

HERITAGE CHRISTIAN MIDDLE SCHOOL

2020 – 2021
PROFILE

PREPARING FOR HIGH SCHOOL

At Heritage, we know middle schoolers, and we have created a safe environment for them to navigate the years between elementary and high school. Our smaller class sizes allow our teachers to really get to know their students, opening the door for the academic, spiritual, and social growth that is so critical in these “in-between” years. We offer a rigorous curriculum that uniquely combines academic excellence with spiritual development. Our staff has both the tools needed to come alongside middle schoolers, and the ability to use them to guide and direct students with the love of Christ through this season of life. Our teachers integrate biblical principles throughout their work in the classroom, and provide an individualized discipleship approach to their students' needs. Many faculty and staff members are involved in extracurricular activities, impacting student life beyond the classroom.

Students are provided with many opportunities to serve and lead while in middle school, encouraging them to discover their unique gifts and talents. These include class-wide community service projects, opportunities to mentor younger students, weekly chapels, monthly small group time, and two annual Spiritual Emphasis Weeks to set the spiritual focus for each semester. We also have our favorite traditions in middle school, including Homecoming, Christmas chapel, 8th-grade Celebration, and the 8th-grade Washington DC trip! Middle School students have opportunities to participate in Student Council and Robotics, as well as other clubs offered throughout the year. Our popular Robotics teams have earned several honors at the State and World Championships.

Everything we do works together to prepare our middle school students for the rigors of high school. While academic preparation is a clear priority at Heritage, CEO Jeff Freeman says the school employs a holistic approach to education that incorporates spiritual instruction into its academic training. “Our focus on integrating exceptional academics and college readiness with a biblical worldview speaks to the excellence at Heritage,” explains Freeman. “At Heritage, you do not have to sacrifice one to get the other.”

Why choose HCS for middle school? Our teachers. Our class sizes. Our environment. Our mission. We ‘get’ middle schoolers, and we love seeing them succeed in all aspects of life.



Glorify God.
Disciple Students.
Pursue Excellence.

That's the Heritage
difference.

COLLEGE
BOUND

A LOOK AT THE UNIVERSITIES OUR GRADUATES ATTEND

- Auburn University
- Ball State University
- Belmont University
- Butler University
- Cedarville University
- DePauw University
- Indiana University
- Indiana State University
- Indiana Wesleyan University
- Liberty University
- Loyola University
- Miami University
- Purdue University
- Rose Hulman Institute of Technology
- Syracuse University
- Taylor University
- University of Cincinnati
- University of Indianapolis
- University of Kentucky
- University of Louisville
- University of Notre Dame
- University of South Carolina
- Vanderbilt University
- Wheaton College
- Xavier University



COURSE REQUIREMENTS

REQUIREMENTS	7th GRADE	8th GRADE
Bible	1 Credit	1 Credit
Language Arts	1 Credit	1 Credit
Social Studies	1 Credit	1 Credit
Mathematics	1 Credit	1 Credit
Science	1 Credit	1 Credit
Fine Arts	1 Credit	1 Credit
PE/Health	.5 Credits	.5 Credits
Electives	1.5 Credits	1.5 Credits
	8 Credits	8 Credits

HCS GRADUATE STATISTICS

	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020
Number of Graduates	99	104	92	118	90
Graduation Rate	99%	100%	99%	99%	100%
Average ACT	25/36	26/36	25/36	26/36	26/36
Average SAT	1687/2400	1693/2400	1203/1600	1226/1600	1205/1600
Cumulative GPA	3.597/4.0	3.61/4.0	3.60/4.0	3.71/4.0	3.66/4.0
Scholarships Offered	\$9 million	\$8.75 million	\$9.59 million	\$10.4 million	\$6.9 million
National Merit Scholarship Qualifiers	4	5	5	7	2
Total AP Scholars	27	33	35	45	18

COURSE OFFERINGS

CORE	FINE ARTS	ELECTIVES
Bible - Old Testament Bible - New Testament Math 7 Math 7 Enrichment Pre-Algebra Pre-Algebra Enrichment Algebra Geometry World History US History Language Arts Accelerated Language Arts Life Science Physical Science Accelerated Science (8th gr.) Health and PE	2D Art 3D Art Mixed Media Art Ceramics Band Chapel Worship Band Jazz Band Choir Orchestra Theatre	Strength and Conditioning Lifetime Wellness Abraham Lincoln: Man and Myth Spanish French Engineering - Project Lead the Way Computer Science - App Creator Computer Science - Innovators and Makers Yearbook

ATHLETICS

BOYS' TEAMS

Baseball | Basketball | Cross Country | Football | Lacrosse
 Soccer | Swimming / Diving | Tennis | Track

GIRLS' TEAMS

Basketball | Cheerleading | Cross Country | Lacrosse | Soccer
 Softball | Swimming / Diving | Tennis | Track | Volleyball