



# FAYETTEVILLE ACADEMY

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## 2020-2021 SCHOOL PROFILE

### THE MISSION

Fayetteville Academy is an independent, college preparatory school that encourages students to reach their full potential by offering exceptional opportunities in academics, fine arts, and athletics. Fayetteville Academy emphasizes scholarship, honor, leadership, and citizenship.

### THE SCHOOL

Founded in 1970, Fayetteville Academy is an independent, co-educational, college preparatory day school for students in pre-kindergarten through twelfth grade. Our STEAM program (1st turnkey SmartLab® in NC,) includes robotics, coding, bridge/structure building, video production, control technology, and more. Fayetteville is located 63 miles south of Raleigh and is North Carolina's sixth largest municipality. It is home to Fort Bragg, the nation's largest Army installation.

### ACCREDITATIONS AND MEMBERSHIPS

Fayetteville Academy is accredited by the Southern Association of Colleges and Schools (SACS) and the Southern Association of Independent Schools (SAIS), and is a member of the following organizations: National, Southern, and North Carolina Associations of Independent Schools, National Association for College Admission Counseling, Southern Association for College Admission Counseling, North Carolina Independent Schools Athletic Association, and the Military Child Coalition.

### ENROLLMENT

**Enrollment:** August 2020: 352 (PreK-12), 105 (9-12); 21% of our students are military dependents and 29% are minorities.

**Staff:** Approximately 65% of the administrators and faculty associated with the Upper School have earned advanced degrees.

### CONTACT INFORMATION

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### COVID-19 INFORMATION

Due to COVID-19, instruction from March 16, 2020 through June 4, 2020 was completed remotely through multiple online platforms determined by Fayetteville Academy. Grading remained the same, but final exams were not given. Instruction for the 2020-2021 school year will be in person and socially distanced with a hybrid option available for students and families who need it and a virtual plan in the event that school must be closed.

**Members of the Class of 2021 have no reportable SAT data as of August 2020.** They took the ACT in February 2020, and that data is included in the standardized testing profile below.

### STANDARDIZED TESTING PROFILE

<i>SAT</i> <i>Class of 2018-2020</i> <i>Middle 50%</i>	<i>ACT</i> <i>Class of 2021</i> <i>Middle 50%</i>	<i>ADVANCED PLACEMENT EXAMS</i> <i>3 Year School Data</i>
Critical Reading 550-655	Composite 22-26	<i>Total AP Students</i> 2018 2019 2020
Math 530-670	23 Students Tested	57 50 53
Total 1080-1325		<i>AP Students w/ Scores 3+</i> 42 43 47
85 Students Tested		<i>% of Total AP Students w/ Scores 3+</i> 73.7 86.0 88.7
		<i>Number of Exams</i> 84 94 97

### GRADE DISTRIBUTION AND MARKING SYSTEM

<i>GRADE POINT AVERAGE</i>
GPA is computed by semester using the following scale: A=90-100 B=80-89 C=70-79 D=60-69 Passing Mark is 60
GPA is based on an unweighted 4.0 scale. All courses are included in the calculation of the GPA. Only grades earned at Fayetteville Academy are used in computing GPA.
<i>Beginning with the class of 2023, Fayetteville Academy will institute a new grading scale. Contact the college counseling office for more information.</i>

<i>GRADE DISTRIBUTION</i> <i>Class of 2018-2021</i> <i>(at end of junior year)</i>
3.75 - 4.00 39 students
3.50 - 3.74 29 students
3.0 - 3.49 23 students
2.5 - 2.99 14 students
2.0 - 2.49 4 students
<i>There are 23 students in the Class of 2021.</i>

### RANKING POLICY

Due to the small size of each class and the rigorous college preparatory curriculum, Fayetteville Academy does not rank its students. The valedictorian and salutatorian are the only ranks designated.

## DIPLOMA REQUIREMENTS

21 credits with a minimum of:	4 English	4 Science (to include Biology and Chemistry)
	4 Mathematics	4 History (to include American Government, Modern History, US History)
	3 World Language	1 Fine Arts
	1 Physical Education	

### English

Themes in Literature (H)  
World Literature (H)  
American literature (H)  
British Literature (H)  
AP English Language & Composition  
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### Mathematics

Algebra I (H)  
Geometry (H)  
Algebra II (H)  
Precalculus (H)  
Advanced Algebra  
Statistics  
Calculus Honors  
AP Calculus AB

### History/Social Sciences

Ancient Civilization (H)  
Modern World History  
United States History  
American Government  
AP Modern World History  
AP United States History  
AP European History

### Lab Sciences

Biology (H)  
Chemistry (H)  
Physics (H)  
Anatomy & Physiology  
Astronomy  
Environmental Science  
AP Biology  
AP Chemistry  
AP Physics

### World Language

Spanish I  
Spanish II  
Spanish III  
Spanish IV (H)  
AP Spanish Language & Culture  
Latin I  
Latin II  
Latin III  
Latin IV (H)  
Latin V (H)

**(H): Honors level available (AP): Advanced Placement**

**All courses are college preparatory.** Classes designated as Honors level are designed to be even more academically challenging than other college preparatory courses. Each subject meets five periods per week.

## ELECTIVE COURSES

AP Art (Drawing, 2-D, 3-D)	Advanced Art	Ceramics I, II	Art Journals	Portfolio Studio Art
Independent Studio Art	Calligraphy	Theater	Varsity Band	Varsity Chorus
Eagle Publications (Yearbook)	Sports Medicine	Intramurals	STEAM I, II, III	Web Design
Programming in Java	Child & Adolescent Literature		Introduction to Linguistics/Philosophy	

## ONLINE COURSES

Through Virtual Independent School Network (VISnet)/ FuelED and Virtual High School (VHS), a variety of online courses are offered to Upper School students who have maximized our curriculum or are seeking unique elective opportunities that we do not offer. Online courses are taken under faculty supervision. They are included on our transcript and clearly noted as an online course.

## COLLEGE ACCEPTANCES SAMPLE FOR CLASSES OF 2016-2020 (ENROLLED COLLEGES INDICATED IN BOLD PRINT)

*Amherst College*  
*Appalachian State University*  
*Arizona State University*  
*Auburn University*  
*Averett University*  
*Bard College*  
*Barton College*  
*Baylor University*  
*Boston University*  
*Bowling Green State University*  
*Brevard College*  
*Brewton Parker College*  
*Bridgewater College*  
**Campbell University**  
*Case Western Reserve University*  
*Catawba College*  
*Chowan University*  
**Clemson University**  
*Coastal Carolina University*  
**Coker College**  
*Colby College*  
**College of Charleston**  
*Columbia International University*  
*Concordia College- Moorhead*  
*Converse College*  
**Cornell University**  
*DePaul University*  
**Diablo Valley College**  
**Duke University**  
*Duquesne University*  
**East Carolina University**  
**Elon University**  
*Emory University*  
*Emory & Henry College*  
*Florida Atlantic University*  
**Florida Institute of Technology**  
**Francis Marion University**  
**Furman University**  
*Gannon University*  
*Gardner-Webb University*  
*George Mason University*  
*Georgetown University*  
**George Washington University**  
*Georgia Institute of Technology*  
*Gonzaga University*

*Guilford College*  
*Hampden-Sydney College*  
*Hampton University*  
**High Point University**  
*Hofstra University*  
*Hollins University*  
*Howard University*  
*Jacksonville University*  
**James Madison University**  
*Johnson & Wales University (Providence)*  
*Lees-McRae College*  
*Lenoir-Rhyne University*  
*Liberty University*  
*Loyola University Chicago*  
**Loyola University Maryland**  
*Mars Hill University*  
*Marshall University*  
**Meredith College**  
**Methodist University**  
*Miami University, Oxford*  
**Montreat College**  
*New York University*  
**North Carolina A&T State University**  
**North Carolina State University**  
*Norwich University*  
*Ohio State University*  
**Oregon State University**  
*Pennsylvania State University*  
**Pfeiffer University**  
*Portland State University*  
**Pratt Institute**  
*Purdue University*  
*Queens University of Charlotte*  
*Radford University*  
*Randolph-Macon College*  
*Reed College*  
*Rensselaer Polytechnic Institute*  
**Roanoke College**  
*Rutgers University—New Brunswick*  
**Saint Ambrose University**  
*Saint Augustine's University*  
*Saint Joseph's University*  
**Samford University**  
**Sarah Lawrence College**

*Savannah College of Art and Design*  
**Savannah College of Art and Design, Atlanta**  
*School of the Art Institute of Chicago*  
*Seattle University*  
*Seton Hall University*  
**Sewanee: The University of the South**  
*Smith College*  
*Spelman College*  
**Stanford University**  
*Swarthmore College*  
*Syracuse University*  
*Tarleton State University*  
**Temple University**  
*Texas A&M University*  
**Texas A&M University-Corpus Christi**  
*Texas Christian University*  
*Texas Tech University*  
*The Citadel*  
*The Evergreen State College*  
*Tulane University*  
**United States Military Academy**  
**Universidad Nebrija**  
*University of Alabama*  
*University of Alabama-Birmingham*  
*University of California-Davis*  
*University of California-Irvine*  
**University of California-San Diego**  
*University of California-Santa Barbara*  
*University of Central Florida*  
**University of Chester**  
*University of Colorado-Boulder*  
*University of Connecticut*  
*University of Findlay*  
*University of Florida*  
*University of Georgia*  
**University of Illinois at Chicago**  
**University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign**  
*University of Maine*  
*University of Maryland-College Park*  
**University of Massachusetts, Dartmouth**  
*University of Miami*  
*University of Michigan*

*University of Mississippi*  
**University of Mount Olive**  
**University of North Carolina-Asheville**  
**University of North Carolina-Chapel Hill**  
**University of North Carolina-Charlotte**  
**University of North Carolina-Greensboro**  
*University of North Carolina-Pembroke*  
**University of North Carolina-Wilmington**  
*University of North Georgia*  
**University of Pittsburgh**  
**University of South Carolina**  
*University of South Carolina-Salkehatchie*  
*University of Southern California*  
*University of Tampa*  
*University of Texas – San Antonio*  
**University of Washington**  
*University of Wisconsin-Madison*  
**Vanderbilt University**  
*Virginia Commonwealth University*  
*Virginia Military Institute*  
*Virginia Polytechnic Institute & State University*  
*Virginia Wesleyan University*  
**Wake Forest University**  
*Washington & Jefferson College*  
*West Virginia University*  
*Western Carolina University*  
*William Peace University*  
**Wingate University**  
*Winston-Salem State University*  
*Winthrop University*  
**Wofford College**  
**Xavier University of Louisiana**

**Scholarships:** The Class of 2018, 2019, and 2020 were offered a total of over \$9 million in scholarship and grant monies. Distinguished scholarships awarded in the past five years include an Isabella Cannon Leadership Fellow, National Merit Scholarships and a United States Military Academy appointment.