

Florida State University
Fordham University
George Mason University
 Hawaii Pacific University
 Hollins University
 Indiana University, Bloomington
Indiana University,
Jacobs School of Music
 Institute of the Arts, Barcelona
 Iowa State University
 Ithaca College
 Jefferson College
 Johns Hopkins University
 Kansas City Art Institute
 Laguna College of Art & Design
 LIM College
 Liverpool Institute for Performing Arts
 Long Island University, Brooklyn
 Long Island University, Post
Loyola Marymount University
 Loyola University, New Orleans
Lynn University
Macalester College
Manhattan School of Music
 Maryland Institute College of Art
 Marymount Manhattan College
 Massachusetts College of Art & Design
 Michigan State University
Mills College
Mount Holyoke College
 Muhlenberg College
 Nazareth College
 New England Conservatory
New York Film Academy
 New York University, Abu Dhabi
New York University, Tisch School of the Arts
 Northeastern University
Northwestern University
Oberlin Conservatory of Music
Ohio State University
Otis College of Art & Design
 Pace University
 Pacific Northwest College of Art
 Pennsylvania State University
 Point Park University
Pratt Institute
Purchase College, SUNY

Rambert School of Ballet
& Contemporary Dance
 Regent's University London
Rhode Island School of Design
 Rochester Institute of Technology
 Roosevelt University, Chicago College
 of Performing Arts
Royal College of Music
Royal Conservatoire of Scotland
 Royal Welsh College of Music and Drama
 Rutgers University, Mason Gross
 School of the Arts
San Diego State University
 San Francisco Art Institute
 San Francisco Conservatory of Music
 San Francisco State University
Sarah Lawrence College
 Savannah College of Art & Design
School of the Art Institute of Chicago
School of Visual Arts
 Sierra Nevada College
 Skidmore College
Southern Methodist University,
Meadows School of the Arts
 Southern Oregon University
 Stetson University
 Stonehill College
Suffolk University
 SUNY Buffalo
 SUNY Purchase
Syracuse University
The New School of Jazz
The New School, Eugene Lang College
of Liberal Arts
The New School, Mannes School of Music
The New School, Parsons School of Design
 The Peabody Institute of Johns Hopkins University
 Trinity Laban Conservatoire of Music & Dance
University of Applied Sciences Europe, Berlin
 University of Arizona
University of Auckland
 University of Brighton
University of California, Berkeley
University of California, Irvine
University of California, Los Angeles
 University of California, Merced
 University of California, Riverside

University of California, San Diego
University of California, Santa Barbara
 University of California, Santa Cruz
University of Cincinnati,
College-Conservatory of Music
 University of Colorado, Boulder
 University of Denver
University of Hartford
 University of Hawaii
 University of Hawaii, Manoa
 University of Illinois, Chicago
 University of Maryland, Baltimore County
 University of Massachusetts, Amherst
University of Miami, Frost School of Music
University of Miami
University of Montana
 University of North Carolina School of the Arts
 University of Oregon
 University of Pittsburgh
 University of Puget Sound
 University of Redlands
University of Rochester
University of San Francisco
University of Southern California,
Roski School of Art & Design
University of Southern California,
School of Cinematic Arts
University of Southern California,
Thornton School of Music
 University of Southampton
 University of the Arts
University of the Arts London,
Central Saint Martins
 University of the Arts London,
 Chelsea College of Arts
University of the Arts London,
London College of Fashion
 University of the Pacific
 University of Utah, College of Fine Arts
 University of Washington
University of the West of England, Bristol
 University of Wisconsin, Madison
 Vancouver Film School
 Vanguard University
 Wagner College
 Webster University
 Westminster University

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Profile for College, Conservatory, and University Admissions 2020-2021

Changing lives through the transformative power of art

Idyllwild Arts Academy offers rigorous arts training and a comprehensive college preparatory curriculum to a diverse student body of gifted young artists from all over the world. **The Academy is a coeducational boarding and day school of approximately 320 students in grades 9-12 & Postgraduate who pursue artistic excellence in Creative Writing, Dance, Film & Digital Media, InterArts/Fashion Design, Music, Theatre, or Visual Arts.** Founded as a summer program in 1946 by Max and Beatrice Krone, Idyllwild Arts aims to promote and advance artistic and cultural development through education in a beautiful, natural environment. Idyllwild Arts Academy opened its doors in 1986 as one of only three residential arts high schools in the United States. It is now an internationally recognized school, with students representing **34 countries** and **20 states**. Bringing diverse groups together to gain a worldly perspective through the common language of the arts is at the heart of the Krones' vision. Idyllwild Arts has educated a distinguished body of alumni who are now pursuing excellence in their chosen career fields.

Idyllwild Arts Overview

Idyllwild Arts students study arts and academics with an appreciation for their complementary nature. Days are full: students take academic classes in the morning and arts classes in the afternoon. **A typical school day extends from 8:30am-6:45pm.** Evening activities include rehearsals, lectures, performances, and study hours. On weekends, students have additional arts classes, private lessons, auditions, masterclasses, field trips, competitions, or independent projects. Idyllwild Arts regularly hosts premier guest artists from around the world.

Classes are taught on a **weekly block schedule** and a **two semester year**.

Idyllwild Arts Academy is accredited by WASC and CAIS.

IDYLLWILD ARTS BY THE NUMBERS

Idyllwild Arts offers weighted honors courses beginning in 10th grade. Admission to all honors courses is through placement testing and teacher recommendation. A grade of C- or higher is required to advance in all World Language, Math, and AEP courses.

HONORS OFFERED

Advanced Biology, Calculus, Calculus II, Chemistry, English 10, English 11, French III, French IV, French V, Literature of Western Thought, Modern World History, Music Theory III, Physics, Pre-Calculus, Spanish III, Spanish IV, Spanish V, US Government & Economics, US History

LETTER	NUMERIC	UNW	W (H)
A	100-93	4.0	5.0
A-	92-90	3.7	4.7
B+	89-87	3.3	4.3
B	86-83	3	4
B-	82-80	2.7	3.7
C+	79-77	2.3	3.3
C	76-73	2	3
C-	72-70	1.7	2.7
D	69-60	1	1
F	59-0	0	0

CLASS SIZES

9th: 39
10th: 66
11th: 97
12th: 86
Postgraduate: 3

DEMOGRAPHICS

Student Body: 291
Domestic: 132
International: 159
Boarding: 251
Day: 40

DEPARTMENT SIZES

Creative Writing: 11
Dance: 22
Film & Digital Media: 27
InterArts/Fashion Design: 40
Music: 63
Theatre: 50
Visual Arts: 78

Citizenships / Countries Represented at IAA

Australia, Austria, Bermuda, Bolivia, Brazil, Bulgaria, China, Colombia, Costa Rica, Georgia, Germany, Hong Kong, Hungary, India, Iran, Jamaica, Japan, Kazakhstan, Korea, Malaysia, Mexico, Portugal, Russia, Slovakia, South Africa, Spain, Taiwan, Thailand, Turkey, Ukraine, United Kingdom, United States, Uzbekistan, Vietnam

DEAN'S LIST: 3.7 or above, no Cs or below

HONOR ROLL: 3.3 or above, 1 C and nothing below

CLASS RANK

Idyllwild Arts does not rank students, as we have students enrolling at all grade levels from varying educational backgrounds.

COVID-19 CONTEXT

Students finished the Spring 2020 semester online, which required many students to take classes at odd hours because that they were all over the globe. The Fall 2020 semester started online in September for all students. Some transitioned back to campus in October, while others will remain online the entire semester. Once again, this has resulted in an atypical schedule for many students.

CLASS OF 2020 IAA GPAs

Mean: 3.78
Median: 3.81
High: 4.34
On a weighted 4.0 scale

Curriculum and Program Features

Our courses meet or exceed the University of California minimum admissions standards. The Head of School, arts department chairs, and college counselors work closely with students to guide them on their path to college, university, conservatory, or professional work.

Students will also fulfill the requirements to earn an **arts certificate** in addition to their diploma. Though expectations vary by major, all students complete a comprehensive study of the history, theory, and practice of their art field. Students are active members of their departments: they participate, create, rehearse, design, and perform collaboratively. Seniors work toward a culminating artistic project.

The innovative curriculum at Idyllwild Arts provides students with opportunities to explore subjects in greater depth and independence. Special programs include:

Accelerated English Program (AEP): The Accelerated English Program provides quality instruction to non-native English speakers so that they may meet the academic requirements for graduation prescribed by the University of California admissions standards. Students gain proficiency in oral and written English so that they can succeed in mainstream academic courses.

Arts Enterprise Laboratory (AEL): The Arts Enterprise Laboratory provides students with grants to fund new works of art. Students can write a grant proposal to receive AEL funding for an artistic project beyond the scope of their required classwork. The proposal asks students to consider all aspects of an artistic production including design, implementation, budgeting, and marketing.

Art in Society: The Art in Society program encourages young artists to consider social engagement and the way artistic and creative thinking can inspire positive change in the world. Students who successfully complete the program graduate with the distinction in Global Arts, Action, and Social Entrepreneurship. Requirements include attending seminar events and participating in community service.

Creative Technology: The Creative Technology Program allows students the opportunity to engage with new and emerging technologies and explore the ways those technologies can be integrated into the arts and their lives. Students learn laser cutting, virtual reality, 3D printing, drone operation, robotics, CNC routing, and Arduino boards.

2018-2020 COLLEGE ACCEPTANCES

SCHOOLS IN **BOLD** INDICATE MATRICULATION

American Academy of Dramatic Arts
American Musical and Dramatic Academy
Arizona State University
Art Center College of Design
Arts University Bournemouth
Azusa Pacific University
Ball State University
Bard College
Belmont University
Bennington College
Berklee College of Music
Biola University
Boston Conservatory at Berklee
Boston University
Brandeis University
California Baptist University

California College of the Arts
California Institute of the Arts
California Lutheran University
California Polytechnic State University, San Luis Obispo
California State University, Fullerton
California State University, Long Beach
California State University, Monterey Bay
California State University, Northridge
Camberwell College of Arts
Case Western Reserve University
Chapman University
Clark University
Cleveland Institute of Music
College of Advertising & Design, Brussels
Columbia College Chicago

Columbia College Hollywood
Columbus State University
Cornell University
Cornish College of the Arts
Creighton University
Dell'Arte International School of Physical Theatre
DePaul University
DeSales University
Dominican University
Drake University
Drexel University
Duke Kunshan University
Eastman School of Music
Elon University
Emerson College
Fashion Institute of Technology