



## CHATHAM HALL SCHOOL PROFILE

Established in 1894, Chatham Hall is an independent girls' boarding school for students in grades 9–12. We believe that when a young woman steps beyond the boundary of her own comfort zone, she realizes the true power of her potential. Every day across campus, you'll discover your individual passions, learn to balance joy with challenge, gratitude with ambition, and to champion each other as you begin to weave together informed perspectives that will make up your worldview. With endless opportunities illuminated before you, you'll feel confident taking the first steps toward a life that is all your own.

**150**

Students from  
22 states &  
11 countries

**8**

Average  
Class Size

**5:1**

Student:Teacher  
Ratio

**72%**

Faculty Holding  
Advanced Degrees

**93%**

Boarding  
Students

***Chatham Hall's mission is to equip curious thinkers to lead lives of impact.***

### Leadership

Rachel A. Connell, Rector  
Martha Griswold, Dean of Academics  
Marin Miller, Dean of Students  
Wynne Overton, Chief Enrollment Officer  
Dr. Erin M. McHugh, Dean of College Counseling  
Beth Barksdale, Chaplain  
Beth Stefanik, Chief Communications Officer  
Christine Knight, Chief Advancement Officer  
Jennifer Hiltwine, Chief Financial Officer

### Living Well

Chatham Hall has a belief and commitment that health, wellness, and balance should be at the center of all we do. This mindset allows us to infuse wellness into campus life to develop exciting opportunities in curricula and academic programs, initiatives for afternoon activities, and themes for our grade-level programs. Students are encouraged to be mindful when selecting their academic schedule to allow them to dive deep into the areas that interest them, while still allowing for exploration.

### Honor Code

Chatham Hall students, faculty, administration, and staff are committed to the cultivation of honor, integrity, and responsibility. We do this by embracing and adhering to the Purple & Golden Rule and our Honor Code: I will not lie. I will not cheat. I will not steal. I will report all infractions of honor.

**2**

Academic Semesters  
(plus January Term)

**160**

Minutes Spent in Each  
Class Each Week

**3**

Co-Curricular  
Activity Terms

**21**

Advanced  
Courses

**1**

Student-Taught  
GIRLS' Day

## 2021-2022 COURSES

### English

Humanities: Literature 9 & 10  
English III: American Literature electives (semester)  
The Black Swan Experience  
American Ghosts  
I, the People: James Baldwin  
Social Critics: American Women Writers and Artists  
Advanced English III: American Literature and Rhetoric  
English IV electives (semester)  
Who Dunit?  
The Films of Alfred Hitchcock  
The Documentary Idea  
Foodie Film & Literature  
Advanced English IV electives (semester)  
Gothic Archetypes & Icons  
Shakespeare's Tragedies  
History of Science Fiction  
Shakespeare's Comedies  
Creative Writing I, II, & III  
Journalism

### World Languages

Chinese I, II, III  
Advanced Chinese  
French I, II, III, IV  
Latin I, II, III, IV  
Advanced Latin: Capstone Reading  
Spanish I, II, III  
Spanish IV/V: Spanish Short Story  
Advanced Spanish: Hispanic Heritage

### Science

Physics  
Physics Honors  
Chemistry  
Biology  
Advanced Physics  
Advanced Chemistry  
Advanced Biology  
Chemistry & Art (semester)  
Neurobiology (semester)  
Anatomy & Physiology (semester)  
Forensics (semester)

### History & Social Sciences

Humanities 9: World History  
Humanities 10: European History  
Advanced European History  
US History electives (semester)  
Foundations  
Ethnic Studies  
1918-1969  
Environmental History  
Advanced US History: Triumph & Tragedy  
Psychology  
Ethics Research Seminar (semester)  
World Religions (semester)  
International Relations (semester)  
Women & Gender Studies (semester)  
Business & Economics (semester)  
Global Entrepreneurship I, II  
Global Scholars Capstone (semester)

### Mathematics

Algebra I, II  
Geometry  
Probability & Statistics  
Precalculus  
Precalculus Honors  
Calculus  
Advanced Calculus  
Advanced Statistical Analysis  
Advanced Mathematics (semester)  
Multivariable Calculus  
Linear Algebra and Differential Equations  
Advanced Computer Science Applications  
Advanced Computer Science Coding

### Arts

Art & Design I, II, III, IV  
Photography I, II, III  
Advanced Art Portfolio  
Advanced Photography Portfolio  
Introduction to CAD/CAM (semester)  
Makerspace (semester)  
Yearbook  
Dance  
St. Mary's Choir  
Vocal/Instrument Lessons  
Dance  
Fall Play  
Winter Musical  
Spring Theatre Collaborative

## CURRICULAR HIGHLIGHTS

### January Term

Starting in the 2021-2022 school year, Chatham Hall is adding a 3-week January Term. Students will learn important life skills in areas such as personal finance, health, and career development, as well as take classes aligned with areas of interest.

### Research Opportunities

Through our Discovery Challenge, iQuest, Hallam Hurt Travel Award programs, and Global Scholars Program, Chatham Hall students may explore a question of importance through experiential learning. These programs often require in-depth research, study, extensive documentation, and sometimes travel. All four programs require students to present their findings to the School community.

### Advanced Courses

Advanced Courses are designed and taught at the college level, and students must either apply or be recommended for these classes. Advanced Courses allow our faculty and students much greater input and flexibility in the breadth and depth of their studies, as well as the independence to undertake research on topics that may not be covered in depth as determined by the College Board. Students may elect to take AP exams in May, but must prepare independently.

### Academic Support

CAMS is our academic support program designed for students who have an identified learning difference or demonstrate a skill deficit that would impact their ability to optimize success in the classroom.

# CLASS OF 2022 ACADEMIC MEASURES

## SAT Results

	Mid 50% Range	Mean
EBRW/Math	1101-1330	1216

## Section Scores

EBRW	565-665	615
Math	526-675	601

## ACT Results

	Mid-Range	Mean
Composite	23-31	26.9
English	23-33	27.7
Math	20-29	25.0
Reading	24-34	28.6
Science Reasoning	21-31	25.9

## Cumulative Junior Year Grade Distribution\*

### Class Size: 39

1st Quarter: 3.85 - 4.17  
2nd Quarter: 3.63 - 3.83  
3rd Quarter: 3.44 - 3.61  
4th Quarter: 2.76 - 3.42

*\*We do not rank our students due to small class size, all classes are unweighted.*

## Graduation Requirements

- **English** - 4 years
- **History & Social Science** - 4 years, including Religious Studies, U.S. History, & Ethics
- **Mathematics** - 3 years, including Algebra II
- **World Language** - 3 years of 1 language or 2 years 2 languages (taken between grades 9-12)
- **Science** - 3 years, including Physics, Chemistry, & Biology
- **Arts** - 1 year
- **Athletics** - 4 years

## OUR LOCATION

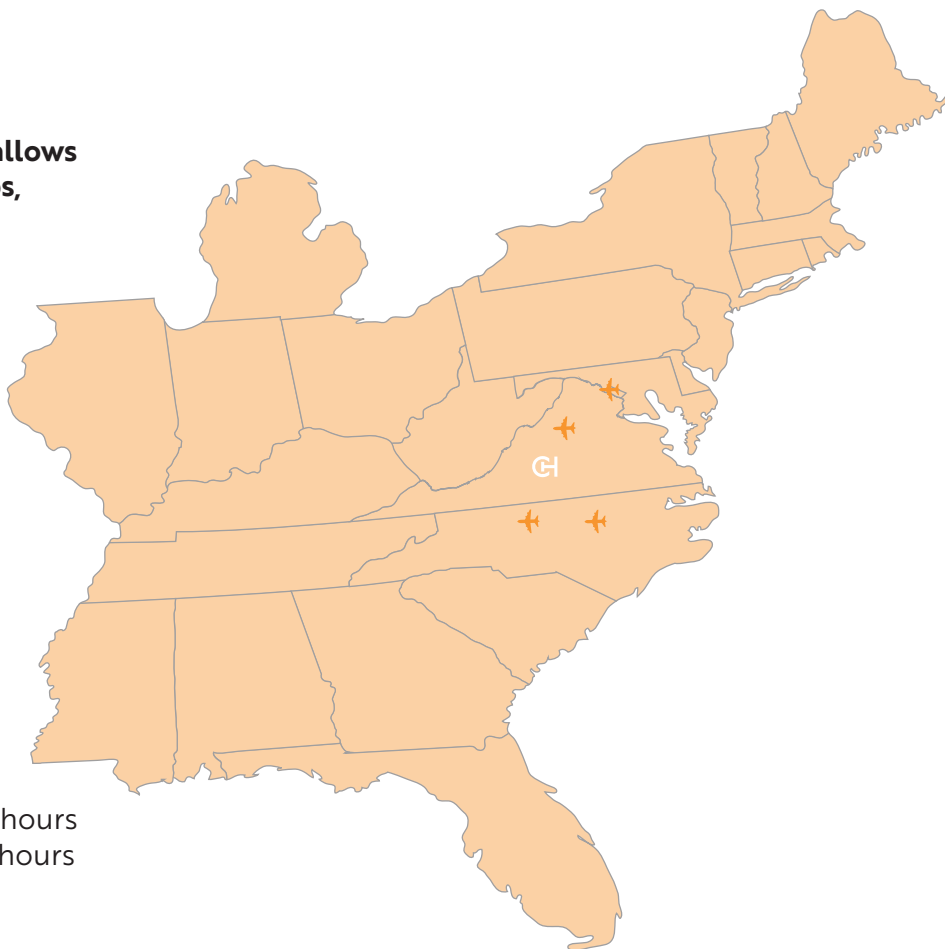
**Our unique location on 362 scenic acres allows for thoughtful reflection, deep friendships, and a break from the typical distractions.**

Chatham, Va. is conveniently located to:

Danville, Va. - 20 mins  
Lynchburg, Va. - 45 mins  
Roanoke, Va. - 1.5 hours  
Charlottesville, Va. - 2 hours  
Richmond, Va. (State Capital) - 3 hours  
Greensboro, NC - 1 hour  
Chapel Hill, NC - 1.5 hours  
Durham, NC - 1.5 hours  
Winston-Salem, NC - 1.5 hours  
Raleigh, NC - 2 hours

### AIRPORTS

Lynchburg Regional (LYH) - 45 mins  
Piedmont Triad International (GSO) - 1.25 hours  
Raleigh-Durham International (RDU) - 1.5 hours  
Dulles International (IAD) - 4 hours



# CLASSES OF 2018–2021 COLLEGE ACCEPTANCES

Agnes Scott College  
**Alabama A&M University**  
 Alfred University  
**American University**  
**Amherst College**  
**Amsterdam University College**  
**Arizona State University**  
**Auburn University**  
 Austin College  
 Babson College  
**Bard College**  
**Barnard College**  
 Baylor University  
 Belmont University  
 Bennington College  
**Boston College**  
**Boston University**  
 Bradley University  
**Brandeis University**  
 Bryn Mawr College  
 Carleton University  
 Carnegie Mellon University  
**Case Western Reserve University**  
 Catawba College  
 Catholic University of America  
 Centre College  
 Chatham University  
**Christopher Newport University**  
**Claremont McKenna College**  
**Clemson University**  
 Coastal Carolina University  
 Colby College  
 Colgate University  
**College of Charleston**  
**College of Wooster**  
 Colorado College  
 Concordia University (Montreal)  
 Connecticut College  
**Cornell University**  
 Dalhousie University  
**Denison University**  
 DePauw University  
 Dickinson College  
 Drew University  
**Drexel University**  
 Duquesne University  
 Edinburgh Napier University  
 Elmira College  
**Elon University**  
 Embry-Riddle Aeronautical University  
**Emory University**  
 Endicott College  
**Fairfield University**  
 Florida State University  
 Fordham University  
 Franklin & Marshall College  
**Furman University**  
 George Mason University  
**George Washington University**  
 Georgetown University  
**Georgia Institute of Technology**  
 Gettysburg College  
 Guilford College

**Hamilton College**  
 Hampshire College  
**Harvard University**  
 Hawaii Pacific University  
 High Point University  
 Hobart & William Smith Colleges  
 Hofstra University  
 Howard University  
**Illinois Wesleyan University**  
 Ithaca College  
**James Madison University**  
 John Cabot University  
 Kenyon College  
 King's College London  
 Lehigh University  
**Liberty University**  
 Longwood University  
 Louisiana State University  
 Loyola Marymount University  
**Loyola University Maryland**  
 Marist College  
**Maryland Institute College of Art**  
 Massachusetts College of Art & Design  
 McGill University  
**Meredith College**  
 Merrimack College  
**Miami University (Oxford)**  
 Michigan State University  
 Middlebury College  
**Montclair State University**  
 Mount Allison University  
**Mount Holyoke College**  
 New Jersey Institute of Technology  
 New School  
**New York University**  
 North Carolina A & T State University  
**North Carolina State University**  
 Northeastern University  
 Oberlin College  
 Ohio State University  
**Oregon State University**  
 Oxford College of Emory University  
**Pace University (New York City)**  
**Pennsylvania State University**  
 Pepperdine University  
**Pomona College**  
 Portland State University  
 Princeton University  
 Purdue University  
**Quinnipiac University**  
 Randolph College  
**Randolph-Macon College**  
 Reed College  
 Rensselaer Polytechnic Institute  
**Rhode Island School of Design**  
**Rhodes College**  
**Rice University**  
 Roanoke College  
**Rochester Institute of Technology**

Rollins College  
**Rose-Hulman Institute of Technology**  
 Royal Holloway, University of London  
 Santa Clara University  
 Sarah Lawrence College  
**Savannah College of Art & Design**  
 School of Visual Arts  
 Scripps College  
 Seattle University  
**Sewanee: The University of the South**  
 Smith College  
**Southern Methodist University**  
 Spelman College  
**St. Andrews University**  
 St. Bonaventure University  
 St. John's College  
**Stevenson University**  
 Stony Brook University (SUNY)  
 SUNY at Albany  
 SUNY at Binghamton  
**Sweet Briar College**  
 Syracuse University  
 Temple University  
 Tennessee State University  
**Texas Christian University**  
 Texas Tech University  
 Trinity University  
**Tufts University**  
**Tulane University of Louisiana**  
**University of Alabama**  
 University of Alaska  
 Anchorage  
 University of Arizona  
 University of Bristol  
 University of British Columbia  
**University of California (Berkeley)**  
 University of California (Davis)  
 University of California (Irvine)  
 University of California (Los Angeles)  
 University of California (San Diego)  
**University of California (Santa Barbara)**  
**University of California (Santa Cruz)**  
**University of Central Florida**  
 University of Cincinnati  
**University of Colorado Boulder**  
 University of Dallas  
 University of Delaware  
**University of Denver**  
 University of Edinburgh  
**University of Glasgow**  
 University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign  
 University of Kent  
**University of Kentucky**  
 University of Louisville  
**University of Lynchburg**  
 University of Maine  
 University of Mary Washington

University of Maryland (College Park)  
 University of Massachusetts (Amherst)  
 University of Miami  
 University of Michigan  
 University of Minnesota (Twin Cities)  
**University of Mississippi**  
 University of New Hampshire  
 University of North Carolina at Asheville  
**University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill**  
**University of North Carolina at Greensboro**  
**University of North Carolina School of the Arts**  
**University of North Carolina Wilmington**  
**University of Notre Dame**  
 University of Oregon  
 University of Pittsburgh  
 University of Puget Sound  
**University of Redlands**  
**University of Richmond**  
 University of Rochester  
**University of San Diego**  
 University of San Francisco  
 University of South Carolina  
 University of Southern California  
**University of St. Andrews**  
 University of the Arts  
 University of the Pacific  
**University of Tampa**  
 University of Texas at Austin  
**University of Toronto**  
 University of Vermont  
**University of Virginia**  
 University of Washington  
**University of Waterloo**  
 University of York  
**Vanderbilt University**  
 Villanova University  
**Virginia Commonwealth University**  
**Virginia Tech**  
 Virginia State University  
 Wake Forest University  
 Warren Wilson College  
**Washington & Lee University**  
 Washington College  
**Washington University in St. Louis**  
**Wellesley College**  
 Wesleyan University  
 Wheaton College  
**WHU Otto Beisheim School of Management**  
**Willamette University**  
**College of William & Mary**  
 Winston-Salem State University  
**Wofford College**  
**Worcester Polytechnic Institute**  
 Xavier University

\*Matriculations