



WINDERMERE PREPARATORY SCHOOL

A NORD ANGLIA EDUCATION SCHOOL

HIGH SCHOOL PROFILE

2021 - 2022

PREPARING THE NEXT GENERATION OF GLOBAL LEADERS

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

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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
The Florida Association of IB World Schools



48-ACRE CAMPUS
IN SOUTHWEST
ORLANDO

FOUNDED IN
2000

1,550+ 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 66 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 70 international schools is located in 30 countries and educates over 66,000 students from Pre-School through Grade 12. 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 High School teachers and administrators represent diverse backgrounds and are chosen for their ability to inspire intellectual curiosity and enthusiasm for learning.



CLASS OF 2021 STUDENT DATA

GRADE POINT AVERAGES

4.66
Highest

3.91
Average

		HIGH	MIDDLE (50%)	MEAN
SAT	EBRW	770	520-650	595
	Mathematics	780	540 - 680	611
	Total	1550	1090 - 1320	1206
ACT	Reading	36	21 - 32	27
	English	35	21 - 31	25
	Mathematics	35	19 - 28	24
	Science	34	22 - 30	25
	STEM	34	21 - 28	25
	Composite	34	23 - 30	26

TOTAL GRADING SYSTEM

Student GPAs are calculated by semester.

ADVANCED PLACEMENT SCORES

In 2021, Windermere Prep administered 57 exams in two WPS AP Courses with a 72% pass rate.

3.24 average on AP U.S. History

3.38 average on AP European History

2021 IB RESULTS

	ALL candidates:	TOP 25:
Number of IB Diploma Candidates:	53	20
Top Scoring IB Diploma Student:	41	41
Mean IB Diploma Student Score:	31	35
IB Diploma Programme Student Pass Rate:	85%	100%

Percent of Seniors enrolled in at least one IB Course: 86%

2022 ENROLLMENT DATA

High School Enrollment: **634** Class of 2022: **156**

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

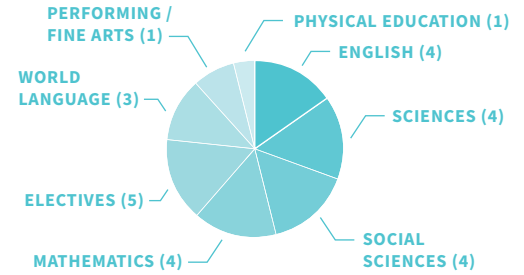
HONORS, AP, IB, & NON-RANKING POLICY

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 of Community Service



COURSE OFFERINGS, 2018 - 2022

ENGLISH

English 1 Honors / English 2 Honors / English 3 Honors / English 4 Honors / IB English HL, SL / ESL English, Level 2, 3 / Reading and Writing / Research 1, 2

MATHEMATICS

Adv. Algebraic Apps & Concept. Geom. / Algebra 2 Honors / Probability and Statistics Honors / Math 9 ST, SL, EL / Math 10, ST, SL, EL / IB Math HL, SL / Math for College Readiness

PERFORMING ARTS

Beginning Band / Wind Ensemble / Chorus / Advanced Choreography & Performance / Dance Techniques 1-4 / Guitar / IB Modern Dance HL / IB Music SL / IB Theatre HL / Piano / Public Speaking / Theatre Arts / Technical Theatre / Musical Theatre

SOCIAL SCIENCES

American Government and Economics Honors / AP European History / AP US History / Current Events, Global Issues Honors / Economics Honors / IB Economics HL / IB History SL / IB Psychology HL, SL / Psychology Honors / World History Honors / IB Theory of Knowledge / Women's History Honors / Exploring the African American Experience in the 20th Century Honors / IB Business Management SL

FINE ARTS

2D Art / 2D Honors / 3D Art / Building Art / Ceramics / Ceramics Honors / Digital Art / Drawing and Painting / Yearbook / IB Visual Art HL, SL / Studio Art

WORLD LANGUAGES

IB French ab initio / Latin 1-3, Honors / IB Latin SL / Spanish 1-3, Honors / IB Spanish B SL / Conversational Spanish / IB Spanish ab initio

SCIENCES

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

ELECTIVES

Entrepreneurial Studies 1, 2, 3 / Robotics / Intro to Computer Science / 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 22 different countries and represent approximately 15% of the High School population.

FINANCIAL AID & SCHOLARSHIPS

Students in Grade 6 to Grade 12 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 courses are taught over two years. 80% 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 course from a core category. A minimum of three courses 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

2021 - 2022 school year



359

out of 604 High School
**STUDENTS TAKE PART
IN FINE ARTS CLASSES
AND SOCIETIES**

10

**APPLAUSE AWARD
NOMINATIONS**

92 HIGH SCHOOL STUDENTS
in Fine Arts after school programs

100+ EVENTS

and shows in our state of the art
CYPRESS CENTER

ATHLETICS

2020 - 2021 school year

3.56

**WEIGHTED GPA AVERAGE
OF STUDENT-ATHLETES**

59%

of our
Students in Grade 6 - 12
PARTICIPATE
in at least one of 50 teams
over 15 sports.

**FULL-TIME STRENGTH
& CONDITIONING COACH**



STATE OF THE ART FACILITIES
to train in year-round

SELECT WPS ACCEPTANCES 2008 - 2021 Bold represents matriculation

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