

# LIPSCOMB ACADEMY

"I am lucky to have found a school like Lipscomb Academy. I am continually challenged to be the best me, on the field and inside the classroom. It takes hard work, but with a community like Mustang Nation, I feel like I am setup to succeed."

Student

Private School

# Lipscomb Academy Tennessee

Lipscomb Academy is a private coeducational day school in Nashville, Tennessee, serving students in grades 9–12 and postgraduate. The school is known for its strong college-preparatory academics, broad athletics offerings, and comprehensive arts programs.



PRIVATE



COED



CITY



SPORTS



ARTS



DIPLOMA YEAR

## Quick Facts

**Founded: 1891**

**Niche.com Score: A**

**Students: Co-educational**

**Climate: Mild winters / Hot summers**

**Population: 700,000**

**School Population: 1,262**

**High School Population: 420**

**Accepting students: Grade 9-12, PG**

**Diploma Year offered: Yes**

**Interview required? Yes**

**English as Second Language (ESL) support: No**

**University Acceptance rate: 98%**

## Academic Excellence

Lipscomb Academy delivers a rigorous college-preparatory curriculum supported by an 11:1 student-teacher ratio and an average class size of 15. Students have access to a wide range of **Advanced Placement courses** across sciences, mathematics, humanities, and social sciences. Approximately 70% of faculty members hold advanced degrees, ensuring consistent academic quality and support. Students may also enroll in **the Endeavor Program**, which combines traditional classroom instruction with online coursework to provide flexible scheduling and personalized academic pathways.

## Student Accomplishments

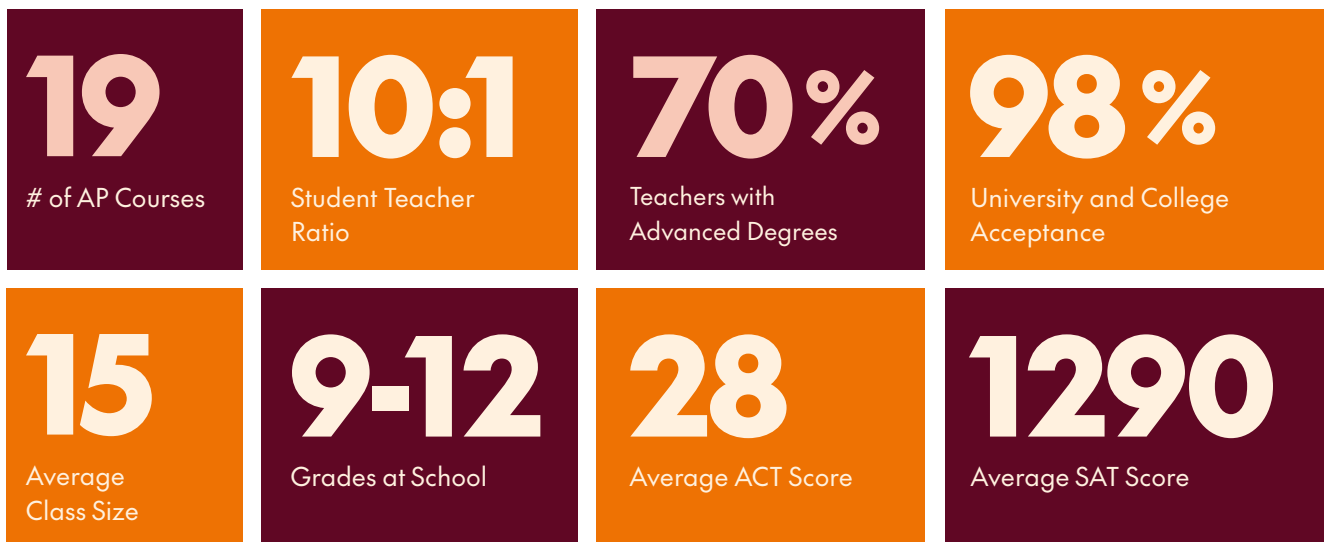
- Ranked among the top 20% of private schools in Tennessee for highest average ACT scores
- Recognized for offering one of the largest selections of interscholastic sports in the state
- Consistently strong academic and extracurricular participation across the student body

## Recent University Acceptances

- Auburn University
- Baylor University
- Boston College
- Carnegie Mellon University
- Clemson University
- Cornell University
- Georgetown University
- Georgia Institute of Technology
- Johns Hopkins University
- The Juilliard School
- Lipscomb University
- New York University
- Pepperdine University
- Purdue University
- Rice University
- Stanford University
- University of California, Irvine
- University of California, San Diego
- University of Georgia
- University of Southern California
- University of Tennessee
- Vanderbilt University
- Yale University



## Stats



## Campus Facilities

Lipscomb Academy's campus includes **modern academic buildings, science laboratories, arts studios, and extensive athletic facilities.** A key feature is a 25,000-square-foot indoor athletic training center that supports year-round conditioning and team development. The campus is designed to accommodate a large student population while maintaining dedicated spaces for academics, athletics, and creative pursuits. Facilities support both daily instruction and extracurricular programming across multiple disciplines.

## Athletics and Arts

Athletics are a central component of student life at Lipscomb Academy, with more than 95% of eligible students participating in at least one sport. Teams compete across a wide range of interscholastic sports in a moderately competitive environment that emphasizes commitment, teamwork, and physical development.

Lipscomb Academy offers extensive programs in visual and performing arts, providing structured pathways for creative development alongside academic study. Students may pursue coursework in visual arts, theater, and music, supported by specialized facilities and performance opportunities.



## Highlights

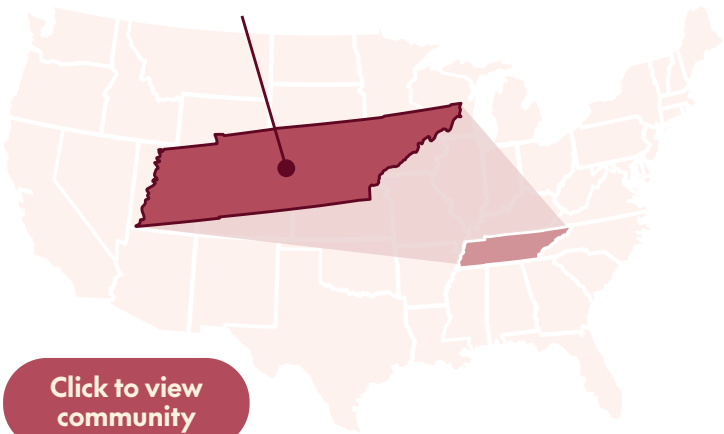
**Sports: American Football, Baseball, Basketball, Bowling, Cheerleading, Cross Country Running, Fishing, Golf, Ice Hockey, Soccer, Softball, Swimming, Tennis, Track and Field, Trap, Volleyball**

**Arts: 2D Design, 3D Design, Art - Beginner, Graphic Design, Painting, Photography, Studio Art, Textile, Theater Aural and Composition, Band, Chorus, Music Academy, Music Fundamentals, Music Theory, Orchestra**

**Advanced Placement courses: Biology, Calculus AB, Calculus BC, Chemistry, Computer Science, English Language and Composition, English Literature and Composition, European History, Human Geography, Macroeconomics, Physics 1, Pre-calculus, Psychology, Seminar, Statistics, Studio Art, US Government and Politics, US History, World History**

## Community

Nashville is a major U.S. city with a population of approximately 700,000 and a strong cultural and educational presence. Students benefit from access to **museums, music venues, and universities** in the area. **Nashville International Airport** provides convenient domestic and international connections. The city offers a balance of urban opportunities and residential neighborhoods suitable for student life.



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## Climate in Nashville

Humid subtropical climate with hot, humid summers, generally mild winters, and rainfall spread throughout the year.



"Lipscomb has made it easy for me to have a flexible schedule to give me time to do things I like to do. Through Endeavor I have been able to go to the elementary school to be able to learn about the possibility of me becoming a teacher one day."

Student

"Lipscomb Academy's faculty and staff are not only looking at academics, but rather is looking to develop me as a person both academically and spiritually."

Student

### Video

Learn more about the school

