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Wolcott College Preparatory High School

High School Profile

2025-2026

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WOLCOTT COLLEGE PREPARATORY HIGH SCHOOL, founded in 2013, is Chicago's premier independent college-preparatory high school for talented students who learn differently, seek academic rigor, engage in extraordinary experiences across multiple disciplines, and participate in the culture and volunteerism that Chicago has to offer. Wolcott College Prep graduated its first cohort of students on June 2, 2016.

Wolcott School had an official name change to Wolcott College Preparatory High School in 2020.

2025-2026 ENROLLMENT AS OF AUGUST 20, 2025:

Seniors (Class of 2026) 30

Total Student Body 134

CAMPUS is located at 524 North Wolcott Avenue in Chicago, near Grand and Damen, and is easily accessible to city and suburban students, and faculty. The 30,000 square foot vintage property has undergone complete renovation. A 17,587 square foot Arts & Athletics Center is located on the campus at 1950 West Hubbard Street.

FACULTY: Wolcott College Prep employs 43 administrators and faculty; 70% hold a master's degree or above.

ACCREDITATION/ASSOCIATIONS: Independent School Association of Central States (ISACS), National Association of Independent Schools (NAIS), Lake Michigan Association of Independent Schools (LMAIS), Illinois State Board of Education-Recognition (ISBE), Illinois High School Association (IHSA), National Association for College Admission Counseling (NACAC), Illinois Association for College Admission Counseling (IACAC), registered with the NCAA Eligibility Center.

WOLCOTT COLLEGE PREP HIGHLIGHTS

- Class of 2025 awarded over \$11.6 millions dollars in scholarships
- Illinois State Board of Education's Multilingual Illinois State Seal of Biliteracy and/or Commendation Toward Biliteracy program
- National Science Foundation Grant Faculty member selected for the Illinois School Leader Pipeline Program sponsored by the Illinois Principals Association
- Faculty members serving on National Science Teaching Association High School Committee and the Shedd Aquarium Teacher Advisor Council
- Faculty member recognitions: 2025 CHADD (Children and Adults with ADHD) Educator of the Year; 24-25 Adobe Creative Educator Innovator Community; 23-24 Individual Artist Support grant from the Illinois Arts Council and the Chicago Department of Cultural Affairs and Special Events; 23-24 Educator ArtLab Residency Program at the Kansas City Art Institute; 23-24 Teacher in Residence at the Museum of Contemporary Art Chicago
- Faculty presenters: 24-25 National Council of Teacher of English Conference; 23-24 International Learning Disability Association Conference
- In partnership with the University of Chicago to research *The Hidden Underrepresented Group: Bringing AP Computer Science Principles to Students with Learning Differences*
- Bionic Wolves Robotics - Team selected to speak at 2023 National Championship FIRST conference in Houston; Team featured in *Galactic Builders*, YouTube series produced by Lucasfilm; Faculty member served as MC at FIRST Robotics Competition Einstein Finals
- US Department of Education Green Ribbon School; 2023 Project Green Schools Outdoor Classroom Challenge Finalists; Project Green Schools 2022 Lifetime Achievement Award presented to founding faculty member
- 2024-2025 IHSA Lakeshore Athletic League Conference Champions—Girls Cross Country and Girls Track & Field; 2024-2025 IHSA Sectional Qualifiers—Cross Country (Boys and Girls Teams)
- Marybeth Kravets, Director of College Counseling, Past President of NACAC and IACAC

SCHEDULE A VISIT AT WOLCOTT COLLEGE PREP: Contact Linda Jamrozky at (312) 610-4946 or ljamrozky@wolcottschool.org

TRANSCRIPT INFORMATION, GRADUATION REQUIREMENTS & PERFORMANCE DATA

GRADE POINT AVERAGE: Wolcott College Prep reports unweighted GPA on a 4.0 scale, including honors courses, and calculates GPA each semester. The grading system includes all courses taken with the exception of those taken Pass/Fail.

HONORS COURSES: Highest level of courses offered. Enrollment is based on prerequisites and recommendations.

ROTATING MODIFIED SCHEDULE: Classes meet 4 days each week for 50 minutes.

ACADEMIC YEAR: Two semesters. Official grades reported in late January and mid June.

CLASS RANK: Not calculated by Wolcott College Prep

TRANSFER GRADES AND CREDIT: Academic grades of students transferring into Wolcott College Prep are listed as Pass or Fail and earned credit is reported on the Wolcott College Prep transcript. Transfer grades are not included in the GPA.

DUAL CREDIT: Approved students may earn both high school and college credit for successfully completing college level courses when enrolled at a college or university. Grades and credit earned are reported on the Wolcott College Prep transcript.

TEST SCORES: Not included on transcripts or released to post-secondary institutions.

DISCIPLINARY RECORDS: Not shared by Wolcott College Prep.

ADDITIONAL ACADEMIC COURSES: 12th-grade students may request an exemption from Physical Education to enroll in an additional academic course. The course must align with the student's academic goals and can be accommodated within the existing course schedule. Overall course load must remain at eight courses in order to waive Physical Education. Waivers must be evaluated and approved by administration.

UNWEIGHTED GPA DISTRIBUTION CLASS OF 2026 (30 Students)

LOWEST	AVERAGE	HIGHEST
2.60	3.66	4.00

GRADING SCALE and TRANSCRIPT ABBREVIATIONS

	PERCENTAGE	G.P.A.
A	93-100	4.00
A-	90-92	3.66
B+	87-89	3.33
B	83-86	3.00
B-	80-82	2.66
C+	77-79	2.33
C	73-76	2.00
C-	70-72	1.66
D+	67-69	1.33
D	63-66	1.00
D-	60-62	0.66
F	59 -below	0.00

Abbreviations Used on Transcript

I Incomplete
P/F Pass/Fail
DC Dual Credit
*R Replacement
W Withdraw
WP Withdraw Passing

*Students may repeat a course where the original grade is C- or below. Only the higher of the two grades will be counted toward the GPA. Both courses will appear on the transcript. The lower grade will be replaced with the non-credit symbol "R".

GRADUATION REQUIREMENTS: HONORS COURSES:

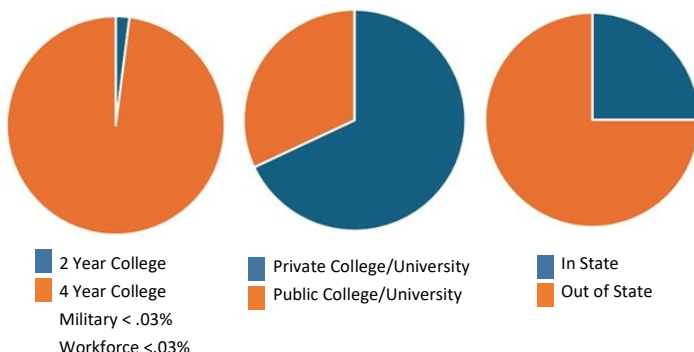
Students complete a minimum of 51 credits to meet graduation requirements. One credit is earned for each semester of study.

English	8 credits
Mathematics	8 credits
Science	6 credits
Social Studies	7 credits
World Language	4 credits
PE & Health and Wellness	8 credits
Learning Strategies	8 credits
Electives (in any discipline)	2 credits
Total Credits	51 credits

- English II (H)
- Advanced English III (H)
- Advanced English IV (H)
- Algebra II (H)
- Geometry (H)
- Pre-Calculus (H)
- Calculus I (H)
- Calculus II (H)
- Chemistry (H)
- Advanced Biology (H)
- Advanced Chemistry (H)
- Advanced Physics (H)
- U.S. History (H)
- Economics (H)
- Advanced Spanish V (H)

All course curriculum is at the college preparatory level or honors level.

CLASSES OF 2016 - 2025 Matriculation (299 Students)



EXTRACURRICULAR ACTIVITIES AND ATHLETICS

Boys IHSA Athletics: Basketball, Cross Country, Golf, Tennis, Track & Field, Volleyball

Girls IHSA Athletics: Basketball, Cross Country, Golf, Tennis, Track & Field, Volleyball

Co-ed Athletics: Hockey

Extracurricular Clubs and Activities: Anime Club, Asian Student Union, Basketball Club, Bee Club, Bionic Wolves, Black Student Union, Casa de Raza, Christian Collective, Culinary Club, e-Sports, Fashion Club, Feminist Club, Flag Football, Gender & Sexuality Alliance, Jewelry Making Club, Jewish Student Union, Marvel Club, National Honor Society, RC Club, Spark Sisters Robotics, Student Council, Tabletop Gaming, Trading Card Club, Vocal Club

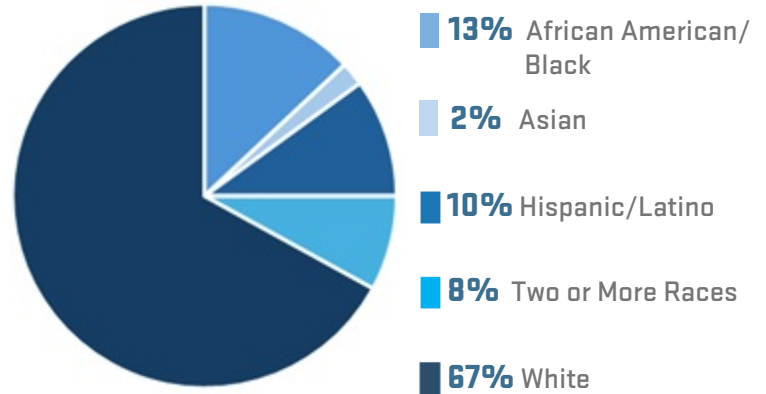
134 Total number of students
as of August 20, 2025

19 Number of students inducted into
the National Honor Society in 2025

100% Percentage of students involved in
extracurricular activities or clubs

51% Percentage of students receiving
need based financial assistance

RACIAL/ETHNIC BACKGROUNDS



80 Course Selections

15 Honors Level Courses

10 Average Class Size



One-to-One laptop
program for all students

STUDENTS MATRICULATE FROM

12

Religious-affiliated
Independent
Schools

30

Private
Independent
Schools

34

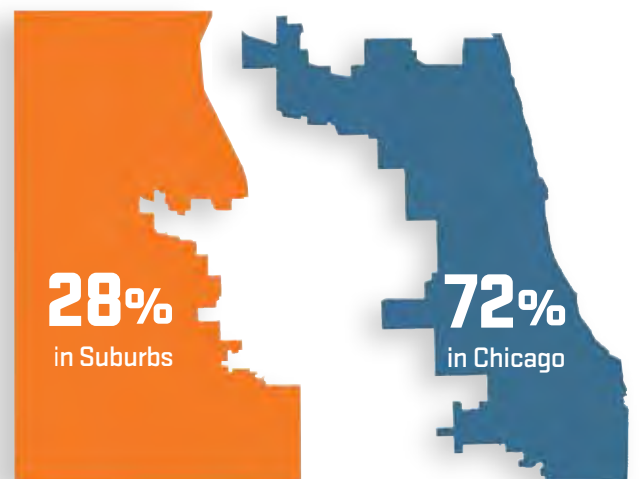
Public
Schools

Wolcott College Prep serves students from across Chicago and the suburbs. Students have matriculated from over 170 public, private and religious affiliated independent schools over the past 12 years, including schools from 10 other states, and internationally from Singapore, Malaysia, England, and France.

WHERE WOLCOTT STUDENTS RESIDE

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Zip Codes

Bartlett, Chicago, Clarendon Hills, Elmhurst, Evanston, Forest Park, Hammond, Highland Park, Itasca, Kenilworth, LaGrange, LaGrange Park, Naperville, Northbrook, Lake Forest, Oak Park, Orland Park, River Forest, Riverside, Skokie, Westmont, Wheaton, Wilmette, Winnetka



WOLCOTT COLLEGE PREP COLLEGE ADMISSIONS

2016—2025

Adelphi University
Agnes Scott University
Alabama A & M University
Alabama State University
Albion College
Allegheny College
American University
Appalachian State University
Arizona State University
Arrupe College
Auburn University
Augsburg University
Augustana College
Aurora University
Austin College
Ball State University
Bard College
Barry University
Bates College
Belmont University
Beloit College
Bennington College
Berry College
Boise State University
Boston University
Bowling Green State University
Bradley University
Brandeis University
Butler University
California College of the Arts
California Institute of the Arts
California Polytechnic State University
Calvin University
Canisius University
Carnegie Mellon University
Carroll University
Carthage College
Case Western Reserve University
Centenary College of Louisiana
Central State University
Chapman University
Chatham University
Chicago State University
Citadel Military College
City Colleges of Chicago
Clark Atlanta University
Clark University
Clemson University
Cleveland University
Cleveland Institute of Art
Coastal Carolina University
Coe College
Colby College
College for Creative Studies
College of Charleston
College of DuPage
College of Lake County
Colorado College
Colorado School of Mines
Colorado State College

Columbia College Chicago
Columbia College-Missouri
Cornell College
Cornell University
Cornish College of the Arts
Creighton University
Culinary Institute of America
Curry College
Davidson College
Dean College
Dennison University
DePaul University
DePauw University
Dickinson College
Dillard University
Dominican University
Dominican University of California
Drake University
Drexel University
Duquesne University
Earlham College
Eastern Illinois University
Eastern Kentucky University
Eastern Michigan University
Eckerd College
Edgewood College
Edward Waters College
Elmhurst University
Elon University
Embry-Riddle Aeronautical University
Emerson College
Emory and Henry College
Fairfield University
Fashion Institute of Technology
Ferris State University
Fisk University
Florida A & M University
Florida Southern University
Fordham University
Fort Valley State University
Fox Valley Technical College
Franklin and Marshall College
Furman University
George Fox University
George Mason University
George Washington University
Georgia Institute of Technology
Georgia State University
Gettysburg College
Gonzaga University
Goshen College
Goucher College
Grambling State University
Grand Valley State University
Grinnell College
Guilford College
Gustavus Adolphus College
Hampton University
High Point University
Hobart Williams Smith College

Hofstra University
Hope College
Howard University
Huntington University
Illinois Institute of Technology
Illinois State University
Illinois Wesleyan University
Indiana State University
Indiana University Bloomington
Indiana University Fort Wayne
Indiana University Indianapolis
Indiana University South Bend
Iowa State University
Ithaca College
James Madison University
John Carroll University
Johnson & Wales University
Johnson C. Smith University
Kalamazoo College
Kennesaw State University
Kent State University
Kenyon College
Knox College
Lafayette College
Lake Forest College
Landmark College
Lawrence University
Lehigh University
Lesley University
Lewis & Clark College
Lewis University
Liberty University
Life University
Long Island University
Longwood University
Loras College
Louisiana State University
Loyola Marymount University
Loyola University Chicago
Loyola University Maryland
Loyola University New Orleans
Lynn University
Macalester College
Maine Maritime Academy
Manhattan University
Manhattanville University
Marian University
Marist College
Marquette University
Massachusetts Maritime Academy
Mercyhurst Northeast
Miami University-Oxford
Michigan State University
Middlebury College
Middle Tennessee State University
Mills College
Milwaukee School of Engineering
Minnesota State University
Missouri State University
Mitchell College

WOLCOTT COLLEGE PREP COLLEGE ADMISSIONS (Continued)

Montana State University
Morehouse College
Muhlenberg College
Muskingum University
New York University
North Carolina A & T State University
North Central College
North Park College
Northeastern Illinois University
Northeastern University
Northern Arizona University
Northern Illinois University
Northern Michigan University
Northwestern University
Oakland University
Oberlin College
Occidental College
Ohio State University
Ohio Wesleyan University
Pace University
Pennsylvania State University
Pepperdine University
Pitzer College
Point Loma Nazarene University
Point Park University
Pratt Institute
Princeton University
Purdue University
Purdue University Fort Wayne
Quincy University
Quinnipiac University
Radford College
Reed College
Rhode Island School of Design
Rochester Institute of Technology
Roger Williams University
Rollins College
Roosevelt University
Rose-Hulman Institute of Technology
Rutgers University—Camden
Sacred Heart University
Saint Edward's University
Saint Francis University
Saint Louis University
Saint Mary's College
Saint-Mary-of-the-Woods College
St. Mary's University of Minnesota
Saint Norbert College
Saint Xavier University
San Diego State University
Santa Clara University
Sarah Lawrence College
Savannah College of Art & Design
School of the Art Institute of Chicago
Scripps College
Seattle University
Seton Hall University
Simmons University
Skidmore College
Southern Illinois University Carbondale
Southern Methodist University

Southern New Hampshire University
St. Catherine University
St. Olaf College
St. Ambrose University
St. John's College-Santa Fe
St. John's University-New York
Stetson University
Stillman College
Suffolk University
SUNY at Purchase College
SUNY College of Environmental Science & Forestry
Susquehanna University
Syracuse University
Temple University
Tennessee State University
Texas Christian University
Texas Tech University
The College of Wooster
The Landing School
Towson University
Tufts University
Tulane University
Union College
University College of Dublin
University of Aberdeen
University of Akron
University of Alabama
University of Arizona
University of California-Davis
University of California-Irvine
University of California-San Diego
University of California-Santa Barbara
University of California-Santa Cruz
University of Cincinnati
University of Connecticut
University of Colorado-Boulder
University of Dayton
University of Delaware
University of Denver
University of Dubuque
University of Edinburgh
University of Findlay
University of Hartford
University of Hawaii
University of Illinois-Springfield
University of Illinois-Urbana-Champaign
University of Illinois Chicago
University of Indianapolis
University of Iowa
University of Kansas
University of Kentucky
University of Maryland
University of Massachusetts-Amherst
University of Miami
University of Michigan-Ann Arbor
University of Minnesota-Twin Cities
University of Mississippi
University of Missouri-Columbia
University of Missouri-St. Louis
University of Nevada-Las Vegas

University of New Hampshire
University of New Mexico
University of North Carolina-Asheville
University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill
University of Oregon
University of Pennsylvania
University of Pittsburgh
University of Puget Sound
University of Redlands
University of Rhode Island
University of Rochester
University of San Diego
University of San Francisco
University of South Alabama
University of Southern California
University of South Carolina
University of St. Andrews (Scotland)
University of St. Francis
University of the Ozarks
University of the Pacific
University of Tampa
University of Tennessee-Chattanooga
University of Tennessee-Knoxville
University of Texas – Austin
University of Toledo
University of Utah
University of Vermont
University of Victoria
University of Washington
University of Wisconsin-Madison
University of Wisconsin-Milwaukee
University of Wisconsin-Oshkosh
University of Wisconsin-River Falls
University of Wisconsin-Stout
University of Wisconsin-Whitewater
Utah State University
Valparaiso University
Vanderbilt University
Vassar College
Villanova University
Virginia Commonwealth University
Virginia Polytechnic Institute
Wake Forest University
Washington University in St. Louis
Wayne State University
Wesleyan University
West Virginia University
Western Colorado University
Western Illinois University
Western Michigan University
Westminster College
Westminster College-UT
Wheelock College
Whitman College
Whittier College
Wofford College
Worcester Polytechnic Institute
Xavier University
Xavier University of Louisiana
Yeshiva University