ANDERSON CHRISTIAN SCHOOL

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2026-2027 SCHOOL PROFILE

Anderson Christian School is a coeducational, non-denominational, college preparatory day school for students in grades K3-12. Our mission is partnering with families in raising students to develop their God-given emotional, spiritual, academic, physical, and leadership potential to prepare them for a lifetime of Kingdom-building service The ACS core values of faith, excellence, service, and community are evident through strong academic programs, and competitive athletics. ACS is located in Anderson County, in the Upstate of South Carolina with an approximate population of just above 219,000. ACS draws students from several international employers including Michelin, One World Technologies, and Bosch, in addition to other large companies, such as AnMed Health, Anderson University, Clemson University, Electrolux, Arthrex, and Orian Rugs.

ACS STUDENT PROFILE

Faith

Understand that Biblical truth is the foundation for the proper understanding of all academic subjects -
Understand how the Bible relates to every area of the student's life

Excellence

Understand how to apply himself to his work and to fulfill his responsibilities to God, to those in authority, and to himself -
Understand how to pursue excellence in every area of the student's life

Service

Understand the urgency of world missions through practice of the Great Commission -
Understand how to practice Christian service to others in the student's life

Community

Understand how to be an active part of the ACS community -
Understand "Once a Lion, Always a Lion"

ATHLETICS

Anderson Christian School's athletic program has been present consistently at the state tournament in the South Carolina Independent Schools Association (SCISA) Class 1A region in soccer, volleyball, cross country, and basketball. ACS has captured state championships in volleyball and women's and men's basketball, most recently the 2025 Boys Volleyball Team winning the SCACS State Championship. ACS has been state runner-up in volleyball, soccer, men's cross country, and men's basketball. ACS currently offers 7 varsity sports, 2 junior varsity sports, and 3 middle school sports, as well as a variety of elementary sports programs. Over 15 ACS graduates have committed to continuing their athletic careers at the collegiate level, including Clemson University, Anderson University, North Greenville University, Southern Wesleyan University, Charleston Southern University, Wofford College, Converse University, Erskine College, Emmanuel College, Montreat College, and Harris-Stowe College.

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ACCREDITATIONS & MEMBERSHIPS

- Cognia
- SCACS (South Carolina Association of Christian Schools

ACS Quick Facts

Upper School Enrollment: 55
Class of 2026: 11
Academic Calendar: Semesters
Upper School Median Class: 12
Upper School Faculty/Student Ratio: 1:8

Enrolled in college (class of 2026): 99%
*Excludes international students returning to Europe, Asia, and South America

Grading System

The ACS school calendar functions on a semester system. A numerical system from 0 to 100 with corresponding 10-point letter grades is used to determine individual course grades, as indicated below. These numerical grades are then used to compute a student's GPA on the 100-point scale. In recognition of the increased demands of AP and Honors coursework, an additional weight of 1.0 for AP/Dual Credit and 0.5 for Honors classes is given towards the student's GPA. These additional points are added to the final computation of the GPA and NOT reflected in the student's course grade. All ACS courses, unless designated as AP, Dual Credit, or Honors, are college preparatory and are not weighted. In addition to calculating all student GPAs on the school's 100-point scale, ACS also utilizes the South Carolina Uniform Grading Policy in calculating and reporting GPAs and the South Carolina Uniform Grading Policy for determining class rank for all Upper School Students.

CEEB code: 410041

Anderson Christian School Uniform Grading Scale

A 90-100
B 80-89
C 70-79
D 60-69
F 59 and below

College Acceptances for Anderson Christian School

Alabama A&M University*
American University**
Anderson University*, **
Auburn University*
Belmont University*
Benedict College*
Berry College*
Brenau University*
Brevard College*, **
Cape Breton University (CAN)
Catawba College
Central State University
Charleston Southern University
Centre College*, **
Claflin University
Clemson University*
Coastal Carolina University
College of Charleston
Converse University*, **
Covenant College
Crown College
Cumberland University
David Lipscomb University*
Emmanuel College**
East Tennessee State University*
Erskine College*, **
Furman University*
Francis Marion University
Fisk University
Florida A&M University*
Florida Polytechnic University
Fordham University
Freed-Hardeman University
Gardner Webb University
Greenville Technical College
Georgia Southern University*
Grambling State University*
Hampton University*
Hampton-Sydney College
Harris-Stowe University*, **
High Point University
Houghton College*
Horry-Georgetown Technical College
Indiana University
Jackson State University
Kingdom Domain Bible College
Lander University*
Lee University
Lees-McRae College*
Lenoir Rhyne University
Lincoln University
Liberty University
Mars Hill University
Maryville College*
Massachusetts Institute of Technology
Mercer University
Michigan State University
Miles College*
Montreat College*, **
Morris College
Newberry College*
North Carolina A&T University
North Carolina Central University*
North Greenville University*, **
Ohio State University*
Oral Roberts University
Ottawa College
Pensacola Christian College*
Pepperdine University*
Presbyterian College*
Purdue University
Roosevelt University of Chicago
Saint Augustine University*
Seton Hall University*
Shenandoah University*
South Carolina State University*
Southeastern University*
Southern Wesleyan University**
Spartanburg Methodist College*
Spelman College
Tennessee State University
The Citadel
Toccoa Falls College
Tri-County Technical College
Truett-McConnell University*, **
Tuskegee University*
University of Alabama*
University of California-Berkeley
University of Florida*
University of Georgia
University of Maryland Eastern Shore*
University of North Georgia
University of Oklahoma*
University of South Carolina-Beaufort
University of South Carolina-Columbia*
University of South Carolina-Upstate
University of Tennessee*
University of Tennesse at Chattanooga*
Virginia State University*
Voorhees College*
Western Carolina University*
Wingate University
Winthrop University*
Winston- Salem University
Wofford University*, **
Word of Life Bible College (Budapest, Hungary)
Xavier University*
Young Harris College

***academic scholarship received, **athletic scholarship awarded**

Course Offerings By Department

English

- English I, II, III, IV
- Honors English I, II, III, IV

Math

- Geometry
- Algebra I
- Algebra II
- Algebra III
- Probability & Statistics
- Honors Geometry
- Honors Algebra I
- Honors Algebra II
- Honors Precalculus
- Honors Business Calc.
- Honors Calculus

Social Studies

- World History
- United States History
- U.S. Government
- Economics
- Honors World History
- Honors United States History
- Honors U.S. Government
- Honors Economics
- WW II

Science

- Biology
- Chemistry
- Physics
- Physical Science
- Anatomy & Physiology
- Honors Biology
- Honors Chemistry
- Honors Physics
- Honors Physical Science

Language

- Spanish I, II
- Honors Spanish III

Technology

- Fundamentals of Computing
- Digital Publication Design

Religion

- Introduction to Theological Studies
- Theological Foundations I, II, III

Fine Arts & Physical Education

- Drama I, II
- Honors Drama III, IV
- Physical Education/Health

Upper School Student Distinctions

ACS has been named a Beta Club School of Distinction for the past 8 years. In 2024, ACS received the National Beta Club MVP Award for the chapter's large number of service hours.

Units required

All students are required to complete twenty-six high school units: four each in English, Science and Math; three each in social studies/history (including U.S. History), laboratory science, and foreign language; one physical education, technology, and fine arts; and seven electives, including Religion courses (during each year of enrollment in the Upper School).

High Level Courses

Duel Enrollment and Honors courses are offered throughout the curriculum; however, students must meet certain criteria established by the various departments to enroll in these classes. These criteria can include standardized testing scores, minimum grades in previous courses, teacher recommendations, and testing by individual departments. All other courses are considered college preparatory.