

Cuyahoga Valley **Christian Academy**

EDUCATING AND CULTIVATING SERVANTS FOR CHRIST

2024 PROFILE 2025

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Director, College CounselingMrs. Sara Fridline
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CEEB Number	361771
Grades	6-12
Total Enrollment	1171
Class of 2024	135
Student/Teacher Ratio	10:1
Average Number of Graduates who	
Attend Post-Secondary Institutions	95%

Accreditations:

Association of Christian Schools International AdvancED

CESA – Member of Council

Chartered by the Ohio Department of Education since 1975

Granted College-Preparatory Designation in 1994

Cuyahoga Valley Christian Academy (CVCA), established in 1968, is a private, college-preparatory, non-denominational Christian secondary school. All enrolled students must fulfill rigorous admission requirements which include a record of high academic achievement, strong academic and character recommendations, an entrance exam, and a personal interview.

SCHOOLS OF DISTINCTION

CVCA offers six Schools of Distinction: Arts and Humanities, Business and Entrepreneurship, Computer Science, Engineering, Medical Professions, and Vocational Ministry. These schools expose select juniors and seniors to professional fields and potential majors. Students complete intensive courses, participate in professional mentoring, and experience hands-on learning via internships, shadowing experiences, competitions, guest lecturers, and projects.

JTERM

With multiple and diverse offerings, Jterm engages students in experiential learning opportunities, enriching education by challenging students in their areas of interest through educational travel, service/mission trips, enriched courses, and career experience opportunities.

ADVANCED PLACEMENT

CVCA students took 414 Advanced Placement tests in 2024. On average, 84% of AP students earned a score of 3 or higher (marks typically earning college credit for high school studies). Cuyahoga Valley Christian Academy offers the following AP courses:

- Biology
- Chemistry
- Physics 1
- Calculus AB
- Calculus BC

COLLEGE-LEVEL COURSES

Latin

CVCA students may earn dual college and high school credit through a partnership with Malone University in the following courses offered on the CVCA campus:

- Creative Writing
- English Composition
- Literature in Society
- Pre-Calculus

and Physiology

- Human Anatomy
 - Introduction to Statistics
 - World History 2

Apologetics

STUDENT ACTIVITIES

Co-curricular activities complement the CVCA curriculum by developing interests outside of scholastic achievement. These include: Academic Challenge, Christian Service Clubs, Forensics (Speech and Debate), Internships, Language Clubs, Mission Trips, Performing Arts, Robotics Team, Royal Theatre, Short-term Student Exchange Programs, Student Government, and Yearbook. Student athletes can also choose from 16 sports in middle and senior high school.

TECHNOLOGY

CVCA offers a technology-rich academic environment. Every student receives a Chromebook (one-to-one computer initiative), and a 1-gigabit fiber-optic internet line assures dependable Internet access. All classrooms feature a Smartboard/projector combination, and all teachers employ a hybrid laptop capable of wireless video for wire-free teaching.

SERVICE OPPORTUNITIES

Every semester, CVCA students have the opportunity to serve the community for a minimum of eight hours either through their church, the school, or volunteer organizations. Projects have ranged from serving on mission trips or helping in Sunday School to assisting at therapeutic riding facilities and facilities for the physically challenged.

OUR MISSION is to Educate and Cultivate Servants for Christ by implementing a Christ-Centered Education, Valuing the whole student, partnering with our greater school Community that trains and mentors, and fostering Authentic faith in our students.

- Statistics
- U.S. Government Computer Science
 - U.S. History
- English Literature Research
- English Language
- Seminar
 - Human Geography
- 2D Art & Design
 - 3D Art & Design
 - Music Theory

Macroeconomics

Spanish Language

CLASS OF 2024 PROFILE

135 Graduates

SAT/ACT RESULTS

Average SAT Results

Average SAT Results	EBRW	Math	Composite
Class of 2024 Top 25%*	706	671	1377
Class of 2024	621	611	1232
National Average **	520	508	1028

* As determined by cumulative high school CVCA GPA

** National averages represent prior year data

Average ACT Results

Average ACT Results	English	Math	Reading	Science	Composite
Class of 2024 Top 25%*	29.8	28	31.1	28.9	29.6
Class of 2024	22.5	22.5	24.1	23.1	23.2
National Average **	19	19.4	20.5	20	19.9

* As determined by cumulative high school CVCA GPA

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CLASS OF 2024 COLLEGE PLACEMENT

College Matriculation	95%		
Four-Year Colleges	91%		
Private Schools	47%	Public Schools	53%
In-state	28%	In-state	96%
Out-of-State	72%	Out-of-State	4%
Other than 4-Year College	4%		

25% of the Class of 2024 Attended Christian Colleges/Universities

NATIONAL MERIT AWARDS

Class of 2024: 1 National Merit Finalist and 4 Commended Class of 2023: 4 Commended Class of 2022: 4 Commended Class of 2021: 1 National Merit Finalist and 1 Commended

NATIONAL HONOR SOCIETY

3.8 GPA required for 11th grade induction 3.5 GPA required for 12th grade induction

GRADUATION REQUIREMENTS

Course	Credits	Minimum of 24 credits required		
Bible	4	Required for transfer students only while enrolled at CVCA		
English	4			
Math	4			
Science	3	Includes Biology, Chemistry, and Physical Science, or Physics		
Social Studies	3	Includes Global Studies, American History, Government, Economics		
World Language	2	Must be of same language		
Speech & Debate	.5			
Health	1/2			
Physical Education	1/2	Waiver Option		
Fine Arts	1			
Elective	1.5-2			

GRADING SCALE/QUALITY POINTS

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Grade	Percent	Regular Points	Honors Points	AP Points
A+	99-100	4.3	4.8	5.3
А	92-98	4.0	4.5	5.0
A-	90-91	3.7	4.2	4.7
B+	88-89	3.3	3.7	4.1
В	82-87	3.0	3.35	3.7
B-	80-81	2.7	3.0	3.3
C+	78-79	2.3	2.55	2.8
С	74-77	2.0	2.2	2.4
C-	72-73	1.7	1.7	1.7
D+	70-71	1.3	1.3	1.3
D	67-69	1.0	1.0	1.0
D-	65-66	0.7	0.7	0.7
F	64 & below	0.0	0.0	0.0

CLASS RANKING

Because of the relatively small size and strong quality of our graduating classes, CVCA does not report class rank on student transcripts or other official documents except for the top 10% of the class. All CVCA graduates complete a college-preparatory academic foundation and perform very well in competitive colleges.

SELECT COLLEGES AND UNIVERSITIES WHERE CVCA STUDENTS WERE ACCEPTED OVER THE PAST FOUR YEARS

American University Anderson University Arizona State University Asbury University Ashland University Azusa Pacific University Baldwin Wallace University **Baylor University** Belmont University Berklee College of Music Bluffton University Bowling Green State University Boston College Boston University Bowling Green State University Bucknell University Butler University Calvin College Capital University Case Western Reserve University Cedarville University Clark Atlanta University Clemson University Cleveland Institute of Art

Colorado Christian University Cornerstone University Denison University **DePaul University** Drexel University Duke University Duquesne University Elon University Embry-Riddle Aeronautical Univ. Fordham University Geneva College George Mason University George Washington University Georgia Institute of Technology Georgetown University Gordon College Grace College Grand Canyon University Grove City College Heidelberg University High Point University Hillsdale College Hiram College Hope College

Indiana Wesleyan University Johns Hopkins University Kent State University Kenyon College Lee University LeTourneau University Liberty University Lipscomb University Loyola University, Chicago Malone University Messiah College Miami University Moody Bible Institute Mount Vernon Nazarene University North Carolina State University Northwestern University Ohio Northern University Ohio University Ohio Wesleyan University Otterbein University Palm Beach Atlantic University Pennsylvania State University Pepperdine University Purdue University

Rensselaer Polytech Institute **Rice University** Rochester Institute of Technology Samford University Sarah Lawrence College Savannah College of Art & Design Slippery Rock University **Taylor University** Texas A&M University Texas Christian University The College of Wooster The King's College The Ohio State University The University of Akron Tiffin University U.S. Air Force Academy U.S. Military Academy at West Point U.S. Naval Academy University of Cincinnati University of Colorado University of Dayton University of Illinois University of Kentucky University of Miami

University of Michigan University of Minnesota University of Mount Union University of Pennsylvania University of Pittsburgh University of Rochester University of South Carolina University of Tennessee University of Toledo University of Wisconsin Valparaiso University Villanova University Virginia Tech Wake Forest University Walsh University Washington & Jefferson College West Virginia University Westmont College Wheaton College Wittenberg University Wright State University Xavier University Yale University Youngstown State University