

# High School Profile 2024–2025



## WESTMINSTER ACADEMY DEVOTED TO CHRIST • DEDICATED TO EXCELLENCE

**Headmaster:** Joel Satterly, D.Min., M.A., M.B.A.  
**Assistant Headmaster, Upper School Principal:** Ronald J. Farrar, Ed.D.  
**School Counselors:** Brigitte Castro, M.A.(IP) Tracey Omslaer, M.Ed.  
**Director of Guidance & College Counseling:** Donna Payner, M.Ed.  
**Registrar:** Deborah Feliciano-Dias  
**Upper School Assistant Principal:** Trahern LaFavor, Ph.D.  
**Upper School Academic Dean:** Wade Tapp, Ed.D.  
**Upper School Dean of Students:** Joel Pelland, M.Ed.

Grades 9–12: 331 Students  
 Graduating Seniors: 85

**CEEB School Code:100492**

Westminster Academy, located in Fort Lauderdale, Florida, is a Christian college preparatory school and ministry of Coral Ridge Presbyterian Church. Founded in 1971, Westminster Academy provides a rigorous classically-integrated academic curriculum balanced with an award-winning fine arts program, as well as a diverse athletic program.

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The professional staff averages over 10 years of experience, with over 55% holding a master's degree or above.

The Class of 2024 received over \$5.3 million in scholarship offers, accumulated a total of 18,233 community service hours, and had a 100% college placement rate.

### Academic Courses

#### College Preparatory

World Literature & Composition I  
 World Literature & Composition II  
 American Literature & Composition  
 British Literature & Composition  
 Creative Writing  
 Speech & Debate  
 Algebra I  
 Geometry  
 Algebra II  
 Mathematics for College Readiness  
 (changed to Intermediate Algebra as of 2024)  
 Algebra with Trigonometry  
 (changed to Math for College Algebra as of 2024)  
 Biology  
 Chemistry  
 Anatomy and Physiology  
 Conceptual Physics  
 Marine Biology  
 Old Testament Survey  
 World Religions  
 Christ and Culture  
 World Civilizations  
 European History  
 United States History  
 Economics  
 American Government  
 Latin I & II  
 Spanish I & II

#### Honors Courses

Classical Literature & Composition I  
 Classical Literature & Composition II  
 American Literature & Composition  
 British Literature & Composition  
 Geometry  
 Algebra II  
 Precalculus  
 Biology  
 Chemistry  
 Anatomy and Physiology  
 PLTW Principles of Biomedical Science  
 Physics  
 Computer Science  
 Western Civilization  
 European History  
 United States History  
 Constitutional Law Honors\*\*  
 American Government  
 Latin III & IV  
 Spanish III & IV

#### Advanced Placement

English Language & Composition  
 English Literature & Composition  
 Capstone Seminar  
 Capstone Research  
 Biology  
 Chemistry  
 Environmental Science  
 Physics I  
 Pre Calculus\*\*  
 Calculus AB\*\*  
 Calculus BC\*\*  
 Computer Science A  
 Computer Science Principles

Human Geography  
 European History  
 United States History  
 Comparative Government & Politics  
 US Government & Politics  
 Latin  
 Spanish Language & Culture  
 3-D Art and Design  
 Studio Art 2-D  
 Drawing

#### College Dual Enrollment

College Algebra (MAC1105)\*  
 College Algebra (MAT1853)\*\*  
 Trigonometry (MAC1114)  
 Trigonometry & Analytical Geometry (MAT1863)\*\*  
 Calculus & Analytical Geometry I (MAC2311)\*  
 Calculus I (MAT2804)\*\*  
 Principles of Economics I (ECO2013)\*  
 Macroeconomics (ECO2343)\*\*  
 Principles of Economics II (ECO2023)\*  
 Microeconomics (ECO2353)\*\*  
 Psychology (PSY2012)\*  
 General Psychology (PSY2133)\*\*  
 Introduction to Business (GEB1011)\*  
 Introduction to Business (BUS1183)\*\*  
 Introduction to Life Calling (LCF1500)  
 Calculus for Business (MAC2233)\*  
 Statistics (STA2023)\*  
 Pre Calculus Algebra (MAC1140)\*  
 Calculus & Analytical Geometry II (MAC2312)\*  
 Business Law (BUL2241)\*

\*Classes no longer offered as of 2024/2025

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#### Graduation Requirements

English .....	4	Fine Arts .....	1
Math.....	4	Personal Fitness/Health .....	1
Science .....	4	Electives .....	2
Social Studies.....	4	World Languages.....	2
Bible/Humanities .....	4		
26 Credits Minimum			
Community Service: 100 hours			

#### Grading Scale

Percent	Grade	Unweighted
90–100	A	4
80–89	B	3
70–79	C	2
60–69	D	1
59 and below	F	0

#### Grade Point Average Calculation

The cumulative Grade Point Average (GPA) is calculated using 8 semesters of grades, beginning with the student's ninth-grade year. Honor courses receive .5 additional quality point if either A or B is earned. Advanced Placement and Dual Enrollment courses receive 1.0 additional quality points if either A, B or C is earned.

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## Athletics

**Men's Athletics:** Baseball, Basketball, Cross Country, Football, Golf, Lacrosse, Soccer, Swimming/Diving, Tennis, Track & Field, Water Polo

**Ladies' Athletics:** Basketball, Cheerleading, Cross Country, Golf, Soccer, Softball, Swimming/Diving, Tennis, Track & Field, Volleyball, Water Polo

## Clubs

Business/Entrepreneurship Club, Fellowship of Christian Athletes (FCA), FIRST Robotics Competition (FRC), Green Club, Harvard Model Congress, Rotary Interact Club, Key Club, Latin Club, Pre-Med Club, Student Council

## Fine Arts

Concert Choir, Chamber Orchestra, Concert Band, Drama Productions and School Musicals, Jazz Band, Pep Band, String Quartet, Visual Arts

## Practical Arts

Broadcast Journalism, Graphic Design, Yearbook Journalism

## Honorary Organizations

Latin Honor Society, National Art Honor Society, National Honor Society, Quill and Scroll, La Sociedad Honoraria Hispánica, International Thespian Society

## Community Service (Christian Service Outreach)

Minimum: 25 hours per year required

## Special Programs

Weekly Chapel, Academic Mentors, STEM, Robotics Competitions, Public Relations Internship, Technology Internship, Elementary Ed Internship, Spiritual Retreat, Spiritual Emphasis Week

## Four-Year Colleges that Have Offered Admission to Westminster Academy Graduates 2020–2024

AMDA College of Performing Arts	Harvey Mudd College	Southern Adventist University
American University	Hawaii Pacific University	Southern Methodist University
Anderson University (South Carolina)	High Point University	Spelman College
Appalachian State University	Hillsdale College	St. Francis College
Arizona State University	Hofstra University	St. John's University
Astoria University	Houghton University	St. Lawrence University
Auburn University	Howard University	St. Mary's College
Ave Maria University	Illinois Wesleyan University	St. Thomas University
Azusa Pacific University	Indiana University at Bloomington	Stetson University
Babson College	Iowa State University	Stevens Institute of Technology
Baldwin Wallace University	Iona University	Stony Brook University
Bard College	Ithaca College	State University of New York at Albany
Barry University	Jacksonville University	Suffolk University
Baylor University	James Madison University	Syracuse University
Belmont Abbey College	John Carroll University	Taylor University
Belmont University	Johns Hopkins University	Temple University
Beloit College	Keser University	Texas A&M University
Benedictine University-Illinois	Kentucky Wesleyan College	Texas Christian University
Bentley University	Lander University	Texas State University
Berklee College of Music	Lawrence University	The King's College
Berry College	Lee University	The New School/Parsons School of Design
Bethune-Cookman University	Lees-McRae College	The Universities of:
Binghamton University	Lehigh University	Alabama, Tuscaloosa
Biola University	Lenoir-Rhyne University	Alabama, Birmingham
Birmingham-Southern College	LeTourneau University	California, Berkeley
Boston College	Liberty University	California, Davis
Boston University	Lipscomb University	California, Irvine
Brandeis University	Lock Haven University	California, Los Angeles
Brewton-Parker College	Louisiana State University	California, Santa Cruz
Butler University	Loyola University Maryland	Central Florida
Cairn University	Loyola University New Orleans	Central Florida-Burnett Honors College
Calvin University	Loyola University Chicago	Cincinnati
Campbellsville University	Lynn University	Colorado, Boulder
Carleton University	Maine Maritime Academy	Connecticut
Carnegie Mellon University	Manhattan College	Dayton
Carson-Newman University	Mars Hill University	Florida
Case-Western Reserve University	Marshall University	Florida (College of Agriculture)
Catholic University of America	Marquette University	Georgia
Cedarville University	Marymount Manhattan University	Georgia
Centre College	Massachusetts Maritime Academy	Glasgow
Chapman University	Massachusetts Institute of Technology	Hawaii
Charleston Southern University	Mercer University	Illinois at Urbana-Champaign
City University of New York-Baruch College	Mercyhurst University	Incarinate Word
Brooklyn College	Messiah College	Iowa
City College	Methodist University	Kentucky
Clark University	Miami University, Oxford	Maine
Clemson University	Michigan State University	Maryland, College Park
Coker College	Middle Georgia State University	Massachusetts, Amherst
College of Charleston	Miligan University	Miami
College of the Holy Cross	Mississippi College	Michigan
Colorado Christian University	Montreat College	Mississippi
Colorado School of Mines	Mount Saint Mary College	Nebraska, Lincoln
Colorado State University	New College of Florida	New Haven
Columbia University	New Jersey Institute of Technology	North Carolina, Asheville
Concordia University Chicago	New York Institute of Technology	North Carolina, Chapel Hill
Covenant College	New York University	North Carolina, Charlotte
Dallas Baptist University	Nicholls State University	North Carolina, Greensboro
Davidson College	North Carolina A&T State University	North Carolina
Denison University	North Carolina State University	Northwestern Ohio
Dickinson College	North Carolina Wesleyan College	Notre Dame
Drake University	North Greenville University	Ohio
Drew University	North Park University	Oklahoma
Drexel University	Northwestern University	Pennsylvania
Duquesne University	Nova Southeastern University	Pittsburgh
East Carolina University	Oberlin College of Arts and Sciences	Richmond
Eastern Kentucky University	Oglethorpe University	San Francisco
Eckerd College	Ohio Dominican University	South Carolina, Sumter
Edward Waters College	Ohio Northern University	South Florida
Elon University	Ohio Wesleyan University	Tampa
Embry-Riddle Aeronautical University	Oklahoma Baptist University	Tennessee
Emory University	Oral Roberts University	Vermont
Flagler College	Pace University, New York City	Virginia
Florida A&M University	Palm Beach Atlantic University	Virginia's College at Wise
Florida Atlantic University	Pennsylvania State University	Washington State, Seattle
Florida Atlantic University-Harriet L. Wilkes Honors College	Pepperdine University	West Florida
Florida College	Pitzer College	Thomas Aquinas College
Florida Gulf Coast University	Point Loma Nazarene University	Toccoa Falls College
Florida Institute of Technology	Point Park University	Trinity International University
Florida International University	Presbyterian College	Trinity University
Florida Memorial University	Providence College	Tulane University
Florida Polytechnic University	Purdue University	Tusculum University
Florida Southern College	Purdue University, College of Engineering	Union University
Florida State University	Randolph-Macon College	United States Merchant Marine Academy
Florida State University-College of Motion Picture Arts	Regents University, London	United States Naval Academy
Fordham University	Regis College	Valdosta State University
Franklin & Marshall College	Rensselaer Polytechnic Institute	Valparaiso University
Full Sail University	Rhodes College	Vanderbilt University
Furman University	Ringling College of Art and Design	Virginia Tech
Gardner-Webb University	Rice University	Wake Forest University
Geneva College	Rochester Institute of Technology	Wash University
George Mason University	Rollins College	Washington and Jefferson College
George Washington University	Rose-Hulman Institute of Technology	Washington and Lee University
Georgetown College	Rutgers University	Webber International University
Georgetown University	Saint Joseph's University	Western Carolina University
Georgia Institute of Technology	Saint Vincent College	Wheaton College, Illinois
Georgia Southern University	Samford University	William and Mary
Georgia State University	Savannah College of Art and Design	Wingate University
Gordon College	School of the Art Institute of Chicago	Word of Life Bible Institute
Grand Canyon University	Seton Hall University	Wright State University
Grimm College	Sewanee: The University of the South	Xavier University
Grove City College	Shenandoah University	Yale University
Hanover College	Shorter University	
	Southeastern University	

### Standardized Test Results, Class Of 2024

#### SAT Score Range

Middle 50%	Evidence-based Reading & Writing	470–615
Middle 50%	Math	445–570

#### Class Percentages

Score Range	R&W	M
600 or Above	27%	15%
500 to 599	47%	49%
400 to 499	19%	26%

#### ACT Score Range

Middle 50%	English	15–24
Middle 50%	Math	16–22
Middle 50%	Reading	15–29
Middle 50%	Science	17–24

Middle 50%	Composite	16–24
Average	Composite	21

#### Advanced Placement Scores

Total AP Seniors: 30

Class of 2024	5	4	3	2	1	Total Exams
Number of Exams	9	10	22	21	9	71
Percentage of the Total	13	14	31	30	13	

27% scored a 4 or 5  
58% scored 3 or above

## Class Rank Policy

Because students do not all take the same courses, a cumulative ranking system is not an accurate representation of a student's relative achievement. Westminster Academy does not rank students.

## Accreditation & Memberships

Middle States Association of Colleges and Schools, Christian Schools of Florida, National Council for Private School Accreditation (NCPSA), Florida Association of Academic Nonpublic Schools, and a member of the Council on Educational Standards and Accountability.