



THE SUMMIT

COUNTRY DAY SCHOOL

2017-2018 Upper School Profile

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Mission

The mission of The Summit Country Day School is to challenge every student, faculty and staff member; to share fully the gifts that have been given to them by God; to grow in grace and wisdom; to develop spiritually, academically, physically, socially and artistically; and to become leaders of character who value and improve the world they inherit.

School

The Summit Country Day School is a pre-K through grade 12 private, independent, coeducational, Catholic, college-preparatory school located on a 24-acre campus in Hyde Park, a residential area of Cincinnati. The Summit is comprised of four distinct schools: Montessori from 18 months through kindergarten, Lower, Middle and Upper. The 2017-2018 enrollment is 1,015. The Summit offers financial aid to 45% of students in grades 9-12. Summit students are enrolled from 40 different Ohio, Indiana and Kentucky school districts.

Grading Scale

All courses taken at The Summit are College Preparatory except for Honors and Advanced Placement Courses, which have a higher degree of difficulty and a higher degree of student responsibility. Grades earned in those classes are weighted higher than the college preparatory courses. The grading scale is as follows:

A+ 97-100	B+ 87-89	C+ 77-79	D+ 67-69	F 0-59
A 94-96	B 84-86	C 74-76	D 64-66	
A- 90-93	B- 80-83	C- 70-73	D- 60-63	

Class Rank

By policy, The Summit Country Day School does not employ any ranking system.

Graduation Requirements

To graduate from The Summit, a student should have accumulated 24.5 credits, 20 as required by the State of Ohio, plus 4.5 additional credits during the four years of attendance. The credits are to be accumulated as follows:

English: 4 credits

Financial Literacy: ¼ credit

Fine Arts: 1 credit

Health Education: ½ credit

Leadership: ½ credit

Mathematics: 4 credits and must include Algebra I, II and Geometry

Physical Education: ½ credit or two seasons of a team sport

Religion: 1 credit during each year of attendance

Science: 3 credits to include Biology, Chemistry and Physics

Social Studies: 3 credits to include World or European History, American History and Government

Speech & Communications: ¼ credit

World Languages: 3 credits of one language, or 2 credits (each) of two

Christian Service: 48 hours

Senior Search: Time is provided at the end of the senior year so that the student may conclude his or her secondary school education by demonstrating responsible independence during a learning experience of his or her own design. This time is to be spent in activities that will broaden the student's learning.

2017-2018 Upper School Faculty

There are 46 teachers with 78% holding master's degrees, equivalent or above.

The Upper School Student Body

The Upper School student body of 401 includes 203 boys and 198 girls.

Calendar

The school year is comprised of two semesters, each lasting 18 weeks. The school day, beginning at 8:15 a.m. and ending at 3:15 p.m., has five 70-minute periods which meet three times a week.



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DISTRIBUTION OF GRADES

Class of 2017

Above 4.6	2%
4.0-4.59	34%
3.5-3.99	32%
3.0-3.49	20%
2.5-2.99	11%
Below 2.5	1%



COLLEGE TEST RESULTS 2016-2017

SAT

Number Tested: 40

Evidence-Based Reading & Writing Summit Mean: 669
National Mean: 538

Math

Summit Mean: 679
National Mean: 533

ACT

Number Tested: 85

Composite Scores Summit Mean: 28.3
National Mean: 21



AP TEST RESULTS 2017

The Summit believes all students should have the experience of taking an AP course before graduation; consequently, the school puts few restrictions on who can take an AP course.

44% of Students in Grades 9 - 12 tested

Number of tests taken: 400

73% of Scores 3 - 5

70 students earned an AP Scholar distinction

Outstanding Achievements of the Class of 2017

- 91 graduates attracted more than \$13.5 million in scholarship offers
- 96% of the class took college-level classes through College Board's AP Program
- 11% of graduates earned full-tuition scholarships from colleges
- Students logged nearly 7,319 hours of service to the community
- 100% attend degree-granting institutions, 43% in state and 57% out of state
- 15% of graduates completed rigorous Science Research Institute requirements including professional laboratory experience

Advanced Placement Courses

As part of the AP curriculum, students are required to take the national exam.

AP Art 10, 11, 12
AP Biology 11, 12
AP Calculus 12
AP Chemistry 11, 12
AP Computer Science 11, 12
AP English Literature 12
AP Environmental Science 11, 12

AP European History 10, 11, 12
AP French 11, 12
AP Human Geography 12
AP Latin 11, 12
AP Macro Economics 11, 12
AP Micro Economics 11, 12
AP Music Theory 11, 12
AP Physics 1 11, 12

AP Physics C: Electricity & Magnetism 12
AP Physics C: Mechanics 12
AP Psychology 12
AP Spanish 11, 12
AP Statistics 10, 11, 12
AP U.S. Government & Politics 11, 12
AP U.S. History 11, 12

2015 - 2017 College Acceptances & Matriculations (bolded)

Albion College	Franciscan University of Steubenville	Pennsylvania State University	University of Charleston
Allegheny College	Furman University	Pepperdine University	University of Chicago
Alma College	Geneva College	Pittsburg State University	University of Cincinnati
American University	Georgetown University	Purdue University	University of Colorado at Boulder
Anderson University-IN	Georgia Institute of Technology	Radford University	University of Colorado at Denver
Ashland University	Gettysburg College	Regis University	University of Dallas
Auburn University	Gonzaga University	Rensselaer Polytechnic Institute	University of Dayton
Augustana College	Grinnell College	Rhodes College	University of Denver
Babson College	Hamilton College - NY	Roanoke College	University of Evansville
Baldwin Wallace University	Hanover College	Robert Morris University (PA)	University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign
Ball State University	Hawaii Pacific University	Rochester Institute of Technology	University of Kansas
Barry University	High Point University	Rollins College	University of Kentucky
Bates College	Hillsdale College	Rose-Hulman Institute of Technology	University of Louisville
Baylor University	Hiram College	Saint Joseph's University	University of Maryland, College Park
Bellarmine University	Hobart and William Smith Colleges	Saint Louis University	University of Massachusetts Dartmouth
Belmont University	Indiana University at Bloomington	Saint Mary's College	University of Massachusetts, Amherst
Benedictine College	Iowa State University	Saint Michael's College	University of Miami
Berea College	Ithaca College	Samford University	University of Michigan
Boston College	Jackson State University	Santa Clara University	University of Mississippi
Boston University	James Madison University	Sarah Lawrence College	University of Mount Union
Bowling Green State University	John Carroll University	Savannah College of Art and Design	University of Nevada, Las Vegas
Brandeis University	Kent State University	School of the Art Institute of Chicago	University of New Hampshire at Durham
Bryan College	Kenyon College	Seattle University	University of North Carolina at Asheville
Bryant University	Kettering University	Seton Hill University	University of North Carolina at Wilmington
Bucknell University	Lafayette College	Sewanee: The University of the South	University of Northern Colorado
Butler University	LaGrange College	Southern Methodist University	University of North Carolina at Asheville
Canisius College	Lake Erie College	Southwestern College	University of Oregon
Capital University	Lake Forest College	Southwestern University	University of Pennsylvania
Carleton College	Lawrence University	St. John's University - Queens	University of Pittsburgh
Carthage College	Lehigh University	St. Lawrence University	University of Portland
Case Western Reserve University	Lenoir-Rhyne University	Stetson University	University of Rhode Island
Centre College	Lewis & Clark College	SUNY Buffalo State College	University of Richmond
Christian Brothers University	Lincoln Memorial University	Syracuse University	University of Rio Grande
Claremont McKenna College	Lipscomb University	Taylor University	University of Rochester
Clemson University	Louisiana College	Texas A&M University	University of San Diego
Cleveland State University	Louisiana State University	Texas Christian University	University of South Carolina
Coastal Carolina University	Loyola Marymount University	Texas Tech University	University of Southern California
Colgate University	Loyola University Chicago	The American University of Paris	University of St Andrews
College of Charleston	Loyola University New Orleans	The Catholic University of America	University of Tennessee, Knoxville
College of William and Mary	Marian University	The Citadel, The Military College of SC	University of Toledo
Colorado College	Marietta College	The College of Wooster	University of Vermont
Colorado School of Mines	Marquette University	The Evergreen State College	University of Virginia
Colorado State University	Marshall University	The George Washington University	University of Washington
Columbia College Chicago	Maryland Institute College of Art	The New School - All Divisions	University of Wisconsin, Madison
Cornell University	Mercer University	The Ohio State University	Urbana University
Creighton University	Miami University, Oxford	The University of Akron	Vanderbilt University
Dartmouth College	Michigan State University	The University of Alabama	Vassar College
De Anza College	Millsaps College	The University of Alabama in Huntsville	Villanova University
Denison University	Missouri Valley College	The University of Arizona	Virginia Commonwealth University
DePaul University	Morehead State University	The University of Findlay	Virginia Tech
DePauw University	Mount St. Joseph University	The University of Georgia	Virginia Wesleyan College
DeSales University	Mount Vernon Nazarene University	The University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill	Wake Forest University
Dickinson College	Muskingum University	The University of Tampa	Washington and Lee University
Drake University	New York University	The University of Texas, Austin	Washington University in St. Louis
Drew University	North Carolina State University	Thomas More College	Waynesburg University
Drexel University	Northeastern University	Tiffin University	Webster University
Duke University	Northern Kentucky University	Transylvania University	Wellesley College
Duquesne University	Northwest College	Trinity College	Western Kentucky University
Earlham College	Northwestern University	Tufts University	Western Oregon University
Eastern Kentucky University	Norwich University	Tulane University	Westminster College
Eastern Michigan University	Notre Dame College of Ohio	Tusculum College	Wheaton College IL
Eastern Nazarene College	Nova Southeastern University	Union College (New York)	Wheaton College MA
Elon University	Ohio Dominican University	United States Coast Guard Academy	William Peace University
Emerson College	Ohio Northern University	University at Buffalo	Winthrop University
Emory University	Ohio University	University of British Columbia	Wittenberg University
Fashion Institute of Design and Merchandising, LA	Ohio Valley University	University of California, Davis	Wofford College
Flagler College	Ohio Wesleyan University	University of California, Irvine	Wright State University
Florida Gulf Coast University	Old Dominion University	University of California, Los Angeles	Xavier University
Florida Southern College	Oregon State University	University of California, San Diego	Youngstown State University
Florida State University	Otterbein University	University of California, Santa Barbara	
Fontbonne University	Pace University, New York City	University of California, Santa Cruz	
Fordham University	Pacific University	University of Central Florida	