



JUST THE FACTS ABOUT St. David's School

St. David's is an independent, coeducational day school in the Episcopal school tradition for students in grades pre-kindergarten through 12. Fully accredited, with a low student/teacher ratio, the school prepares young men and women for college and life by challenging them to excel in the vital areas of faith, virtue, and knowledge.

Located on a beautiful, wooded campus in suburban Raleigh, North Carolina, St. David's School draws students from Raleigh, Durham, Chapel Hill, Wake Forest, Cary, and the surrounding area.

The **Lower School** (PK-4) provides students with a structured educational setting while inspiring in them a love of learning and a growing awareness of God in their daily lives. The **Middle School** (5-8) offers a program that is structured and challenging; at the same time, it encourages students to become actively engaged in the learning process. The **Upper School** (9-12) provides superb academic and extracurricular opportunities, including standard, advanced, honors, and Advanced Placement (AP) courses to create a profile of learning best suited to each student's interests and aptitudes.

SELECTED FEATURES

- ❖ 2016-2017 enrollment: more than 640 students
- ❖ Dually accredited by Southern Association of Colleges and Schools (SACS) and Southern Association of Independent Schools (SAIS); member of NAIS, NAES, NCAIS, NACAC, SACAC, ERB, and the College Board
- ❖ Faculty-student ratio of 1:7
 - Upper School average class size: 12
 - Middle School average class size: 14
 - Lower School average class size: 15
- ❖ 80 percent of Upper School faculty and nearly 60 percent of faculty school-wide hold advanced degrees
- ❖ Extensive enrichment classes in Lower School, including daily PE and weekly classes in music, art, library, writing enrichment, STEAM, and Spanish (3 times weekly)
- ❖ Comprehensive curriculum for grades Pre-K-12; offering standard, advanced, honors and 20 AP courses
- ❖ Student leadership opportunities include Prefect Board, Student Council and Honor Council
- ❖ Award-winning fine arts program offering drama, choral music, band and visual arts
- ❖ Six-year Latin program and three-year Greek program
- ❖ Seniors take Senior Seminar: a rigorous examination of the distinctions between moral frameworks and basic doctrines of the Christian faith
- ❖ Senior interdisciplinary trip
- ❖ 80 hours of community service required for graduation
- ❖ SAT scores averaging over 1220 and ACT scores averaging 26
- ❖ Annual college acceptance rate of 100 percent, with students offered admission to selective colleges and universities throughout the world, including *Brown, Duke, Emerson, Colgate, Georgia Tech, Harvard, Kenyon College, Wake Forest, Davidson, Rhode Island School of Design, Gordon College, Emory University, Haverford College, UNC-Chapel Hill, Savannah College of Art and Design, Sewanee, NC State, Princeton, Washington and Lee, College of William and Mary, Wheaton College, NYU, Vanderbilt, Villanova, Virginia, Boston College, the US Naval Academy, University of Edinburgh, Durham University and the University of St. Andrews*
- ❖ More than \$4 million in scholarship monies offered to St. David's Class of 2016. Sixty-eight percent of the senior class received merit scholarship or honors program offers, averaging over \$108,000 per scholarship recipient
- ❖ 42 competitive middle school, JV and varsity athletic teams
- ❖ Winners of the 2010, 2011, 2012, 2014, 2015 and 2016 Wells Fargo Cup for Division 2A

St. David's School is much more than "Just the Facts." We encourage you to seek out additional information about the school, and we invite you to join us for an on-campus admissions event. For a complete listing of upcoming admissions events and to schedule your visit, or to obtain information regarding the application process, please visit our website or contact the Admissions Office. We look forward to showing you what St. David's School may offer your child and family.