

Lynnhaven School is an independent day school enrolling students in grades 9–12. The school opened in the fall of 2012 and graduated its first senior class in the spring of 2013. Our curriculum is college preparatory with a commitment to learning that's grounded in the progressive belief that students learn best when they are actively involved and working side by side with others. Student-centered exploration through project-based learning is part of everything we do at Lynnhaven.

Head of School

Casey Hitchcock, Ed.D.

Accreditation & Associations

Cognia
 College Board - Level II Institution
 National Association of Independent Schools
 National Honor Society
 Project Green School
 Southern Association for Colleges and Schools
 NCAA Clearinghouse

Awards

Family Favorite Independent School

- *Style Weekly* '17, '18, '19, '20

Best Independent School, Central Region

- *Virginia Living Magazine* '18

Arbor Day Foundation

- K-12 Tree Campus '21, '22, '23

Keep Henrico Beautiful

- Clean Business Award '23

Virginia Department of Wildlife

- Virginia Naturally Award '23

Faculty

7 Members; 100% holding advanced degrees/licensure

Enrollment

38 Students
 Student/Teacher Ratio: 5 to 1
 Average Class Size: 8

Diversity

38% Ethnic Diversity
 32% LGBTQIA
 33% Receive Financial Aid

Athletics, Clubs, Organizations

Varsity Athletics: Cross Country, Track & Field
Clubs: Archery, Naturalist, Maker Society, Chess, Debate, Fencing
Organizations: Student Senate, Student Ambassadors, Model United Nations, National Honors Society, School Store, Yearbook

Graduation Requirements

There are three components to the Lynnhaven curriculum:

- 1. Active Learning:** Students learn best when they are actively involved through researching, investigating, discussing, creating, solving problems, defending their beliefs, and more
- 2. Mastery Journey:** Skills development is woven into all aspects of the learning experience. Students gain academic knowledge through their work to develop skills.
- 3. Essential Experiences:** Invaluable and immeasurable opportunities to develop qualities that people should progress toward throughout life.

We foster self-reliance, integrity, social responsibility, and humor, inspiring our students to discover within themselves the courage to achieve their personal best. Dual Enrollment courses are offered for those students qualifying for increased challenge.

Minimum graduation requirements are listed below.

- Successfully Complete the Course Requirements
- Earn All Mastery Credits
- Fulfill the Experiential Learning Requirement
- Complete the Senior Capstone Speech
- Complete 100 hours of Community Service
- Complete Seminar for each year enrolled

Liberal Arts CORE

English	4
History	4
Mathematics	4
Science	4
Foreign Language	2

Practical/Life Skills

Personal Finance	.5
Driver's Education	.5
Health & Wellness	1
Seminar	1-4

Electives

Fine Arts (Pink Cord)

- Art I, Art II, Advanced Art, Creative Writing, Liner Notes, Art & Action, Any DE Course in Fine Arts

STEM (Silver Cord)

- CS I, CSII, Flora & Fauna, Statistics, Digital Media, Carpentry, Any DE Course in STEM

Global Studies (Red Cord)

- Spanish III, Pan African Studies I, Pan African Studies II, International Film, Any DE Course in Sociology, Foreign Language, History

General (Green Cord)

- Any mix of electives

Grading Systems

Report cards are issued every semester. The grading system is as follows:

A grade point average (A = 4.00) and decile standing are computed at the end of each year.

- Advanced Placement courses are weighted x1.5, and Honors courses are weighted x1.25 in the computation of the GPA.
- Dual Enrollment (DE) courses are weighted x1.75
- A weighted GPA is reported.

The freedom to be. The responsibility to do.

The Latin Honors Ranking (LTR)

The LTR system establishes three distinct honors levels where students are recognized for their academic performance. The honors distinctions include being members of the National Honor Society and:



LYNNHAVEN MASTERY SCALE



Grading Scale

Letter Grade	Start Score	End Score	GPA	Letter Grade	Start Score	End Score	GPA	Letter Grade	Start Score	End Score	GPA
A+	98	100	4.3	B	84	86	3.0	C-	70	73	1.7
A	94	97	4.0	B-	80	83	2.7	D+	68	69	1.3
A-	90	93	3.7	C+	77	79	2.3	D	65	67	1.0
B+	87	89	3.3	C	74	76	2.0	F	0	64	0.0

Course Offerings 2024-2025

English

Composition
 Advanced Composition
 American Literature
 World Literature
 English Composition I*, II*

History

The Modern World
 Authority & Rebellion
 Revolutions
 American Identity
 Reconstruction & Identity
 American Identity
 Revolutions
 Government & Policy
 Human Geography
 Western Civilization I*, II*

Science

Forensic Science
 Modern Microbiology
 Environmental Policy &
 Practice
 Solutions
 Chemistry*

Mathematics

Algebra I
 Algebra II
 Geometry
 Trigonometry
 Pre-Calculus*
 Calculus*
 Statistics*
 Data Analysis

World Languages

Spanish I, II, III*

Fine Arts

Art & Activism
 Art & Action
 Visual Arts I*, II*
 Liner Notes
 Creative Writing

Practical/Life Skills

Personal Finance
 Driver's Education
 Principles of Business*
 Advanced Wellness
 Internship
 Seminar I, II, III, IV

STEM

Carpentry
 Sustainable Living
 Computer Science I
 Computer Science II
 Flora & Fauna
 Digital Media

Global Studies

Pan-African Studies I, II
 Cultural Anthropology
 International Film

Dual Enrollment Courses marked with *

Scholastic Achievement of the Class of 2024

Students Enrolled in Dual Enrollment Courses: 77%
 ACT Mean Total Score: 22.7
 ACT High Score: 32
 Median GPA: 3.80
 Maximum GPA: 4.57

Scholastic Achievement of the Class of 2025

Students enrolled in Dual Enrollment courses: 88%
 ACT Mean Total Score: 23.3
 ACT High Score: 28
 Median GPA: 3.63
 Maximum GPA: 4.21

Recent College Acceptances

American University	Hofstra University	Radford University [^]
Appalachian State University	Hollins University	Randolph College [^]
Arizona State University	Hood College	Randolph-Macon College [^]
Averett University	University of Illinois Chicago	Roanoke College
Benedict College	James Madison University	Rochester Institute of Technology [^]
Bridgewater College	Kennesaw State University	San Jose State University [*]
Bowie University	Lees-McRae College	Savannah College of Art and Design
Bon Secours Mem. College of Nursing [*]	Lenoir Rhyne University	Seton Hall University
The College at Brockport - SUNY	Liberty University	Shaw University
Campbell University	Longwood University	Shenandoah University
Catholic University of America	Loyola University of Maryland	St. Augustine University
Christopher Newport University ^{*^}	Loyola University of Chicago [^]	Stevenson University
Clark Atlanta University	University of Lynchburg [*]	Susquehanna University
Curry College	Marshall University	Sweet Briar College
Davis & Elkins College	Mary Baldwin College [^]	Texas A&M University
DePaul University	University of Mary Washington [^]	UNC Pembroke
University of Denver	Marymount University	UNC Asheville
Drexel University	Mercyhurst University	Unity Environmental University
Eastern Mennonite University	Methodist College	Virginia Commonwealth University ^{*^}
East Carolina University [^]	Michigan State University	Virginia State University [*]
East Tennessee University	Missouri State University	Virginia Tech University
Emmerson College	Middle Tennessee State University	Virginia Military Institute
Fayetteville State University	Morehouse College	Virginia Wesleyan College
Florida State University	Morgan State University	Virginia Union University
George Mason University [*]	Nazareth College	Wake Forest University
George Washington University	Norfolk State University	Warren Wilson College [^]
Georgia State University	North Carolina State University	Washington College
Gettysburg College	North Carolina A&T	Washington & Lee University
Guilford College	Old Dominion University ^{*^}	West Virginia University
Hampton University	Oklahoma University	West Virginia State University
High Point University	Penn State University	College of William and Mary
	University of Portland	Wofford University

*indicates Lynnhaven college graduates

[^]indicates currently enrolled Lynnhaven students