

# LAKE OCONEE ACADEMY

School Profile - 2023-2024

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The mission of Lake Oconee Academy is to increase student achievement by building a culture of high expectations for all students.

Georgia Public Charter School 2014 National Blue Ribbon School Member of the College Board Accredited by AdvancED

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Lake Oconee Academy (LOA) opened in 2007 as a locally approved public charter school, with eleven kindergarten students. Now including grades PK 4-12 and more than eleven hundred students, with over 30% students of color and 22% on free/reduced lunch (which are not necessarily the same students), LOA has graduated four classes and over 250 alumni. LOA is known for academic excellence, competitive athletics, expressive arts, and students who thrive as scholars and citizens and contribute positively to their communities.

LOA's 50-acre campus sits on Carey Station Road in rural Greensboro, Georgia, halfway between Atlanta and Augusta.

For the 2022-23 school year, LOA graduates were awarded more than \$1 million in financial aid, not including the Georgia HOPE and Zell Miller Scholarships.

The LOA High School Faculty is comprised of 35 talented educators, 28 of whom hold advanced degrees, including 3 with doctorates.

#### LOA's Honor Code

"Recognizing that LOA was founded on these cornerstones of citizenship, scholarship, and community, students pledge to be honest, respectful, and act responsibly and with integrity."

#### College Acceptances and Matriculations: Classes of 2018-2023

(\* denotes matriculations)

Abraham Baldwin Agricultural College\* Agnes Scott College Athens Technical College\* Auburn University\* Augusta University Belmont University\* Berry College\* Boston University\* Butler University\* Clemson University\* Coastal Carolina University College of Charleston\* College of Coastal Georgia\* Columbia University\* Covenant College\*

Drexel University\*

Emmanuel College

Florida State University Georgia College and State University\* Georgia Gwinnett College Georgia Institute of Technology\* Georgia Southern University\* Georgia State University\* Kennesaw Sate University\* LaGrange College\* Mars Hill University\* Massachusetts College of Art & Design\* Mercer University\* North Carolina A & T University\* Northeastern University\* Oglethorpe University\* Pennsylvania State University\* Piedmont University\* Purdue University\*

Samford University\* Savannah College of Art and Design Shorter University\* Temple University\* Toccoa Falls College\* Tulane University University of Chicago\* United States Naval Academy\* University of Alabama\* University of California Irvine University of California Santa Barbara University of Colorado Boulder\* University of Colorado Colorado Springs University of Florida University of Georgia\*

University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill

University of Mississippi

University of North Carolina at Charlotte\* University of North Georgia\* University of South Carolina\* University of St Andrews\* University of Tennessee University of Tennessee-Chattanooga\* University of Tennessee at Martin\* University of Utah\* University of Virginia\* University of West Georgia\* University Of Wisconsin-Madison\* Valdosta State University\* Virginia Polytechnic Institute and State University\* Wake Forest\* Western Carolina\*

William and Mary\*

Young Harris College\*

	2020-21	2021-22	2022-23
Composite	1113	1076	1058
ERW	571	552	549
Math	542	522	509
	ERW	Composite 1113  ERW 571	Composite         1113         1076           ERW         571         552

#### **AP TESTING RESULTS**

	HS Enrollment	AP Testers	Exams Taken	%3 or higher
2020-21	262	121	259	71%
2021-22	262	121	271	74%
2022-23	281	127	243	82%

# HIGH SCHOOL CURRICULUM

# **English**

Ninth Grade Literature
Tenth Grade Literature
Honors 10th Grad Literature
American Literature
Multi-Cultural Literature AP
English Language
AP English Literature
AP Seminar

# **Social Sciences**

World Geography

World History
US History
American Government
Economics
AP Human Geography
AP Psychology
AP World History
AP US History
AP American Government

AP American Governmen

AP Comparative Government

**AP Micro Economics** 

AP Macro Economics

# Science

Physical Science Biology Chemistry

Physics

**Environmental Science** 

Human Anatomy

Forensics

AP Biology

AP Chemistry

AP Environmental Science

AP Physics I-II, C

AP Computer Science Principles

AP Computer Science A

CEEB: 111496

# **Mathematics**

Algebra I
Geometry
Algebra II
Advance Financial Algebra
Algebra Support
Statistical Reasoning
AP Pre-Calculus
AP Statistics
AP Calculus AB
AP Calculus BC

# **World Languages**

Spanish I-V AP Spanish Language AP Spanish Literature

# **Fine and Performing Arts**

Visual Arts I-IV Ceramics & Sculpture Photography & Digital Design I-III AP Studio Art (2D & 3D) AP Studio Art - Drawing AP Music Theory Musical Theater I-IV

Theater Production Tech Concert Band

# Electives

Introduction to Business and Technology Legal Environment of Business Entrepreneurship and Marketing Audio/ Video Technology and Film I-III Engineering I-III Robotics I-II Creative Writing Journalism/Yearbook Mentorship Event Planning Work-Based Learning

Advanced Weight Training

**Introduction to Lifetime Sports** 

# **GRADUATION REQUIREMENTS**

24 Total Credits

4 <u>units each</u> - English, Math, Social Studies, Science, Electives 3 <u>units</u> - Foreign Language 1/2 <u>unit each</u> - Health & Fitness 70 Hours of Service

Students are required to take a minimum of 6 courses each year with a maximum of 8 courses.

# **GRADING**

Score: A=90-100

B=89-80

C = 79-70

F = Below 70(no credit)

#### **GPA COMPUTATION**

GPA is computed on a 4.0 scale, with an additional 1.0 quality point given for AP courses and 0.5 quality point for Honors and Dual Enrollment courses.

# ORGANIZATIONS ATHLETICS

Baseball Beta **FBLA** Basketball FCA Cheer National Honor Society **Cross Country** Pep/Jazz Band Football Student Government Golf Governor's Honors Soccer Thirst Project Softball Clay Target Team Tennis Chick-fil-A Academy Volleyball Multicultural Club One Act Literary Chess Club

# LOA CLASS OF 2023

64 Graduates

4 YR COLLEGES- 80% 2 YR COLLEGES- 16% MILITARY- 2% WORKFORCE- 2%

Over 3,500 service hours completed

84% qualified for the HOPE Scholarship