



ACADEMIC PROFILE

A Christ-Centered Preparatory School

2009-2010

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HISTORY & LOCATION

Whitefield Academy opened its doors to students in grades sixth through twelfth in 1997 in suburban Atlanta's northwest perimeter. Grades Kindergarten through fifth were added in 2002 with the addition of PreK-4 the following fall. Current enrollment is 656 students.

ACCREDITATIONS & AFFILIATIONS

- SACS
- SAIS
- ACSI
- NACAC
- NASSP
- SACAC
- College Board

COMMUNITY SERVICE

Upper School requirement:

15 hours/year

National Honor Society members

30 hours/year

Middle School requirement:

10 hours/year

STUDENT CLUBS/ORGANIZATIONS

- Animation and Robotics Clubs
- Art Club
- Band: Marching, Pep, and Jazz
- Chapel Committee
- Chess Club
- Chorale
- Community Service Committee
- Drama
- Fellowship of Christian Athletes
- High Q
- Honor Council
- International Thespian Honor Society
- National Honor Society
- Other National Honor Societies: Art, Spanish, Thespians, Tri-M
- Orchestra
- Photography Club
- Publications: newspaper, yearbook, literary magazine
- Science Olympiad
- Strategic Games Club
- Student Council

GRADE WEIGHTING

On the transcript, AP and Honors classes are weighted. AP course averages include five bonus points and Honors courses include three bonus points. Prior to the 2007-2008 school year, both AP and Honors course averages included five bonus points. **We do not rank.**

ADVANCED ACADEMIC OFFERINGS

AP enrollment, based on faculty recommendations, is offered beginning the junior year. Two AP classes for the junior year and four AP classes for the senior year are the maximum number a student may take without permission from the principal.

Advanced Placement (AP) Courses:

- Art History
- Biology
- Calculus AB/BC
- Chemistry
- Computer Science
- English Literature
- European History
- U.S. History
- Physics
- Spanish
- Statistics
- Studio Art

Honors Courses:

- Algebra I
- Geometry
- Algebra II
- Pre-Calculus
- Conceptual Physics
- Chemistry
- Biology

ACADEMICS

100 % of Whitefield Academy graduates matriculate to colleges and universities. One student in the 2009 class enlisted with the US Marine Corps upon graduation.

HONOR ROLL

- Headmaster's List—students with an overall average of at least 94 and no failing grades
- Principal's List—students with an overall average of 90-93 and no failing grades

GRADING SYSTEM

90 or above = A/4.0	73-76 = C/2.3
87-89 = B+/3.7	70-72 = C-/2.0
83-86 = B/3.3	65-69 = D/1.0*
80-82 = B-/3.0	64 or below = F/0.0
77-79 = C+/2.7	

*Students are required to receive a grade of 70 or higher for each semester to obtain course credit.

GRADUATION REQUIREMENTS

English	4 Units
Mathematics	4 Units
Laboratory Sciences	3 Units
Foreign Language*	3 Units
Fine Arts	1 Unit
History	3 Units
Biblical and Christian Studies	2.5 Units
Physical Education and Health	1 Unit
Communications/Public Speaking5 Unit
Electives	2 Units

*French, Latin, Spanish

SAT RANGE

Class of 2009	
Critical Reading—mid 50%	530-630
Math—mid 50%	500-630
Writing—mid 50%	500-640

STUDENT MAKEUP

- 2010 Senior Class: 55
- 23% ethnic student body
- Whitefield strives for ethnic, cultural, and economic diversity.

SELECTED COLLEGES OFFERING ADMISSION TO WHITEFIELD ACADEMY STUDENTS

Agnes Scott College*
 Alabama State University*
 Appalachian State University*
 Arizona State University
 Arkansas State University*
 Art Institute of Atlanta
 Auburn University*
 Aurora University
 Baylor University*
 Bellarmine University
 Belmont University*
 Benedict College
 Bentley College*
 Berklee College of Music
 Berry College*
 Birmingham-Southern College*
 Boston College
 Boston University
 Bradley University
 Campbell University*
 Catholic University of America*
 Centre College
 Clark Atlanta University*
 Clemson University
 College of Charleston*
 College of William and Mary
 Colorado College
 Colorado State University*
 Converse College*
 Covenant College*
 The Citadel*
 Clemson University*
 Dartmouth College*
 Davidson College*
 Dickinson College*
 Dillard University*
 Duke University*
 Eckerd College*
 Elon University*
 Emory University*
 Emory & Henry College
 Faulkner University
 Flagler College
 Florida A&M University
 Florida State University
 Fordham University
 Furman University*
 George Mason University*

George Washington University*
 Georgia College and State University*
 Georgia Institute of Technology*
 Georgia Southern University*
 Georgia State University*
 Hampton University*
 Hanover College
 High Point University*
 Howard University*
 Illinois Wesleyan University
 Indiana University*
 Jacksonville University*
 James Madison University*
 Kennesaw State University*
 Lake Forest College*
 Lee University
 Liberty University*
 Louisiana State University
 Loyola University (New Orleans)*
 Loyola University (Chicago)*
 Lynchburg College*
 Marshall University*
 Marymount Manhattan College*
 Massachusetts Institute of Technology*
 Mercer University*
 Miami of Ohio University*
 Millsaps College*
 Montreat College*
 Morehouse College*
 New York University*
 North Carolina A&T State University*
 North Georgia College & State University*
 Nova Southeastern University
 Oglethorpe University*
 Ohio Wesleyan University
 Oxford College of Emory*
 Pepperdine University*
 Philadelphia University*
 Presbyterian College*
 Princeton University*
 Radford College*
 Reinhardt College*
 Rhodes College*
 Roanoke College*
 Rochester Institute of Technology
 Rollins College*
 Saint John's University
 Samford University*

Savannah College of Art & Design
 Shorter College*
 Skidmore College
 Southern Methodist University*
 Southern Poly. State University*
 Spelman College*
 Stanford University*
 State University of West Georgia*
 Stetson University*
 Temple University
 Tennessee State University*
 Texas Christian University*
 Tulane University
 United States Military Academy*
 United States Naval Academy*
 University of Alabama*
 University of Central Florida*
 University of Dallas
 University of Georgia*
 University of Maryland*
 University of Miami*
 University of Mississippi*
 University of Nevada-Las Vegas*
 University of North Carolina
 at Chapel Hill*
 University of North Carolina School
 of the Arts*
 University of Michigan
 University of Richmond*
 University of Rochester*
 University of South Carolina*
 University of Southern Mississippi*
 University of Tennessee*
 University of Texas
 University of Vermont*
 University of Virginia*
 Valdosta State University*
 Vanderbilt University*
 Virginia Polytechnic State University*
 Wake Forest University*
 Washington & Lee University*
 Western Carolina University*
 Wheaton College*
 Wingate University*
 Winthrop University
 Wofford College*
 Xavier University
 * Whitefield graduates enrolled

MISSION STATEMENT

Whitefield Academy, a Christ-centered college preparatory school, exists to bolster Christian families in rearing young people who go on to college and life with a passion for learning, for others ahead of self, and for the living and active Jesus.

LIFE AND CAREER PLANNING

Whitefield Academy partners with **Leadership Development Company** to conduct an extensive life and career planning program culminating in the senior year of our students. Assessments of personality and values, as well as aptitude testing through the *Johnson O'Connor Research Foundation*, augment this program. Final results of **Life and Career Planning** are given to students (and their parents) in the spring of their junior year. The objective is for students to make their college selection decisions, with their parents' guidance, within the context of plans for their lives and careers. This individualized program, offered through the College Counseling Department, is unique to Whitefield Academy.