



## School Profile 2017-2018

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### SCHOOL

Founded in 1965, Fayette Academy is an independent school located in the heart of Somerville, Tennessee. Founded upon traditional Christian values and principles, Fayette Academy is a college preparatory school dedicated to nurturing the intellectual, spiritual, and moral potential of each student within a safe, child-centered, supportive learning environment. The Academy is dedicated to providing quality education for students in pre-kindergarten through grade twelve.

### CURRICULUM

**Day and Calendar:** The school year has two semesters; each with two quarters and end-of-semester exams. The school day has seven periods that are 50 minutes each. Students are required to take six academic courses each semester.

**Honors courses offered:** English 9, English 10, English 11, Biology, Chemistry, Physics, Algebra 1, Geometry, Algebra 2, Pre-Calculus, Spanish 1, Spanish 2, Spanish 3

**Dual Enrollment courses offered:** College Algebra and Trigonometry, United States History

**AP courses offered:** Biology, Calculus BC, English Language, English Literature and Composition, Government, US History, and Government.

### GRADING AND RANKING

#### GRADE POINT AVERAGE

Grade	Numeric	Unweighted	Weighted	Honors	Dual	AP
A	A 90-100	4.0	3.5-4.5	4.0-5.0	4.5-5.5	5.0-6.0
B	B 80-89	3.0	2.5-3.4	3.0-3.9	3.5-4.4	4.0-4.9
C	C 70-79	2.0	1.5-2.4	2.0-2.9	2.5-3.4	3.0-3.9
D	D 65-69	1.0	1.0-1.4	1.5-1.9	2.0-2.4	2.5-2.9
F	F 0-64	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0

#### GPA CALCULATION

GPA is determined by translating the numerical grades that are assigned at the end of each semester to grade points according to the chart below and then computing the average of those grade points. Fayette Academy calculates both an unweighted and weighted grade point average for each student.

#### CLASS STANDING

Class rank is determined after the 7th semester using cumulative weighted grade point averages. Valedictorian and Salutatorian candidates must have attended Fayette Academy for three years.



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### ABOUT US

#### MISSION

Inspiring minds for learning and hearts for Christ.

#### IDENTITY

Founded upon traditional Christian values and principles, Fayette Academy is a college preparatory school dedicated to nurturing the intellectual, spiritual, and moral potential of each student within a safe, child-centered, supportive learning environment.

#### VISION

Confident in its Christian identity and cohesive family atmosphere, Fayette Academy will be known throughout the region as the school of choice providing limitless opportunities for generations of graduates by offering a superior balance of academic rigor, spiritual growth, athletic, and artistic achievement on a rural campus that serves as a model for sustainable Christian schools

### STANDARDIZED TEST RESULTS

100% of the Class of 2018 (49) took the ACT.

Composite	Students
33-36	6%
28-32	18%
24-27	25%
20-23	33%
<20	18%

### AWARDS AND DISTINCTIONS

Class of 2018: 1 National Merit Commended Student  
39 TN HOPE Scholarship Offers (80%)  
8 General Assembly Merit Scholars (16%)  
3 Student-Athlete Scholarships

### GRADUATION REQUIREMENTS

4 credits English (one per year)  
4 credits Math (one per year)  
3 credits Science (including Biology and Chemistry)  
2 credits Foreign Language  
1 credit Fine Art  
1 credit World History  
1 credit United States History  
1 credit Government  
1 credit Lifetime Wellness  
0.5 credit Computer  
0.5 credit Personal Finance  
0.5 credit Economics  
0.5 credit Bible  
4 credits Electives  
Total 24.0 credits

All Fayette Academy students are required to take the ACT to be eligible to graduate.

### GRADUATION HONORS

Students must have completed at least 5 honors and 2 college credit courses and have earned a minimum grade point average of 3.25 in order to be considered a Fayette Academy honor graduate.

3.85+ Summa Cum Laude  
3.50+ Magna Cum Laude  
3.25+ Cum Laude

## COLLEGE ACCEPTANCE SUMMARY 2016-2018

The colleges listed below indicate that a Fayette Academy student from the Classes of 2016-2018 has been accepted to their institution. Enrollment is indicated in bold.



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### CLASS OF 2018

There were 49 graduates in the Class of 2018.

- 24 Average ACT
- 3.45 Average GPA
  
- 9 ACT 30+ Composite Seniors (18%)
- 24 GPA 3.5+ Seniors (49%)
  
- 30.9 Average Top 10 ACT
- 4.6 Average Top 10 GPA

### Postsecondary Plans

- 4 year- 37 (76%)
- 2 year- 5 (10%)
- Vocational- 4 (8%)
- Military- 2 (4%)
- Undecided- 1 (2%)

In 2017, Fayette Academy was ranked #11 in Memphis Area Schools by the Memphis Business Journal. Fayette Academy students have an average ACT score of 23.

Abilene Christian University  
Arkansas State University  
Austin Peay State University  
Aviation Academy of Austria  
Baptist College of Health Sciences  
Bryan College  
Butler University  
Christian Brothers University  
Cincinnati Christian University  
College of the Holy Cross  
Delta State University  
Dyersburg State Community College  
**East Tennessee State University**  
Freed-Haldeman University  
Georgia Institute of Technology  
**Jackson State Community College**  
Meredith College  
Middle Tennessee State University  
Millsaps College  
Mississippi College  
**Mississippi State University**  
**Murray State University**  
New College of Florida  
Purdue University  
Rhodes College  
**Samford University**  
**Sewanee: College of the South**  
Southern Illinois University  
**Southwest Tennessee Community College**  
**Tennessee Academy of Cosmetology**  
**Tennessee College of Applied Technology**  
**Tennessee State University**  
**Tennessee Technological University**  
Trevecca Nazarene University  
Tusculum College  
**Union University**  
University of Alabama  
University of Arkansas  
**University of Arkansas at Monticello**  
**University of Memphis**  
**University of Mississippi**  
University of Missouri  
University of North Alabama  
University of Southern Mississippi  
**University of Tennessee at Chattanooga**  
**University of Tennessee at Knoxville**  
**University of Tennessee at Martin**  
Wake Forest University  
**Western Illinois University**  
**Western Kentucky University**

Military Enlistment  
Army  
National Air Guard  
Navy