

— Serving PreK - 12th Grade —

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ENROLLMENT  
K-12: 555 students enrolled

FACULTY/STAFF  
• 88 faculty/staff members K-12  
• 63% of the high school faculty hold advanced degrees

PATTERN OF SCHOOL  
Semesters

DIPLOMA TRACKS  
Scholars  
Honors  
College Entrance

GRADUATION REQUIREMENTS  
Bible - 4 credits  
English - 4 credits  
Math - 4 credits  
Personal Finance - 0.5 credits  
Science - 4 credits  
Social Studies - 3 credits  
Foreign Language - 2 credits  
PE & Wellness - 1.5 credits  
Fine Arts - 1 credit  
Electives - 2 credits

• *Dual Enrollment (DE)* -  
21 hours of college-level credit  
available through dual-enrollment  
partnership with Lipscomb University  
and Nashville State Community College.

**CEEB CODE : 431-716**



**NASHVILLE  
CHRISTIAN**  
**S C H O O L**

## ABOUT OUR SCHOOL

Nashville Christian School (NCS) opened its doors in 1971 to 266 students grades 1 through 7. Today NCS is a PreK - 12th grade college-preparatory school that offers challenging academics from a Christian perspective.

## MISSION AND VISION

- Our Mission is to demonstrate Christ's love.
- Our Vision is to help students realize and pursue their full potential — spiritually, intellectually, physically, and socially — while learning to establish and grow their relationship with God.

## ACCREDITATIONS AND MEMBERSHIPS

- AdvancED (formerly SACS)
- National Christian School Association
- Tennessee Department of Education
- Independent Schools of the Nashville Area
- Nashville Fellowship of Christian School Administrators
- Tennessee Secondary School Athletic Association
- Bellevue Chamber of Commerce
- Better Business Bureau

## ACADEMIC CALENDAR

Our preschool is open year-round, while our kindergarten through 12th grade follows a traditional two-semester year with four nine-week grading periods per year. Our middle and high school students follow an alternating A/B block schedule with classes meeting every other day for 90 minutes. Middle and high school students are enrolled in eight classes which includes a Bible class.

## GRADING SCALE

Numerical	Letter	Point	Honors	AP	DE*
93-100	A	4.0	4.5	5.0	5.0
85-92	B	3.0	3.5	4.0	4.0
75-84	C	2.0	2.5	3.0	3.0
70-74	D	1.0	1.0	1.0	1.0
69 or below	F	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0

## HIGH SCHOOL COURSE OFFERINGS

### English

English I / English I Honors  
English II / English II Honors  
English III / English III Honors / Dual Enrollment\*  
English IV / English IV Honors / Dual Enrollment\*  
Journalism  
Dual Enrollment Speech\* / Honors Speech

### Math

Algebra I  
Geometry / Geometry Honors  
Algebra II / Algebra II Honors  
Statistics  
College Prep Algebra  
Pre-Calculus / Dual Enrollment Pre-Cal  
AP Calculus AB

### Social Studies

World History and Geography  
AP Human Geography  
U.S. History / AP U.S. History  
Economics and Government

### Science

Biology  
Chemistry  
Human Anatomy & Physiology - Grade 11 or 12  
Physics / Honors Physics / AP Physics  
AP Biology - Grade 11 or 12  
Environmental Science

### Religious Studies

Bible I - Early Hebrew History  
Bible II - The Life of Christ / Acts  
Bible III - Options Available  
Bible IV - Options Available

### Fine Arts

Art I, II, III, IV  
Drama  
NCS Entertainers  
Theater I, II, III, IV  
Dual Enrollment Music

### Languages

Spanish I, II, III, AP

### General Courses

Computer Technology  
Media and Broadcasting  
Health and Physical Education  
Personal Finance  
Psychology  
Strength Training  
ACT Test Prep

## SPIRITUAL GROWTH

At Nashville Christian, we seek to mentor and guide each student into a closer relationship with Jesus Christ. Our goal is for seniors to graduate equipped with the tools for college success, as well as a solid personal faith that will carry them throughout the rest of their lives. Nashville Christian School nurtures each individual student's relationship with Jesus through daily Bible classes, weekly chapel, small groups, service projects and local and international mission opportunities.

## FINE ARTS

Through visual and performing arts, our students are encouraged to express their creativity and gifts. Many of our performing arts students have won regional Emmy awards, appeared on network television shows, signed recording contracts and worked on major motion pictures. Our visual arts students have represented our school in the Middle Tennessee Regional Student Art Exhibition, the Scholastic Art Show at Cheekwood, the Tennessee Governor's School for the Arts, the Tennessee Art League, and the Renaissance Center Exhibit.

## ATHLETICS

The purpose of the athletic program at Nashville Christian School is to promote healthy competition and overall fitness for all of our students. Our athletic department operates as an extension of our school's mission. We use athletics as a platform to teach the gospel and to impact our students' lives both during and after their career at NCS.

## COLLEGE ACCEPTANCES

100% acceptance rate for 2017 graduates applying to a four-year college or university.

Abilene Christian University  
Appalachian State University  
Aquinas College  
Auburn University  
Austin Peay State University  
Barton College  
Baylor University  
Belmont University  
Berry College  
Carson-Newman University  
Centre College  
Charleston Southern University  
Collin College  
Covenant College  
Crown College  
Cumberland University  
East Tennessee State University  
Faulkner University  
Freed-Hardeman University  
George Washington University  
Georgia Tech  
Harding University  
Johnson University  
Lee University  
Lipscomb University  
Lambuth College  
Lincoln Memorial University  
Lindsey Wilson College  
Martin Methodist  
Maryville College  
Middle Tennessee State University  
Mississippi State University  
Murray State University  
O'More College of Design  
Oglethorpe University  
Pepperdine University  
Point Loma Nazarene University  
Rhodes College  
Samford University  
Savannah College of Art and Design (SCAD)  
Sewanee: The University of the South  
Tennessee State University  
Tennessee Tech University  
Tusculum College  
UCLA  
Union University  
United States Naval Academy  
The University of Alabama  
The University of Alabama — Birmingham  
The University of Alabama — Huntsville  
University of Florida — Tampa  
University of Georgia  
University of Kentucky  
The University of Memphis  
University of Miami  
University of Mississippi  
University of South Carolina  
The University of Tampa  
The University of Tennessee — Chattanooga  
The University of Tennessee — Knoxville  
The University of Tennessee — Martin  
Vanderbilt University  
West Texas A&M University  
Western Kentucky University

\* Class of 2018 received more than 6 million in college scholarships.