

Why WESTTOWN

Discovering your sense of purpose and exploring what you are passionate about are the keys to finding a college and creating a future that helps you realize your dreams and aspirations. You will enter college with academic and intellectual preparation, self-confidence, and readiness for independence.

Our creative, talented faculty customize curriculum, tailoring it to help you discover your intellectual and academic strength. You chart your own course through a wide range of electives (many college level and advanced) and have ample opportunities to concentrate on subjects that interest you, to design research and social action projects, to sharpen your communication skills, and to pursue multidisciplinary studies. Your teachers will challenge you and invite you to question and debate in seminar-style classes. What's more, this academic environment is not about competing against your peers, it's about challenging yourself.



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You can fit in and **STAND OUT.**

Being a diverse community across many aspects of identity that appreciates and welcomes individuality means that this is a place where it's easy to be yourself. You can express your individuality without anxiety or pretense. In this environment of mutual respect, you are encouraged to find your voice and use it for change. And, you are known—by your teachers, advisors, coaches, and dorm parents.



We build community with **INTENTION.**

At weekly Meetings for Worship, students of all (or no) faiths gather for reflection and shared silence out of which individual messages can be shared. Students call adults by their first names, which lifts up our deeply held belief in equality. Students participate in the Work Program, with jobs that aid in the care of the community, for there is dignity in all work. Our community is fortified by equity, access, inclusion, and belonging for all, so we offer anti-bias and anti-racism programs both in and out of the classroom, and are committed to this important work.



Westtown is a **HOME.**

It is literally home to families and students, but even if you aren't a boarder, you still enjoy being in—and are an essential part of—a school with a family-like atmosphere, beautiful shared spaces, and a close-knit community.



We know you're on your way to the next steps in education, and we prepare you for that. But these years are also meant for becoming, and Westtown helps you do that, too. You will consider your spiritual and social self, explore extra-curricular interests, and try new things. You will relax, have fun, and make lifelong friends. You will find your voice and personal agency. You will gain independence and leadership skills. And, you will find your passions and your purpose. We see our mission as building stewards and leaders of a better world. You will leave here ready to make the world better in your own big and small ways.





QUAKERISM

Although Westtown is a Quaker school, most of our students are not. Students of all faith traditions (or none) have a home in this educational environment that prizes their learning, growth, and spiritual development. We live out our Quaker values in the way we approach teaching and learning, in the way we interact with one another, in how we apply them in our work of inclusivity and belonging. We seek to create a sense of belonging for students through attention to both Quaker practice and to the spiritual lives of all students. Helping students find local places of worship, providing students with opportunities around their own religious observances, and community celebrations of religious and cultural holidays throughout the year are some of the ways we honor and nurture many faiths.

Quakers believe that there is that of God, or an Inner Light, a divine spark, in every person. This belief in the Light informs everything we do. You have value, wisdom, and Light—and we honor it and help you discover it.

While Quakers (also known as the Religious Society of Friends) reject creeds, they believe in certain guiding principles—called testimonies—of simplicity, peace, integrity, community, equality, and stewardship.

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These testimonies and the precept that there is a Light in everyone inform the classroom experience, how we design curriculum, our school culture, and how we foster and build community.

Quakers believe in *continuing revelation*. That means that the search for truth is ongoing and that truths continue to reveal themselves in a variety of ways and places. In an educational setting, this manifests as openness to new ideas, learning, research, exploration, and listening deeply to one another and the truth inside each of us.

Quakers make decisions by discernment and consensus.

This means that all voices are heard and valued in decision-making processes on campus. Student voices are represented in Meeting for Business, on committees, and all aspects of student leadership and student life. We mean it when we say that we want you to find and use your voice—and not just in the classroom!

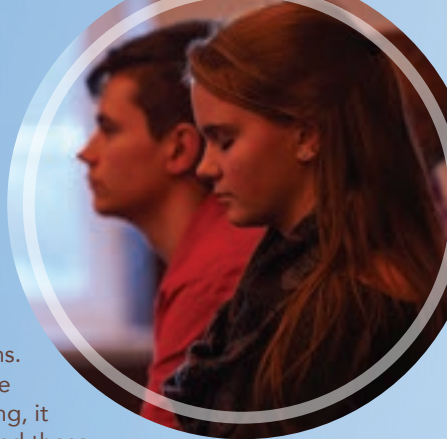
Together, all of these concepts—Inner Light, continuing revelation, the testimonies, and decisions made in unity—create an environment that cherishes and challenges you, nurtures you on your path toward purpose, and respects and depends on your contributions to the community.



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Weekly Meeting for Worship is the spiritual center of Westtown.

Within the unadorned walls of the Meeting House, students, faculty, and staff gather to sit in reflective silence. There is no minister and no sermon; there is only the ministry of those who share messages, for Quakers believe that all have access to the Truth. When someone is so moved, they stand and speak. Often, these messages are not religious in nature, but reflections. The Meeting House is a sacred space, and not only in the religious sense: when students share messages in Meeting, it means they have entrusted others with their thoughts, and those who listen understand the courage of sharing from the heart.



The silence and sharing of Meeting for Worship have a profound effect on both individuals and the community.

It is a unifying experience, even for those who are not Quakers. It is through this quiet reflection and communal sharing that people of all faith traditions can worship together.



Within Meeting for Worship are the echoes of larger themes of a Westtown education: encouraging student voices, seeking truth through reflection, listening to one another, and the inherent value—the Inner Light—of all people.

Meeting for Worship will have an impact on you, whether or not you use it as a spiritual or religious space. Centering down and being calm, silent, and reflective is healthy and often necessary in the hurried pace of school life and of a hyper-connected world. Stillness and mindfulness are skills that will stay with you throughout your life, as will the experience of Meeting for Worship itself.



ACADEMICS



No matter your area of passion, we have something for you—and you can tailor your course of study to reflect your talents and interests. We offer advanced course offerings (more than 50) in every subject area, many that are college level.

You will not find standard, externally developed classes here, and our core approach is not about teaching to the test. We intentionally do not offer AP courses, though students who choose to take AP exams are well prepared in many subjects. Instead, our outstanding faculty design innovative, engaging, and mission-aligned curricula. They offer advanced courses that build cultural competency, and research, analytical, collaboration, critical thinking, and communication skills. Your voice matters; our seminar-style classes foster robust discussions and teach you how to speak with intention and listen thoughtfully to and consider different perspectives.

A spirit of inquiry reigns in the classroom and you are encouraged to think creatively and critically, to listen to yourself and others. You will be prepared to thrive in a world characterized by technological and social change. You will be encouraged and empowered to be confident leaders of a just and compassionate future, to be active and empathetic participants in building healthy communities, and to be stewards of the natural world.



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Curriculum HIGHLIGHTS

ENGLISH classes emphasize literary analysis and expository and creative writing, helping you become a strong critical thinker and a confident, persuasive writer and communicator. We believe that the study of literature and composition fosters empathy, so you will read literature that helps you become aware of others' perspectives.



Our signature **HISTORY** courses, like Peace and Justice, provide multi-faceted exploration of history and contemporary social justice topics, and challenge you to see your role in creating a just world.

Our **RELIGION** curriculum is rooted in religious literacy and cultural studies, which distinguishes the academic study of religion from faith-based instruction. This approach, based on Harvard Divinity School's Religion and Public Life Program, emphasizes religions as internally diverse, evolving and changing over time, and embedded in all dimensions of human experience.

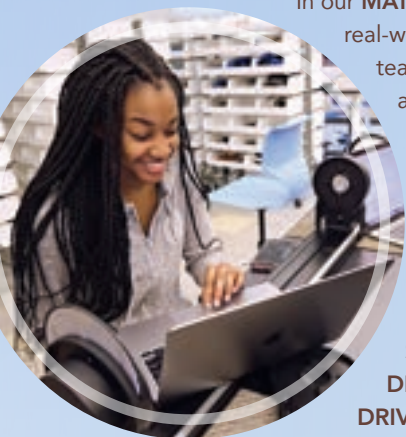
With 600 acres of diverse ecosystems to explore, a state-of-the-art Science Center with sophisticated research and design labs at your fingertips, and a robust selection of advanced courses and electives, you will be engaged in and challenged by our rich **SCIENCE** program.



In our **MATH** program, you will learn real-world applications from innovative teachers who emphasize developing your abstract reasoning, analytical, and critical thinking skills. We offer high-level math courses with exceptional rigor like Linear Algebra and Multivariable Calculus. An active Math Club and a peer tutoring program are other ways you can immerse yourself in mathematics.

Pursue a multidisciplinary, focused scholarship in one of our **DEEP DIVE CERTIFICATE PROGRAMS: SUSTAINABILITY LEADERSHIP, GLOBAL LEADERSHIP, DIVERSITY, INCLUSION, AND SOCIAL JUSTICE, DATA-DRIVEN CHANGE, and MULTIDISCIPLINARY ARTS.**

Build physical machines or devices, design and craft integrated software solutions, and learn how to plan and organize initiatives to drive change in our **INTEGRATED ENGINEERING and COMPUTER SCIENCE PROGRAM.**





Premier Facilities: *Our Home-Field Advantage*

- 10 Natural Grass Fields
- 2 Turf Fields
- 6-Lane Competitive Swimming Pool
- 2 Baseball Fields
- 1 Softball Field
- 4 Field House Basketball Courts
- 2 Tracks (Indoor and Outdoor)
- 21-Element Ropes Course
- 14-Court Tennis Stadium
- 2 Cross Country Courses
- 1 Hardwood Competitive Basketball Court
- Golf Privileges at a Nearby Country Club
- Dance and Yoga Studios
- Fully Equipped Fitness Center
- Varsity Team Weight Room
- 2 Certified Athletic Trainers
- 2 Strength and Conditioning Coaches



WESTTOWN SCHOOL ATHLETICS



WHAT SETS US APART: *A Unique Approach to Athletics*

At Westtown, being a student-athlete means stepping into a community that will challenge and uplift you. Your coaches will support you to reach new heights, your teammates will encourage you, and the Westtown community will cheer you on. With this support, you will embark on a transformative journey that will allow you to grow as a leader, teammate, and individual—we've seen it happen time after time. Join us at Westtown School, where athletics is more than a game—it's a proving ground for character, a journey of personal growth, and a foundation for lifelong success.





Foundations of Success: *Grit, Tenacity, and Teamwork*

Our program, deeply rooted in our Quaker heritage, is built on the pillars of Integrity, Tenacity, and Teamwork.

Integrity: On the field, courts, mats, track, pool, and courses, our student-athletes learn that respect and integrity are fundamental to developing strong character. Each student-athlete will demonstrate integrity in their actions and treat their teammates,

coaches, opponents, and officials with respect.

Tenacity: Our dedicated coaches cultivate a spirit of tenacity that propels our student-athletes to transcend their limits, strive relentlessly, and persist against all odds.



Teamwork: Teamwork is the cornerstone of our community and highlights the purpose of collective success. Students discover the power of collaboration, mutual respect, and shared aspirations. They understand that their individual triumphs are deeply intertwined with their team's success.

At Westtown, we're not merely training athletes but molding future leaders whose purpose is illuminated through their experiences. Balancing academics and athletics, our students learn to lead with integrity, contribute positively to their community, and carry these values into their future endeavors.



Leadership Through Expertise: *Our Coaching Legacy*

Our athletic program thrives under the guidance of an unparalleled coaching staff who are the heart of our sporting community. These seasoned mentors bring a remarkable breadth of experience and expertise to our fields and courts and a deep commitment to the comprehensive development of each student-athlete. They are not only tactical experts but also character builders who instill the virtues of integrity, tenacity, and teamwork in every young athlete they mentor.

Under our coaches' tutelage, Westtown student-athletes achieve remarkable success in their respective sports and grow into well-rounded individuals equipped to make meaningful contributions to their communities and the world. Our coaches' profound influence extends beyond the game, empowering our students to discover and pursue their purpose with passion and integrity.



Holistic Excellence: *Shaping the Complete Athlete*

At Westtown School, our Strength and Conditioning program is a testament to our commitment to holistic development. It empowers students to achieve excellence in health and athletic performance. Rooted in the values of our community, our program is designed not merely as a complement to our academic excellence but as a core component of our educational philosophy that nurtures the whole person.

Our 14-year collaboration with Everfit has created a premier training environment emphasizing individual goals, expert coaching, tailored nutrition, and a supportive community.

We believe in the power of education to transform beyond the classroom creating physically and intellectually vibrant leaders ready to make a positive impact.

15+
College-bound
student-athletes
each year



23
Sports

10+
State Titles

20+
FRIENDS SCHOOLS LEAGUE
All-League Recipients
EACH YEAR

1
Olympian

9
All-Americans

4
GATORADE PLAYERS
of the year

**MULTIPLE
ALUMS**
play at the
PROFESSIONAL LEVEL

INTERNATIONAL *Student Program*



Westtown's community is enriched by the diverse experiences and perspectives of students from many different backgrounds. International students make up approximately 20% of our Upper School enrollment and come from 18+ countries, making them an integral part of our vibrant school community. We dedicate faculty, resources, and programming to support the unique academic, social, and cultural needs of our international students.

The International Student Program supports international students and their families throughout their time at Westtown. The program is led by a director and assistant director, who serve as dedicated resources for students and families and provide regular communication and support.

International students new to Westtown are welcomed with a dedicated two-day orientation session before the general new-student orientation. These sessions familiarize students with the school and school culture and are an opportunity for students to get to know one another. Many sessions are led by international students themselves, who share their experiences with new students.



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Additional Support

- The program provides logistics and planning support, including travel arrangements and arrangement of TOEFL testing.
- Through the program, we offer English language assessment and course placement recommendations for new international students.
- The Learning Center supports language assessment and learning and provides the English Language Learning Team recommendations.
- The Admission Office helps students with the I-20 visa process.



Host Family Program

Westtown has a robust Host Family Program that pairs international students with a local host family, which allows for a deeper connection to our community and exposure to American culture. Host families provide additional support to international students, such as occasional home-cooked meals, outings, and simply spending time together. (Host families do not offer housing over breaks.)



Thanksgiving Break Travel Program

Westtown School offers an annual, school-sponsored Thanksgiving break trip designed specifically for international students. This optional program is offered at an additional cost and provides a meaningful alternative to international travel during a short academic break, allowing students to remain engaged without the disruption of long-distance travel or jet lag. Under the supervision and care of Westtown faculty, students explore thoughtfully selected destinations, participate in hands-on learning experiences, strengthen community bonds, and immerse themselves in new cultures before returning to campus ready to resume classes. For example, during Thanksgiving Break 2025, a group of students traveled to Costa Rica, where they explored the country's rich natural landscapes and cultural traditions.

Special Events

There are a variety of special events and cultural celebrations throughout the school year, including the Host Family Ice Cream Social, trips to Philadelphia and Washington, DC, Mid-Autumn Festival, the International Festival, Lunar New Year celebrations, Host Family Bowling Night, and the end-of-year Host Family picnic.

International Student Organization

The student-run International Student Organization (ISO) is a large and active club that plans events and activities for international students and the school community throughout the school year. It is also a space for camaraderie and friendship.



DAY STUDENT *Life*

What's it like being a day student in a boarding school? It's the best of both worlds! You get to enjoy the advantages of going to school where your teachers and classmates live—a school that will feel like home for you, too. And, because about a third of our Upper School population is day students, you will be surrounded by friends having a similar experience.

Day students can (and do!) participate fully in all the fun after-school and weekend activities. And your day doesn't have to start with classes and end with co-curriculars; you are welcome to start your day with breakfast and end it with dinner in the Dining Room. You can stay for evening study hall to work on a project with classmates, have extra time in the library, or meet with a teacher who is on duty. You can even spend the night on dorm with a friend occasionally.

The bonds between day and boarding students are strong because we work to build an intentional, inclusive community. And that means there is a place for everyone, no matter where you live.



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The support for day students starts during orientation at the beginning of the year. There are sessions dedicated to learning about the school community and culture, and getting to know other students and day student leaders. It makes the transition to our Upper School smooth and less scary!



Where do day students spend time if they don't have a dorm room? There are a multitude of student spaces for you to be, including the Uptown Lounge where you can hang out with friends, play pool or air hockey, or just relax in a comfortable chair in the East Collecting Room. Of course, there's also the library, study spots in the Science Center, and when the weather is nice, you can be on the South Lawn.



There are many opportunities for leadership at Westtown and there are also leadership positions that are just for day students. Day Student Prefects represent and support all day students and work with the Day Student Coordinator.

Parents of day students receive special communications from the Day Student Coordinator to keep them informed about school life and events, and the Principal and Dean of Students communicate often with families. The advisor program is yet another way that students are supported and they serve as the first point of contact with families.



As part of our Host Family Program, you and your family could be a host family to an international student or a boarding student whose home is far away. These relationships build special bonds among students and families and is another way day and boarding students are unified.

“Westtown is a very small and tight community... the community activities we have for the entire Upper School [create] chances to bond.”



RESIDENTIAL *Life*

Boarding is, quite simply, a transformational experience. Living in a community of students from all over the world with a multitude of backgrounds and experiences expands your worldview, helps you understand others, and teaches you to value different perspectives. You will come to know the world—and yourself—better.

Boarding is an outstanding way to prepare for college and for life. You will gain independence, become self-sufficient, and develop decision-making skills within a supportive environment. You will cultivate time-management and effective study skills. And yes, you will learn to do your own laundry!

Adults who teach at boarding schools are deeply invested in not only your academic growth, but also your residential experience because, it's their home, too. Nearly 70% of our Upper School faculty live on campus with their families. This gives you opportunities to connect with teachers outside the classroom, and it's what makes our community uniquely close-knit, warm, and welcoming.

There are a lot of serious benefits to boarding, but it's also FUN! There is something special about living in this community. About 70% of Upper School students and 90% of 11th and 12th graders live on dorm, and that means you get to live and learn with your friends—ones that will become your friends for life.

And then there are the weekends! We have robust weekend programming with lots of activities. You can choose to study, relax, or explore our 600 beautiful and varied acres, or you can join in activities on campus like Frisbee on the South Lawn, board games in the student lounge, and movie nights, to name a few. You can join in on local outings to Starbucks, Target, or take a ride on the Mystery Dessert Van, music and sports events, and so much more.



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Families, even those who were uncertain about boarding, tell us time and again that the boarding experience strengthened their relationships with their teenagers, that time with their child became more valuable and rich.

They also tell us that their children were exceptionally well prepared for college; our alums also attest that they are better prepared for college than their peers. **Colleges know this as well: Westtown students are known for their readiness to live away from home, their academic preparedness, their established study skills, and their leadership abilities.**



We designed our residential curriculum intentionally to cultivate effective study skills, build healthy relationships and conflict resolution skills, foster acceptance and independence, and prepare students for living in a diverse and interconnected world.

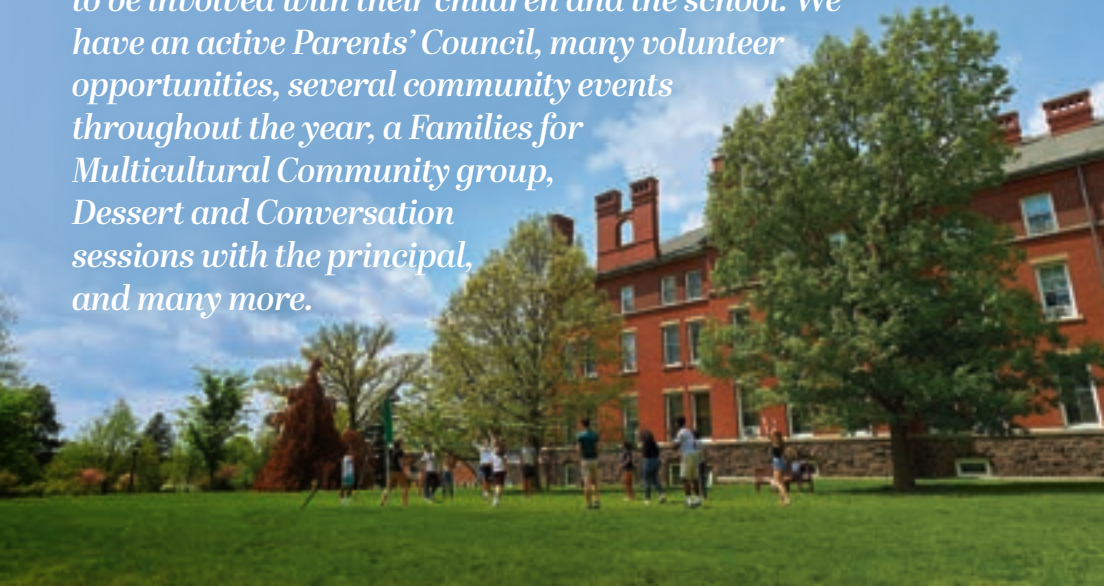


Teenagers crave independence. Boarding provides a way for them to experience more independence in a structured way within a supervised environment. This exciting evolution prepares both of you for their next step. And if you want them to come home for dinner or on a weekend, they can.

From dorm parents to advisors to deans to the Wellness Center team, Westtown's team of supportive, attentive adults care for your child in their home away from home. In fact, 75% of our faculty and their families live on campus. A monthly newsletter from the Dorm Head keeps you apprised of news and information about residential life. Dorms are safe spaces with key-card entry and there are security officers on duty 24/7, with adults on duty at all times as well.

We've surveyed our graduates and 9 out of 10 of them complete college in four years at one school (in comparison to the national average of 56 percent in six years) – and they tell us their residential experience was a key element to their success in college, especially in their first year.

There are many ways for families of boarders to be involved with their children and the school. We have an active Parents' Council, many volunteer opportunities, several community events throughout the year, a Families for Multicultural Community group, Dessert and Conversation sessions with the principal, and many more.

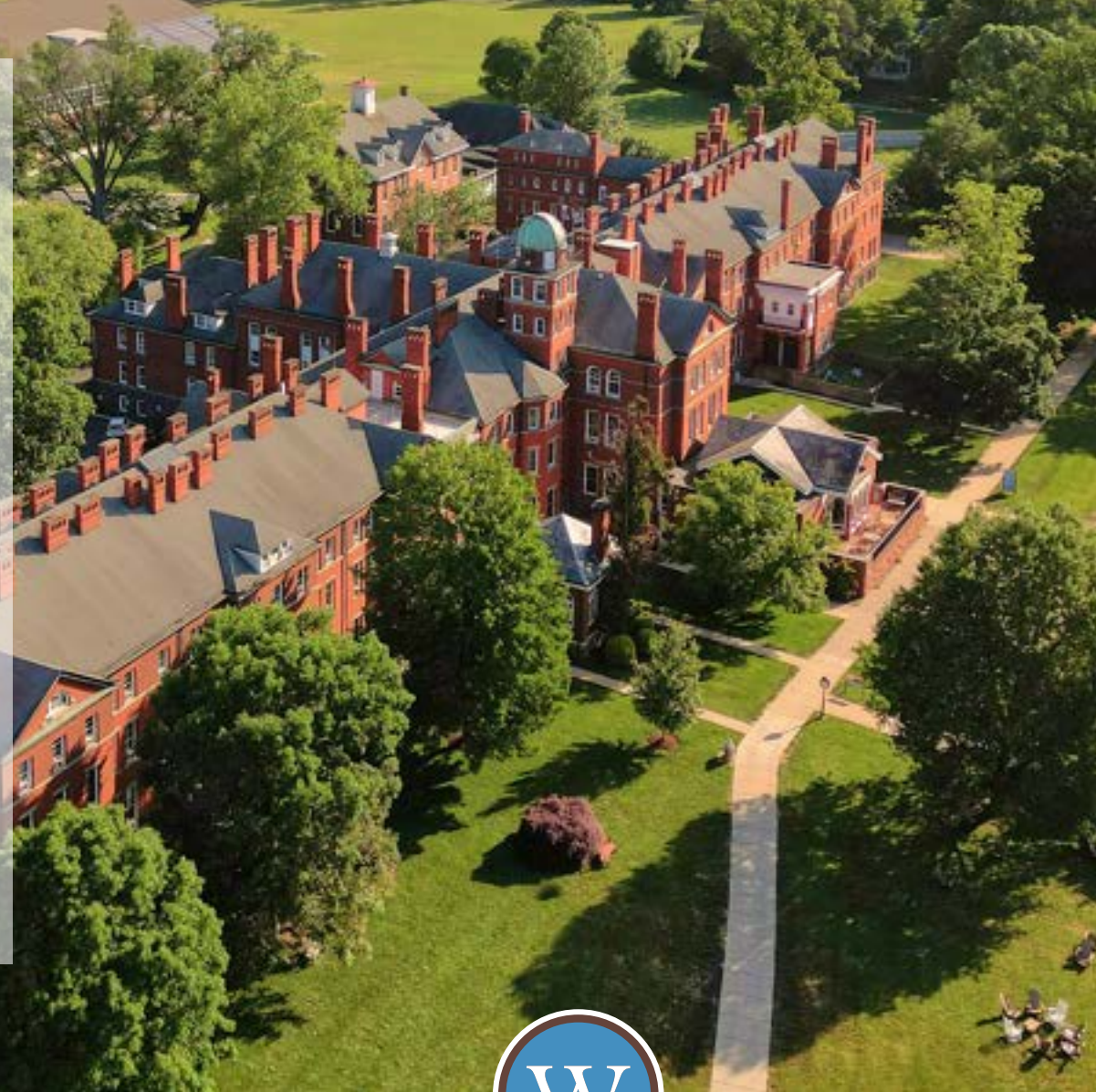


Location is key

...and our 600 acres has everything!

Some of those things include:

- 14-acre lake and boathouse
- Arboretum and natural forest
- Instructional organic farm
- 62 faculty houses and apartments
- Gymnasium
- Field house with 3 basketball courts and an indoor track
- Lighted turf fields
- Wrestling Center
- Dance Studio
- Fitness Center
- 25-meter competition pool
- Weight training center
- 13 playing fields (10 multipurpose, 2 baseball, 1 softball)
- 2 cross-country courses
- Outstanding tennis stadium with 14 courts
- 8-acre solar array



Our convenient location in West Chester, Pennsylvania, is just a drive away!



45 minutes from Philadelphia



2 hours from New York City



2.5 hours from Washington, DC



5 hours from Boston



30 minutes from
Philadelphia
International Airport



15 minutes from the
Exton Train Station

Bonus! West Chester is a vibrant college town five minutes away with restaurants, arts, and cultural events.



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Westtown School is a Quaker, coeducational, college-preparatory day and boarding school serving students from pre-kindergarten through 12th grade.

At Westtown, you'll join a vibrant community where bonds form over bold ideas and shared adventures and your voice has a place in the conversation. Whether you're debating world issues, taking center stage, scoring a goal under the lights, or exploring 600 acres of woods, trails, and lake on campus, Westtown challenges you to think big, speak up, and shape the future—while discovering who you are along the way.

Ready to take your journey?

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What Sets Westtown Apart

No APs, No IBs—Just Real Learning

We don't teach to a test. Our custom, rigorous curriculum prioritizes critical thinking, ethical leadership, and purpose-driven scholarship.

Certificate Programs:

The Deep Dive Certificate Program invites students to explore complex global and societal issues through interdisciplinary coursework, experiential learning, and leadership opportunities. With focus areas like Sustainability Leadership and Social Justice, students in grades 10–12 pursue a personalized path of inquiry and action in a field they're passionate about.

Independent Research:

Our most advanced students have the opportunity to engage in rigorous, self-directed studies that extend far beyond the standard curriculum—exploring complex topics in mathematics, computer science, or world languages. In the advanced Scientific Research course, they design and execute original, scholarly projects that reflect both their intellectual ambition and their sustained discipline.

International Exchange and Service Trips:

Each year, Westtown offers immersive service trips and cultural exchanges that take students far beyond the classroom. They might restore coral reefs in Florida, explore historic Prague or Athens, or work alongside community partners in Ghana, China, or Cuba. Other journeys have brought them to France, Spain, Puerto Rico, and Washington, D.C., with past adventures reaching Nepal, India, South Africa, and the islands of Martinique and Guadeloupe. Wherever they go, students return with deeper cross-cultural understanding, a spirit of collaboration, and the drive to turn global awareness into purposeful action.

Outside the Classroom

- **71+** leadership positions available to Upper School students
- **54** clubs including The Herd (school spirit club), Green Coalition, Grill Club, Quaker Leadership Program, Physics and Philosophy Club, and Cinema Society
- **23** varsity sports (and many non-competitive options including farming, sports photography, ropes course, yoga, and outdoor education)
- **11** local social service agency partnerships that provide ample opportunities for community service
- **56 honors** – The Metal Moose, Westtown's Robotics Team, has earned 13 FIRST Robotics World Championship qualifications, 12 Creativity & Innovation Awards, 8 Engineering & Design Awards, and top recognitions for Inspiration, Excellence in Engineering, and Gracious Professionalism



Don't just get into college—be ready for it.

Every student is paired with a dedicated college counselor from junior year, receiving personalized guidance at every stage. Junior and Senior Seminars help students identify best-fit colleges, complete applications, craft essays, and navigate financial aid. With one-on-one counseling, extensive resources, and 100+ college rep visits annually, graduates earn admission to top universities, public institutions, and elite arts programs—and are praised for their academic excellence, curiosity, leadership, and compassion.

90% of our alums complete college in four years at *one school* (in comparison to the national average of 56% in six years).

96% of our alums who boarded say that they were better prepared for college than their peers.

20% of graduates over the past five years have been recruited to play college athletics.



Who chooses Westtown?

Westtown is home to a diverse community that includes boarding students from across the U.S. and around the world, as well as day students from pre-kindergarten through 12th grade who form a vibrant local presence on campus. Among them are student-athletes who compete at high levels, including club and national teams, with some participating in off-campus training and events.

360 Upper School students (255 boarding & 101 day)

22 countries represented in our student body

21 states represented in our student body

21% of Upper School student are international students

52% of domestic Upper School students are BIPOC

\$11 million awarded annually in financial aid

52% of Upper School students receive need-based financial aid



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Upper School Curriculum 2025-2026

The Westtown Upper School curriculum challenges students to discover their intellectual strengths and to develop the skills they need to become stewards and leaders of a better world. The core curriculum in ninth and tenth grades is built on yearlong courses in every subject so that students develop a strong foundation. Eleventh and twelfth grade students pursue a variety of courses in areas of their individual strengths, choosing from elective options rich in opportunities for leadership, in designing research and social action projects, written and oral expression, and applied laboratory experiences.

CURRICULUM-AT-A-GLANCE

ENGINEERING & COMPUTER SCIENCE

Foundation Courses

Intro to Mechanical Engineering
Intro to Programming

Systems Exploration Courses

Website Development
Design Engineering

Advanced Application Courses

Design Engineering Solutions 1, 2*
Computer Science 1*
Math Independent Research*
Computer Sci. Indep. Research*

ENGLISH

Required Courses

Perspectives in Literature
American Literature
Contemporary World Literature
The Essay
Elective

Electives

Writing with Power*
Contemp. Award-Winning Fiction*
Dystopian Literature*
World Mythology*

HISTORY

Required Courses

Peace & Justice
U.S. History*

Electives

Contemporary Affairs*
Genocide Studies 1*
Genocide Studies 2*
Microeconomics
Modern Latin America*
Latin American Experiences*
Macroeconomics
World History 1300-1800*
World History 1800-2000*

MATH

Required Courses

Algebra 1*
Geometry*
Alg 2 or Alg 2 & Trig*

Recommended for all

Precalculus*
Functions with Math Modeling

Electives

Calculus 1*
Calculus 2*
Statistics
Linear Algebra*
Multivariable Calculus*
Differential Equations*

SCIENCE

Required Courses

Chemistry*
Biology*

Recommended for all

Physics*

Biology Electives

Anatomy & Physiology*
Molecular Biology*
Biology of Disease

Research

Scientific Research*

Chemistry Electives

Applied Chemistry
Chemical Reactions*
Chemical Bonding*

Environmental Science Electives

Environmental Science 1, 2*
Environ. Science Field Research*

Physics Electives

Electricity & Magnetism*
Modern Physics*

ARTS

Art

Intro to Studio Art: 2D
Intro to Studio Art: 3D
Ceramics 1, 2, 3*
Drawing & Painting 1, 2
Photography & Digital Art 1, 2
Sculpture 1, 2
Studio Art Forum*
Woodworking 1, 2, 3*

Music

Choral Arts 1, 2, 3, 4*
Jazz Ensemble 1, 2, 3, 4*
String Orchestra 1, 2, 3, 4*
Symphonic Band 1, 2, 3, 4*
From Blues to EDM
Digital Music & Production 1, 2
Intro to Guitar
Applied Music 1, 2, 3*, 4*

Theater

Intro to Theater: Acting
Intro to Theater: Stagecraft
Intermediate Acting: TV & Film
Interm Acting: Comedy & Improv
Interm Stagecraft: Light & Sound
Advanced Theater: Directing
Advanced Theater: Playwriting
Adv Shakespearean Acting
Performing Arts Forum*

HEALTH

Required Courses

Health & Life Skills
Junior Seminar
Senior Seminar

RELIGION

Required Courses

Quakerism in Life & Practice
World Religions 1
World Religions 2

Electives (required to take one)

Environmental Justice*
Ethics & Philosophy*

WORLD & CLASSICAL LANGUAGES

Required Courses

One of the following:
Chinese 1 & 2
Latin 1 & 2
Spanish 1 & 2

Recommended

Chinese 3, 4*, 5*
Latin 3, 4*, 5*
Spanish 3, 4*, 5*

* = Advanced Curriculum Offered

CO-CURRICULARS

Westtown’s co-curricular program, grounded in teamwork and collaboration, is a required part of Upper School life. Students engage in activities that foster skill building, communication, performance, and personal and community growth. They discover their strengths, learn the value of group contribution, and gain an appreciation for lifelong fitness. Most activities culminate in a performance—whether on the athletic field, stage, or an outdoor leadership trip. With a wide range of offerings, students can pursue what aligns with their passions and interests.

FALL

WINTER

SPRING

INTERSCHOLASTIC ATHLETICS

Cross Country
Field Hockey
Soccer
Girls Tennis

Basketball
Indoor Track
Rock Climbing
Swimming
Wrestling

Baseball
Golf
Lacrosse
Softball
Boys Tennis
Track and Field

LIFELONG FITNESS

Dance
Swimming Training
Boys Tennis Training
Boys Lacrosse Training
Wrestling Training
Basketball Training
Strength and Conditioning
Yoga

Dance
Indoor Field Hockey Training
Girls Lacrosse Training
Baseball Training
Winter Running
Strength and Conditioning
Yoga

Ultimate Frisbee
Outdoor Education
Girls Tennis Training
Swimming Training
Strength and Conditioning
Yoga

COLLABORATIVE ACTIVITIES

Farming
Theater: Fall Play
Theater: Scenic Arts Design
Service Network

Robotics
Theater: Scenic Arts Design
Service Network

Outdoor Education
Dance: Spring Musical
Theater: Spring Musical
Theater: Scenic Arts Design
Service Network
E-Sports