



BOARDING



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SEASONS

STEM

Grand River Academy

Austinburg, OH

LOCATION:

- Population: 2,100
- Located 1 Hour Northeast of Cleveland
- Weather:
 - Summer/Fall: Warm and Temperate
 - Winter/Spring: Cool and Humid

ELIGIBILITY:

- Enrollment Restrictions: Grades Accepted: 9-12, PG
- Minimum TOEFL: Not Required
- Minimum ELTIS: Not Required

SCHOOL PROFILE

Founded in 1831, Grand River Academy requires college acceptance as a condition of graduation, virtually guaranteeing admission to an American university. Its college preparatory curriculum offers four course of study concentrations including STEM, Humanities, English and Composition, and Visual and Fine Arts. The school's intimate size allows for individualized attention in small classes of six students on average.

FACILITIES

Students have access to a weight room, a basketball court, an indoor batting cage, an updated fitness room, a library, and a lecture center. At the student center, students can get snacks at the café, play ping-pong, billiards, and shuffle board, practice instruments in the music room, and more.

SPORTS AND ARTS

Grand River Academy implements a no-cut policy, so all students have the opportunity to be a member of a varsity team such as baseball, golf, or tennis. The school offers art courses such as sound engineering and web design. Students can further develop their artistic talents at the nearby Ashtabula Art Center.

DORMITORIES AND STUDENT LIFE

Grand River's four dormitories each have a large common room where students can relax or watch television and dorm parents in attached apartments. Dormitories are college-style to further prepare students for higher education.

University Acceptance Rate: 100%

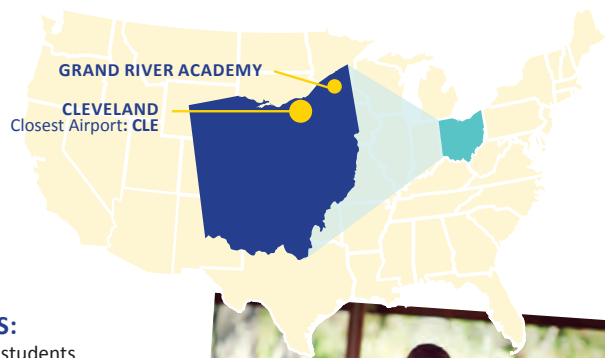
Partial List of University Acceptances: Babson University, Boston College, Boston University, Brandeis University, Cornell University, Georgetown University, George Washington University, Harvard University, Michigan State University, Northwestern University, Northeastern University, Pratt Institute, Reed College, Rensselaer Polytechnic Institute, Art Institute of Chicago, University of Illinois, University of California - Berkeley, University of California - Davis, University of Rochester, Wheaton College, Villanova University

SCHOOL HIGHLIGHTS:

- Average class size of 6 students
- Academic concentrations such as STEM, Humanities, and Visual Arts
- No-cut sports teams

SCHOOL FACTS:

- Grades at School: 8-12, PG
- Total Students in School: 79
- Students in High School: 71
- Teacher/Student Ratio: 1:5
- School Uniform Required: NO
- Religious Affiliation: None



OPTIONS AVAILABLE*:

Foreign Languages: Spanish

Advanced Placement Courses: Students can have AP tests arranged for Calculus, English and Science

Arts: Art, Ceramics, Contemporary Performance, Digital Photography, Digital Video, Graphic Design, Music Theory, Painting, Photo, Sculpture, Sound Engineering, Stage Band, Theater, Web Design

Athletics:

Boys:

Fall: Cross Country, Golf, Soccer

Winter: Basketball, Indoor Soccer, Wrestling

Spring: Baseball, Tennis

Extracurricular Activities: Art, Astronomy, Backpacking, Chess, Computer, Cycling, Debate, Environmental, Equestrian, Fishing, Fitness, Flag Football, Garden, Guitar, Honor Council, International Club, Model United Nations, National Honor Society, Paintball, Peer Tutoring, Publications, Rock Band, Science Bowl, Skateboarding, Ski and Snowboard, Student Government, Videography, Weightlifting, Yearbook, Yoga, Young Democrats, Young Republicans

ESL Available/Level: YES - Beginner to Advanced

*All courses and options offered by the school are subject to change.



It's hard to pick a favorite class here because all the teachers are very good, they are very friendly, they really care about you. You always have a nice conversation and always have a good class with them. – **Guilherme from Brazil**