# CALVARY DAY

# **HIGH SCHOOL PROFILE 2022-2023**

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> The mission of Calvary Day School is to partner with parents to equip students to think, learn, and live from a Biblical worldview by integrating God's word into every aspect of life, so they can impact the world for Christ.

#### **SCHOOL**

The high school program was founded in the fall of 1997 with a freshman class of 21 students. There are currently 955 students enrolled at CDS, Early Education – 12th, with 247 in grades 9-12.

There are currently 47 members of the high school faculty and staff, with 47% holding advanced degrees.

Calvary Day School is committed to lead students to a deep and personal knowledge of Christ and His Word, instruct students in order to achieve the highest levels of scholarship, and encourage students to accomplish God's eternal purposes.

## **ACCREDITATION**

CDS is accredited by AdvancED and the Association of Christian Schools International (ACSI).

## **COURSE OF STUDY**

Striving to achieve excellence in academics, Calvary Day School offers a college preparatory curriculum through honors and Advanced Placement (AP) courses. Students enrolled in honors or AP courses have been recommended by their teachers based on grades and standardized test results. CDS has dual enrollment agreements with area colleges and universities. Online courses are also available from the Southern Baptist Association of Christian Schools Virtual Academy and other accredited programs. Credits are awarded on an annual basis.

The CDS schedule allows students to take up to seven academic courses each year. In addition to core courses, students may select from a variety of elective courses to broaden their learning experience or to provide support to their core curriculum courses. CDS is implementing an Enrichment Program using the Habitudes Curriculum to further enhance their social and emotional growth and development.

#### ADVANCED PLACEMENT

Advanced Placement (AP) courses are offered in 15 areas. CDS requires all students enrolled in AP classes to take the exams. Of 208 exams taken in 2022, 74% received scores of 3 or higher. CDS had the following honors:

> AP Scholars: 14 AP Scholars with Honors: 09 AP Scholars with Distinction: 16

## **GRADING POLICY**

School Code: 344420

CDS does not rank students numerically. A semester, yearly and a cumulative GPA are calculated at the end of each year, based on the grade for each course completed. The cumulative ranking in quintiles is determined at the conclusion of six semesters and is used when required for college admission and honors determination.

#### **GRADING SCALE**

#### **QUALITY POINTS**

Grade	2001-2015	2016 & Beyond	Standard	Honors	AP / DE
Α	93-100	90-100	4.0	5.0	6.0
В	85-92	80-89	3.0	4.0	5.0
С	77-84	70-79	2.0	3.0	4.0
D	70-76	60-69	1.0	2.0	3.0
F	69 & less	59 & less	0	0	0

## **GRADUATION REQUIREMENTS**

Biblical Studies	4 credits*
English	4 credits
Mathematics	4 credits
Science & Social Studies	7 credits
Must include Biology, Chemistry &	US History
Foreign Language	2 credits
Physical Education/Health	1 credit*
Electives	3 credits

Students must earn 25 credits to graduate, which exceeds the North Carolina graduation requirements. \*Effective for the Class of 2025

## **GRADUATE STATISTICS - The Class of 2022**

The 50 graduates of the Class of 2022 were accepted to 79 different colleges and universities and earned \$4.9 million in scholarships & awards.

# TEST SCORES, 2021-2022 (NC Test-optional status 2020-present)

	ACT	SAT
Middle 50%	28-33	1040-1250

#### 2010-2022 ACCEPTANCES & MATRICULATIONS\*

**BIBLE** Theology & Biblical Studies 301, 401 Honors Philosophy & Ethics Honors **Rhetoric Honors** AP Eng. Lit. & Composition **ENGLISH** AP English Lang. & Comp. English I, II, III, IV Honors

**MATHEMATICS** AP Calculus AB/BC **AP Statistics** 

Adv. Functions & Modeling

Honors Algebra II Honors Calculus Honors Geometry Honors Pre-Calculus Honors Consumer Math Honors

SCIENCE AP Biology AP Chemistry

AP Environmental Science

AP Physics 1 **Biology Honors Chemistry Honors** 

Intro to Physics & Chemistry

Honors

**Human Anatomy Honors** 

**Physics Honors** 

Earth & Environmental Honors

**SOCIAL STUDIES** AP European History

> AP Macroeconomics AP Psychology AP US Gov. & Politics AP US History

Am. Government Honors Psychology Honors **US History Honors** 

Western Civilization Honors

LANGUAGE Spanish III, IV, V Honors

AP Spanish Language &

Culture

**ELECTIVES** Art III, IV Honors

> Chorus III, IV Honors Diaital Art III Honors Ind. Study Photo II, III Honors Praise Band III, IV Honors Senior Internship Honor Theatre III, IV Honors

Strength & Conditioning Honors

American University Anderson University\* Andrews University Appalachian State University\*

Asbury College Auburn University\* Averett University\* Bard College\* Barton College Baylor University\* Belhaven University Belmont Abbey College\*

Belmont University\* Berklee College of Music\*

Berry College Bob Jones University\* Boston University\* Bridgewater College\* Bryan College\* **Butler University** 

California University of Pennsylvania Campbell University\*

Catawba College Cedarville University Charleston Southern University\* Chowan University

Christopher Newport University City College of New York Clemson University\*

Coastal Carolina University\* College of Charleston\* College of William and Mary Columbia International University\*

Covenant College Creighton University Davidson College\* Drexel University Duke University\*

East Carolina University\* Elon University\*

Embry-Riddle Aeronautical University\*

**Emory University** Emory & Henry College Erskine College Faulkner University\* Ferrum College

Florida Atlantic University Florida Gulf Coast University

Florida State University Fordham University Freed-Hardeman University Furman University\* Gardner-Webb University\*

George Mason University George Washington University Georgia Tech

Gordon College Guilford College\* Hampden-Sydney College Harding University\* Harvard University High Point University\*

Hope College Indiana University, Bloomington James Madison University John's Hopkins University Johnson & Wales University\*

Lafayette College Lawrence University\* Lee University\* Lees-McRae University Lehigh University Lenoir-Rhyne University\* Liberty University\* Lipscomb University Louisiana State University Lovola Marymount University\* Mars Hill College\* Mary Baldwin University

Mass. Coll. Of Pharmacy & Health Sci\* Massachusetts Institute of Technology\*

McGill University Mercer University Meredith College\* Messiah University\* Methodist University Michigan State University Milligan College \* Mississippi State University\* Monmouth University Newberry College\* New York University

North Carolina A&T State University North Carolina State University\* North Carolina Wesleyan College North Greenville University\*

Norwich University Ohio University Oklahoma State University

Pace University, NYC Palm Beach Atlantic University\* Penn State University\* Pepperdine University

Oregon State University

Piedmont International University\*

Pfeiffer University\* Point Park University Presbyterian College\* Princeton University

Queen's University of Charlotte\*

Radford University Randolph College Regent University\*

Rensselaer Polytechnic Institute

Rhodes College Roanoke College Rollins College Rutgers University Salem College Samford University\*

Savannah College of Art and Design

Sewanee: The University of the South Southeastern University\* Southern Methodist University\* St. Andrews University Stony Brook University, NY Temple University Texas Christian University Texas A&M

The Citadel\* The Kings' College\* The Master's College\* The Ohio State University\*

Tulane University UNC Asheville\*

UNC Chapel Hill\* UNC Charlotte\* UNC Greensboro\* UNC School of the Arts\* UNC Wilmington\*

United States Air Force Academy\* United States Naval Academy\* University of Alabama\* University of Central Florida \* University of California Berkeley \* University of California Davis\* University of California Irvine University of California Los Angeles\*

University of California Riverside University of California San Diego University of California Santa Barbara University of California Santa Cruz University of Charleston, WV\* University of Colorado University of Connecticut University of Delaware University of Florida\* University of Georgia\*

Univ. of Illinois, Urbana-Champaian\*

University of Iowa University of Kentucky\* University of Lynchburg\* University of Maryland University of Massachusetts University of Memphis

University of Minnesota, Twin Cities

University of Mississippi\* University of Missouri University of Mobile\* University of North Texas University of Oregon\* University of Pittsburgh University of Richmond University of San Francisco University of South Carolina\* University of South Carolina Upstate\* University of S. Florida, Tampa

Univ. of St. Andrews, Scotland\* University of Tampa University of Tennessee\* University of Texas\* University of Utah University of Virginia University of Washington Villanova University\*

Virginia Commonwealth University

Virginia Military Institute Virginia Tech\* Wake Forest University\* Warren Wilson College Wartburg College

Washington & Jefferson College\* Washington & Lee University\* West Point Military Academy\* West Virginia University\* Western Carolina University\* Wheaton College\* William Peace University Wingate University\*

Winston-Salem State University\* Winthrop University Wofford College\*

Yale University

# **ATHLETICS**

CDS is a member of the North Carolina Independent Schools Athletic Association and competes in the Piedmont Triad Athletic Conference. Programs offered are in the following sports:

Baseball (M) Basketball (M,W) Cheerleading (W) Cross Country (M,W) Golf (M,W) Track (M,W)

Soccer (M,W) Softball (W) Swimming (M,W) Tennis (M,W) Volleyball (W)

# **STUDENT ACTIVITIES**

Johnson C. Smith University

Book Club Calvary Ambassadors Calvary Crazies Chess Club Dance Club Debate Club Entrepreneurship Club Ethics Club Executive Leadership Council Interior Design & Fashion Club Iron Sharpens Iron Club

Mock Trial Mu Alpha Theta National Honor Society National Speech & Debate Assoc. Newspaper

Outdoor Club Photography Club Pottery/Art Club Practical Living Club Robotics/STEM Club Science is Fun Club

Science National Honor Society Service Club

Spanish Club Spanish National Honor Society

Speech & Debate Club Sports Broadcasting Club Student Council Theater Club Thespian Society **Upcycling Club** 

Youth And Government