mount pisgah CHRISTIAN SCHOOL

SCHOOL PROFILE 2019-2020 SCHOOL YEAR

Class of 2020

Enrollment (JK-Grade 12)

Enrollment (Grades 9-12)

CEEB: 110062

International Students

Diversity precentage

Educational Philosophy

Founded in 1986, Mount Pisgah Christian School's mission is to provide an outstanding college-preparatory education grounded in Christian faith and values. Located in the greater Atlanta area, Mount Pisgah is an

independent, coeducational day school serving students from age six weeks through 12th grade. The school

offers a learning environment that challenges, nurtures and strengthens students intellectually, spiritually and physically. Our students are encouraged to participate in extra curricular activities in order to develop the whole person as a contributor to a thriving school community.

Mount Pisgah's Upper School was established in 2001. Academic, artistic and athletic excellence, along with the spiritual and interpersonal growth of young people, are central to our mission. An active advisory program, honor code and service learning program instill values of respect, honesty and good character.

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630

285

85

12%

28%

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ACADEMIC INFORMATION

Students are required to complete 24 academic credits in the Upper School to graduate. Based on the rigor of our curriculum, Mount Pisgah typically limits the number of AP courses/exams to one in Grade 10, three in Grade 11 and three in Grade 12.

GRADUATION REQUIREMENTS

English	4 credits	Christian Education	2 credits
Math	4 credits	Electives	1 credit
Science	4 credits	Fine Arts	1 credit
Social Studies	4 credits	Health	.5 credit
World Language	3 credits	Physical Education	.5 credit
(or through the third year)		(or two seasons of a varsity sport)	

COURSE OFFERINGS

Mount Pisgah's college-preparatory curriculum is enhanced by 15 honors classes and 19 Advanced Placement classes (see list below). Chemistry is a requirement for graduation.

ADVANCED PLACEMENT COURSE OFFERINGS

English (2): English Literature, English Language Math (3): Calculus AB, Computer Science A, Statistics

Science (3): Biology*, Chemistry*, Physics

Social Studies (4): European History, US History, World History, Psychology

World Languages (2): Spanish Language, Latin Fine Arts (3): Music Theory, Studio Art, Art History

Elective: Computer Science Principles

EXTRACURRICULAR OFFERINGS

Mount Pisgah offers extensive athletic and fine arts programs, as well as a robotics team and many other extracurricular activities.

*Requires double block for lab work.

COLLEGE MATRICULATIONS **CLASSES 2015 - 2019**

*Indicates Class of 2019

University of Alabama*

American University

Appalachian State University

The University of Arizona

Auburn University*

Belmont University*

Benedictine University

Berry College

Birmingham-Southern University*

Boston College*

Boston University

Brigham Young University

Butler University

University of California, Berkeley

University of California, Irvine

University of California, San Diego

University of California, Santa Barbara*

Centre College

College of Charleston

Clemson University*

University of Colorado at Boulder

Cornell University

Covenant College

Davidson College*

DePaul University

Drew University

Duke University

Eckerd College

Elon University

Embry-Riddle Aeronautical University*

Emory University

Flagler College

Florida A&M University

Florida State University

Franklin & Marshall College

Furman University

The George Washington University

Georgia College*

Georgia Institute of Technology*

Georgia Southern University*

Georgia State University*

The University of Georgia*

High Point University

Howard University

Huntingdon College

University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign

Jacksonville University*

James Madison University*

Kennesaw State University*

LaGrange College

Lander University*

Louisiana State University*

University of Maryland

Maryville College

Methodist University

Miami University, Oxford

University of Miami

University of Michigan

University of Mississippi*

Mississippi State University*

The New School*

New York University

University of North Carolina at Asheville*

University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill

University of North Georgia*

North Greenville University*

Northeastern University*

University of Notre Dame*

Ohio Northern University

Ohio State University

Peabody Institute of Johns Hopkins University

Pennsylvania State University

University of Pennsylvania

Piedmont College*

Presbyterian College

Purdue University

Rhode Island School of Design*

Ringling College of Art and Design*

Saint Francis University

Samford University*

Savannah College of Art and Design

School of Art Institute of Chicago*

Sewanee: The University of the South*

University of South Carolina*

Stanford University

State University of New York at Albany

SUNY Maritime College

Syracuse University

Temple University

University of Tennessee*

Texas A&M University

Texas Christian University

Truett-McConnell College

U.S. Air Force Academy

U.S. Military Academy

U.S. Naval Academy

Vanderbilt University*

Villanova University*

Virginia Tech*

Wake Forest University

University of Washington

The University of West Georgia*

Western Carolina University

University of Wisconsin, Madison

Wofford College

Class of 2020 GPA Distribution*				
96+	18%			
93 - 95	23%			
90 - 92	27%			
85 - 89	24%			
Below 85	8%			

^{*} GPA distribution is cumulative for grades 9-11 for Mount Pisgah coursework only.

Grading System		
A / 4.0	90-100	
B / 3.0	80-89	
C / 2.0	70-79	
F / 0	Below 70	

Cumulative GPA is calculated annually on grades earned during a student's Upper School career. AP courses are given a 6 point weight, Honors are given a 3 point weight.

Due to the academic quality of each graduating class, Mount Pisgah does not calculate class rank with the exception of valedictorian and salutatorian.

CLASSES OF 2019 & 2020 ACT/SAT RESULTS

The middle 50% range is reported for students who took the SAT and ACT through June 2019.

SAT Results		
EBRW	550 - 660	
Math	545 - 655	

ACT Res	ults
Composite	23 - 30

2018 & 2019 Advanced Placement Scores

35% of Upper School Students were enrolled in at least one AP course over the past two years. 69% of those students scored 3 or higher. All students enrolled in an AP course must take the AP exam.

REPORTING POLICY FOR ACADEMIC OR BEHAVIORAL MISCONDUCT

When asked by a college, serious misconduct in grades 9-12 that results in out-of-school suspension or dismissal is reported.

ACCREDITATION AND MEMBERSHIP

Accreditations: Southern Association of Colleges and Schools (SACS), Southern Association of Independent Schools (SAIS).

Memberships: National Association of Independent Schools (NAIS), Georgia Independent School Association (GISA), National Association of College Admission Counseling (NACAC), Council for Educational Standards and Accountability (CESA), Association of College Counselors in Independent Schools (AACIS), Southern Association of College Admission Counseling (SACAC), Atlanta Christian School Association (ACSA) and College Board.

CLASSES OF 2018 & 2019 ACHIEVEMENTS

- 3 National Merit Commended Scholars
- 2 National AP Scholars
- 13 AP Scholars with Distinction
- 6 AP Scholars with Honor
- 22 AP Scholars
- 22 NCAA Athletics
- 2 U.S. Service Academy Appointments
- 8 Eagle Scouts
- 1 Governor's Honors Program Participant
- 9 Students accepted to programs in: Music Conservatory, Fine Arts, & Nursing