Liberty Classical Academy

School Profile

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Description

Liberty Classical Academy is a K-12 University Model School serving 112 students on the Western Slope of Colorado. The high school curriculum integrates a solid Christian worldview with Classical Philosophy based on the Trivium model of Grammar, Logic, and Rhetoric stages. The University Model integrates home and classroom learning environments to prepare students for college or career. Students attend two days of classroom instruction.

Course Listing:

Department	Courses	Required Credits
English	Ancient World Literature and Composition, Medieval World Literature and Composition, American Literature and Composition, Modern World Literature and Composition, Creative Writing, English Composition	4
History	Ancient History, Church History, American History, World History, Civics/Government	4
Foreign Language	Latin I, Latin II, Spanish I, Spanish II, Spanish III	2
Fine Arts	Theater, Choir, Music Theory, Art I	4
Rhetoric	Formal Logic, Aristotelian Rhetoric	1
Electives	Personal Finance, Music Theory, Shakespearean Literature, Comparative Religion, Leadership	2
Math	Personal Finance, Algebra I, Algebra II, Geometry (additional math is available via Landry Academy)	4
Science	Biology (additional science is available via Landry Academy)	4
	1 Semester= .5 credits, 1 year= 1 credit	Total Required Credits: **25**

Grading Scale

Grade	Percentage	Grade Point
A- Excellent	90-100	4
B- Above Average	80-89	3
C- Average	70-79	2
D- Below Average	60-69	1
F- Failure	Below 60	0

GPA Calculation

All classes from ninth grade onward are included in the GPA calculation. Twenty-five credits are required for graduation, including two years of high school level Latin. Three 40-hour projects and one 60-hour project, participation in four musical theater productions, and a semester of service learning are also required.

Class Ranking

Due to the size of our graduating classes, it is our policy to not rank our students.

School Calendar

The school year is divided into two semesters. Six class periods are offered on a Monday/Thursday block schedule.

Standardized Test Results

We do not report average testing data due to the small number of students testing each year.

Colleges Attended by Liberty Classical Academy Graduates

Colleges Attended: Cedarville University, Colorado Christian University, Colorado Mesa University, University of Colorado, Concordia College, University of Denver, Denver Institute of Art, Earlham College, Liberty University, New Saint Andrews College, Hastings College, Kilgore College, Loras College, Pratt Institute, Rocky Mountain College, Seattle Pacific University, Thomas Edison State University, University of Iowa, Soochow University, Xi'an Jiaotong-Liverpool University

Theater Program

The theater production at Liberty Classical Academy is considered an integral part of raising leaders for tomorrow. All students participate in a rigorous and cooperative musical production each year, in which every student is required to play a role on stage. This prepares our students to articulate ideas to an audience, and builds confidence and character. By the time each student graduates, they will have played at least one speaking role.

Forty Hour Projects

All high school students complete a forty hour project each year, combining their interests and strengths with the Classical model. Seniors must complete a sixty hour capstone project that represents a culmination of their high school learning. Recent examples of projects include a historically accurate crossbow, translation of modern novel into Shakespearean language, and construction of a personal computer.