

ALBUQUERQUE ACADEMY

2021-22 SECONDARY SCHOOL REPORT AND PROFILE



Albuquerque Academy is a non-denominational independent day school for 1,164 students in grade six through twelve. Admission is competitive. Our student body is 56% students of color, and 23% are receiving over \$4.5 million in financial assistance based entirely on demonstrated financial need.

The Class of 2022

There are 163 students in the Class of 2022. The grading scale is 0-100, with 60 the minimum passing mark. A distribution of marks within each course is provided on the transcript. Courses labeled AP or Advanced receive an extra 0.02 GPA points per semester in the weighted GPA. Transcripts list the 100-point GPA, an unweighted 4.0 GPA, and a weighted 4.0 GPA for each student.

The Senior Appraisal

The Senior Appraisal is generated by a committee of the college advisers and six faculty members. Each appraisal is drafted by a committee member then reviewed by the entire committee to ensure its comprehensiveness and accuracy.

Standardized Tests – Class of 2022

SAT Middle 50% **ACT Middle 50%**
EBRW: 610-720 Composite: 25-33
Math: 580-710

Graduation Requirements

Students in grades 9-12 are required to take five courses per semester. 23 and one-quarter credits are required for graduation, including four in English, four in history (one U.S. History and one in Senior Humanities), three in mathematics (through Algebra II/Trigonometry), three in a single modern language, three in laboratory science, and two in fine arts.

Curriculum Notes

The Academy curriculum is exclusively college preparatory and, because of the rigorous nature of the program, and the selectivity of the admission policy, all courses are equivalent to honors-level courses as they are usually known. We offer 25 Advanced Placement courses and 37 additional courses designated as Advanced on our transcript.

Discipline Policy

Suspensions and minor disciplinary matters are not listed on the transcript. The Academy does report any change in enrollment status.

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Class of	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022
National Merit Scholarship Corp Semifinalists	26	25	13	23	13
National Merit Commended Students	14	5	2	4	8
National Hispanic Recognition Scholars	16	13	9	10	10
National Indigenous Recognition Scholars	n/a	n/a	n/a	1	0
National African American Recognition Scholars	n/a	n/a	n/a	0	1

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Albuquerque Academy does not rank its students.

College Entrance

The classes of 2018-2021 have matriculated at the following colleges and universities. (Numbers in parentheses indicate schools where more than one student matriculated.)

American University	Macalester College	United States Naval Academy
Amherst College	Maine College of Art	The University of Alabama (3)
Arizona State University (28)	Maryland Institute College of Art (2)	University of Arizona (5)
Barnard College	Massachusetts Institute of Technology (4)	University of British Columbia (5)
Bates College	McGill University (3)	University of California (Berkeley)
Baylor University (5)	Miami University (Oxford)	University of California (Davis)
Belmont University	Michigan State University	University of California (Irvine)
Berklee College of Music	Mills College	University of California (Los Angeles) (4)
Boston College	Montana State University (2)	University of California (San Diego) (2)
Boston University (2)	New Mexico Institute of Mining and Technology (11)	University of California (Santa Cruz) (2)
Bowdoin College	New Mexico State University (11)	University of Colorado Boulder (12)
Bradley University	The New School (3)	University of Colorado Denver (3)
Brandeis University	New York University (8)	University of Connecticut
Brown University (5)	Northeastern University (8)	University of Denver (8)
Bryn Mawr College (2)	Northern Arizona University (4)	University of Florida (3)
California Polytechnic State University (San Luis Obispo) (5)	Northwestern University (4)	University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign (2)
California State Polytechnic University (Pomona)	Oberlin College (3)	University of Iowa (2)
Carnegie Mellon University (4)	Occidental College (3)	University of Kansas (2)
Case Western Reserve University (4)	The Ohio State University (3)	University of Kentucky (2)
Chapman University	Oklahoma City University	University of Maryland (College Park) (2)
Claremont McKenna College	Otis College of Art and Design (2)	University of Memphis
Clark University	Pacific Lutheran University	University of Miami
Clemson University (4)	Palm Beach Atlantic University	University of Michigan (7)
College of Charleston	Point Loma Nazarene University	University of Minnesota (Twin Cities) (2)
Colorado College (2)	Pomona College (3)	University of Mississippi (3)
Colorado School of Mines (5)	Pratt Institute	University of Nebraska, Lincoln
Colorado State University (18)	Princeton University (2)	University of New Mexico (84)
Columbia University (2)	Purdue University (4)	University of North Carolina at Charlotte
Cooper Union for the Advancement of Science and Art	Reed College	University of Northwestern Ohio
Cornell University (3)	Rensselaer Polytechnic Institute	University of Notre Dame (4)
Creighton University	Rhode Island School of Design	University of Oklahoma
Dartmouth College (2)	Rhodes College (2)	University of Oregon (2)
Drew University (2)	Rice University (6)	University of Oxford
Duke University (5)	Rutgers University	University of Pittsburgh (3)
Embry-Riddle Aeronautical University (Prescott)	Saint Edward's University	University of Portland (2)
Emory University (4)	Saint Mary's College of California	University of Puget Sound (7)
Florida State University	San Diego State University (2)	University of Redlands
Fordham University (3)	Santa Clara University (3)	University of Richmond
Franklin University Switzerland	Sarah Lawrence College (3)	University of Rochester (3)
George Washington University (6)	School of the Art Institute of Chicago (2)	University of San Diego (5)
Georgetown University (3)	Scripps College (4)	University of San Francisco (2)
Georgia Institute of Technology (4)	Seattle Pacific University	University of Southern California (7)
Gonzaga University (4)	Seattle University (5)	University of St Andrews (2)
Grand Canyon University	Sewanee: The University of the South	The University of Tampa
Grinnell College	Soka University of America	The University of Texas at Austin (8)
Gustavus Adolphus College	Southern Methodist University (3)	The University of Texas at Dallas
Harvard University (4)	Southwestern University	University of Utah (4)
Harvey Mudd College	St Mary's University	University of Vermont
Haverford College	St. Olaf College	University of Washington (9)
Hendrix College	Stanford University (6)	University of Wisconsin (Madison) (3)
Johns Hopkins University	Stevens Institute of Technology	Vanderbilt University (3)
Kenyon College (2)	SUNY College of Environmental Science and Forestry	Vassar College
Kettering University	Swarthmore College	Villanova University (2)
Knox College (2)	Texas A&M University (3)	Warren Wilson College
Lafayette College (2)	Texas Christian University (8)	Washington University in St Louis (9)
Lawrence University	Texas Tech University (10)	Wesleyan University (2)
Lehigh University	Trinity University (6)	Western Washington University (2)
Lewis & Clark College (3)	Tufts University (4)	Westmont College
Long Island University (Post)	Tulane University of Louisiana (4)	Wheaton College (2)
Loyola Marymount University (5)	United States Air Force Academy (6)	Whitman College
Loyola University Chicago (4)	United States Coast Guard Academy	Willamette University
	United States Military Academy at West Point	William and Mary (3)
		Yale University (4)

Accreditation and Affiliation

The Academy, a member of the National Association of Independent Schools, is accredited by the New Mexico State Department of Education and the Independent Schools Association of the Southwest. It is a member of the Rocky Mountain and National Associations for College Admission Counseling, and it subscribes to the N.A.C.A.C. Guide to Ethical Practice in College Admission.