



BOARDING

GIRLS

FOUR SEASONS

ARTS

SPORTS

STEM

Grier School

Tyrone, PA

GRIER SCHOOL

PITTSBURGH
Closest Airport: IAD

LOCATION:

- Population: 5,300
- Located 2 Hours East of Pittsburgh
- Weather:
Summer/Fall: Warm and Humid
Winter/Spring: Cold and Temperate

ELIGIBILITY:

- Enrollment Restrictions: None
- Minimum TOEFL: Required, No Minimum
- Minimum ELTiS: Not Accepted

SCHOOL HIGHLIGHTS:

- Signature programs in visual art, dance, music, theater, and horseback riding
- Extensive AP course selection
- Received AP Computer Science Female Diversity Award

SCHOOL FACTS:

- Grades at School: 7-12
- Total Students in School: 300
- Students in High School: 240
- Teacher/Student Ratio: 1:6
- School Uniform Required: NO (There is a Dress Code)
- Religious Affiliation: None

SCHOOL PROFILE

Founded in 1853, Grier School offers 20 AP courses and nationally recognized dance, horseback riding, and fine arts programs. The school organizes about 14 service events each month to support the local community.

FACILITIES

Grier's facilities include art studios for ceramics, batik, and photo printmaking, computer studios, language classrooms, and the Landon Library, containing 16,000 volumes. The campus also houses the Fine Arts Center, the Science Center, the Performing Arts Center, a state-of-the-art fitness center with an outdoor heated pool, an indoor horseback riding ring, a music building with grand piano studios and an orchestra rehearsal room, a video and music production lab, and a brand new greenhouse. The school is in the process of renovating their technology corridor to include two brand new computer labs.

SPORTS AND ARTS

Grier offers competitive sports such as archery, horseback riding, and tennis as well as unique art courses such as knitting, pottery, and fiber arts.

Grier's world-renowned dance program incorporates arts with athletics. It offers ballet, pointe, jazz, modern, contemporary, hip-hop, tap, musical theater, and flexibility and strength building at every level from true beginner to expert. The annual Grier Gala allows students to participate in workshops, watch visiting professional dance companies perform, perform their own productions, and audition for companies.

DORMITORIES AND STUDENT LIFE

In addition to four dormitories, housing options include seven cottages. The double rooms include bathrooms and furnishings while the cottages offer living rooms and kitchens.

OPTIONS AVAILABLE*:

Foreign Languages: French, Spanish

Advanced Placement Courses: Art History, Biology, Calculus AB, Calculus BC, Chemistry, Computer Science Principles, English Literature and Composition, Environmental Science, European History, French Language and Culture, Macroeconomics, Microeconomics, Music Theory, Physics 1, Psychology, Spanish Language and Culture, Statistics, Studio Art: 2D Design, US Government and Politics, US History, World History

Arts: Acting for the Camera, Acting, Art History, Ceramics, Costume Design, Dance, Drawing, Ensemble, Fiber Arts, Graphic Design, Hand Spinning, Knitting, Jewelry, Metals, Musical Theater, Painting, Photography, Piano, Pottery, Printmaking, Private Music Lessons, Recording Technology, Stagecraft, Video Production, Weaving

Athletics:

Girls:

Fall: Archery, Cross Country, Dance, Horseback Riding, Soccer, Tennis, Volleyball

Winter: Archery, Basketball, Dance, Fencing, Horseback Riding

Spring: Dance, Horseback Riding

Extracurricular Activities: Anti-Bullying Club, Archery, Astronomy Club, Badminton, Basketball, Body Sculpt, Choir, Cooking, Dance, Empowering Girls Globally, Environmental Club, Fencing, Golf, Journalism, Tae Kwon Do, National Honor Society, Outing Club, Personal Fitness, Prom Committee, Science Club, Scuba Diving, Select Singers, Self Defense, Skiing/Snowboarding, Theater, Ultimate Frisbee, Yoga, Zumba

ESL Available/Level: YES - Beginner to Advanced

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



Educatus Group

University Acceptance Rate: 100%

Partial List of University Acceptances: American University, Babson College, Bates College, Boston College, Boston University, Brandeis University, Carleton College, Case Western Reserve University, Central Saint Martins University of the Arts - London, Cornell University, Duke University, Georgetown University, Haverford College, Pennsylvania State University, New York University, Northwestern University, Purdue University, Rhode Island School of Design, University of California

