

FREDERICA ACADEMY
UPPER SCHOOL PROFILE
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ACCREDITATION

Southern Association of Independent Schools (SAIS)

MEMBERSHIPS

- National Association of Independent Schools
- Georgia Independent School Association
- Southern Association of Independent Schools
- Southern Association of College Admission Counselors
- National Association of College Admission Counselors

Frederica Academy is an independent, coeducational, non-sectarian, college preparatory day school with an enrollment of approximately 500 students in pre-kindergarten through twelfth grade. The school was founded in 1969 and is governed by an Honor Code.

UPPER SCHOOL STUDENTS

- Selective Admissions
- 173 Upper School Students
- Class of 2027: 41 students
- Class of 2026: 50 students

ACADEMIC PROGRAMS

- Semester system
- 21 Advanced Placement courses and 14 Honors courses
- Exams or final projects determine 15% of the average at the end of each semester for Honors and College Preparatory classes, and 20% for AP classes
- Frederica Academy does not rank its students

ONLINE COURSES

Online courses through Georgia Virtual School are offered for enrichment, credit recovery, and schedule conflicts. Juniors and seniors may enroll in an online class during the academic school year or summer with Upper School Administration's approval. Courses taken through each program will be indicated on Frederica Academy's transcript.

DUAL ENROLLMENT

Frederica Academy participates in the Dual Enrollment program with the College of Coastal Georgia. Juniors are permitted to enroll in one elective course each semester. Seniors are permitted to enroll in two elective courses each semester. Courses must be approved by the college's Dual Enrollment program and Frederica Academy's College Counseling Office. Grades received in Dual Enrollment courses will count toward a student's cumulative high school GPA, but will not be included in a student's cumulative numeric average. Courses will be given a 0.5 weight when calculating the GPA on Frederica Academy's transcript.

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ACADEMIC HONORS

The Head of School List and the Honor Roll are calculated on a semester basis. The Head of School List recognizes students whose weighted grades in academic classes are 90 and above. The Honor Roll recognizes students whose weighted grades in academic classes are 80 and above. To graduate with Honors, an Upper School student must have a minimum cumulative numerical average of 90.

NATIONAL MERIT SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM

- Class of 2027 - Commended
- Class of 2026 - 3 Finalists
- Class of 2024 - 1 Commended
- Class of 2022 - 2 Finalists, 2 Commended

HONORS COURSES

Students are given the option to enroll in Honors level courses for the following classes: Biology, Chemistry, JavaScript, and Python. Students taking the following courses at an advanced grade level and meet prerequisite grades are placed in Honors sections: Geometry, Algebra II, Spanish II, Spanish III, and Spanish IV. In the event of a scheduling conflict, students may be placed in alternative courses.

ADVANCED PLACEMENT

To enroll in an Advanced Placement (AP) course, students must receive departmental approval and meet published prerequisite requirements. Only seniors are exempt from taking AP Exams. For the 2025-2026 school year, 113 students took one or more AP exams, for a total of 327 exams. Ninety-two percent of students scored at least a three or higher on one or more AP exams. Nineteen students received the distinction of AP Scholar, ten AP Scholar with Honors, and thirty-six AP Scholar with Distinction.

GRADUATION REQUIREMENTS

Minimum Credits Needed for Graduation: **19.5**

English (4)
Mathematics (4)
Science (4)
Social Science (3)
World Languages (3)
JavaScript (.5)
Fine Arts (.5)
Health (.5)

GRADING SYSTEM

90 - 100	A	4.0
80 - 89	B	3.0
70 - 79	C	2.0
69 >	F	0.0

CLASS OF 2026 SAT SUMMARY

SECTION	MEAN
EBRW	626
Mathematics	597
Total Score	1224

CLASS OF 2026 ACT SUMMARY

SECTION	MEAN
Composite	25.8
English	25.5
Mathematics	24.4
Reading	26.7
Science	24

CLUBS, ORGANIZATIONS + ATHLETICS

ACADEMIC

Book Club
Creative Writing Club
Environmental Club
Excel Club
Finance Club
Meteorology Club
Model U.N.
Mu Alpha Theta
(Math League)
Philosophy & Ethics Club
Pre-Med Club
Science Bowl
Science Olympiad

COUNCILS

Honor Council
Service Council
Student Council

CULTURAL + HISTORICAL

Women's History Club
World Language
& Culture Club

HOBBIES + SPECIAL INTERESTS

Art and Pottery Club
Baking Club
Chess Club
Crafts for Community
Development Club
Knight Sitters
Mahjong Club
Media Appreciation Club
Music Initiative Club
Needlepoint Club
Penpal Club
Photography Club

Puzzle Club
Recycling Club
Softball Club
Surf Club
Tabletop Club
True Crime Club

SOCIETIES

International Thespian
Troupe
National Honor Society
Science National
Honor Society
Sociedad Honoraria
Hispanica

SPIRITUAL LIFE + SERVICE

Ambassadors Club
Fellowship of Christian
Athletes
Health and Wellness Club
Humane Society Teen Board
Medserve
Peer Court

UPPER SCHOOL SPORTS

Baseball
Basketball
Cheerleading
Clay Target
Cross Country
Football
Golf
Soccer
Swimming
Tennis
Track
Volleyball

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COURSES OF STUDY

ENGLISH

World Literature
English Seminar
AP Seminar
American Literature
AP Language and Composition
Literature and Composition
AP Literature and Composition

MATHEMATICS

Algebra I
Geometry
Honors Geometry
Algebra II
Honors Algebra II
PreCalculus
AP PreCalculus
Calculus
AP Calculus AB
AP Calculus BC
AP Statistics

SCIENCE

Biology
Honors Biology
Chemistry
Honors Chemistry
Physics
AP Biology
AP Chemistry
AP Physics I
Anatomy*+
Astronomy*+
Geology*+
Marine Biology*+
Science Olympiad*+

SOCIAL SCIENCE

World History
Modern World History
US History
AP World History
AP US History
AP Comparative Government*+
AP Macroeconomics*+
AP Microeconomics*+
AP US Government*+
Economics and Finance*+
The History of Rock and Roll*+
The History of Sports*+

WORLD LANGUAGE

Latin III
AP Latin
Honors Latin II
Honors Latin III
Honors Latin IV
Spanish I
Spanish II
Spanish III
Honors Spanish II
Honors Spanish III
Honors Spanish IV
AP Spanish Language

FINE ARTS

Art*
AP 2-D Art and Design+
Digital Design*
Graphic Design*
Popular Music Ensemble
Popular Music Ensemble (Advanced)
Popular Music Ensemble (Concert)
Popular Music Ensemble (Performance)
Yearbook*

BUSINESS ELECTIVES

Entrepreneurship*+
Intro to Business*+

COMPUTER SCIENCE

Artificial Intelligence*+
Game Design*+
Web Design*+
Cybersecurity I/I*+
Engineering*+
Engineering (Intermediate)*+
Engineering (Advanced)*+
JavaScript I/II*+
Honors JavaScript I/II*+
Python I/II*+
Honors Python I/II*+
AP Computer Science A+
AP Computer Science Principles+

ADDITIONAL ELECTIVES

Advanced Fitness*

**half credit course*

+academic elective



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CURRICULUM INFORMATION

COLLEGES AND UNIVERSITIES OFFERING ADMISSION TO FREDERICA ACADEMY GRADUATES (2022-2026)

Abilene Christian University	Duquesne University	Kennesaw State University
Abraham Baldwin Agricultural College	East Carolina University	Keystone College
Agnes Scott College	East Georgia State College	Lenoir-Rhyne University
Albany State University	Eckerd College	Liberty University
Amherst College	Elon University	Louisiana State University
Andrew College	Embry-Riddle Aeronautical University (Daytona Beach)	Loyola University Chicago
Appalachian State University	Emory University	Loyola University New Orleans
Arizona State University	Emory University (Oxford)	Lynn University
Auburn University	Flagler College	Maine College of Art & Design
Augusta University	Florida Atlantic University	Marquette University
Austin Peay State University	Florida Gulf Coast University	Marshall University
Barry University	Florida Institute of Technology	Maryland Institute College of Art
Beacon College	Florida International University	Massachusetts College of Art and Design
Belmont University	Florida Southern College	Mercer University
Berry College	Florida State University	Methodist University
Bowdoin College	Fordham University	Michigan State University
Brewton-Parker Christian University	Full Sail University	Middle Georgia State University
Bucknell University	Furman University	Middle Tennessee State University
Cairn University	George Mason University	Milwaukee School of Engineering
California Polytechnic State University	George Washington University	Mississippi Christian University
Capital University	Georgetown University	Mississippi State University
Case Western Reserve University	Georgia College	Montana State University
Charleston Southern University	Georgia Southern University	Montclair State University
Clemson University	Georgia Southwestern State University	North Carolina A&T State University
Coastal Carolina University	Georgia State University	North Carolina State University
Coastal Pines Technical College	Gettysburg College	Northeastern University
Colby College	Greensboro College	Northwestern University
College of Charleston	Grove City College	Notre Dame College
College of Coastal Georgia	Hampden-Sydney College	Oglethorpe University
Colorado State University	Hawai'i Pacific University	Oklahoma State University
Columbia University	High Point University	Otis College of Art and Design
CUNY City College	Holy Cross College	Pacific Northwest College of Art
Davidson College	Howard University	Palm Beach Atlantic University
Drexel University	Indiana University (Bloomington)	Parsons School of Design at The New School
Duke University	James Madison University	Penn State University

Penn State University (Fayette)	Truett McConnell University	University of North Georgia
Pepperdine University	Tulane University	University of Notre Dame
Piedmont University	United States Air Force Academy	University of Oregon
Pratt Institute	University of Alabama	University of Pittsburgh
Presbyterian College	University of Alaska Anchorage	University of Richmond
Princeton University	University of Arizona	University of South Carolina
Providence College	University of California (Berkeley)	University of South Carolina (Beaufort)
Quinnipiac University	University of California (Los Angeles)	University of South Florida
Rensselaer Polytechnic Institute	University of California (San Diego)	University of South Florida (St. Petersburg)
Rhodes College	University of California (Santa Barbara)	University of Southern Mississippi
Robert Morris University	University of Central Florida	University of Tampa
Rollins College	University of Colorado (Boulder)	University of Tennessee
Rutgers University	University of Connecticut	University of Texas (San Antonio)
Sacred Heart University	University of Dayton	University of the South
Salve Regina University	University of Delaware	University of Toccoa Falls
Samford University	University of Denver	University of Virginia
Savannah College of Art and Design	University of Florida	University of Washington
Savannah State University	University of Georgia	University of West Georgia
School of the Art Institute of Chicago	University of Houston	Valdosta State University
Seton Hall University	University of Iowa	Villanova University
South Carolina State University	University of Kentucky	Wake Forest University
Southern Methodist University	University of Mary Hardin-Baylor	Washington & Jefferson College
Spelman College	University of Maryland	Washington and Lee University
Stetson University	University of Miami	Washington College
Syracuse University	University of Mississippi	Washington State University
Temple University	University of New Hampshire	Wellesley College
Texas A&M University at Galveston	University of North Carolina (Asheville)	Western Carolina University
Texas Christian University	University of North Carolina (Chapel Hill)	Western Kentucky University
The American University of Paris	University of North Carolina (Charlotte)	Wingate University
The Catholic University of America	University of North Carolina (Greensboro)	Wofford College
The Citadel	University of North Carolina (Wilmington)	Xavier University
The College of William & Mary		Young Harris College
The Georgia Institute of Technology		
The New School		
The Ohio State University		
The Virginia Polytechnic Institute and State University		

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