



## UPPER SCHOOL PROFILE

### College & University Acceptances and Matriculation 2014-2019

Beacon College  
Chapel Haven West  
Christopher Newport University  
Elizabeth State University  
Embry-Riddle Aeronautical University  
Dickinson College  
Ferrum College  
Goucher College  
Longwood University  
McDaniel College  
Norfolk State University  
Old Dominion University  
Radford University  
Randolph-Macon College  
Regent University  
Shenandoah University  
University of Mary Washington  
Virginia Commonwealth University  
Virginia Military Institute  
Virginia Tech  
Virginia Wesleyan University  
West Virginia Wesleyan College



Celebrating 30 years as the only K-12 independent school in Southeastern Virginia dedicated to educating children who learn differently.

Committed to empowering students with the skills and confidence necessary for success in higher education, careers and life.

## Upper School Division Profile & Accommodations

Our students thrive in a structured setting. To support that need, we provide an environment with as few surprises as possible. The following structures are put in place to help our students succeed.

*The following accommodations are made wherever possible:*

- Individualization
- Small class size
- Use of Canvas, an internet-based academic learning management system
- E-books for all class texts
- Curriculum Flipping
- Direct instruction of self-advocacy skills
- Preferential seating as necessary
- Direct instruction on note taking and test taking
- Multisensory instruction
- Large fonts and white space used on tests and handouts
- Lengthy assignments broken into small, manageable steps
- Direct instruction of study skills
- Organizational coaching
- Transitional support / guidance

Promotion and graduation requirements are based on number of credits earned. Each year a student is enrolled in the upper school they will be placed in a minimum of 5 credit bearing courses.

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### ACT & SAT Scores

#### ACT

CBA Average - 24

National Average - 21

#### SAT

CBA Math Average - 510

National Average - 513

CBA Reading Average - 525

National Average - 497

Data includes averages over three years (2015 - 2018).

## Graduation Requirements

To be considered for **standard graduation**, a student must earn a minimum of 22 credit hours.

### Literature, 4 credits

Experiencing Literature, World Literature\*, American Literature\*, British Literature\*

### Math, 3 credits

(must include Algebra I and Geometry)

Algebra I, Geometry, Algebra II/Trigonometry, Pre-Calculus, Calculus, Computer Science

### Science, 3 credits

Earth and Planetary Science, Biology\*, Chemistry\*, Physics\*, Astronomy, Marine Science

### Social Studies, 3 credits

(must include U.S. History and American Government)

World History: Western Hemisphere, World History: Eastern Hemisphere\*, United States History\*, American Government\*

### Economics/Personal Finance, 1 credit

### Physical Education, 2 credits

### Fine Arts, 2 credits

Studio Art, 3D Art, Music, MAKE CBA Entrepreneurship Program & Makerspace

### Electives, 4 credits

Digital Design I-III, Videography, Studio Art, 3D Art, Music, MAKE CBA Entrepreneurship Program & Makerspace, Consumer Sciences & Food Lab

To be considered for **advanced graduation**, a student must also take:

### Algebra II, 1 credit

### Physics\*, 1 credit

### Foreign Language, 3 credits

(Spanish I - III)