

SCHOOL PROFILE: 2019 - 2020

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- THE SCHOOL** Beaufort Academy is a coeducational independent college preparatory school of 302 students in grades Pre-Kindergarten through 12. It is governed by a self-perpetuating Board of Trustees of 12, whose members represent the various constituencies of the school, as well as the community. Beaufort Academy is an independent and non-profit organization which admits students of all races, nationalities, creeds and socioeconomic backgrounds, and is committed to diversity.
- THE AREA** The campus sits on 24 acres on Lady's Island, just east of Beaufort, and on the Intracoastal Waterway 45 miles north of Savannah and 65 miles south of Charleston. Chartered in 1711, Beaufort is the second oldest city in South Carolina. Parris Island, the Marine Corps Recruiting Depot, the Marine Corp Air Station, and the Naval Hospital contribute to the stability of the economy. Tourism and the shrimp and oyster industry also make significant contributions.
- FACULTY** The school employs 44 professional educators. The average teaching experience of this faculty is 15 years. Average class size is 16 with a student-faculty ratio of 7 to 1.
- CURRICULUM** The school offers eight Advanced Placement courses: AP European History, AP US History, AP English Literature, AP Biology, AP Calculus, AP Studio Art, AP Psychology, and AP History of Art. Honors level classes are also offered in the following subjects: English I, II, III, Physics, Biology, Chemistry, Algebra II, Geometry, Pre Calculus, Government/Economy, Latin I, II, and Spanish I, II, III, IV, V. Beginning in the 8th grade, students are required to take the following leadership curriculum credit bearing courses: International Studies and Leadership, Fundamentals of Communication and Leadership, Leadership through the Study of Leaders, and Models of Community Leadership. A weeklong session in the Spring provides opportunities for 11th and 12th graders to participate in Internships.
- ELECTIVES** Elective course offerings include, but are not limited to: Leadership, History of Philosophy, Physical Conditioning, Chorus, Physical Education, Yearbook, Robotics, Drama, China Studies, History of Art, and Studio Art.
- CORE VALUES** Beaufort Academy upholds five core values: Intellect, Respect, Integrity, Leadership, and Pride. Students are recognized monthly for their contributions toward promoting core values. All Beaufort Academy students sign an honor pledge to uphold academic honesty.
- ATHLETICS** 95% of students in Grades 8-12 participate in athletics. 70% of those students participate in more than one sport. Recent athletics accomplishments include state championships in football, boys tennis, girls tennis, and boys golf. Athletic teams compete in archery (co-ed), basketball (boys and girls), bowling (co-ed), cheer (girls), cross country (co-ed), football (boys), golf (co-ed), soccer (boys and girls), softball (girls), swimming (co-ed), tennis (boys and girls), and volleyball (girls).

TESTING PROFILE

CLASS OF 2019

	SAT	ACT
READING	604	-
MATH	558	-
AVERAGE	1162	25

DIPLOMA REQUIREMENTS (TO INCLUDE 20 CORE COURSES)

- English – four credits, plus demonstration of competency in grammar and composition skills
- History – three credits, including U.S. History and Government/Economics
- Mathematics – four credits including Algebra I, Algebra II, and Geometry
- Science – a minimum of three credits, including: Biology, Chemistry, and a third lab course
- Foreign Language – a minimum of three credits
- Computer Programming – one credit recommended
- Arts – one credit recommended
- Core subject area or AP course – three additional credits
- Internship completion

CLASS RANK AND MARKING PERIOD

Beginning in the 9th grade, all Upper School students are ranked at the end of each year. Beaufort Academy operates on an A/B Day full year block schedule during the academic school year.

ACCREDITATIONS AND MEMBERSHIPS

National Association of Independent Schools, the National Association of College Admissions Counselors, Southern Association of Independent Schools, Southern Association of Colleges and Schools, Palmetto Association of Independent Schools, the South Carolina Independent School Association, the National Spanish Language Honor Society, the Latin Honor Society, and the National Honor Society.

COLLEGE ACCEPTANCE - 100% OF OUR GRADUATES ARE ACCEPTED TO 4-YEAR COLLEGES AND UNIVERSITIES.

Students in the classes of 2015-2019 were admitted to the following colleges and universities:

BOLD INDICATES COLLEGES OR UNIVERSITIES ATTENDED

American Musical and Dramatic Academy (AMDA)	Eckerd College	Newberry College	University of Genoa, Italy
American University	Erskine College	North Carolina State University	University of Georgia
American University of Paris	Fayetteville State University	New York University, Tisch School of the Arts	University of Kansas
Anderson University	Florida State University	Pennsylvania State University	University of Louisiana Lafayette
Appalachian State University	Francis Marion University	Presbyterian College	University of Louisville
Auburn University	Furman University	Randolph College	University of Mary Washington
Averett University	Georgia Military College	Roanoke College	University of Mississippi
Babson College	Georgia Southern University	Roger Williams University	University of New Hampshire at Durham
Benedict College	Goucher College	San Francisco State University	University of North Carolina, Asheville
Berry College	Grove City College	Sarah Lawrence College	University of Otago, New Zealand
Birmingham-Southern College	Hampden-Sydney College	Savannah College of Art & Design	University of the South (Sewanee)
Bridgewater College	Indiana University	Seton Hall University	University of South Carolina
Brigham Young University, Idaho	Jacksonville University	Spartanburg Methodist College	University of South Carolina, Bluffton
California State University	Jefferson College of Health Sciences	St. John's College	University of South Carolina Honors College
Charleston Southern University	Johnson C Smith University	Stetson University	University of St. Andrews, Scotland
Chestnut Hill College	Lander University	Stevens Institute of Technology	University of Tampa
Clemson University	Lees-McRae College	Technical College of the Lowcountry	University of Tennessee
Coastal Carolina University	Louisiana State University	Texas A&M University	Voorhees College
College of Charleston	Lynn University	The Citadel	Wake Forest University
College of Charleston Honors	Mercyhurst University	The New School - All Divisions	Warren Wilson College
Colorado College	Miami University, Ohio	Tri County Technical College - Clemson	Washington & Lee University
Colorado State University	Midlands Technical College, USC	Bridge Program	West Chester University
Columbia College	Gateway Program	Tulane University Honors	Wheaton College
Converse College	Mississippi State University	University of Alabama	Whitman College
Curry College	Morehead State University	University of Alabama Birmingham (UAB)	Wilmington College
Dean College	Mount Holyoke College	University of Arizona	Wingate University
Dickinson College	New York Conservatory for Dramatic Arts	University of Colorado, Boulder	Winthrop University
		University of Denver	Wofford College