



SILVERDALE

BAPTIST ACADEMY

2023-2024 Academic Profile

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K-12 Enrollment

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| TOTAL: | 1,167 |
| High School: | 419 |
| Middle School: | 329 |
| Elementary School: | 419 |

Silverdale as an Academy

Silverdale Baptist Academy is a comprehensive PreK-12 private Christian academy enrolling over 1,100 students. The Academy opened in the fall of 1999 with 5 kindergarten students, opened enrollment to K-12 in 2000, and graduated its first senior class in the Spring of 2001. SBA is accredited by AdvancED (formerly the Southern Association of Colleges and Schools or SACS), and ACSI (Association of Christian Schools International), both of which are dedicated to advancing excellence in education worldwide.

Community

Located in one of the state's fastest growing areas, Chattanooga enjoys a diversified economic base. Silverdale Baptist Academy (SBA) serves the educational needs of the more than 500,000 in the metropolitan area. SBA is a private Christian school consisting of a K-12 and preschool grade-level configuration. The student body has a cultural diversity consistent with the area population that is 83% Caucasian, 3.5% African American, 2.4% Bi-racial, 0.18% Asian, 0.06% Hispanic, .0.02% Native American and 11.02% other.

Curriculum

The academic program is organized on a modified block schedule. SBA offers a STEAM program (Science, Technology Engineering, Arts, and Math) to prepare students for careers in this area. SBA also has an Outdoor Education program with electives, JTerm courses, and experiential learning trips when safety protocols allow. Students have the opportunity to receive over 30 college credit hours through the AP & Dual Enrollment programs.

AP courses: Biology, Calculus, Chemistry, Government, Psychology, US History with criteria for enrollment.

Honors courses: English, Mathematics and Science with criteria in place for enrollment.

Dual Enrollment: SBA partners with Lee University to provide the following Dual Enrollment classes: English College Writing, Rhetoric and Research, Calculus, College Algebra, Trigonometry, and Statistics.

Graduation Requirements

Before high school graduation, students shall achieve the specified units of credit, have satisfactory records of attendance/conduct, and take the ACT or SAT.

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| English: 4 credits | Math: 4 credits | Wellness/P.E.: 1.5 credits |
| Fine Arts: 1 credit | Bible: 4 credits | Speech: .5 credit |
| Foreign Language: 2 credits | Technology: .5 credit | Personal Finance: .5 credit |
| Science: 3 credits (STEAM 4 credits) | Social Studies: 4 credits (Except STEAM:3) | |
| Electives: 2 credits (STEAM Path: 2 STEAM Electives) | | |





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Grading and Ranking

Advanced Placement and Dual Enrollment courses are given 5 additional points, and Honors courses are given an additional 3 points to the semester average. Students are not ranked and we use an unweighted GPA.

Grade Point Average (GPA) Calculation

GPA is computed using the quality points referenced under the Grading and Ranking section. All high school subjects, whether passed or failed, are included in the computation. A minimum of 27 credits is required for graduation (only 20 required by the state of Tennessee). Grades are recorded on the transcript and GPA is computed in January and May.

Awards and Distinctions, Class of 2023

- 84% qualified for the TN or GA Lottery Scholarship
- \$8.2 million in scholarship money awarded
- 30% graduated with an Honors Diploma
- Average GPA: 3.50
- Average ACT: 23.2
- Class size: 99

Post High School Placement

- 72% matriculated to 4-year colleges
- 19% matriculated to 2-year institutions
- 8 students selected work, military service, technical instruction, or a gap year.

Colleges Attended by SBA Graduates

Agnes Scott College
Auburn University
Baylor University
Belmont University
Berry College
Biola University
Birmingham Southern College
Bob Jones University
Bryan College
Cairn University
Carson Newman College
Cedarville University
Centre College
Charleston Southern University
Chattanooga State Community College
Colorado State University
Covenant College
Dalton State College
East Tennessee State University
Emory University
Emory & Henry University
Florida State University
Florida Southern College
Georgia Tech
Grand Canyon University
Harding University
Jacksonville State University
Johnson University
Kennesaw State University
Kentucky State University
King College

Lee University
Liberty University
Lincoln Memorial University
Lipscomb University
Lyon College
Maryville College
Middle Tennessee State University
Milligan College
Mississippi State University
Morehead State University
New York University
North Lake College of Dallas
Oglethorpe University
Olivet Nazarene University
Oral Roberts University
Penn State University
Pensacola Christian College
Rhodes College
Samford University
Savannah College of Art and Design
Shorter University
Southern Adventist University
Southern Polytechnic State University
Southern University
Tennessee State University
Tennessee Tech University
Tennessee Wesleyan University
Trevecca Nazarene University
Trousdale School
Tulane University

Tusculum University
Union College
Union University
United States Navy
University of Alabama
University of Alabama at Birmingham
University of Alabama at Huntsville
University of Arkansas
University of Colorado
University of Georgia
University of Kentucky
University of Memphis
University of Mississippi
University of Mobile
University of Montevallo
University of Tennessee at Chattanooga
University of Tennessee at Knoxville
University of Tennessee at Martin
University of the Cumberland
Vanderbilt University
Virginia Tech
West Point
Wichita State University