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School Profile 2018—2019

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Mission Statement

Cedar Creek School seeks to provide a superior college preparatory educational experience to students in North Central Louisiana based on the highest standards of academic excellence and personal conduct.

Vision Statement

Cedar Creek School supports its mission by maintaining high expectations for student achievement and by focusing on and improving student learning through school wide goals, a rigorous curriculum, and diversified instructional strategies.

ABOUT CEDAR CREEK SCHOOL

Cedar Creek School is an independent, co-educational, college preparatory school that was founded in 1970. Located in north Louisiana, the campus has a student body of 699 students in Pre-K through 12th grade. Students are drawn to Cedar Creek from rural communities, small towns, and mid-sized cities from seven parishes by the school's reputation for academic excellence. Cedar Creek practices an open non-discriminatory admission policy.

ACCREDITATION AND MEMBERSHIP

Cedar Creek School is accredited by the State of Louisiana and both the Southern Association of Colleges & Schools (SACS) and the Southern Association of Independent Schools (SAIS). The school holds membership in SAIS, the Louisiana High School Athletic Association (LHSAA), and Independent School Management (ISM).

CURRICULUM AND GRADUATION REQUIREMENTS

Cedar Creek School offers an expanded college preparatory curriculum. Career internship opportunities are available for seniors. Students are asked to complete a minimum of ten hours of community service each school year. **Twenty-four and a half credits are required for graduation in the following subject areas:**

English	4 credits
Social Studies	4 credits
Mathematics	4 credits
Science	4 credits
Foreign Language	2 credits (3 or more recommended)
Fine Arts	1 credit
Physical Ed/Health	2 credits
Computer	.5 credit
Electives	<u>3 credits</u>
Total	24.5 credits

ADVANCED PLACEMENT COURSES

AP English Literature/Composition	AP Chemistry
AP English Language/Composition	AP Biology
AP United States History	AP Physics 1
AP Psychology	AP Calculus AB
AP French Language/Culture	AP Studio Art
AP Spanish Language/Culture	AP Art History

ADVANCED HONORS COURSES (Pre-AP)

English I & II
Science (Biology, Physical Science, Chemistry and Chemistry II)
Mathematics (Algebra, Geometry, Algebra II, and Advanced Math)

DUAL ENROLLMENT (with Louisiana University System)

Fine Arts Survey
French III Honors
AP French
Spanish III Honors
AP Spanish
Medical Terminology
Biology II Honors
AP Biology
U.S. History Honors
AP U.S. History
AP Psychology
Advanced Math Honors & Advanced Honors
Algebra II Honors & Advanced Honors
English IV Honors

HONORS

English I, II, III and IV
Science (Biology, Physical Science, Chemistry, Physics, and Biology II)
Social Science (U.S. History)
Mathematics (Algebra I, Geometry, Algebra II, Adv Math, and Prob & Statistics)
Foreign Language (Spanish III and French III)

GRADE AND RANK INFORMATION

All students take seven courses each year. Cumulative grade point averages are based on annual grades. The annual grade is computed by combining quarter grades with semester exams.

Cedar Creek School does not rank its students, rather a quartile is determined, based on all students and on all subjects. All subjects are college preparatory. Grade point average is weighted. Honors, Advanced Honors, and Advanced Placement courses receive additional weight.

GRADING SCALE

Grading Scale	GPA Scale	Quality Points
A = 93-100	A = 4.0	1/2 quality point added for Honors classes
B = 85-92	B = 3.0	
C = 77-84	C = 2.0	1 quality point added for AP and Advanced Honors classes
D = 70-76	D = 1.0	
F = Below 70	F = 0.0	

CLASS OF 2018

In the Class of 2018, 56 students matriculated as follows:

Accepted to 4-year college	92%
Accepted to 2-year college	8%
TOPS qualifiers	95%
Total scholarships accepted:	\$2,281,231
Total scholarships offered:	\$5,380,782

ACT INFORMATION CLASS OF 2018

Average composite ACT score	24.8
Top quartile	30.8
Top half	28.5

RECENT COLLEGE ACCEPTANCES:

Babson College
Baylor University
Belmont University
Bossier Parish Community College
Boston College
Boston University
Centenary College of Louisiana
Columbia University
Dartmouth College
Emory University
East Texas Baptist University
Fordham University
Ithaca College
Louisiana College
Louisiana Delta Community College
Louisiana Scholars' College
Louisiana State University
Louisiana State University—Shreveport
Louisiana Tech University
Marlboro College
Millikin University
Mississippi College
Mississippi State University
Molloy College
Morehouse College
New York University
Northeastern University
Northwestern State University
Northwestern University
Ouachita Baptist University
Pace University
Purdue University
Rider University
Southeastern Louisiana University
Southern Arkansas University
Southern Methodist University
SOWELA Technical Community College
Swarthmore College
Syracuse University
Texas A&M University
Texas Christian University
Texas State University
Tulane University
United States Military Academy—West Point
United States Naval Academy
University of Alabama
University of Alabama—Birmingham
University of Arkansas
University of California—Berkeley
University of California—Los Angeles
University of Central Florida
University of Chicago
University of Louisiana—Lafayette
University of Louisiana—Monroe
University of Miami
University of Mississippi
University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill
University of Notre Dame
University of Oklahoma
University of Pennsylvania
University of Southern California
University of Virginia
Vassar College
Wellesley College
Yale University