



WINDERMERE PREPARATORY SCHOOL

A NORD ANGLIA EDUCATION SCHOOL

HIGH SCHOOL PROFILE 2019 - 2020

PREPARING THE NEXT GENERATION OF GLOBAL LEADERS

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ACCREDITATIONS

Southern Association of Colleges & Schools
Southern Associations of Independent Schools
Florida Council of Independent Schools
International Baccalaureate World School

AFFILIATIONS

The Juilliard School
Massachusetts Institute of Technology (MIT)
The United Nations Children's Fund (UNICEF)
The StartUp Studio

MEMBERSHIPS

National Association for College Admission Counseling
The College Board
National Association of Independent Schools
Educational Records Bureau
American School Counselor's Association
Florida High School Athletic Association



48-ACRE CAMPUS
IN SOUTHWEST
ORLANDO

FOUNDED IN
2000

1,500+ STUDENTS
IN PRE-K THROUGH
GRADE 12

SCHOOL COMMUNITY

Windermere Preparatory School (WPS) is an independent, coeducational, non-sectarian college preparatory school. WPS draws students from all religious, ethnic, and international backgrounds, and enjoys a diverse community with the common goal of academic excellence.

The school crest has the Latin words for Knowledge-Veritas; Virtue-Virtus; and Unity-Unitas: ideals our students live by and practice daily. Windermere Prep's academic courses are complemented by enrichment offerings in theater arts, music, visual arts, entrepreneurial studies, computer science and other extracurricular courses. As an International Baccalaureate World School and one of Nord Anglia Education's family of sixty-one international schools, WPS provides students with a global perspective both inside and outside the classroom.

MISSION STATEMENT: WINDERMERE PREPARATORY SCHOOL IS A NURTURING COMMUNITY THAT ENGAGES AND INSPIRES OUR LEARNERS TO DISCOVER THEIR PASSIONS AS THEY BUILD THE BEST VERSIONS OF THEMSELVES FOR THE GLOBAL COMMUNITY.

NORD ANGLIA EDUCATION

Nord Anglia Education is the world's leading premium school organization. The family of 61 international schools is located in 26 countries and educates over 60,000 students from Pre-School through Grade Twelve. Nord Anglia schools are committed to providing students with the highest-quality learning, enhanced through unique global experiences and collaborations with world academic leaders including UNICEF, The Juilliard School, and Massachusetts Institute of Technology (MIT). For more information, visit the Nord Anglia Education website at www.nordangliaeducation.com.

FACULTY & ADMINISTRATION

Windermere Prep's 65 High School faculty and administrators represent diverse backgrounds and are chosen for their ability to inspire intellectual curiosity and enthusiasm for learning.



CLASS OF 2019 STUDENT DATA

GRADE POINT AVERAGES

4.63
Highest

3.84
Average

SAT

	HIGH	MIDDLE (50%)	MEAN
EBRW	780	545 - 660	606
Mathematics	800	550 - 700	624
Total	1550	1110 - 1340	1231

ACT

Reading	36	21 - 30	25
English	36	21 - 31	26
Mathematics	34	19 - 27	23
Science	35	21 - 28	24
Composite	34	21 - 28	24

TOTAL GRADING SYSTEM

Student GPAs are calculated by semester.

ADVANCED PLACEMENT SCORES

In 2019, Windermere Prep students took 79 total exams with an 81% pass rate.

3.44 average on AP U.S. History

3.58 average on AP EuroHistory

2019 IB RESULTS - OPEN ENROLLMENT

	ALL candidates:	TOP 25:
Number of IB Diploma Candidates:	55	23
Top Scoring IB Diploma Student:	38	38
Mean IB Diploma Student Score:	27	31
IB Diploma Programme Student Pass Rate:	73%	100%

Percent of Seniors enrolled in at least one IB Course: 90%

ENROLLMENT DATA

High School Enrollment: **630** Class of 2020: **140**

REPORTING POLICY - Windermere Preparatory School reports to colleges all major and repeated disciplinary violations.

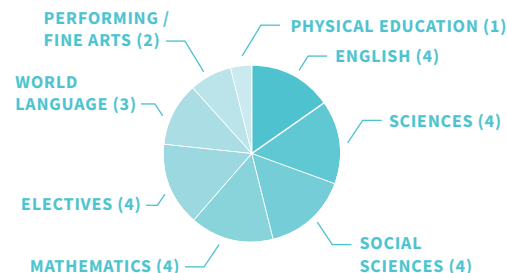
HONORS, AP, IB, & NON-RANKING POLICY

Letter	Range	CP	H/IBSL	AP/IBHL
A+	97-100	4.0	4.5	5.0
A	93-96	4.0	4.5	5.0
A-	90-92	3.7	4.2	4.7
B+	87-89	3.3	3.8	4.3
B	83-86	3.0	3.5	4.0
B-	80-82	2.7	3.2	3.7
C+	77-79	2.3	2.8	3.3
C	73-76	2.0	2.5	3.0
C-	70-72	1.7	2.2	2.7
D+	67-69	1.3	1.3	1.3
D	63-66	1.0	1.0	1.0
D-	60-62	0.7	0.7	0.7

Most Windermere Prep Grade Nine and Ten academic courses are taught at the honors level. Two AP courses are offered. Juniors and Seniors have the option of pursuing a full IB Diploma, or enrolling in some IB courses as IB certificate students. Approximately 30% of the students in Grades Eleven and Twelve are IB Diploma Candidates. Windermere Prep does not rank students because it believes that class rank is an unreliable indicator of performance for students close in ability.

GRADUATION REQUIREMENTS

26 credits & 100 hrs (min.) of Community Service



COURSE OFFERINGS, 2019 - 2020

ENGLISH

English I Honors / English II Honors / English III Honors / English IV Honors / IB English HL, SL / ESL English, Level 2, 3

MATHEMATICS

Adv. Algebraic Apps & Concept. Geom. / Algebra II Honors / Probability and Statistics Honors / Math 9 ST, SL, EL / Math 10, ST, SL, EL / Integrated Math 11,12 / IB Math Studies / IB Math HL, SL / IB Further Mathematics

PERFORMING ARTS

Acting, Theater Arts / Beginning Band / Wind Ensemble / Advanced Choreography & Performance / Advanced Chorus / Vocal Ensemble / Dance Techniques I-IV / Guitar / IB Modern Dance HL, SL / IB Music HL, SL / IB Theater SL, HL / Piano / Public Speaking

SOCIAL SCIENCES

American Government and Economics Honors / AP European History / AP US History / Current Events, Global Issues Honors / Economics Honors / IB Economics HL, SL / IB History HL, SL / IB Psychology HL, SL / Psychology Honors / World History Honors / IB Theory of Knowledge / Robotics

FINE ARTS

Building Art / Ceramics / Digital Art, Advanced / Drawing and Painting / IB Visual Art HL, SL / Photography / Studio Art / Yearbook

WORLD LANGUAGES

IB French B, ab initio / Latin I-III, Honors / IB Latin B HL, SL / Spanish I-III, Honors / IB Spanish B HL, SL, ab initio / Mandarin I, II / IB Mandarin ab initio

SCIENCES

Anatomy and Physiology Honors / Biology Honors / Chemistry Honors / IB Computer Science SL, HL / Marine Science Honors / Physics Honors / IB Biology HL, SL / IB Chemistry HL, SL / IB Physics HL

ELECTIVES

Entrepreneurial Studies 1, 2, 3 / Robotics / Sports Medicine / Student Government / Computer Science Honors

TRANSCRIPT SYMBOLS

AP = Advanced Placement, **IB** = International Baccalaureate, **H** = Honors, **P** = Passing, **W** = Withdrawal, **SL** = Standard Level, **EL** = Extended Level, **HL** = Higher Level

IBHL and AP courses are weighted with an additional 1.0 quality point. IBSL and EL and honors courses are weighted with an additional .5 quality point.

*WPS transcripts list grades assigned by faculty.
Pattern of Instruction: Semester*



ELITE BOARDING PROGRAM

Windermere Prep is the home to over 100 international residential students each year ranging from Grade 7 to Grade 12. These students come from over 43 different countries and represent approximately 16% of the High School population.

FINANCIAL AID & SCHOLARSHIPS

Students in Grade Six to Grade Twelve are eligible for financial aid. Each year Windermere Prep funds an Academic Honors Scholarship Program for Grade 9 students who exhibit outstanding academic performance, high standardized test scores, good citizenship, and community service.

HONOR CODE

An essential element of the WPS educational philosophy is Virtus—a commitment to honesty, integrity, trust, self-worth, self-discipline, respect for authority, and concern for others. The WPS Honor System helps to build character among students and faculty and maintains an educational community in which a code of values is shared.

IB DIPLOMA PROGRAMME

Windermere Prep is the only private IB World School in Central Florida. All IB course are taught over two years, where we have an open enrollment model. Eighty-seven percent of our students earn a certificate in at least one IB course. Since May 2011, students have completed IB examinations in: English, French, Latin, Mandarin, Spanish, Economics, History, Psychology, Mathematics, Biology, Chemistry, Computer Science, Physics, Visual Arts, Music, Theater, and Dance

IB DIPLOMA GRADUATION REQUIREMENTS

The Diploma Programme is a two-year, full-time program. Full IB Diploma students take seven IB courses: English, Language B (world language), Social Science, Experimental Science, and Mathematics. The sixth subject may be an Arts subject, or a second class from a core category. A minimum of three classes must be taken at the higher level (HL). The seventh required IB Diploma Programme course is Theory of Knowledge (TOK).

Final IB examinations are conducted in May of senior year and graded externally on a scale of 1-7, 7 being the highest. The award of the diploma requires a combined minimum of 24 points and the satisfactory completion of each of the three compulsory core components: Theory of Knowledge (TOK), Extended Essay, Creativity Activity and Service (CAS). A student who does not satisfy the requirements of the full Diploma Programme is awarded individual certificates for examinations completed successfully.

FINE ARTS



302

out of 630 High School
**STUDENTS TAKE PART
IN FINE ARTS CLASSES
AND SOCIETIES**

33

**APPLAUSE AWARD
NOMINATIONS**
in 2019 - 2020 school year

92 HIGH SCHOOL STUDENTS
in Fine Arts after school programs

100+ EVENTS

and shows in our state of the art
CYPRESS CENTER
in the 2019 - 2020 school year

ATHLETICS

3.75

**WEIGHTED GPA AVERAGE
OF STUDENT-ATHLETES**

74%

of our
Students in Grade 6 - 12
PARTICIPATE
in at least one of 61 teams
over 20 different sports.

**FULL-TIME STRENGTH
& CONDITIONING COACH**



STATE OF THE ART FACILITIES
to train in year-round

SELECT WPS ACCEPTANCES 2008-2019 (1,100 STUDENTS) *Bold represents matriculation*

American University, Washington DC, Paris	Massachusetts College of Pharmacy and Health	University of Colorado, Boulder
Amherst College	Miami University of Ohio	University College, Dublin
Auburn University	Michigan State University	University of Delaware
Arizona State University	Middlebury College	University of Denver
Australian National University	Morehouse College	University of Edinburgh, UK
Babson College	New College of Florida	University of Florida
Barnard College	New York University	University of Geneva, Switzerland
Belmont College	Northeastern University	University of Georgia
Berklee College of Music	Northwestern University	University of Glasgow, Scotland
BI Norwegian Business School	Oberlin College	University of Guelph, Canada
Boston College	Parsons - The New School for Design	University of Hawaii, Manoa
Boston University	Pennsylvania State University	University of Illinois, Urbana-Champaign
Brandeis University	Pepperdine University	University of Iowa
Brown University	Pratt Institute for Art and Design	University of Leeds, UK
Bryn Mawr College	Princeton University	University of Manchester, UK
Bucknell University	Purdue University	University of Maryland, College Park
California State University, Long Beach, Northridge	Queen's University, Ontario, Canada	University of Massachusetts, Amherst
Carnegie Mellon University	Queensland University of Technology, Australia	University of Melbourne, Australia
Case Western Reserve University	Regents University, London	University of Miami
City College, England	Rensselaer Polytechnic Institute	University of Michigan
Champan University	Rice University	University of Minnesota, Twin Cities
Clemson University	Ringling College of Art and Design	University of Nebraska
Colgate University	Rose-Hulman Institute of Technology	University of North Carolina, Chapel Hill
College of the Holy Cross	Rutgers University	University of Nottingham, UK
College of William and Mary	Savannah College of Art and Design	University of Notre Dame
Colorado School of Mines	Sewanee: The University of the South	University of Pennsylvania
Columbia University	Southern Methodist University	University of Pittsburgh
Connecticut College	Spelman College	University of Richmond
Cornell University	Stanford University	University of Rochester
Dartmouth College	Stony Brook University	University of Saint Andrews, Scotland, UK
Davidson College	Syracuse University	University of Southern California
Drexel University	Texas A & M University	University of South Carolina
Duke University	The Ohio State University	University of South Florida
Elon University	Tulane University	University of Sydney, Australia
Embry-Riddle Aeronautical University	United States Air Force Academy	University of Texas, Austin
Emory University	United States Military Academy at West Point	University of Toronto, Canada
Florida State University	Universita Bocconi, Italy	University of Virginia
Florida International University	Universiteit Maastricht, Netherlands	University of Washington
Fordham University	University College, London	University of Wisconsin-Madison
Franklin and Marshall College	University of Alabama	Vanderbilt University
George Washington University	University of Alaska	Vassar College
Georgetown University	University of Bristol, England, UK	Villanova University
Georgia Institute of Technology	University of California, Berkeley	Virginia Polytechnic Institute
Harvard College	University of California, Davis	Wake Forest University
Indiana University, Bloomington	University of California, Irvine	Washington and Lee University
Johns Hopkins University	University of California, Los Angeles	Washington University at St. Louis
Kenyon College	University of California, San Diego	Wellesley College
King's College, London	University of California, Santa Barbara	Williams College
Lafayette College	University of Central Florida	Yale University
Lehigh University	University of Chicago	