Tulsa                                                                |
| Embry-Riddle University             | Oklahoma Baptist University                   | Udane University                                                                              | University of Utah                                                                 |
| Faulkner University                 | Oklahoma Christian University                 | Union University                                                                              | University of Washington                                                           |
| Florida State University            | Oklahoma City University                      | United States Air Force Academy                                                               | University of Wisconsin                                                            |
| Fordham University - Lincoln Center | Oklahoma Panhandle State University           | University of Alabama                                                                         | University of Wyoming                                                              |
| Furman University                   | Oklahoma State University                     | University of Alaska Anchorage                                                                | Vanderbilt University                                                              |
| Gardner-Webb University             | Oral Roberts University                       | University of Arizona                                                                         | Virginia Tech                                                                      |
| George Washington University        | Ouachita Baptist University                   | University of Arkansas                                                                        | Wayland Baptist University                                                         |
| Georgetown University               | Ozark Christian College                       | University of California (Los Angeles and Riverside)                                          | Westminster College                                                                |
| Georgia State University            | Pace University                               | University of Chicago                                                                         | Wheaton College                                                                    |
| Grand Canyon University             | Pacific Union College                         | University of Colorado - Colorado Springs                                                     | Wichita State University                                                           |
| Harding University                  | Palm Beach Atlantic University                | University of Dallas                                                                          | Wiley University                                                                   |
| Hardin-Simmons University           | Penn State University                         | University of Denver                                                                          | William Penn University                                                            |
| Hawaii Pacific University           | Pepperdine University                         | University of Detroit                                                                         | Wisconsin Lutheran College                                                         |
| Henderson State University          | Prairie View A&M University                   |                                                                                               | Xavier University                                                                  |
| Hendrix College                     | Princeton University                          |                                                                                               | Youngstown State University                                                        |
| Houston Christian University        | Purdue University                             |                                                                                               |                                                                                    |