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## 2023-2024 Profile

**School:** Calvary Christian Academy was founded in 1995 as the educational school ministry of Calvary Chapel of Philadelphia. The church pastoral staff is involved with the school and provides ministry to students through weekly chapels, daily Bible classes and counseling. CCA is a college preparatory school which seeks to provide opportunities for learners at all levels. As such we provide Advanced Placement courses, Honors Courses, College Prep Courses and Basic Skills courses. 85% of our graduates continue their academic studies at 2 or 4-year universities, while 15% choose to serve our country in the military or enter the work force.

**Mission:** CCA exists to provide students with a clear and sound education and biblical worldview. With this worldview they will see that the disciplines of math, science, history and language are but a mere platform for believers to express the goodness of God, the truth of His Word and to affect a Godly influence upon the world around them.

**Students and Faculty:** For the 2023-2024 school year, CCA is comprised 121 staff members and 906 students (PK-12). The class of 2024 contains 75 students. Our average class size in the Junior/Senior High School is 25 students and in the Elementary School it is at 25 students per class. Many of our teachers hold advanced degrees in the field of Education or their field of expertise.

**Accreditation:** Calvary Christian Academy is accredited by the Association of Christian Schools and Teachers and through the Middle States Association of Colleges and Schools.

**Facilities:** Calvary Christian Academy encompasses 80,000 square feet. The Junior/Senior High School has 29 classrooms and the Elementary has 24. Our facilities include administrative and guidance offices, four science lab classrooms, high school & elementary gymnasiums, a weight room, cafeteria, culinary arts room, auditorium, high school & elementary computer labs, library, a performing arts center, yearbook room, dance studio, high school & elementary art rooms and a nurse's clinic. The parking lot in the back of the building is gated off as part of the Elementary playground.

**Diversity:** CCA is a diverse community. Our school population consists of 440 boys and 466 girls. 37.53% of our student body represents ethnic minorities. Calvary Christian Academy believes that an individual's first responsibility is to the God of the Bible and that a person's whole life should reflect His framework in a context of peace and selfless love. CCA asserts that a genuine love for and interaction with diverse peoples is a biblical mandate.

### Graduation Requirements:

Students begin earning credits toward graduation in the ninth grade. A minimum of 28 credits is required for graduation.

Bible .....	4 credits
History .....	4 credits
English .....	4 credits
Math .....	4 credits
Science .....	4 credits
Foreign Language .....	2 credits
Health/PE .....	1 credit
General Electives .....	5 credits

### GPA/Grading Scale:

		Track 1	Track 2	Track 3	Track 4
	Letter Grade	Basic Skills	College Prep	Honors	AP
97-100	A+	3.50	4.00	4.50	5.00
93-96	A	3.46	3.95	4.45	4.94
90-92	A-	3.21	3.67	4.13	4.59
87-89	B+	2.92	3.33	3.75	4.16
83-86	B	2.63	3.00	3.38	3.75
80-82	B-	2.34	2.67	3.01	3.34
77-79	C+	2.04	2.33	2.62	2.91
73-76	C	1.75	2.00	2.25	2.50
70-72	C-	1.46	1.67	1.88	2.09
68-69	D+	1.17	1.33	1.50	1.66
65-67	D	0.88	1.00	1.13	1.25
0-64	F	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00

### AP Exams taken by CCA Students:

- AP English Literature and Composition
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- AP European History
- AP Biology
- AP Calculus AB
- AP Calculus BC
- AP Chemistry
- AP Physics B
- AP Spanish Language
- AP US Government and Politics
- AP Macroeconomics
- AP Statistics
- AP Psychology
- AP US History

**AP and Honors Courses:**

MATH	SCIENCE	ENGLISH	HISTORY	WORLD LANGUAGE
AP Calculus	AP Biology	AP Eng Lit & Comp	AP European History	Spanish IV (H)
Calculus (H)	AP Chemistry	British Literature (H)	Civics	Spanish III (H)
Pre-Calculus (H)	AP Physics	Amn Literature (H)	US History (H)	Spanish II (H)
Algebra II (H)	Anatomy/Physiology (H)	World Literature (H)	World Hist/Geog II (H)	
Geometry (H)	Physics (H)	Literature & Comp (H)	World Hist/Geog I (H)	
Algebra I (H)	Chemistry II (H)			
	Chemistry I (H)			
	Biology (H)			

**Athletic League Affiliation:** CCA is a member of the Pennsylvania Interscholastic Athletic Association (District One) and is a member of the Bicentennial Athletic League.

**High School Sports:** Soccer, Tennis, Cross Country, Cheer, Basketball, Baseball, Softball and Track & Field

**Robotics Team:** FIRST Tech Challenge

**Community Service:** CCA students in grades nine through twelve are required to complete eight hours of community service per school year. \*Waived for 2019-2020, 2020-2021 and 2021-2022 due to COVID-19. Reinstated for the 2022-2023 school year.

## Recent College Acceptances

Albright College	Houghton College	Susquehanna University
Appalachian State University	Howard University	Taylor University
Arcadia University	Immaculata University	Temple University
Asbury University	Indiana University of Pennsylvania	The College of New Jersey
Ball State University	Indiana Wesleyan University	Thomas Jefferson University
Baylor University	Johns Hopkins University	United States Air Force Academy
Belmont University	Johnson and Wales University	United States Naval Academy
Berklee College of Music	Lafayette College	University of Arizona
Biola University	LaSalle University	University of Cincinnati
Bloomsburg University	Lehigh University	University of Charleston
Cairn University	LeTourneau University	University of Delaware
Calvary Chapel Bible College	Liberty University	University of Florida
Carnegie Mellon University	Messiah College	University of Hawaii
Cedarville University	Millersville University	University of Maryland Honors College
Chestnut Hill College	Moody Bible Institute	University of Michigan
Christopher Newport University	New York University	University of Montana
Covenant College	Northeastern University	University of North Carolina
Delaware Valley College	Northwestern University	University of Pennsylvania
Drexel University	Ohio State University	U of P Wharton School of Business
Eastern University	Palm Beach Atlantic University	University of Pittsburgh
Elizabethtown College	Patrick Henry College	University of Richmond
Elon University	Penn State University	University of the Sciences in Philadelphia
Fairfield University	Penn State Schreyer Honors College	University of Scranton
F.I.T. (Fashion Institute of Technology)	Philadelphia University	University of Virginia
Fordham University	Purdue University	Ursinus College
Franklin and Marshall College	Rensselaer Polytechnic Institute	Valley Forge Christian College
Georgetown University	Rider University	Villanova University
Geneva College	Rochester Institute of Technology	Virginia Tech
Gettysburg College	Rutgers University	West Chester University
Gordon College	Savannah College of Art and Design	West Point Military Academy
Gospel for Asia School of Discipleship	St. Joseph's University	Wheaton College
Grove City University	Stevens Institute of Technology	Widener University
Holy Family University	SUNY	