

W E S T M I N S T E R

State of the School

2022-2023



A Letter from the Head of School



Dear WCA Families,

2022 was an incredible year at Westminster Christian Academy and I am so thankful for all of the many ways that God continues to bless our school. We experienced another year of record enrollment (400 students) and we are so thankful for the incredible Christian families that God continues to lead to our community. We continue to see growth in our academic and co-curricular programs and are blessed to be able to offer so many opportunities for our students.

In this State of the School Report, you will find important highlights from the last 12 months and exciting plans for the future along with information about how you can secure your child's placement for the 2023-2024 school year.

Re-enrollment is now open and I encourage you to reserve your child's placement by January 31. All open spots will be made available to prospective families beginning February 1. The re-enrollment fee is discounted through January 31 and we encourage you to take advantage of the savings.

I am blessed to serve alongside such an incredible team of faculty and staff as we partner with your family. I believe that the greatest days of Westminster Christian Academy are in the future, and I cannot wait to see what God is going to accomplish on our campus.

In Christ,

Jared T. Clark

Head of School

Did You Know?





The 16 members of the Class of 2022 earned \$2.6 million in college scholarships.



Recent graduates are attending the following colleges and universities:



Westminster continues to outperform its peers on the SAT, scoring an average of 1232 points in 2022! The 2022 average SAT score for Oconee County Schools was 1147, 1052 in the state of Georgia, and 1028 in the United States.



Westminster now has 376 alumni who are serving Christ around the world!



Westminster enrolls students from 9 counties in Northeast Georgia.



Our families attend 70 different churches in our community.



Westminster offers 10 Advanced Placement and Dual Enrollment classes.



Our faculty averages 16 years of teaching experience and 7 years of service at Westminster.



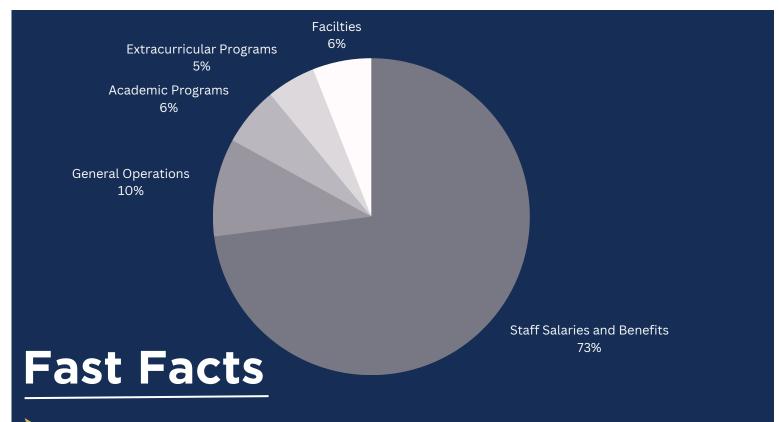
Over 55% of our faculty hold advanced degrees.



Westminster is accredited by the Southern Association of Independent Schools and is a Candidate School for the Council on Educational Standards and Accountability.

Financial Update





- Over 70% of our budget is allocated to the salaries and benefits of our faculty and staff.
- At this time, Westminster is debt free!
- Westminster continues to operate in a balanced budget each year and uses any excess funds to fund campus improvements or maintain a healthy reserve.
- The financial model of Westminster is unique when compared to other institutions. Our budget is funded solely through tuition and fees. Annual Fund giving allows the school to make needed non-budgeted improvements to the school's programs and facilities. Most schools rely on Annual Fund giving to supplement the tuition paid by its families to fund their budget.
- During the period of July 1, 2002 through December 31, 2022, Westminster has received gifts and pledges totaling \$225,000. Thank you to our families for your incredible generosity! All of these funds will go towards our campus expansion projects.

Looking to the Future



- In March, we will have our site visit for our Southern Association of Independent Schools Re-Accreditation. This occurs every five years to help us ensure that we are following best practices in our operations and programs. Based on the feedback from prior parent surveys and on needs assessments, we have identified three strategic goals that we will address over the next five years.
 - 1 Campus Expansion
 - 2 Enhancement of our Science, Technology, Engineering and Math Programs (STEM)
 - 3 Continued development of our Academic Support Program
- In the upcoming weeks, we will officially launch our Rise and Build Campus Expansion Campaign. We are excited to officially reveal our plans to provide much-needed space on campus.
- Join us as our lower and middle school students present our spring musical "Annie" on April 27th and 28th.
- We continue to move forward with full membership with the Council on Educational Standards and Accountability. This review process will benchmark Westminster against the top Christian schools across the country.
- Our LIONS LEAD Program is off to an incredible start and the next year will bring some exciting additions to this incredible program. We are hopeful to expand this program to the lower and middle schools in the future.
- With our ever-changing culture, it is imperative that the school continues to provide opportunities for our students to develop a biblical worldview. We continue to focus on the integration of apologetics across all grade levels and will continue to add worldview events within our programming.

Tuition Rates



2023-2024

Grade Level	Annual Tuition
Pre-K 4 (3 day)	\$4,600
Pre-K 4 (5 day)	\$5,250
Full-Day K	\$9,500
1st-6th Grade	\$9,975
7th-9th Grade	\$10,550
10th-12th Grade	\$11.225

We now invite our current Westminster families to secure placement for the 2023-2024 school year.

The regular re-enrollment fees are \$175 per student (\$450 maximum per family). Families completing the online re-enrollment packet before January 31st, 2023 will receive discounted re-enrollment fees of \$75 per student (\$200 maximum per family).

Please note that the fees will increase to \$175 (\$450 maximum per family) as of February 1st, 2023 and to \$250 (\$500 maximum per family) as of April 1st, 2023.

The enrollment fees will be billed through FACTS and will be due no later than March 1st, 2023. Enrollment will open to new families on February 1st, 2023. Seats in each class will be filled as space allows.

Re-enrollment Instructions



To complete our online re-enrollment process, you will access the Family Portal through your existing login.

To access Family Portal:

- Please go to www.factsmgt.com.
- Select Parent Login from the menu bar and FACTS Family Portal from the drop-down menu.
- Type in your username and password. If you have forgotten your username or password, please click on the link provided.
- Our district code is WM-GA.
- After logging in, click on Apply/Enroll in the left menu.
- Click on the Enrollment/Re-enrollment link.

Our Online Enrollment system will open with a link to the enrollment packet for your child. The online process should take approximately 10 minutes to complete. Your information will be saved if you need to exit and return later. If your family is not planning to re-enroll, please follow the steps above and simply click "will not enroll."

If you plan to apply for financial aid through FACTS, please do so now as the deadline is March 1st, 2023. If you have any questions about the process, please contact Laura Briscoe at (706)-796-9372, ext. 101.

