

International Leadership of Texas



Private



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Boarding

LOCATION

- Garland, Texas
- Population: 239,928
- Nearest airport: Dallas-Forth Worth International Airport – 30 minutes driving from school



ELIGIBILITY

- Grades Accepted: 9-12
- Accepts ELTiS, Duolingo, IELTS, or TOEFL

FACTS

- Total Students in School: 650
- International Students: 46
- Student/Teacher ratio: 12:1
- Uniform required

HIGHLIGHTS

- TOP 1% "America's Most Challenging High Schools" according Washington Post
- TOP 3% Best High Schools in U.S according to U.S News & World Report
- Offers AP and Dual Enrollment program

INTRODUCTION

International Leadership of Texas - Garland High School ranked among the top schools in the nation. It has been recognized by the Washington Post as one of America's Most Challenging High Schools. The school caters to students in grades 9-12, offering a rigorous college preparatory program.

FACILITIES

The school prides itself on its modern facilities, including a 13,000 square foot fitness center with an indoor basketball court. Additional sports facilities include soccer fields, baseball and softball fields, and a professional track for athletics, ensuring comprehensive physical education and sports programs.



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COURSES

Languages:

Chinese, Spanish

Advanced Placement courses:

English Literature, English Language, Chinese, Spanish Language and Culture, Spanish Literature and Culture, Computer Science Principles, Statistics, Calculus AB and BC, Chemistry, Environmental Science, Physics, World History, Human Geography, U.S. History, U.S. Government and Politics

English as a Second Language (ESL):

Available

Dual Enrollment program:

Partnered with Richland College



MATRICULATION

95% of students are admitted to the top 100 universities in the U.S., with 21% being accepted into the top 10 public universities in the country

- Yale University
- Columbia University
- Brown University
- Cornell University
- Stanford University
- University of Chicago
- Rice University

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ACTIVITIES

Athletics:

Students at International Leadership of Texas can participate in a variety of sports, including basketball, volleyball, soccer, American football, baseball, softball, cross country, and track and field, all supported by excellent facilities.

Activities:

- Academic Clubs: English Club, French Club, Spanish Club, Math Club, Science Club, Debate Club, etc.
- Arts Clubs: Dance Club, Drama Club, Band Club, Choir Club, Art Club, Photography Club, etc.
- Sports Clubs: Soccer Club, Basketball Club, Volleyball Club, Cross Country Club, Swimming Club, Tennis Club, etc.
- Other Clubs: Chess Club, Robotics Club, Environmental Club, Japanese Club, Korean Club, etc.

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

Dormitories:

The dormitories are designed like apartment complexes, each unit featuring a kitchen, dining area, living room, three bedrooms, and two bathrooms, accommodating up to six students. Students are allowed to bring essential cooking appliances, though cooking facilities are restricted to a refrigerator and microwave for safety.

St. Stephen's Episcopal School



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LOCATION

- Austin, Texas
- Closest Airport: Austin-Bergstrom International Airport (AUS) – 25 minutes away from school
- Population: 974,447
- Weather: The city enjoys a humid subtropical climate, with hot summers and mild winters



ELIGIBILITY

- Accepts Grades: 8-12
- Accepts Duolingo, IELTS, or TOEFL

FACTS

- Year founded: 1950
- Campus size: 374 acres
- Total number of students: 700+
- Teacher to Student ratio: 1:8
- Religion: Episcopal

HIGHLIGHTS

- A+ (Niche)
- #27 Best Boarding High Schools in America
- #1 Best Private High Schools in Austin Area

INTRODUCTION

St. Stephen's Episcopal School is a co-educational, college-preparatory school located in Austin, Texas. Known for its rigorous academic curriculum, St. Stephen's also emphasizes personal growth through extracurricular activities in the arts, athletics, and community service.

FACILITIES

The campus includes state-of-the-art academic buildings, an arts center, and extensive athletic facilities, including an indoor gym, outdoor sports fields, and a pool. Students have access to hiking trails and can participate in a variety of outdoor activities.



St. Stephen's Episcopal School

COURSES

Languages:

- Spanish, French, and Chinese

Advanced Courses:

- Advanced Acting, Advanced Algebra II, Advanced Art History, Advanced Biology II, Advanced Calculus AB, Advanced Calculus BC, Advanced Chemistry II, Advanced Chinese V, Advanced Computer Science, Advanced Creative Writing, Advanced European History, Advanced Filmmaking, Advanced French V/VI and VII/VIII, Advanced Geometry, Advanced Independent Study in Mathematics, Advanced Latin V/VI and VII/VIII, Advanced Music Theory, Advanced Photography, Advanced Physics II, Advanced Precalculus, Advanced Spanish IV-VI and VII/VIII, Advanced Statistics, Advanced Theatre, Advanced Visual Studies, Art History, Astrophysics, Electronics and Robotics, Environmental Science, Geology, Independent Study in Advanced Mathematics, Multivariable Analysis, Principles of Engineering, Projects in Science and Technology, Social Science Seminars

English as Second Language (ESL):

- Available



MATRICULATION

- University of Texas – Austin
- New York University
- Rice University
- Trinity University
- University of Colorado Boulder
- Washington University in St. Louis
- Texas A&M University-College Station
- University of California-Berkeley
- University of California-Los Angeles
- University of Southern California

St. Stephen's Episcopal School



ACTIVITIES

Sports:

- Badminton, Baseball, Basketball, Cheering, Climbing, Crew, Cross Country, Cross Country Running, Dance, Diving, Field Hockey, Football, Golf, Lacrosse, Mountain Biking, Rock Climbing, Soccer, Swimming, Swimming and Diving, Tennis, Track, Track and Field, Volleyball, Water Polo

Clubs and Activities:

- Ceramics, Choir, Dance, Filmmaking, Graphic Design, Guitar Ensemble, Jazz Band, Orchestra, Percussion, Photography, Private music lessons, Theatre Arts, Visual Studies, Art Club, Asian Affinity Group, Badminton Club, Chapel Leadership, Classics Club, Debate Club,...

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

Dormitories:

- Dormitories at St. Stephen's provide a home-like atmosphere with comfortable single and double rooms. Dorm parents, who live on campus, offer academic and emotional support to boarding students.

The Village School



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LOCATION

- Location: Houston, Texas
- Population: 2.288 million
- Nearest Airport: IAH
- Weather: Clear skies and warm temperatures in summers and mild winters



ELIGIBILITY

- Grades open for international students: pre K-12
- School online app, SSAT/SAO

FACTS

- Year founded: 1746
- Campus size: 28 acres
- Total number of students: 1,443
- Teacher/ Student ratio: 1:10
- ESL Support: Yes (extra fees may apply)
- Uniform requirement: Yes
- Religion: None

HIGHLIGHTS

- A+ (Niche)
- Ranked by Niche as #1 Boarding School in Houston; #6 Most Diverse School in the US
- Listed by Newsweek Magazine as one of the best IB and the best STEM High Schools in the US

INTRODUCTION

The Village School is an international community in Houston, Texas, providing a world-class education to our private day and boarding school students. The Village is very well known for its strong STEAM Program and Experiential Learning Opportunities (such as internships, pre-medical diploma, etc).

FACILITIES

Village's campus spans 28 acres in a quiet, residential area of West Houston's energy corridor. It includes over 200,000 square feet of colorful, bright, and open facilities, from brick buildings to state-of-the-art athletic center and natatorium. Teachers use MacBooks and iPads for interactive teaching, as well as SmartBoards and CleverTouch devices.



The Village School

COURSES

Languages

- Chinese, French, Spanish

Subjects:

- Schools offer an advanced American curriculum, where students study mathematics, sciences, humanities, creative subjects, and languages
- To prepare for their college of choice, students can take Advanced Placement (AP) courses and can also choose from the Village diploma or three specialty diploma options depending on their goals: the International Baccalaureate (IB), Pre-Medical Science, or Entrepreneurship.

Arts:

- Ceramics, Digital Photography and Design, Drawing, Art, Jazz Dance, Painting, Sculpture, Tap, Theater, Visual Arts, Film



MATRICULATION

Popular College Acceptances:

- Boston College, Boston University, Carnegie Mellon University, Case Western Reserve University, Clemson University, Cornell University, Emory University, Johns Hopkins University, Massachusetts Institute of Technology, Michigan State University, Northeastern University, Pennsylvania State University, Purdue University, Rice University, Stanford University, Syracuse University, Texas A&M University, Tufts University, University of California – Berkeley, University of California – Irvine, University of Cincinnati, University of Edinburgh, University of Massachusetts – Amherst, University of Michigan, University of Oregon, University of Southern California, University of Toronto, Washington University in St. Louis

The Village School



ACTIVITIES

Sports

- Fall Sports: Football, Volleyball, Cross Country, Dance
- Winter Sports: Soccer, Basketball, Swimming, Dance
- Spring Sports: Lacrosse, Golf, Tennis, Track, Dance.

Clubs and Activities

- Music Appreciation, Multimedia Club, Chess Club, Ballroom Dancing, Environmental, Habitat for Humanity, International Film, Literary Magazine, Math Club, Model United Nations (Model UN), MIT Invent Team, Newspaper Club, Social Club, Student Government, Quiz Bowl, Science Club

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

OTHER HIGHLIGHTS

- The Pre-Medical Science Diploma program at The Village School is for students interested in pursuing a career in medicine or healthcare. This career-specific program allows students to take a variety of courses directly related to medical science.

BOARDING STUDENTS

- Students are steps away from other facilities—such as the athletic facilities, library, and cafeteria—and can easily attend after-school activities and events. Inside, the dormitory has university-style suites with four bedrooms, two bathrooms, and a shared study area.
- Each floor has large common areas and communal kitchenettes, vending areas, and washers and dryers.
- Outside, the courtyard features a grill station and outdoor kitchen, alongside green space for students to play soccer and football.



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Location

- San Marcos, Texas
- Nearest Major City: San Antonio
- Weather: In San Marcos, the summers are hot and muggy; the winters are short, cold, and windy; and it is partly cloudy year round
- Airport Code: Austin-Bergstrom International Airport



Eligibility

- Accepts grades 6-12 for boarding
- Accept Duolingo English Test, TOEFL, and IELTS

Facts

- Total Students in School: 333
- Uniforms: Casual

Highlights

- A (Niche)
- Offer 11 AP and Dual Enrollment Classes
- Strong ESL program

School Introduction

The Academy offers a college preparatory curriculum, featuring leadership training; a strong fine arts department; a Learning Skills program for students with mild to moderate learning differences; and an English as a Second Language immersion program for international students.

Campus

220 acres of great facilities. Our athletic complex includes artificial turf field, 7-lane track, and stadium with bleachers, press box, restrooms, and concession stand.





Courses

AP Courses

AP Calculus AB, AP Computer Science Principles, AP Physics, College English 1301, College English 1302, College Math 1310 (Algebra), College Math 1311 (Trigonometry), Environmental Science AP, Macro Economics AP, Math 2302 (Statistics), POLS 1302 (Government), PSYC 1301 (Psychology), U.S. History 1301, U.S. History 1302

ESL

ESL Immersion for Internationals



Matriculation

University Acceptances Include:

Texas A&M
Texas Tech
University of Texas @ Austin
Penn State
Tarleton State
Drexel University
Indiana University
Michigan State
Syracuse
University of Illinois



Activities

Sports

Baseball, Basketball, Cheering, Cross Country, Cross Country Running, Football, Golf, Marksmanship, Orienteering, Soccer, Softball, Swimming, Tennis, Track, Track and Field, Volleyball

Extra-curricular Activities

Club or Organization:

JROTC, Leo Club, Music Ministries, National Honor Society, National Junior Honor Society, Student Ambassadors, Student Council, Yearbook Staff

Arts and Music Programs:

International Thespians, Vocal and Instrumental Individual Instruction

Recreational Athletic Programs:

Intramural Sports

Other Facts

San Marcos Academy accreditations

Approved or accredited by Accreditation Commission of the Texas Association of Baptist Schools, Southern Association of Colleges and Schools, Texas Education Agency, The Association of Boarding Schools, Texas Department of Education



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Location

- San Antonio, Texas
- Nearest Major City: In Texas Hill Country, just 20 miles from downtown San Antonio
- Weather: summers are hot, the winters are short and cool, and it is partly cloudy year round
- Airport Code: San Antonio International Airport (SAT)



Eligibility

- SSAT, TOEFL or TOEFL Jr. scores

Facts

- Grades at School: 6-12
- Total Students in School: 470
- Teacher/Student Ratio: 1:11

Highlights

- Niche Ranking A+
- #1 in Best Christian High Schools in San Antonio Area

School Introduction

TMI educates students in grades 6-12 and offers a complete college-preparatory program including honors and Advanced Placement courses, as well as a competitive athletic program.

School Facilities

Campus facilities include: 14,000-volume library; science and computer labs; indoor/outdoor athletic facilities; indoor rifle range; chapel; 6 dorms; and a fine arts center.





Courses

Languages

Latin, Spanish

Special Programs

Community Service, Exchange Programs, JROTC Leadership, Outdoor Education, Rifle Team

AP Courses

Biology, Calculus AB, Calculus BC, Chemistry, English, English Lit, European History, Government and Politics, Latin, Latin Lit, Physics, Spanish, Stats, Studio Art, US History

Computer Studies

Computer Applications, Computer Programming
Computer Science



Matriculation

University Acceptance Rate: 100%

University Acceptances Include:

University of Texas – Austin, Texas A&M University, Rice University, Baylor University, Vanderbilt University, Boston University, Texas Tech University, University of California - Los Angeles, Georgetown University



Activities

Sports

Baseball, Basketball, Cheering, Cross Country, Football, Golf, Lacrosse, Marksmanship, Riflery, Soccer, Softball, Swimming, Tennis, Track and Field, Volleyball, Weightlifting

Extra-curricular Activities

Honor Council, Interact Club, Interact Community Service Organization, International Club, JROTC, JROTC Color Guard, JROTC Honor Guard, JROTC Orienteering, JROTC Rifle Team, JROTC Saber Guard, Junior State of America, Literary Magazine, Newspaper, Spanish Club, Student Council, Technical Crew for Productions

Other Facts

Fine Arts and other Activities

Fine Arts electives are offered in studio art, theater, and vocal and instrumental music. TMI's nationally ranked, optional JROTC program allows cadets to engage in special activities and all students have opportunities to participate in honor council, student clubs, student government, and community service.

Dormitories and Student Life

List information about dorm, or community information, or any kinds of notable facts