

# Montverde Academy

*One Hundred Years of Academic Evolution*

In October of 2012, Montverde Academy will be celebrating its Centennial anniversary as an educational institution that has matured from a modest country day school into an international, coeducational, independent college preparatory school attending to grades PK3-12 with a boarding program serving grades 7-12, and post-graduate studies. Montverde Academy's resilience is linked to its original mission, established in 1912 that intended to "increase student knowledge, develop cognitive skills, and build character in a nurturing, disciplined, and diverse community." Montverde Academy originally began as the hypothetical vision of Dr. Henry P. Carpenter, a native of Boyle County, Kentucky, who felt too many students were denied access to a private school education as a result of socio-economic conditions. Dr. Carpenter decided to fill this academic void by relocating to Central Florida and creating a school where students could participate in both physical labor and school curriculum. He named the school "Montverde Industrial School" (MIS).

Montverde Academy Centennial archives confirm that MIS was created "to educate children from families of limited means and provide them with training for the heart and head" when it opened on September 23, 1912, "in a two-room wooden building and a church, with two teachers and limited resources" that employed approximately 20 faculty and staff members and served nearly 200 students. Dr. Carpenter's school vision and objectives are perhaps best exemplified in a 1914-15 Montverde Industrial School catalog that states:

*"This school was launched in the interest of the worthy poor of our country for the purpose of sending out Christian men and women with a thorough education combining mental, moral and industrial training. The institution believes that the best way to help the youth of our country is to help them help themselves."*

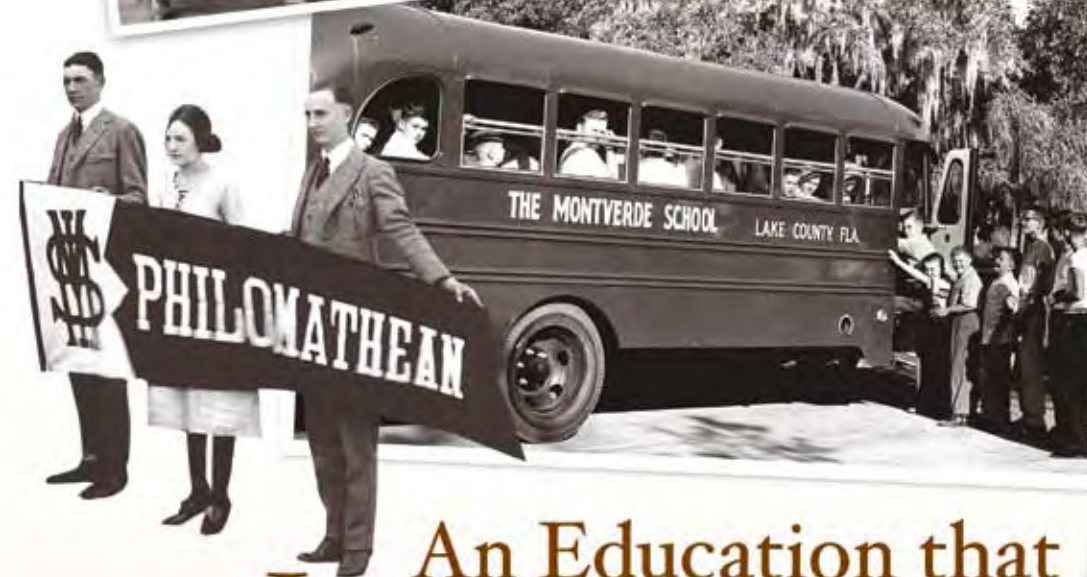


Today, Montverde Academy instructs nearly 900 students on a daily basis, including more than 300 boarding students from seven states across America and 47 countries throughout the world. Montverde Academy is accredited by the Southern Association of Colleges and Schools, the Florida Council of Independent Schools, the Southern Association of Independent Schools, and the Florida Kindergarten Council. Montverde Academy is a well-respected international college preparatory school that offers remarkable opportunities for students seeking a quality education and entrance into the world's leading colleges and universities. Montverde Academy students feel safe and comfortable in their campus environment as they attend their classes, perform daily dorm chores, and participate in activities that teach responsibility, ownership and pride.

At Montverde Academy, students develop their aptitudes and capabilities through year-round participation in arts and humanities projects, athletics, clubs and service organizations that provide them with structured and attentive settings to learn and develop mentally, physically, and spiritually. Montverde Academy is also very proud of its 100% college acceptance rate and its 85% college of first choice rate, making it an outstanding choice for high school. Montverde Academy is preparing to celebrate its upcoming Centennial anniversary with a special gala event to be held on Saturday, October 27. *Saturday Night Live* Alumni Darrell Hammond and Grammy award-winning musical artist Blues Traveler are both scheduled to perform that evening, and a commemorative hardcover coffee table book is being written, filled with historical photos and reflective narrative documenting the wonderful memories and extraordinary growth of Montverde Academy over the last century.

MONTVERDE ACADEMY

## A Century of Excellence



## An Education that Lasts a Lifetime



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# Champion Preparatory Academy

*Bringing Joy Back to Learning!*

Champion Preparatory Academy was founded in 1995 to meet the needs of the growing number of families pursuing non-traditional educational programs. Excitement is in the air at Champion. We are moving to the beautiful campus of Journey Christian Church (Apoka) for the 2012-2013 school year. Champion has been awarded Best of Schools in Altamonte Springs for the past three years. Check out our four distinctive fully accredited programs:

**Champion Preparatory Academy Day School (P3-Vpk-12th Grade):** Our Day School is a Christ-centered school where students may attend two or four days a week. Students school at home with teacher-written lesson plans on the days they aren't in class. Champion provides a small teacher/student ratio, interactive white boards, multi-sensory learning, classical literature, all core subjects and many enrichment classes. Champion instills a high standard of excellence in both character development and academics — all within a nurturing family-oriented school built on Christian values.

**Remedial And Customized Academics:** Champion's S.T.A.R. (Students and Teachers Achieving Results) program is a five-day-a-week program that offers an alternative learning environment for students in grades 4-12 who have mild to moderate learning challenges. The McKay Scholarship is accepted for the S.T.A.R. program. Sorry, but we can't accept students who have behavioral issues or severe learning challenges.

**Homeschooling:** Champion allows parents to legally school at home, though our fully accredited private school. Our professional guidance counselors and teachers help make sure your schooling meets standards and we are there for you, every step of the way. Champion offers academic testing, record keeping, professional school transcripts, many activities and field trips, four diploma options, a graduation ceremony and much more. Enrollment is accepted year round!

**Online Learning:** Champion Online Academy is on the web and available 24/7. Sign up for one course or take your whole curriculum online (K-12). Champion offers over 150 online courses (remedial, regular and honors), 17 AP courses and college math courses! Select from Christ-centered or secular online curriculum. Start at any time!

Champion students have been accepted at some of the most prestigious colleges across the nation. If you are looking for a fresh new way to educate your children, sign up on our website for an informational meeting or give us a call!

Office and school location (until June 15): 721 W. Lake Brantley Road, Altamonte Springs, FL 32714

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**Changing the face of education, one student at a time.**

# The First Academy

*Definitively Christ-Centered, Distinctly College-Prep*

This year marks The First Academy's 25th anniversary, and we look forward to continued success and accomplishment over the next 25 years. With a student body that continues to grow both in number and achievement and a campus that has welcomed five new facilities or major expansions in as many years, "dynamic" accurately describes one of Central Florida's most established college-preparatory schools. From winning state championships to earning presidential scholarships at multiple universities to serving others on three continents and several island nations, students of The First Academy are active citizens of the global community.

Academically, The First Academy Lower School is a proud recipient of the Blue Ribbon Schools award from the U.S. Department of Education — one of only 13 Florida schools to have received the award in 2009. In the past two years, reading and math scores from all grade levels K-5 have elevated The First Academy to a ranking in the top 1% in the nation. Students at The First Academy also benefit from a comprehensive, technology-enriched curriculum that includes Advanced Placement and Honors courses, college dual enrollment and exceptional Fine Arts and Media programs.


Parents are pleased with The First Academy's low student-teacher ratio, percentage of faculty holding advanced degrees

and that nearly 75% of The First Academy fourth-grade students and approximately 60% of seventh-graders qualify each year for the prestigious Duke University [Academic] Talent Identification Program. The First Academy is proud that 100% of its graduates have been accepted into college, have accumulated over \$20 million in scholarship offers over the last decade and have been accepted at more than 150 colleges and universities, including Ivy League schools.

The campus expanded the Lower School to double its classroom space, renovated the library with thousands of new resources, added an all-new Upper School in 2009 and is home to the Payne Stewart Athletic Complex, a state-of-the-art facility that ranks as one of the best student athletic centers in Central Florida.


The First Academy is a K4-12, Christ-centered college preparatory school that emphasizes individual academic achievement, Christian character development and service to the community. The school meets or exceeds the stringent standards for curriculum, facility and faculty established by the Southern Association of Colleges and Schools (SACS) and has held SACS accreditation since 1989.

Tour The First Academy to see what sets it apart. Visit [www.TheFirstAcademy.org](http://www.TheFirstAcademy.org) or call 407.206.8602 for more information.



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# The Geneva School

## *Celebrating 19 Years of Faith and Learning in Community*

Faith and learning in community is a way of life at The Geneva School, a Christian classical school serving the Orlando community since 1993.

What do we mean by “Christian” and “classical”? Geneva is Christian in that we affirm an historic and biblical faith in God. Further, the Geneva community represents Christians from numerous denominations of Christ’s Church. This commitment to Christian faith and scholarship permeates all we do at Geneva and all with the goal of cultivating graduates of fervent faith, true wisdom, deep understanding, and winsome communication.

Geneva is classical in that we seek to revitalize the Liberal Arts approach to education that has been foundational in the Western world from antiquity. Geneva has emerged as a national proponent of this methodology of cross-disciplinary integration of subject matter, the use of original sources, Socratic dialogue, and faculty who have demonstrated mastery in their field. Thorough explorations of humanities, math, science, arts, and languages characterize our curriculum. Our academic integrity is undergirded by AP and honors courses, writing specialists, and courses in logic, philosophy, aesthetics, and rhetoric. The senior Capstone thesis and oral defense allows students to be individually mentored by PhDs, all in preparation for successful transitions to college.

The arts enjoy a vibrant place within the student culture. Choirs, several chamber orchestras, drama performances at every grade level, and the creative expression of the fine arts all combine to help our students not only gain an appreciation for the good, the true, and the beautiful, but the opportunity to engage in these pursuits.

Geneva fields 17 varsity sports and competes in the Florida High School Athletic Association. It also supports a middle and lower school sports program. The Geneva community is diverse and the school’s generous tuition assistance helps to ensure it. Geneva is accredited by the Florida Council of Independent Schools, the Florida Kindergarten Council, and holds memberships in the Society for Classical Learning and the Association of Classical and Christian Schools.



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# Lake Highland Preparatory School

## *Cultivating Intellect and Character for 42 years*

Lake Highland Preparatory School is a Pre-K through 12th grade coeducational independent day school on a 42-acre lakefront campus in downtown Orlando. Our college preparatory curriculum includes 25 AP courses and four foreign languages. Rigorous academics are complemented by strong offerings in the arts, athletics and extracurricular activities to create an unsurpassed experience for our 2,048 students.

Like the school’s academic programs, LHPS campus facilities are outstanding. Students enjoy our 775-seat auditorium and 160-seat black-box theater, which give them opportunities to perform on stage in chorus, band, dance, orchestra, and theatrical productions. Our state-of-the-art artificial turf on our main playing field provides excellent opportunities for our athletic teams and physical education program. Students benefit from the fitness center, which offers outstanding strength training and cardiovascular fitness equipment. We recently dedicated a new baseball field and practice fields to further expand our athletic facilities.

LHPS is home to nationally recognized scholars, athletes, scientists and artists. We are proud to share several of our students’ most recent accolades:

- Twenty-two members of the senior class qualified for the National Merit Scholarship program; five were named National Merit Semifinalists.

- Our students continue to excel in the national arena for scientific research, earning top awards at county, state and national science competitions.
- Our athletic program was recognized as a Varsity Cup finalist — the 11th consecutive year we were ranked in the top six athletic programs in six counties. We finished third overall in Central Florida and first in private schools. Our boys lacrosse team won the state championship in 2011.
- Last year, Upper School students contributed 41,395 hours in community service.
- Our Lower School Academy Singers have performed at the White House for Christmas nine times.
- Sixty-one faculty members have earned the “Gifted Endorsement” teaching credential.

Lake Highland is accredited by the Florida Council of Independent Schools and the Southern Association of Colleges and Schools, Florida Kindergarten Council, and is a member of the National Association of Independent Schools. Lake Highland maintains an open-admission policy and does not discriminate on the basis of race, gender, religion, national origin or disability in its application process.

We look forward to sharing more about our extraordinary school with you!

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**LAKE HIGHLAND PREPARATORY SCHOOL**



# The Parke House Academy

## Our Solid Academic Foundation Lasts a Lifetime

The Parke House Academy was founded with the vision of creating a structured educational setting. We provide students with a nurturing and challenging environment, which will lay the foundation for a lifetime of learning.

### OPEN

Our doors are always open for you at The Parke House Academy. It is important to us that you communicate easily, reach out and be involved in your child's education. Feel free to have lunch with your child or read a book to the class. The opportunities are endless, and we always welcome parent involvement.

### INSPIRE

Our decision to maintain low student-teacher ratios, far below most private academies, gives teachers the ability to provide more individualized instruction and focus on excellent academic achievements.

### ACHIEVE

Our curriculum is developed on research that supports how children learn best. We use an advanced academic program in

language arts, and enhance the core curriculum with a balance of enrichment programs. This includes hands-on instruction in Spanish, Computers, Library, Physical Education (in our new gymnasium), Music, Creative Art, Art History, Character Development and Etiquette.

These practices result in outstanding academic success. Our students' standardized test scores RANK TOP in the nation. Every grade level reflects top percentile rankings that are well above the national average. These percentile rankings range in the top 10% of the national scores. On the average these scores reflect knowledge that is two grade levels above their current grade placement. At The Parke House Academy, students that have attended from pre-school through fifth grade at PHA have scores that range in the post high school level of academic ability.

### SUCCESS

Research proves a solid academic foundation at a young age is vital to a child's success. We welcome you to tour our campus. At The Parke House Academy, our dedication is to ensure each child is given the best opportunities to learn and achieve.

# Park Maitland School

## Leaders Grown Here

The 2012-2013 school year will mark the 45th anniversary of Park Maitland School. The independent day school for children in Pre-K4 through grade six is known in the community and beyond for its challenging academics, its fine and performing arts, and its cadre of enrichments that help to mold the "whole" child. Children who attend the school learn not only math and reading, but, more than that, life skills and manners and important study habits and the meaning of giving. They learn to be leaders.

Park Maitland occupies a lushly landscaped campus in Maitland. The garden-like surroundings and charming buildings give children a sense of "home," and they feel nurtured and supported. Distinctions include the departmentalized program, small teacher/student ratio, and advanced curriculum materials. The academic program is renowned and age-appropriate. The school was founded upon academic excellence, and that remains its cornerstone today.

*Park Maitland is not ordinary.* The theme of "leadership" is pervasive, and children as young as four learn the importance of

being kind, setting a good example for peers, and giving to others. All students take part in service to the school, the community, and the world. We even built a school in an extremely poor village in India! Service opportunities help our students learn about giving to those in need and reaching out with friendship and kindness to others. It helps them grow "big hearts!"

We feel proud every time one of our students greets someone with beautiful manners and conversation skills. We love it when our students (at all grade levels) lead our school in assemblies or announcements. We are enchanted when they display kindness and patience with older citizens as well as little ones. We are extremely pleased when they achieve academically. We *"pop our buttons"* when our students go on to excel in middle and high school, in their careers, and in life!



**THE PARKE HOUSE ACADEMY IS OUT OF THE BOX!**

Our Thinking Out of the Box Program compliments our advanced curriculum. Students choose quarterly academic electives empowering them to become life-long learners. Enrolling now for Fall 2012. Schedule a tour today!

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**Mandy Moore**  
Actress and Recording Artist  
Park Maitland Class of 1996

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# St. Luke's Lutheran School

*Believe in Opportunity*

We believe in opportunity — the opportunity for every child to learn, grow and succeed.

We believe students thrive in a Christian environment where security inspires confidence and parent participation breeds success. We believe opportunities in academics, music, athletics, fine arts, technology, and foreign language are integral, not optional.

Academic opportunities surround our students at St. Luke's Lutheran School. The school consistently ranks in the top 10% nationally, thanks to our certified staff of teachers. The curriculum and course of study reflect the Florida State and National Standards, as well as Lutheran School guidelines.

Band and orchestra opportunities include string and wind instruments, harp, guitar, percussion, and keyboard. Choir opportunities are available in preschool and continue through middle school. Our award-winning music program prepares students to pursue their music interests in high school and beyond.

Our interscholastic sports program complements the total growth of participants while fostering Christian sportsmanship, fellowship and physical fitness. Students in

grades 5-8 have an opportunity to be involved.

We promote personal creativity by giving students the opportunity to explore renowned art and artists, as well as cultures from around the world. In addition to studying art history and technique, students participate in painting, drawing, printmaking, clay modeling, and ceramics, developing their own artistic abilities, which helps increase academic achievement.

Our students utilize a variety of technology tools in the classroom to enhance learning and develop new skills. Opportunities involve collaborating with peers globally, complex problem solving and in-depth, authentic research.

To be competitive in today's global market, mastery of multiple languages is crucial. We feel that students as young as preschool should begin to learn a second language. Instruction is precise and helps build necessary academic fundamentals.

Making the most of every opportunity at St. Luke's has produced top-tier test scores, state championship sports teams, and concert musicians. But most importantly, we strive to give our students the advantages they need to succeed in high school, college and beyond.

## Where academics meets opportunity.

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# Trinity Lutheran School

*Nurturing Christian Character • Promoting Academic Excellence*

Trinity Lutheran School is a unique urban school in Downtown Orlando where you experience a small town-family feeling. On a walk through our campus you could observe an administrator chatting with a parent, a parishioner working in the garden with a Pre-Kindergarten class, a pastor sitting with a student at lunch, and support staff participating in a sports practice or class projects.


TLS was established in 1953 by a church community determined to reach into its surrounding community to offer quality Christian education. This continuing partnership with our congregation, parents and community ensures that TLS students benefit from a solid foundation of faith, love and encouragement, as well as a strong academic foundation that prepares them for Honors, Magnet, Advanced Placement and International Baccalaureate programs in high school.

The school serves children from 6 weeks of age through 8th grade, and students are continually learning through age-appropriate activities and lessons. Learning not only takes place in the classroom but also on our field, in the computer lab, gym, chapel and music classrooms. Our core curriculum is enriched through extracurricular sports, clubs, travel, art, foreign language and music, led by certified teachers and

considered essential to the growth and development of the whole child. To accomplish all of this, TLS approaches learning through collaboration, cooperative learning, differentiation, integration of faith into all curriculum as well as traditional methods of instruction.

TLS has a consistent history of fulfilling its defined commitment to its students: to promote academic excellence, nurture personal relationships with God, and prepare all children to lead responsible, purpose-filled lives for Christ. This commitment continues today as we minister to over 270 students. We welcome you to become a part of this community, and we embrace our opportunity to be an influence in your child's life.





# TRINITY LUTHERAN SCHOOL

## OPEN HOUSE

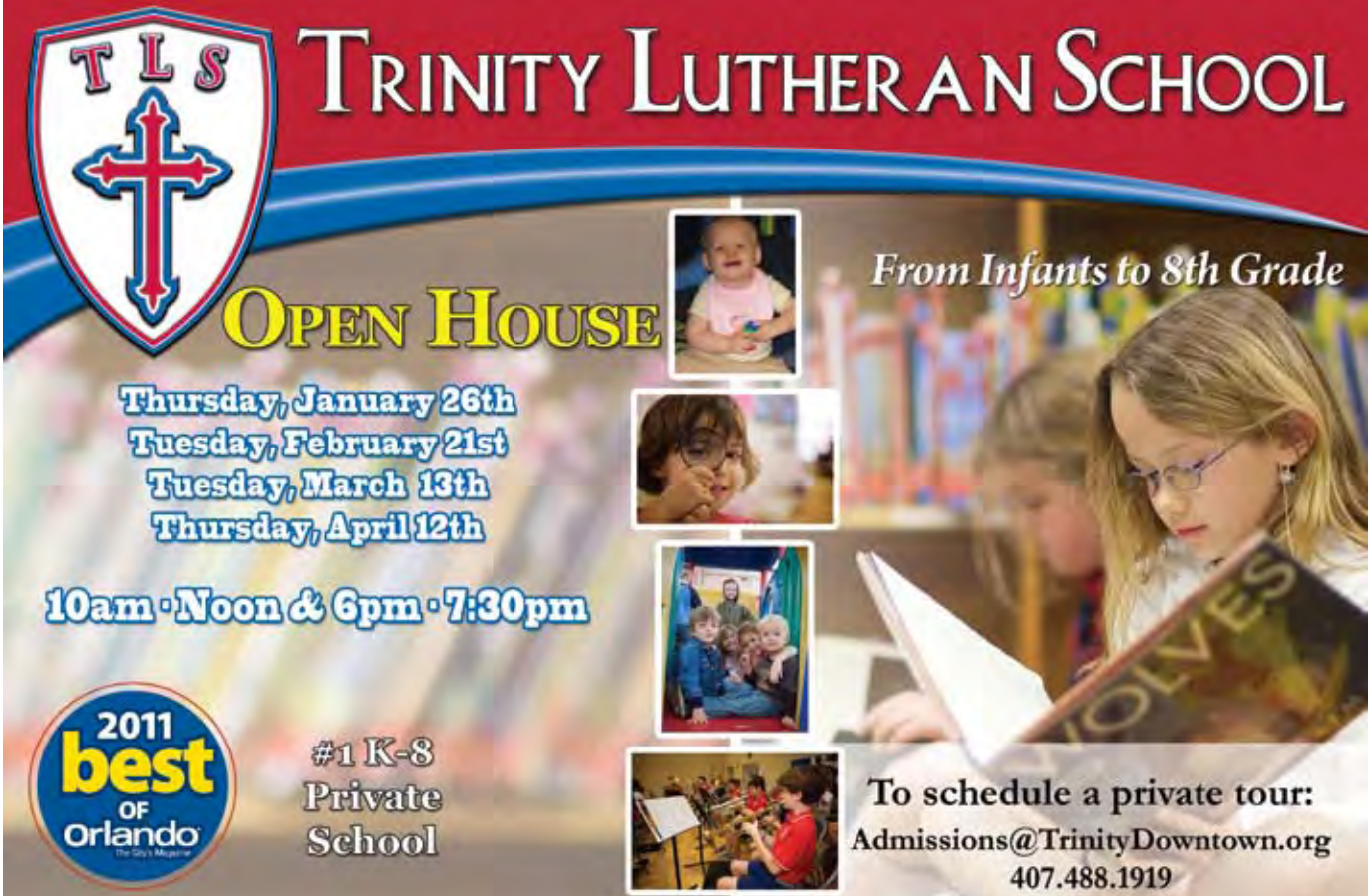
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# Trinity Preparatory School

## Discover the Trinity Prep Difference

Long recognized as the preeminent college preparatory school in Central Florida, Trinity Preparatory School attracts high achieving students and has never compromised its commitment to a rigorous curriculum, a low student/teacher ratio, a strong athletic program, and exceptional college guidance. Among all Central Florida schools, Trinity Prep has the highest percentage of its graduation class recognized as National Merit Scholars. SAT/ACT scores range well above national norms annually. Students are supported by master teachers who employ exciting classroom technology and the latest research about learning. Students are encouraged to unlock their true potential and to discover the rewards of contributing to their communities in meaningful ways. Consequently, our seniors have a wide range of college choices available to them.

Trinity Prep was established in 1966 as an independent coeducational college preparatory school serving students in grades 6-12. It is accredited by the Florida Council of Independent Schools (FCIS) and a member of the National Association of Independent Schools (NAIS) and the National Association of Episcopal Schools (NAES).

Trinity Prep offers 52 teams in fifteen different sports, with 71% or more of the student body participating in competitive athletics. Trinity Prep athletes benefit from

the school's collegiate-style sports facilities on its 100-acre campus, that include an Olympic-size pool, a 28,000 square foot athletic center, the Dickinson Activity Center, softball and baseball diamonds with batting cages, fields for football, soccer, and lacrosse, seven tennis courts, a running track, and field event areas. Trinity Prep Aquatics offers year-round club swimming opportunities.

Trinity Prep's exceptional fine arts program is grounded in the belief that everyone has a fundamental and insatiable urge to create! With 49 courses available, students can participate in instrumental music, strings, chorus, photography, art, theatre, and publications. Our forensics team is nationally recognized. Visit [trinityprep.org](http://trinityprep.org) to discover the difference.



# Windermere Preparatory School

Windermere Preparatory School (WPS) is a private, pre-kindergarten-through-grade-12 International Baccalaureate college preparatory school located on a 48-acre lakeside campus in Windermere, Florida. WPS is accredited by SACS (Southern Association of College and Schools), FCIS (Florida Council of Independent Schools) and FKC (Florida Kindergarten Council).

The diverse WPS student body encompasses highly motivated and academically talented students. An award-winning faculty provides a challenging, yet nurturing environment that encourages WPS students to set and achieve extraordinary goals.

Windermere Prep students are prepared for success in college through a demanding integrated curriculum based on critical thinking that is articulated across all content areas. Each student is equipped with a Personal Learning Plan that provides motivation to expand his or her capabilities by targeting each student's unique strengths and weaknesses at the appropriate level, and fosters critical thinking beyond the basic foundation of knowledge.

Windermere Prep is the only private school in Central Florida awarded status as an International Baccalaureate World School. IB is a world-class university preparation program widely recognized by college admissions offices.

An article by *The New York Times* (July 2, 2010) quotes an admissions officer at Ivy League's Brown University: "I don't think there is anyone who does not respect the I.B. program," and the official also notes that dozens of colleges "give students with an I.B. diploma sophomore standing and some offer special scholarships."

In addition to exemplary academic programs, Windermere Prep is the proud home of Laker athletics. WPS middle and high school students have the opportunity to participate in any of the 38 Laker teams competing in Florida High School Athletic Association (FHSAA) programs. Laker teams and individual athletes consistently advance to postseason competition, and have won several state championship titles.

To complement WPS academic and athletic programs, the school offers comprehensive programs in the fine and performing arts, intramural sports, clubs/honor societies, student government and after school activities.

WPS is a member of the Meritas global family of distinctive college preparatory schools. Meritas students and teachers are connected through video conferencing and joint events, projects, and classes and collaborate to offer a world-class education and promote the development of global scholars. Because of this relationship, WPS can offer students unique international learning experiences.

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# Full Sail University

## Hall of Fame Celebration Honors Accomplished Graduates

Now in its third year, Full Sail University's annual Hall of Fame celebration was established to recognize graduates with 10 years or more in their respective industries who have made outstanding contributions to the entertainment and media industry. Previous inductees include mix engineer and two-time GRAMMY® winner Phil Tan, Pixar set modeling lead Kristifir Klein, and Oscar®-winning sound re-recording mixer Gary Rizzo.



Beginning with the induction ceremony on November 7, the Hall of Fame celebration featured a week of events for students, including educational panels, special guests, concerts and more.

### Full Sail Hall of Fame Class of 2011:

#### Darren Lynn Bousman, Film Graduate

Darren's directing and writing credits include *11-11-11*, *Mother's Day*, and *Repo! The Genetic Opera*. He directed three consecutive number one box office films from the acclaimed horror series *Saw*: *Saw II*, *Saw III* and *Saw IV*.

#### Laurie Brugger, Computer Animation Graduate

Laurie's credits include *Captain America: The First Avenger*, *Where the Wild Things Are* and more. She received the 2011 Visual Effects Society Award for her work animating the Dobby character in *Harry Potter and the Deathly Hallows: Part 1*.

#### Culley Bunker, Digital Media Graduate

Culley has developed visual effects for films such as *The Amazing Spider-Man* (2012), *The Grinch*, *Minority Report* and *Donnie Darko*; music videos for Mariah Carey and The Black Eyed Peas;

and commercials for Xbox 360 and Coors Light. His work on Lady Gaga's "Bad Romance" video was nominated for a 2010 MTV VMA for Best Special Effects.

#### Jameson Durall, Game Development Graduate

Jameson has worked on game titles such as *Red Faction: Armageddon*, *The Godfather II*, *The Simpsons Game*, *The Godfather: The Game* and *Oddworld: Stranger's Wrath*. He's the recipient of Volition, Inc.'s 2009 Design Excellence Award.

#### David Farmer, Recording Arts Graduate

David's film projects include sound design on the Oscar®-winning *The Lord of the Rings* trilogy, *King Kong* and *Cowboys & Aliens*. He won Best Sound Editing Golden Reel awards for his work on the video games *GoldenEye: Rogue Agent* and *StarCraft II: Wings of Liberty*.

#### Sean Spuehler, Recording Arts Graduate

Sean has engineered tracks for Pink, Blur, Limp Bizkit, and more than 20 other artists. He worked as a personal monitor engineer for Madonna during her last three world tours, and has done music composition work for Walmart, Google Japan and Expedia.com.

Located in Winter Park, Florida, Full Sail University is an educational leader for those pursuing careers within the entertainment and media industry. Founded in 1979 as a recording workshop, the school has rapidly grown to offer associate's, bachelor's, and master's degrees, both on campus and online. For more information, visit [www.fullsail.edu](http://www.fullsail.edu).



### Campus Degrees

**Master's**  
Entertainment Business  
Game Design

**Bachelor's**  
Computer Animation  
Creative Writing for Entertainment  
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*The Argonaut baseball team (above) celebrates after a 7-4 win against Barry University on May 23; the win would send the Argonauts to their first ever NCAA Division II National Championship Series in Cary, North Carolina, ultimately leading to history!*



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Recently named one of "America's Best Colleges" by *Forbes* magazine, Barry University offers bachelor's, master's, and doctoral programs in Orlando. Programs are tailored to fit the needs of today's adult student. Most programs provide full- and part-time options, with courses in the evenings and Saturdays. You will also find small class sizes, personal attention from experienced professors, and a supportive staff. Barry is the second-largest private Catholic university in the Southeast.

## Graduate Programs in Counseling

Barry University's Adrian Dominican School of Education prepares you to become a leader in counseling. The Orlando site offers master's and specialist degrees in Counseling with specializations in Marital, Couple, Family Counseling/Therapy, Mental Health Counseling, Rehabilitation Counseling, and School Counseling. The PhD in Counseling is also available, with a specialization in Marital, Couple, Family Counseling/Therapy. Programs are professionally accredited, focus on early completion, provide one-on-one career support, and teach you in a supportive, multicultural environment.

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# Barry University

*Barry Law School Expands with New Legal Advocacy Center*

Providing graduates with the skills and knowledge to aid society through the competent and ethical practice of law is what drives the Barry University Dwayne O. Andreas School of Law. And the latest step in the law school's efforts to meet this mission became reality this past fall with the opening of the new three-story Legal Advocacy Center on the school's campus in Orlando.

"The addition of the Legal Advocacy Center on our campus is integral to the school's vision to serve as a focal point for legal resources, services, and knowledge in Central Florida," said Leticia M. Diaz, dean of the Barry Law School.

The Legal Advocacy Center, a 32,400-square-foot facility, features two large classrooms that can accommodate up to 94 students each; five moot courtrooms; two seminar rooms; a dean's suite; conference room; registrar and financial aid suite; and a third-floor multipurpose event space to accommodate up to 200 people.

"The courtroom space will allow our students to apply their trial skills while also serving as a showcase for our nationally recognized trial and moot court teams," said Diaz. "In addition, our students and faculty benefit greatly from the new classrooms, and the event space provides us the ability to host major events on campus that enhance the learning experience."

Since its founding in 1999, the Barry Law School has steadily grown and now enrolls more than 700 students on its 14-acre campus. With construction of the Legal Advocacy Center complete, work has begun on renovations in existing buildings. The renovations include a cafeteria, faculty lounge, a chapel, additional faculty offices, and expanded admissions offices.

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The Professional MBA program is offered every year in April at the EDC's Downtown Orlando facility and at three of UCF's regional campuses on a rotating basis. The program's 24-month evening schedule, applied curriculum taught by top-notch faculty, and valuable networking opportunities make it a popular choice for early career professionals.

The UCF Professional Master of Science in Management (PMSM) with a concentration in Human Resources provides an alternative to the MBA degree for students who desire specialization in human resource management. The next PMSM starts in May in Downtown Orlando. Students attend classes two evenings a week in this 16-month program.

The UCF Professional Master of Science in Real Estate is also a 16-month program and has a unique curriculum that combines

strategic business courses with advanced coursework in real estate. The next class will be offered in January 2013.

In addition to master's degree programs, the EDC offers a broad array of executive education seminars that help individuals and organizations develop new business skills and capabilities. The next open-enrollment program, held on April 10-11, is "Negotiate to the Top: Forge Better Deals to Avoid Failure," a two-day cutting-edge workshop led by Tim Cullen from Oxford University. In May, the 31st Annual Accounting Conference and Florida RMA Commercial Lending Schools will be offered.

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