



# LINDEN HALL

## SCHOOL PROFILE 2019–2020

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**MISSION STATEMENT**  
*Committed to excellence in the education of young women in a diverse community, Linden Hall provides a rigorous and multifaceted college-preparatory experience where each student is nurtured and inspired to reach her highest potential.*

**Member of:** NACAC, NAIS, NAGBS, NCGS, PACAC, TABS

**Recognizes:** NACAC, CEPP

**Accredited by:** Middle States Commission and PAIS

*Per NACAC standards, it is Linden Hall's policy not to report confidential information about a student's discipline record unless specifically asked by a college or university. Students are responsible for answering questions related to this topic as detailed in their college application process.*

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### LINDEN HALL SCHOOL CHARACTERISTICS

- Founded 1746
- Enrollment: 210 girls, grades 6–12
- 60% Boarding/40% Day
- 50% international students represent 45 countries
- 48% of students receive financial aid
- 20 Endowed Scholarships
- In 2018–2019, students completed 9,959 hours of community service
- 86% of students involved in athletic teams
- 52% of students involved in music ensembles

### ACADEMIC OVERVIEW

- 100% of students accepted to 4-year colleges
- Student:Faculty ratio is 8:1
- Average Class size is 10
- Classes meet for 58 minutes four times per week
- Advanced Placement® and Honors classes offered
- Students are required to carry five academic courses each year
- 38 Students in Class of 2020; 2 National Merit Hispanic Scholars and 3 Commended Scholars
- 54 members of the Class of 2019 matriculated to 48 different colleges

### SAT/ACT SUMMARY (3-year summary)

SAT: 96 Students	Middle 50%
Evidence Based Reading and Writing	560–690
Mathematics	610–780
<b>TOTAL</b>	1210–1435

ACT: 21 Students	Middle 50%
English	24-33
Math	25-31
Reading	23-30
Science	23-30
<b>Composite</b>	23-30

### AP® POLICY

10 <sup>th</sup> — 1 class	Enrollment by permission. Exceeding limit requires special approval.
11 <sup>th</sup> — 2 classes	
12 <sup>th</sup> — 3 classes	

*Students in AP® classes are required to take the examination.*

### GRADUATION REQUIREMENTS

23 credits in grades 9–12, including requirements in the following:

<b>English</b>	4 credits ( <i>one each year; at least one year beyond ESL coursework</i> )
<b>Mathematics</b>	4 credits ( <i>through Algebra 2; one course each year</i> )
<b>History</b>	3 credits ( <i>including U.S. History</i> )
<b>Laboratory Science</b>	3 credits ( <i>Biology and Chemistry required</i> )
<b>World Language</b>	2 credits ( <i>two high school years; at least through level 3</i> )
<b>Fine Arts</b>	2 credits
<b>Physical Education</b>	2 credits ( <i>either one sport or After School PE each year</i> )

Additional graduation requirements include annual summer reading, community service, and the completion of a senior speech. English language learners are directed to take a world language when they will be able to fulfill two years of study in that language.

## 2019–2020 ADVANCED COURSE OFFERINGS

### AP®/College Level

<b>Arts</b>	AP® United States and Comparative Government and Politics*	AP® Physics 1	Image and Word	Physics
AP® 2-D Art and Design (Photography)	AP® World History	<b>World Languages</b>	Modern World Literature	Technology and Design
AP® 2-D Art and Design (Studio)		AP® Chinese Language and Culture	Poetry, Verse, and Lyric	<b>World Languages</b>
AP® Music Theory	<b>Mathematics</b>	AP® French Language and Culture	Women Who Write	French 4
<b>English</b>	AP® Calculus AB	AP® Spanish Language and Culture	<b>History &amp; Social Sciences</b>	Mandarin 4
AP® English Literature and Composition	AP® Calculus BC	AP® Spanish Literature and Culture*	Humanities History	Mandarin 5
<b>History &amp; Social Sciences</b>	AP® Statistics		United States History	Spanish 4
AP® Microeconomics	Linear Algebra*	<b>Honors</b>	<b>Mathematics</b>	
AP® Psychology	Multivariable Calculus	<b>English</b>	Algebra 2	
AP® United States History	<b>Science</b>	American Voices	Pre-Calculus	
	AP® Biology	Humanities English	<b>Science</b>	
	AP® Chemistry		Biology	<i>*denotes courses delivered online by One Schoolhouse</i>
			Chemistry	

## ENGLISH AS A SECOND LANGUAGE

**Level 1** (TOEFL score below 55): ESL English 1, ESL Literature 1, ESL History, ESL Support

**Level 2** (TOEFL score 55-69): ESL English 2, ESL Literature 2

Students are tested upon arrival and in each subsequent semester for placement in the ESL program. Students exiting the ESL program often take Writing Seminar in addition to their college preparatory English class. Students may repeat ESL classes for credit.

## MATRICULATION LIST (2015–2019)

Albright College (2)	Irvine Valley College	Shippensburg University of Pennsylvania	University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign (3)
American University	James Cook University, Singapore	Simmons University (2)	University of Maryland, College Park
Augustana College	Johns Hopkins University	Skidmore College	University of Miami
Barnard College	Lebanon Valley College	St. Lawrence University	University of New Haven
Baylor University	Lehigh University	Stony Brook University	University of New Orleans
Berklee College of Music	Make-up Designory - New York	SUNY Albany	University of Oregon
Boston College	Maryland Institute College of Art	Syracuse University (3)	University of Pennsylvania (3)
Boston University (5)	McGill University	Temple University (3)	University of Pittsburgh (3)
Bryn Mawr College (3)	Michigan State University	The College of Wooster	University of Richmond
Bucknell University (2)	Millersville University of Pennsylvania (2)	The Cooper Union for Science & Art	University of Rochester (6)
California State University, Long Beach	Misericordia University	The George Washington University	University of San Francisco (2)
Carnegie Mellon University (3)	Moore College of Art and Design	The New School - All Divisions (3)	University of South Carolina - Columbia
Central Florida College	New York University (5)	The Ohio State University	University of Southern California
Clemson University	Northeastern University	The University of Arizona	University of St Andrews
Cornell University	Nova Southeastern University	The University of Edinburgh (2)	University of Toronto
Davidson College	Oxford College of Emory University	The Univ of North Carolina at Chapel Hill	University of Washington (3)
DePaul University	Pennsylvania State University (7)	The University of Tampa	University of Wisconsin, Madison
Drew University	Point Park University	University at Buffalo SUNY	Utica College
Drexel University (3)	Pratt Institute	University of California, Berkeley	Washington and Jefferson College
Duke University	Purdue University (8)	University of California, Los Angeles	Washington and Lee University
Duquesne University	Rhode Island School of Design	University of California, San Diego (3)	Washington University in St. Louis (2)
Elizabethtown College (2)	Roanoke College	University of California, Santa Barbara (2)	Wentworth Institute of Technology
Embry-Riddle Aeronautical University (2)	Rutgers University - New Brunswick (5)	University of California, Santa Cruz	Wesleyan University
Emerson College	Saint Joseph's University	University of Chicago (2)	Wheaton College IL
Fordham University (5)	Saint Leo University	University of Connecticut	William & Mary
Franklin & Marshall College (2)	Sarah Lawrence College	University of Delaware	Yale University
Georgia Institute of Technology	School of the Art Institute of Chicago (2)	University of Illinois at Chicago	Yonsei University
Gettysburg College	School of Visual Arts (2)		
Goucher College (3)	Seattle University		
Harvard College (2)			
High Point University			
Hofstra University			
Indiana University at Bloomington			