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### MISSION STATEMENT

To partner with families to provide for the Christian discipleship of children through a classical education for the greater glory of God.

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Christian Schools International

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Virginia Council Private Education

### AFFILIATIONS

Association of Classical Christian Schools

*Virginia Association of Christian Athletics*

Society for Classical Learning

# REDEEMER CLASSICAL SCHOOL

## 2023-24 SCHOOL PROFILE

Founded in **2004**, Redeemer Classical School is a **PK-12th grade classical Christian school.**

**248** STUDENTS in 2023-24

**7:1** Student Teacher Ratio

Average class size is **13** students

### REDEEMER DISTINCTIVES

**Senior Thesis** — Each senior completes a SEMESTER-LONG research project seeking to apply an enduring question to a culturally significant work or issue in the field of science or the humanities that culminates in a 15-20 page paper and a 20 minute presentation.

**Socratic Seminars** — Students are active participants in *lively* CLASSROOM DISCUSSIONS designed to help to think more deeply about and respond more eloquently to the topic at hand.

**Logic and Rhetoric** — Students study FORMAL logic and rhetoric in order to hone their thinking, speaking, and writing skills.

**Classical Languages** — Students study LATIN in K-9th grade and GREEK in 10-12th grade.

**Debate and Oration** — Through RECITATIONS, MOCK TRIAL, FORENSICS LEAGUE, and CLASSICAL UNION students learn how to confidently speak in public, and engage others civilly around complex ideas to gain a better understanding of all sides of an issue.

**CLASS of 2024 TEST SCORE AVERAGES: CLT: 85 | SAT: 1270 | ACT: 27**

### PORTRAIT of a GRADUATE

Redeemer Classical School strives to graduate **WISE and VIRTUOUS individuals** who:

- Desire to glorify God in all they do
- Love their neighbor by pursuing the best for their community and the wider world
- Winsomely promote and courageously defend truth, goodness, and beauty
- Act with integrity rooted in conviction
- Think critically and are not easily swayed by error
- Communicate eloquently in speech and writing
- Have a sense of curiosity and wonder evidenced by a lifetime of learning

### GRADING SYSTEM

Redeemer does not offer AP or IB courses. All 9-12th grade courses are taught at an HONORS level and are graded on a **5.0 weighted GPA**. Redeemer does not calculate class rank.

LETTER	NUMBER	POINT	LETTER	NUMBER	POINT
A+	100-97	5.0	C	76-73	3.0
A	96-93	4.75	C-	72-70	2.75
A-	92-90	4.5	D+	69-67	2.5
B+	89-87	4.25	D	66-63	2.0
B	86-83	4.0	D-	62-60	1.75
B-	82-80	3.75	F	59 & Below	1.0
C+	79-77	3.5			

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## CURRICULUM SCOPE & SEQUENCE *and* GRADUATION REQUIREMENTS

GRADE	HISTORY	LITERATURE	FOREIGN LAN.	MATH	SCIENCE	RHETORIC	ENRICHMENT	FINE ARTS
12	American*	American*	Greek III	Calculus	Advanced Physics/Chem.	Senior Thesis*	Flex Period / Agriculture & Trade	Studio Art and/or Music
11	British*	British*	Greek II	Pre-Calculus*	Biology*	Rhetoric & Debate III	Flex Period / Agriculture & Trade	Studio Art and/or Music
10	Roman to Medieval*	Roman to Medieval*	Greek I	Algebra II*	Chemistry*	Rhetoric & Debate II	Driver's Ed and Life Skills	Art/Art History II, Vocal II
9	Greek*	Greek*	Latin IV	Geometry*	Conceptual Physics*	Rhetoric & Debate I	Leadership for Life	Art/Art History I, Vocal I
8	World History	Modern	Latin III	Algebra I	Earth Science	Formal Logic	Reading and Research	Art and Music
7	Medieval	Medieval and Modern	Latin II	Pre-Algebra	Physical Science	Introduction to Logic	Reading and Research	Art and Music
<b>CREDITS OFFERED</b>	5.0	4.0	6.0	5.0	5.0	4.0	0	4.0

**26 TOTAL CREDITS are required for graduation.** This includes 2.0 *Fine Arts Credits* and 2.0 *Physical Education Credits* from 9th-12th grade, and 3.0 *Foreign Language Credits* from 7-12th grade. [ \* Indicates graduation REQUIREMENT. ■ Indicates high school credit. ]

### STUDENT LIFE *and* EXTRACURRICULAR ACTIVITIES

Students are required to serve at least 10 hours of **VOLUNTEER SERVICE** each year in grades 9-12.

All students take a **LEADERSHIP COURSE** in the 9th grade designed to equip them with the skills and imbue them with the characteristics necessary for good leadership.

**Student Prefect Council** — a unique form of student government designed to give students real leadership opportunities at school and mentorship with a faculty or staff member to help hone their leadership abilities.

**Redeemer House System** — provides structure for healthy competition and team building; facilitates camaraderie, and creates leadership opportunities

**Interscholastic Athletics** — Cross Country, Volleyball, Basketball, Golf, Track & Field are offered at the MS, JV, and Varsity level as part of our membership in the *Virginia Association of Christian Athletics*.



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### SAMPLE READING LIST

The Hobbit	Sir Gawain and the Green Knight
The Shakespeare Stealer	Nibelungenlied
King Arthur and His Knights	King Lear
Norse Mythology	As you Like it
Henry V	Frankenstein
The Witch of Blackbird Pond	Manalive
The Hound of the Baskervilles	Romeo and Juliet
The Hiding Place	Hamlet
Macbeth	Jane Eyre
The Giver	Great Expectations
Silas Marner	Fathers and Sons
Selections from 'Utopia'	The Death of Ivan Ilyich
Alice in Wonderland	Rosencrantz and Guildenstern are Dead
Till We Have Faces	Fahrenheit 451
The Odyssey	Scarlet Letter
The Iliad	Bartleby and Benito Cereno
Oedipus the King	The Great Gatsby
Oedipus at Colonus	The Old Man and the Sea
The Clouds	Everything that Rises Must Converge
Nicomachean Ethics	To Kill a Mockingbird
Twelfth Night	A Raisin in the Sun
The Emperor's Handbook	Leaves of Grass
The Aeneid	
Inferno	
Faerie Queen	

### COLLEGE ACCEPTANCES of REDEEMER ALUMNI

American University  
 Christopher Newport University  
 Eastern Virginia Medical School  
 George Mason University  
 Grove City College  
 Hampden-Sydney College  
 James Madison University  
 Johns Hopkins University  
 Mary Baldwin University  
 Penn State  
 Radford University  
 Regent University  
 Savannah College of Art and Design  
 University of Mary Washington  
 University of North Carolina  
 University of Richmond  
 University of Virginia  
 Vanderbilt University  
 Virginia Commonwealth University  
 Virginia Tech  
 William and Mary