



# The Storm King School

## Cornwall-On-Hudson, NY



Educatus Group

### LOCATION:

- Population: 2,900
- Located 1 Hour 30 Minutes North of New York City
- Weather:  
Summer/Fall: Warm and Humid  
Winter/Spring: Cold and Humid

### ELIGIBILITY:

- Enrollment Restrictions: None
- Minimum TOEFL: 50
- Minimum ELTIS: Not Required

### SCHOOL HIGHLIGHTS:

- Strong arts program with students going on to attend top art schools in the US
- Intensive short-term interest courses
- Close to New York City and the northeast mountains

### SCHOOL FACTS:

- Grades at School: 8-12, PG
- Students in High School: 195
- Teacher/Student Ratio: 1:5
- School Uniform Required: YES
- Religious Affiliation: None

### SCHOOL PROFILE

Founded in 1867 and located on the peak of Storm King Mountain (SKS) in the Hudson River Valley, The Storm King School is less than two hours from New York City. The school's Science Department chair is former NASA scientist Dr. Paul Feffer. SKS offers unique, intensive short-term courses based upon student and faculty interest such as The Science and Art of Makeup and How Sports Shaped American Culture.

### FACILITIES

The mountaintop campus features a 230-seat professional theater, an observatory with a Newtonian telescope, fully equipped science labs, access to the 3,800-acre Black Rock Forest Consortium, a gymnasium, five tennis courts, a brand new sports field, a ceramics studio, a greenhouse, private music practice rooms, and a recording studio. The school is in the process of building a brand new academic center.

### SPORTS AND ARTS

Storm King's sports teams have won 24 league championships over the last five years, and the boys' basketball team has won the New England Prep School Athletic League championship for two years in a row. Storm King alumni include US Olympian Burke Boyce (fencing) and Thomas Price (rowing).

Storm King School offers an exceptional arts program with an especially competitive dance program in which students choreograph and present their own pieces each week. Students perform three major theater productions and a musical each school year. Academy Award-winning cinematographer and director Wally Pfister graduated from SKS.

### DORMITORIES AND STUDENT LIFE

Storm King students live two to a room in spacious, fully-staffed dormitories. Students have access to various extracurriculars such as outdoor adventure and A Capella.

**University Acceptance Rate:** 100%

**Partial List of University Acceptances:** Amherst College, Boston College, Boston University, Bucknell University, Cornell University, Emerson College, George Mason University, George Washington University, Harvard University, Harvard University, Johnson & Wales University, Massachusetts Institute of Technology (MIT), Michigan State University, New York University, Northwestern University, Oberlin College, Pratt Institute, Purdue University, Rhode Island School of Design, Rochester Institute of Technology, Smith College, Trinity College, University of California, University of Pennsylvania, University of Rochester, University of Washington, Washington University

### OPTIONS AVAILABLE\*:

**Foreign Languages:** American Sign Language, Chinese, Spanish

**Advanced Placement Courses:** Art History, Biology, Calculus, Computer Science, Music Theory, English Literature and Composition, Psychology, Statistics

**Arts:** Acting, Art History, Broadcasting, Ceramics, Chorus, Creative Technology, Dance, Drawing and Painting, Digital Art and Design, Digital Photography, Ensemble, Fashion, Guitar, Instrumental Instruction, Music Lab, Music Production, Music Theory, Photography, Piano, Songwriting, Stagecraft, Studio Art, Video Production, Vocal Music and Ensembles, Voice, World Culture Arts

**Athletics:**

**Boys:**  
**Fall:** Crew, Cross Country, Fitness, Hiking, Soccer  
**Winter:** Basketball, Bowling, Fencing, Fitness, Wrestling, Yoga  
**Spring:** Baseball, Lacrosse, Mountain Biking, Soccer, Tennis, Ultimate Frisbee

**Girls:**  
**Fall:** Crew, Cross Country, Fitness, Hiking, Soccer, Volleyball  
**Winter:** Basketball, Bowling, Fencing, Fitness, Yoga  
**Spring:** Lacrosse, Mountain Biking, Soccer, Tennis, Ultimate Frisbee

**Extracurricular Activities:** A Capella, Black and Latino Student Union, Community Service, International Friendship, LGBT, Literary and Arts Publication, Model United Nations, Outdoor Adventure, Student Events Committee, Theater, Yearbook

**ESL Available/Level:** YES, Pre-Beginner to Advanced

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

VIDEO HIGHLIGHT



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Storm King is an amazing place to excel academically. The teachers are all so helpful and kind, they help you with whatever you need and are always available to give you more support. The lunch here is great, especially the noodles. We have so many unique learning experiences like going to the art center just down the road! I love The Storm King School! – **Filippo from Italy**