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Woods Charter School 2017-2018 School Profile

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Woods Charter School offers a challenging program that equips students with a strong academic foundation and fosters a passion for learning. Our K-12 community provides a friendly, safe learning environment in which honesty, civility, and respect are the rule. Strengths that contribute to the legacy of the school include close student-teacher relationships, small class sizes, and active family participation.

The high school program features a single, rigorous pre-college curriculum that prepares students for continued academic inquiry. Class size ranges from 8-24, promoting student engagement and leadership. Enrollment is capped at 46 students per grade level. Individualized academic counseling takes place within the teacher-student advisory model as students plan their academic progress to meet their personal goals.

The middle school program includes specialized preparation for high school, including differentiation in mathematics, courses in the arts, language instruction in French and Spanish, and the opportunity to enroll in some high school classes. Advisory groups support strong relationships and promote student leadership, accountability, and character development. Middle school class sizes range from 12-20, with 40 students per grade level.

The elementary school encourages a lifelong love of learning. Elementary classes are capped at 16 for grades K-2 and 18 for grades 3 & 4 per class. This small cohort size allows focused, student-centered instruction built on the Core Knowledge curriculum, Singapore Math, physical education, art, music, and French language instruction.

The school thrives on support from families and engagement with the local community. Founded in 1998, Woods Charter School has grown from a small alternative secondary school to a stable, vibrant learning community for students from kindergarten through high school in a productive, independent setting. ■

Class of 2018 Fall 2017 Weighted GPA range

Woods Charter School does not rank students

GPA RANGE	%
> 4.5	19.6
4.00 - 4.49	28.3
3.50 - 3.99	17.4
3.00 - 3.49	13.0
2.50 - 2.99	8.7
< 2.49	13.0

SAT: Class of 2017

	EBRW	Math
Woods	615	600
NC	546	537
USA	538	533

ACT: Class of 2017 Composite

Woods	25.3
NC	18.6
US	21.0

North Carolina End-of-Course Testing Grade level Proficiency 2017

	Woods	NC
Math I	>95 %	64.3 %
Biology	>95 %	56.2%
English II	>95 %	60.7%

Points of Interest

- Dynamic, dedicated faculty includes CDC Science Ambassador, Fulbright Distinguished Teacher, National Board Certified Teachers
- 58% of faculty hold advanced degrees
- Gold Medal - 2017 US News Best High Schools
- Nationally-competitive clubs and academic teams
- Annual 8-week Enrichments program offers experiential learning
- 50 hours of community service required for graduation
- 98% of 2017 graduates college-bound (84% 4-yr; 14% 2-year)
- Approximately 1800 students on admissions waitlist

Graduation Requirements

Students must earn 22 credits to graduate.

Each year-long course equals one credit.

4 English I, II, III, IV;
Honors English I, II, III, IV;
AP Literature

3 World Language
French I, II; Honors French
III, IV, V; AP French
Language and Culture
Spanish I, II; Honors
Spanish III, IV, V; AP
Spanish Language and
Culture

3 Math 1, 2, 3; Honors Math
2, 3; Advanced Functions
and Modeling; Discrete
Math; Honors Pre-calculus

4 Social Studies
World History
World History (Honors)
Civics and Economics
Civics and Economics
(Honors)
US History
US History (Honors)
AP US History
1 additional History
elective

3 Science
Biology
Biology (Honors)
Chemistry
Chemistry (Honors)
Environmental Science
(Honors)
AP Environmental Science

**1 Health & Physical
Education**

3 Additional Electives
AP 2-D Art
AP Biology
AP Calculus AB
AP Calculus BC
AP Chemistry
AP Comparative
Government and Politics
Computer Science
Computer Science
(Honors)
Special Topics in
Computer Science
(Honors)
AP Computer Science
AP European History
French IV (Honors)
French V (Honors)
AP French Language
History of Human Thought
History of Human Thought
(Honors)
Music 101
Physics (Honors)
Principles of Engineering
AP Psychology
AP Research
AP Seminar
Spanish IV (Honors)
Spanish V (Honors)
AP Spanish Language
AP Statistics
Theatre Arts
Vocal Music
Visual Art

Grading System Quality Points by Course				
	AP	Honors	Standard	
A+	(97-100)	6.0	5.0	4.0
A	(93-96)	6.0	5.0	4.0
A-	(90-92)	5.66	4.66	3.66
B+	(87-89)	5.33	4.33	3.33
B	(83-86)	5.00	4.00	3.00
B-	(80-82)	4.66	3.66	2.66
C+	(77-79)	4.33	3.33	2.33
C	(73-76)	4.00	3.00	2.00
C-	(70-72)	3.66	2.66	1.66
D+	(67-69)	3.33	2.33	1.33
D	(63-66)	3.00	2.00	1.00
D-	(60-62)	2.66	1.66	0.66
F	(≤59)	0.00	0.00	0.00

Recent College Acceptance History

Appalachian State University	Lynchburg College
Bard College	Meredith College
Boston College	Middlebury College
Bowdoin College	Mount Holyoke College
Brevard College	NC State University
Brigham Young University	Oberlin College
Carleton College	Queens University of Charlotte
Case Western Reserve	Randolph-Macon College
Catholic University of America	Reed College
Clemson University	Roanoke College
Colgate University	Rose Hulman Institute of Technology
Davidson College	Salem College
East Carolina University	Sarah Lawrence College
Eckerd College	Sewanee, University of the South
Elon University	Smith College
Emory and Henry College	Swarthmore College
Emory University	The Citadel
Flagler College	UNC Asheville
Furman University	UNC Chapel Hill
Gardner-Webb University	UNC Charlotte
George Mason University	UNC Greensboro
Georgia Institute of Technology	UNC Wilmington
Goucher College	University of Florida
Guilford College	University of Houston
Haverford College	University of Kentucky
High Point University	University of Mount Olive
Hollins University	University of South Carolina
Kenyon College	University of Southern California
	University of Southern Maine
	University of Toronto
	University of Vermont
	US Merchant Marine Academy
	Virginia Tech
	Wake Forest University
	Warren Wilson College
	Wellesley College
	West Virginia University
	Western Carolina University

AP PROGRAM HIGHLIGHTS

17 AP courses offered
90 students took 212 AP courses in 2017
87% of seniors enrolled in AP courses
84% of students earned 3 or higher in 2017
17 AP Scholars
10 AP Scholars with Honor
14 AP Scholars with Distinction
2 National AP Scholars
3 AP Capstone Diplomas
2 AP Seminar and Research Certificates