

# PROVIDENCE CLASSICAL CHRISTIAN SCHOOL



## David G. Bryant, Headmaster SAT/ACT Code: 112-320

**Providence Classical Christian School** is a private school serving the Newton County area in north Georgia. A non-denominational school with approximately 125 students in grades PreK-12, Providence provides a rigorous academic program in the Western tradition of Christian college preparatory schools.

## **Memberships and Affiliations**

Association of Classical Christian Schools (ACCS)
Society for Classical Learning (SCL)
Educational Records Bureau (ERB)
Newton County Chamber of Commerce
Georgia Association of Private & Parochial Schools (GAPPS)

## Accreditation

Georgia Accrediting Commission (GAC)

## **Enrollment**

2022-23 Total Students: 128

## **Admissions**

Students must demonstrate academic and developmental readiness, diligence in previous academic endeavors, and the potential to contribute to the community of scholars at Providence Classical Christian School. Admission testing (K-SEALS and PCCS Admissions Testing) is required in addition to standardized test scores and a personal interview.

## **Faculty**

The faculty consists of 15 full-time and 6 part-time teachers. All faculty members have bachelor's degrees, and several have master's degrees.

## Advanced Classical Diploma (9th-12th Grade)

Bible	4
English	4
History	4
Mathematics	4
Science	4
Classical Studies	3
Foreign Language	3
Fine Arts (Art/Music)	4
Physical Education	1
TOTAL CREDITS	31

## ACT/SAT Score Averages 2016 - 2022

	Reading	Math	Composite/ Total
ACT	26	23	24
SAT	630	580	1200

PCCS offers a 28 Credit – Classical Diploma. Contact the school for additional information.

## **Grading Scale** Fine and Performing Arts

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A	90-100	Students participate in annual choral performances, art exhibits and contests,
В	80-89	and theatrical performance. PCCS students have earned recognition as the
C	70-79	GAPPS State Literary Champions in addition to regularly earning first place in
F	0-69	the Regional GAPPS Literary competition.

## Curriculum

Classical Christian education includes structure that rewards self-control and personal diligence, content and method that develop thinking, articulate students, and an environment that challenges students and creates a love of learning. Students earn high school credit in 8<sup>th</sup> grade for Algebra. Students have the opportunity to take dual-enrollment and CLEP courses to earn college credit. Graduates have earned the HOPE and Zell Miller Scholarships. Curriculum Distinctives: Latin 4<sup>th</sup>-9<sup>th</sup> Grades, New Testament Greek 10<sup>th</sup>-11<sup>th</sup> Grades, Formal Logic, Rhetoric I and II, Great Ideas of Western Civilization I and II, Biblical Hermeneutics and Apologetics, Ancient History and Literature, Western Civilization I and II History and Literature, British and American Literature, Conceptual Physics, Natural Philosophy, Honors-Level Algebra, Geometry, Algebra II and PreCalculus (Calculus is an elective), and Art and Music from PreKindergarten – 12<sup>th</sup> grades.

## College Admission Acceptances (partial list)

University of Georgia, Emory University, Berry College, Auburn University, Lee University, University of North Georgia, Clemson University, University of Montevallo, Truett-McConnell, Western Carolina, Belmont University, Covenant College, and Georgia College.

## **Rhetoric Projects**

Students participate in formal speech and debate as part of the Rhetoric I and II classes. Community presentations are presented to the entire school and local community. Prospective graduates complete a Senior Thesis as the capstone to the academic requirements for all graduates. Students work with a faculty advisor in developing the thesis and must present and successfully defend the Senior Thesis before a faculty panel and the community as a graduation requirement.

All students from  $1^{st} - 12^{th}$  grade participate in the annual Speech Meet competition. Students memorize and present a selection of Bible, prose, poetry, or historic speech lasting from 3-5 minutes.

## **Athletics**

The athletic program includes: Middle School and Varsity Volleyball, Middle School and Varsity Cross-Country, Middle School and Varsity Basketball. PCCS students have participated and earned recognition at the State and Regional level for GAPPS Volleyball and Cross Country.

## Field Trips and Activities (partial list)

Students participate in a variety of field trips: Europe, Charleston, S.C., NASA, Chick-fil-A Headquarters, Desoto Caverns, High Museum, Carlos Museum, Hillsdale College, Wycliff Bible Translators, Covenant College, Fernbank, Stone Mountain, Georgia Aquarium, Coca-Cola Museum, Mitcham Farms, Historic Courthouse Newton County, Shakespeare Tavern, Biblical History Center, Saint Augustine.

Service Activities include: Reformation Day, Operation Christmas Child, Change the World, Walk for Life.

## **Standardized Test Scores**

Students in 3<sup>rd</sup> through 8<sup>th</sup> grades take the Comprehensive Testing Program (CTP5, sponsored by ERB) annually. Providence student scores are consistently well above the national average on all standardized tests from 3<sup>rd</sup>-12<sup>th</sup> grades. High school students take the Christian Learning Test (CLT10 and CLT) and PSAT.

## **Contact**

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## **Our Mission**

Partnering with Christian families to provide a classical education that equips students to believe courageously, think deeply, and serve compassionately.

