



# Oak Meadow

## HIGH SCHOOL PROFILE 2022–2023

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### MISSION

We help students and families experience the joy of learning and create meaningful change in the world.

A leader in experiential, interdisciplinary distance learning for over 45 years, Oak Meadow offers a fully accredited, engaging high school program built on rigorous academic standards.

Oak Meadow High School has enrollment of approximately 200 students from around the world. We have rolling admission through the calendar year, and a student may graduate and receive a diploma at any time once graduation requirements have been met.

- Distance learning program established in 1975
- College preparatory curriculum for grades 9–12
- Approved distance learning school in the state of Vermont
- Accredited by New England Association of Schools and Colleges (NEASC)
- Member of the National Honor Society
- NCAA approved
- Courses are California A-G approved

### STUDENT BODY

50 states and 18 countries represented (grades 9–12)

### GRADUATION REQUIREMENTS

Students graduate with a minimum of 22 credits.

Minimum Requirements:

**ENGLISH:** 4 credits

**MATH:** 3 credits

**SOCIAL STUDIES:** 4 credits

**SCIENCE:** 3 credits

**WORLD LANGUAGES:** 2 credits

**HEALTH:** 1 credit

**FINE ARTS:** 1 credit

**PHYSICAL EDUCATION:** 1 credit

**ELECTIVES:** 2.5 credits

**ADVANCED STUDY PROJECT** 0.5

### CREDITS

1 credit = Full year course

0.5 credit = Single semester course

### DISTANCE LEARNING

Enrolled students work one-to-one with our teachers using our print-based curriculum and online resources over a 10-month period. Students submit work on a regular basis. Teachers provide consistent feedback, customization, instruction, and support via Google platform, Zoom, email, and phone.

### CURRICULUM

**ENGLISH:** Composition, Literature & Composition, American Literature, World Literature, British Literature, Women's Literature, Poetry

**MATH:** Algebra I, Geometry, Math Connections, Algebra II, Advanced Mathematics, Calculus I, Calculus II

**SCIENCE:** Environmental Science, Biology, Anatomy and Physiology, Chemistry, Physics, Forensic Science, Global Climate Change

**SOCIAL STUDIES:** U.S. History, World History, U.S. Government, World Geography, Sustainable Food Systems, Race and Ethnic Studies, Media Literacy, Psychology, Religions of the World

**WORLD LANGUAGES:** Spanish I–IV, French I–IV, Latin I & II

**HEALTH:** Integrated Health and Fitness

**PHYSICAL EDUCATION:** Physical education electives

**FINE ARTS:** Integrated Drawing, Drawing and Design, Painting, Introduction to Photography

**ELECTIVES:** Life Experience Credit, Advanced Study Project

Since Oak Meadow does not offer AP courses, many students take them through another accredited organization and that credit is transferred to their Oak Meadow transcript to meet high school requirements.

### GRADING

Our assessment includes comprehensive narrative evaluation. Teachers provide two evaluations per year, one at the end of each semester. We do not calculate class rank. GPA is unweighted. Students must earn a minimum of 67% to receive credit for a course.

| GPA | Grade | Percentage |
|-----|-------|------------|
| 4.0 | A     | 94–100     |
| 3.7 | A–    | 90–93      |
| 3.3 | B+    | 87–89      |
| 3.0 | B     | 84–86      |
| 2.7 | B–    | 80–83      |

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|-----|-------|---------------|
| 2.3 | C+    | 77–79         |
| 2.0 | C     | 74–76         |
| 1.7 | C–    | 70–73         |
| 1.3 | D+    | 67–69         |
| 0   | F     | (66 or below) |

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## ACCEPTANCE LIST

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Colleges to which Oak Meadow graduates have been admitted from 2017–2022:

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|---------------------------------|--|---|--|
| Agnes Scott College             | George Mason University                          | Peabody Conservatory                    | UC Santa Barbara                         |
| Alfred University               | George Washington University                     | Pennsylvania State University           | UC Santa Cruz                            |
| American University             | Georgetown University                            | Penn State Berks                        | University of Colorado                   |
| Bard College                    | Goshen College                                   | Point Park University                   | University of Connecticut                |
| Bard College, Berlin            | Goucher College                                  | Quest University (Canada)               | University of Dallas                     |
| Beloit College                  | Grand Canyon University                          | Reformation Bible College               | University of Hawaii, Manoa              |
| Bennington College              | Habib University (Pakistan)                      | Rensselaer Polytechnic Institute        | University of Illinois, Urbana-Champaign |
| Berkeley City College           | Hampshire College                                | Rice University                         | University of Indiana                    |
| Berklee College of Music        | Hanze University in Groningen (Netherlands)      | Rochester Institute of Technology       | University of Iowa                       |
| Boston Conservatory             | Harvard University                               | Rosemont College                        | University of Kentucky                   |
| Brandeis University             | Holy Cross University                            | Rutgers University                      | University of Maine                      |
| Brigham Young University        | Institute of Business Administration (Pakistan)  | Saint Louis University, Madrid          | University of Maryland                   |
| Brigham Young University-Hawaii | Ithaca College                                   | Salem State University                  | University of Massachusetts              |
| California College of the Arts  | James Madison University                         | San Francisco Art Institute             | UMass Amherst                            |
| California State University     | Johnson and Wales University                     | Santa Clara University                  | UMass Boston                             |
| Cal Poly Pomona                 | (The) Julliard School                            | Sarah Lawrence College                  | UMass Lowell                             |
| CSU Long Beach                  | Kalamazoo College                                | School of the Art Institute of Chicago  | University of Michigan                   |
| CSU Monterey Bay                | King's College London's Law School (UK)          | Seton Hall University                   | University of Montana                    |
| San Francisco State             | Knox College                                     | Skidmore College                        | University of Oregon                     |
| San José State                  | Lahore University Management Sciences (Pakistan) | Solano Community College                | University of Portland                   |
| CSU San Marcos                  | Lewis & Clark College                            | Southern Oregon University              | University of Rochester                  |
| Case Western Reserve University | Loyola University, Chicago                       | St. John's University                   | University of Roehampton (UK)            |
| Cazenovia College               | Manhattan School of Music                        | St. Lawrence University                 | University of Southern California        |
| Cazenovia College               | Massachusetts College of Liberal Arts            | Stevens Institute of Technology         | University of the Arts, London (UK)      |
| Centenary University            | Memorial University of Newfoundland (Canada)     | Suffolk University                      | University of the Pacific                |
| Clark University                | Merrimack College                                | Temple University, Japan Campus         | University of Wales Trinity Saint David  |
| Cleveland Music Institute       | Millersville Honors College                      | The American University of Paris        | University of Vermont                    |
| College of Wooster              | Montana State University                         | The New School                          | University of Victoria (Canada)          |
| Columbia College Chicago        | Mount St. Mary's University                      | Transylvania University                 | University of Virginia                   |
| Columbia University             | Mulhemburg College                               | Tulane University                       | University of Waterloo (Canada)          |
| Cooper Union                    | New England Conservatory                         | University of Alabama                   | Vassar College                           |
| Delaware Valley University      | New York University                              | University of AL, Birmingham            | Wagner College                           |
| DePaul University               | Northern Vermont University                      | University of British Columbia (Canada) | Warwick University (UK)                  |
| Dickinson College               | Northwestern University                          | University of California                | Western Washington University            |
| Durham University (UK)          | Oberlin College                                  | UC Berkeley                             | Wilkes University                        |
| Earlham College                 | Pace University                                  | UCLA                                    | William Woods University                 |
| Eastman School of Music         |  | UC Merced                               | Worcester Polytechnic Institute          |
| Eckerd College                  |  | UC Riverside                            | Yale University                          |
| Emerson College                 |  | UC San Diego                            |  |
| Emmanuel College                |  |   |  |
| Fairfield University            |  |   |  |
| fedaEDU (Germany)               |  |   |  |
| Fordham University              |  |   |  |