



# ATLANTA CLASSICAL ACADEMY

## 2022-2023 School Profile

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Founded in 2014, Atlanta Classical Academy (ACA) is an open-enrollment, AdvancedED-accredited, K-12 public charter school for students who live in the Atlanta Public Schools district.

The **mission** of Atlanta Classical Academy is to develop students in mind and character through a classical, content-rich curriculum that emphasizes the principles of virtuous living, traditional learning, and civic responsibility.

National and State Honors  
ACA was awarded the Salvatori Prize for Teaching in 2019.

ACA is a 2019 AP Honors School in Georgia.

Atlanta Classical Academy does not share disciplinary infractions with post-secondary institutions. Students are expected to honestly answer questions regarding their disciplinary history, and to disclose any disciplinary infractions.

Because of the rigorous nature of our program, our students' high standing on national norms, and the small size of our program, **Atlanta Classical Academy does not calculate class rank.**

Atlanta Classical Academy's first four graduating classes (Classes of 2019, 2020, 2021, and 2022) had a **100% college acceptance rate** and received \$20.2 million in financial aid.

### Faculty

The high school faculty of Atlanta Classical Academy has 34 members. Teachers are hired based on their mastery of academic disciplines in the liberal arts and sciences; certification is not required.

**82%** of the high-school faculty have a Master's degree or PhD, and **44%** have taught at the college level.

### Enrollment

Upper School (7-12) - **288** (28% students from diverse backgrounds)  
Elementary School (K-6) - **383** (30% students from diverse backgrounds)  
Total Enrollment - **671** (31% students from diverse backgrounds)

**Class of 2023: 32 Students**

**16%** of the Class of 2023 are **First Generation College Students**

### Grading & Grade Point Average

Grade point averages are computed using semester grades and the grading scale below. Atlanta Classical Academy strongly discourages grade inflation.

A	B	C	D
90-100 (4.0)	80-89 (3.0)	70-79 (2.0)	Below 70 (F)

Two GPAs are computed for grades 9-12: a cumulative overall GPA and a cumulative overall weighted GPA. The cumulative overall GPA is based on semester grades earned in all credited subjects graded A-F. The cumulative overall weighted GPA includes an additional 10 percentage points for AP courses.

### Cumulative Unweighted GPAs:

Class of 2023		Class of 2024	
22%	3.90 and above	29%	3.75 and above
32%	3.5 to 3.89	21%	3.5 to 3.74
31%	3.0 to 3.49	32%	3.0 to 3.49
15%	2.0 to 2.9	17%	2.0 to 2.9
0%	Below 2.0	0%	Below 2.0

**69%** of students scored a **3 or above** on Advanced Placements tests.  
The average score on the A.P. Calculus BC test was **4.5**.

**70%** of students in **Sports**  
**53%** of students in Fine Arts  
**28 Clubs**

**Class of 2023 SAT Composite Middle 50% 1060-1350**

**Class of 2022 Graduates are attending:**  
**2%** military  
**8%** two-year college  
**90%** four-year college

