



# TALLULAH FALLS SCHOOL

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## 2014-2015 COLLEGE ADMISSIONS PROFILE

Tallulah Falls School is an independent, coeducational college preparatory boarding and day school enrolling 425 students in grades 6 through 12. Tallulah Falls School strives to present a challenging curriculum using traditional teaching methods in small class settings that stimulate student engagement in the learning process. Students have the benefit of close personal attention from teachers, advisors, and other members of the staff. Tallulah Falls School is an equal opportunity institution and admits students of any race, color, and national or ethnic origin.

Tallulah Falls School is accredited by the Southern Association of Colleges and Schools and the Southern Association of Independent Schools.

Grades \_\_\_\_\_ 6-12  
Enrollment \_\_\_\_\_ 425  
Upper School \_\_\_\_\_ 276  
Middle School \_\_\_\_\_ 149

Academic Staff \_\_\_\_\_ 51  
Student: Faculty Ratio \_\_\_\_\_ 9:1  
Average Class Size \_\_\_\_\_ 16

## SCORE RESULTS - CLASS OF 2014

(includes all 2013-2014 Graduates)  
College Board Code: 112930

### ACT

#### TFS AVERAGES

English: 23.8  
Math: 23.8  
Reading: 24.1  
Science: 23.5  
Composite: 23.8

#### GEORGIA AVERAGES

English: 20.3  
Math: 20.5  
Reading: 21.4  
Science: 20.7  
Composite: 20.8

#### NATIONAL AVERAGES

English: 20.3  
Math: 20.9  
Reading: 21.3  
Science: 20.8  
Composite: 21.0

### SAT

#### TFS AVERAGES

CRITICAL READING: 533  
MATH: 560  
WRITING: 543

#### GEORGIA AVERAGES

CRITICAL READING: 488  
MATH: 485  
WRITING: 472

#### NATIONAL AVERAGES

CRITICAL READING: 497  
MATH: 513  
WRITING: 487

#### **TFS CRITICAL READING & MATH AVERAGE: 1093**

Georgia Math & Critical Reading Average: 973  
National Math & Critical Reading Average: 1010

#### **TFS Critical Reading, Math & Writing Average: 1636**

Georgia Critical Reading, Math & Writing Average: 1445  
National Critical Reading, Math & Writing Average: 1497

**LARRY A. PEEVY**  
*President and Head of School*

**MARK W. RASMUSSEN**  
*Vice President*

**KIM POPHAM**  
*Upper School Academic Dean*

**BOBBY L. HAMMOND**  
*Upper School Guidance Counselor*

**TISH M. ROLLER**  
*Registrar*

**KELLY WOODALL**  
*Dean of Enrollment Management*

# ACADEMIC INFORMATION

## GRADING SYSTEM:

A	90-100
B	80-89
C	70-79
F	Below 70

## GPA WEIGHTING POLICY

Tier 1 - 4.0 scale - Standard college preparatory classes

Tier 2 - 4.5 scale - Honors level classes

Tier 3 - 5.0 scale - All AP and College level classes

## GRADING POLICY

Mid-year and final grades are included on the Tallulah Falls School transcript. Both weighted and unweighted GPAs are included on the transcript. Weighted GPAs are calculated according to the GPA Weighting Policy above which is also included on the transcript.

## PRESIDENT'S COMMENDATION LIST

A student earns a position on the President's Commendation List by earning satisfactory grades (3.5 GPA) and avoiding excess demerits.

## HONOR ROLLS:

Trustee's Honor Roll	4.0 GPA
President's Honor Roll	3.5 GPA
Honor Roll	3.0 GPA

## ACADEMIC STAFF:

The academic staff of Tallulah Falls School is a seasoned mix of professional educators who are both extremely motivated and well qualified. The academic staff includes 16 men and 35 women. Over 65 percent of the academic staff hold advanced degrees.

## ACADEMIC YEAR:

The academic year, divided into semesters, begins in mid-August and ends in mid-May.

## GRADUATION REQUIREMENTS:

English	4 Credits
Math	4 Credits
Science	4 Credits
Social Studies	4 Credits
Foreign Language	2 Credits
Physical Education	1/2 Credit
Health	1/2 Credit
Elective Courses	5 Credits

*The minimum grade required to receive credit in a course is 70.*

## DUAL ENROLLMENT COURSES:

Tallulah Falls School offers dual enrollment courses to qualified juniors and seniors where they receive credit at both Tallulah Falls School and Truett-McConnell College. This allows students to accelerate their high school and college careers by accumulating college credit while completing their high school graduation requirements at Tallulah Falls School.

Truett-McConnell College is a private 4 year liberal arts college accredited by the Southern Association of Colleges and Schools. Students wishing to be dual enrolled must meet the SAT/ACT requirements for Truett-McConnell College and the University System of Georgia. Tallulah Falls School employs teachers that meet the Southern Association of Colleges and Schools qualifications to teach college courses. These teachers are adjunct professors of Truett-McConnell College. The texts and syllabi are provided by Truett-McConnell College.

Tallulah Falls School offers 16 dual enrollment courses in English, Math, Science, and Social Studies. These courses are outlined in the program of study.

# 2014-2015 PROGRAM OF STUDIES

## ENGLISH

English 9  
English 9 Honors  
English 10  
English 10 Honors  
English 11  
English 11 Honors  
English 12  
**College English 101 & 102** (Dual enrollment courses offered by Tallulah Falls School and Truett-McConnell College)

## MATH

Algebra I & Algebra I Honors  
Geometry & Geometry Honors  
Algebra II  
Algebra III  
Math III  
Math IV  
**College Algebra 102** (Dual enrollment course offered by Tallulah Falls School and Truett-McConnell College)  
**College Precalculus 116** (Dual enrollment course offered by Tallulah Falls School and Truett-McConnell College)  
**College Calculus 220 & 221** (Dual enrollment courses offered by Tallulah Falls School and Truett-McConnell College)  
**College Statistics A & B** (Dual enrollment courses offered by Tallulah Falls School and Truett-McConnell College)

## SCIENCE

Physical Science & Physical Science Honors  
Biology & Biology Honors  
Chemistry & Chemistry Honors  
Physics Honors  
Environmental Science  
Human Anatomy and Physiology  
**Biology 101 & Biology 102** (Dual enrollment courses offered by Tallulah Falls School and Truett-McConnell College)  
**Chemistry 101 & Chemistry 102** (Dual enrollment courses offered by Tallulah Falls School and Truett-McConnell College)

## PHYSICAL EDUCATION

Personal Fitness & Health

## SOCIAL STUDIES

History I & History I Honors  
History II & History II Honors  
History III & History III Honors  
Government & Economics  
Government & Economics Honors  
**College World History 101 & 102** (Dual enrollment courses offered by Tallulah Falls School and Truett-McConnell College)  
**College US History 201 & 202** (Dual enrollment courses offered by Tallulah Falls School and Truett-McConnell College)

## FOREIGN LANGUAGE

Spanish I & II  
Chinese I & II

## ELECTIVES

Art I, II, & III (Advanced Art)  
Broadcasting  
Creative Writing  
Critical Thinking  
Culinary Arts I & II  
Drama I & II  
Instrumental Music  
Introduction to Art  
Introduction to Music  
Introduction to Teaching as a Profession  
Journalism  
Leadership in Life  
Life Skills  
Outdoor and Environmental Education  
Piano I & II  
Strength and Conditioning  
Tae Kwon Do  
Team Sports  
TFS Band  
TFS Ringers (Handbells)  
TFS Singers (Chorus)  
Theatre Technology  
Video Production  
Woodworking and Architectural Design

\* Additional course offerings through GAVS - Georgia Virtual School.

**\*\* College English 101 & 102, College Algebra 102, College Precalculus 116, College Calculus 220 & 221, College Statistics A & B, College World History 101 & 102, College US History 201 & 202, Biology 101 & 102 and Chemistry 101 & 102 are dual enrollment courses offered to qualified juniors and seniors where they receive credit at both Tallulah Falls School and Truett-McConnell College.**

# COLLEGE/UNIVERSITY ACCEPTANCES

## CLASSES OF 2010 - 2014

Agnes Scott College  
 Albany State University  
 Albright College  
 American University  
 Amherst College  
 Anderson University  
 Appalachian State University  
 Arcadia University  
 Arizona State University  
 Armstrong Atlantic State University  
 Art Institute of Boston  
 Auburn University  
 Augusta State University  
 Babson College  
 Belhaven Christian College  
 Belmont Abby College  
 Berea College  
 Berry College  
 Bob Jones University  
 Boston College  
 Boston University  
 Bradley University  
 Brandeis University  
 Brenau University  
 Brown University  
 Campbell University  
 Canisius College  
 Case Western Reserve University  
 Centre College  
 Chinese University of Hong Kong  
 Clemson University  
 Coastal Carolina University  
 Colgate University  
 College of Charleston  
 College of Coastal Georgia  
 College of Idaho  
 College of William and Marry  
 College of Wooster  
 Columbus State University  
 Creighton University  
 Dartmouth University  
 Denver University  
 Drexel University  
 Duke University  
 Eckerd College  
 Elon University  
 Emmanuel College (Boston)  
 Emmanuel College (Georgia)  
 Emory University  
 Flagler University  
 Florida Institute of Technology  
 Florida Southern University  
 Florida State University  
 Fordham University  
 Framingham State University  
 George Mason University  
 Georgia College and State University

Georgia College and State University - Honors College  
 Georgia Institute of Technology  
 Georgia Southern University  
 Georgia Southwestern State University  
 Georgia State University  
 Georgia-Gwinnett College  
 Grand Canyon University  
 Greensboro College  
 Hamilton University  
 Hampden-Sydney College  
 High Point University  
 Hillsborough College  
 Hofstra University  
 Howard University  
 Indian River Community College  
 Indiana University  
 Johnson & Wales University  
 Kalamazoo College  
 Kennesaw State University  
 King's College  
 Knox College  
 Lander University  
 Lawrence Technological University  
 Lee University  
 Lees-McRae University  
 Lenoir-Rhyne University  
 Liberty University  
 Louisiana State University  
 Marion Military University  
 Mercer University  
 Michigan State University  
 Middle Georgia College  
 Mississippi State University  
 Morehouse College  
 Morris Brown University  
 Mount Holyoke College  
 New York University  
 New York University of Technology  
 Newbury College  
 North Carolina A&T University  
 North Carolina State University  
 North Georgia College & State University  
 North Georgia Technical College  
 North Greenville University  
 Northeastern University  
 Norwich University  
 Oglethorpe University  
 Ohio State University  
 Ohio State University - Columbus  
 Oxford College of Emory University  
 Pace University  
 Pennsylvania State University  
 Piedmont College  
 Pontificia Universidad Catolica  
 Presbyterian College

Providence College  
 Purdue University  
 Randolph Macon College  
 Regis University  
 Reinhardt University  
 Rensselaer Polytechnic Institute  
 Rice University  
 Rochester Institute of Technology  
 Rose-Hulman Institute of Technology  
 Rutgers University  
 Rutgers University - Camden  
 Rutgers University - New Brunswick  
 Rutgers University - Newark  
 Saint Leo University  
 Samford University  
 San José State University  
 Savannah College of Art & Design  
 Savannah State University  
 Shorter University  
 Smith College  
 South Florida Community College  
 Southern Polytechnic State University  
 St. John's University  
 St. Joseph's University  
 St. Thomas University  
 Suffolk University  
 SUNY - Binghamton  
 SUNY - Buffalo  
 SUNY - Stony Brook  
 Syracuse University  
 Temple University  
 Texas A&M University  
 The Citadel  
 The Kings College  
 Towson State University  
 Truett McConnell College  
 Tusculum College  
 Union University  
 United States Naval Academy  
 University of Alabama  
 University of Buffalo  
 University of California - Berkeley  
 University of California - Davis  
 University of California - Los Angeles  
 University of California - San Diego  
 University of California - Santa Barbara  
 University of Cincinnati  
 University of Connecticut  
 University of Dayton  
 University of Delaware  
 University of Denver  
 University of Florida

University of Georgia  
 University of Houston  
 University of Illinois  
 University of Illinois - Urbana Champaign  
 University of Iowa  
 University of Louisville  
 University of Maryland  
 University of Massachusetts  
 University of Massachusetts - Amherst  
 University of Massachusetts - Boston  
 University of Miami  
 University of Minnesota  
 University of Mississippi  
 University of Montevallo  
 University of North Alabama  
 University of North Carolina - Asheville  
 University of North Carolina - Chapel Hill  
 University of North Carolina - Charlotte  
 University of North Carolina - Wilmington  
 University of North Florida  
 University of North Georgia  
 University of Notre Dame  
 University of Pennsylvania  
 University of Pittsburgh  
 University of Rochester  
 University of San Francisco  
 University of South Carolina  
 University of South Carolina - Aiken  
 University of South Florida  
 University of Southern California  
 University of St. Andrews - Honors College (Scotland)  
 University of Tampa  
 University of Tennessee - Martin  
 University of the Sciences  
 University of Virginia  
 University of Washington  
 University of Washington - Seattle  
 University of West Florida  
 University of West Georgia  
 University of Wisconsin  
 Valdosta State University  
 Vanderbilt University  
 Virginia Military Institute  
 Virginia Tech  
 Wabash College  
 Washington College  
 Washington State University  
 Wells College  
 Western Carolina University  
 Wingate University  
 Young Harris College