# **Pearson**

## **Pearson Online Academy**

# 2025-2026 School Profile

CEEB Code 7210191

## **Our Mission**

At Pearson Online Academy, our mission is to empower students to be future ready in a global society through high quality instruction and a supportive partnership with families.

## **Our Program**

We're an online, U.S.-based private school that empowers K-12 students from around the world to learn from wherever your family is based. Our college prep curriculum brings learning to life with 100+ courses delivered through engaging technology and virtual lessons and discussions, as well as extracurricular clubs and activities.

The teamwork of the Learning Coach and Pearson Online Academy teachers provide a high-quality education experience that prepares students for success well after graduation.

- Pearson Online Academy has approximately 1,600 full-time and part-time students in grades K-12, representing 70 different countries.
- Our full-time K-12 program provides a comprehensive private school experience from personalized instruction to clubs and activities, academic/career counseling, a wide range of electives, and more.
- Part-time solutions help students get ahead, catch up, or explore new subjects through hundreds of virtual K-12 courses.
- Summer school options engage K-8 students with academic enrichment opportunities while on summer break. High school students can recover credits for graduation or accelerate their studies with original credit courses and electives.
- Career Technical Education (CTE) courses allow students to combine both college preparation and workforce skills development into one customized education program.
- Pearson Online Academy is accredited by MSA, as well as the following accrediting divisions of Cognia: SACS CASI, NWAC, and NCA CASI.



## **Advanced Course Options**

Pearson Online Academy's core curriculum is designed to prepare students for college and beyond. Students have access to AP, Honors, College Preparatory, and Basic programs. Students can also participate in the Postsecondary Enrollment Options (PSEO) program, where they can earn dual high school and college credit by attending post-secondary institutions.

#### **AP Course Offerings Include:**

- Biology
- Calculus AB
- Computer Science
- English Language
- English Literature

- Environmental Science
- Human Geography
- Macroeconomics
- Microeconomics
- Psychology

- Spanish
- Statistics
- U.S. Government
- U.S. History

### **Honors Course Offerings Include:**

- Algebra I & II
- American Government
- Biology
- Chemistry

- Earth Science
- English 9-12
- Geometry
- Physics

- Pre-Calculus
- U.S. History
- World History

# **Graduation Requirements**

Pearson Online Academy operates on a semester system utilizing Carnegie units. One semester class equals one-half of a high school credit. Students who have taken high school level courses while in middle school may also earn high school credit. The typical course load is six classes per semester. Students can earn up to seven (7) credits during the school year.

### **Average Test Scores**

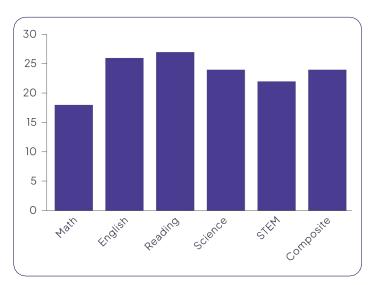
Area/Subjects	Units
Language Arts	4
Math	4
Science	4
Social Studies	4
Foreign Language	2
Other Electives	3
Total	21

#### **Sampling of Student Acceptances**

Graduates of Pearson Online Academy have been accepted to the following colleges:

- Columbia University
- Princeton University
- University of Texas at Austin
- Rice University
- University of Alabama
- California State
  University

- University of NC at Chapel Hill
- Auburn University
- Clemson University
- Vanderbilt University
- University of Hawaii
- University of Georgia
- University of Florida





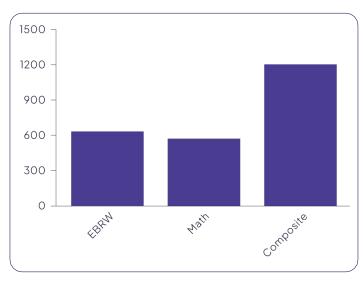


Figure 2: SAT School Average for 2023-2024

## **Grade Scale**

Student transcripts reflect weighted grades if the student took Honors or Advanced Placement courses. The numerical grading scale is as follows:

Grade	Numerical Percentage	Non-Weighted	Weighted (Honors)	Weighted (AP)
A+	98-100	4.00	4.50	5.00
Α	92-97	4.00	4.50	5.00
A-	90-91	3.67	4.17	4.67
B+	88-89	3.33	3.83	4.33
В	82-87	3.00	3.50	4.00
B-	80-81	2.67	3.17	3.67
C+	78-79	2.33	2.83	3.33
С	72-77	2.00	2.50	3.00
C-	70-71	1.67	2.17	2.67
D+	68-69	1.33	1.33	1.33
D	62-67	1.00	1.00	1.00
D-	60-61	0.67	0.67	0.67
F	0-59	0.00	0.00	0.00

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