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**VALWOOD SCHOOL IS AN INDEPENDENT, COEDUCATIONAL COLLEGE** PREPARATORY DAY SCHOOL.

FOUNDED IN 1969, VALWOOD CURRENTLY SERVES NEARLY 500 STUDENTS IN PRE-KINDERGARTEN THROUGH GRADE 12. VALWOOD'S 45 -ACRE CAMPUS WAS OCCUPIED IN 2002 AND IS LOCATED IN HAHIRA, GEORGIA, JUST NORTH OF VALDOSTA, THE STATE'S TENTH LARGEST CITY. A COMMUNITY OF 55,000, VALDOSTA IS LOCATED IN SOUTH-CENTRAL GEORGIA APPROXIMATELY 20 MILES FROM THE FLORIDA STATE LINE.

VALWOOD IS ACCREDITED JOINTLY BY THE SOUTHERN ASSOCIATION OF INDEPENDENT SCHOOLS AND THE SOUTHERN ASSOCIATION OF **COLLEGES AND SCHOOLS, AND IS A MEMBER OF THE NATIONAL** ASSOCIATION OF INDEPENDENT SCHOOLS AND THE COLLEGE BOARD.

#### **2018 GRADUATION REQUIREMENTS 22 CREDITS** 4 credits SPEECH and ADVANCED COMPOSITION (.5 each) 1 credit **MATHEMATICS** 4 credits NATURAL SCIENCE—Biology, Chemistry, 2 electives 4 credits 3 credits SOCIAL SCIENCE World History, US History, US Government/Economics **FOREIGN LANGUAGE** 2 credits **FINE ARTS** 1 credit **TECHNOLOGY** .5 credit HEALTH and PERSONAL FITNESS / TEAM SPORTS (.5 each) 1 credit 1.5 credits ADDITIONAL ELECTIVES

May include Composition courses

20 HOURS COMMUNITY SERVICE ANNUALLY

2018 C	DLLEGE PLACEMENT TESTING	MIDDLE 50%	MEAN
ACT	ELA	0-20	9.0
	ENGLISH	16-24	21.3
	MATH	17-25	20.8
	READING	17-26	22.0
	SCIENCE	16-23	20.7
	STEM	0-23	12.7
	WRITING	5-7	5.8
	COMPOSITE	16-24	21.1
SAT	EVID BASED READ & WRITING	525-640	570
	MATH	25-31	27
	MATHEMATICS	495-610	530
	READING	27-33	29
	WRITING	26-32	27
	TOTAL	1000-1235	1120

	(2013-2017)

STUDENTS	204	
FOUR-YEAR COLLEGE	173	84.8%
TWO-YEAR COLLEGE	26	12.7%
GAP YEAR	1	0.5%
MILITARY SERVICE	1	0.5%
EMPLOYMENT	3	1.5%

### GRADE POINT AVERAGE AND CLASS RANK

GRADES EARNED IN ALL SUBJECTS ARE USED TO DETERMINE A STUDENT'S WEIGHTED CUMULATIVE GPA.

COURSES TAKEN AT PREVIOUS OR CONCURRENT SCHOOLS ARE NOT INCLUDED IN THE VALWOOD GPA. THE WEIGHTED GPA FROM ANY PREVIOUS INSTITUTION IS NOTED ON THE TRANSCRIPT.

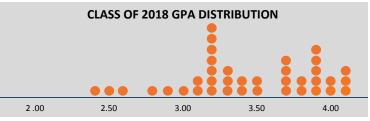
GRADES FOR GEORGIA VIRTUAL SCHOOL COURSES. REGARDLESS OF WHETHER THEY ARE TAKEN FOR CREDIT RECOVERY OR FOR COURSE ADVANCEMENT, ARE REPORTED AS PASS/FAIL ON THE TRANSCRIPT.

VOCATIONAL AND IE (DEVELOPMENTAL) COURSES ARE NOT AWARDED VALWOOD CREDIT.

COURSES TAKEN PRIOR TO 2013-2014 MAY HAVE FULL CREDIT AWARDED BASED ON A FINAL AVERAGE WHICH IS NOT SHOWN ON TRANSCRIPT.

#### VALWOOD SCHOOL DOES NOT REPORT STUDENT RANK.

NUMERIC GRADE	GRADE SCALE  COLLEGE PREP  and HONORS	ADVANCED PLACEMENT
90 - 100	4.0	4.5
85 - 89	3.5	4.0
80 - 84	3.0	3.5
75 - 79	2.5	3.0
70 - 74	2.0	2.5
65 - 69	1.0	1.5
<65	0.0	0.0



**MEAN WEIGHTED CUMULATIVE GPA: 3.479** 

## **COURSE OFFERINGS BY GRADE**

9TH GRADE **FNGLISH I COMPOSITION I** GEOMETRY / GEOMETRY-H **BIOLOGY** WORLD HISTORY / AP HUMAN GEOGRAPHY\* SPANISH I FINE ARTS ^ **HEALTH TECHNOLOGY** 

**10TH GRADE** ENGLISH II / ENGLISH II-H COMPOSITION II ALGEBRA II / ALGEBRA II-H CHEMISTRY / CHEMISTRY-H GOVERNMENT and ECONOMICS / AP WORLD HISTORY\* SPANISH II AP BIOLOGY\* FINE ARTS ^

PLACEMENT IN HONORS AND AP COURSES IS BASED ON TEACHER RECOMMENDATION. STUDENTS MAY REQUEST THE OPPORTUNITY TO PURSUE ADVANCED COURSEWORK, SUBJECT TO DEAN'S APPROVAL.

> **HONORS COURSES = 8** AP COURSES = 15

11TH GRADE ENGLISH III / AP LANGUAGE\* **COMPOSITION III** 

PRECALCULUS / PRECALCULUS-H AP STATISTICS<sup>3</sup> PHYSICS / PHYSICS-H US HISTORY / AP US HISTORY\* SPANISH III-H AP BIOLOGY\* AP CHEMISTRY\* FINE ARTS ^

12TH GRADE ENGLISH IV / AP LITERATURE\* **ADV COMPOSITION & SPEECH** PRECALCULUS / CALCULUS AP CALCULUS\* / AP STATISTICS\* SCIENCE:

- ANATOMY & PHYSIOLOGY\*
- ENVIRONMENTAL SCIENCE\*
- AP ENVIRONMENTAL SCIENCE\*
- AP BIOLOGY\*
- AP CHEMISTRY\*

**ECONOMICS / AP ECONOMICS\*** US GOVERNMENT / AP GOVT\* AP PSYCHOLOGY\* AP SPANISH \* FINE ARTS^ / AP STUDIO ART\* (on request)

- Elective
- ^ Drama/Studio Art/Vocal/Digital Media

ADVANCED PLACEMENT														
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SEMESTER GRADE DISTRIBUTION — Class of 2018										
	95-99	90-94	85-89	80-84	75-79	70-74	65-69	<65		
ENGLISH I	10	7	13	9	5	6	3	1		
ENGLISH II	1	15	8	8	6	1	0	0		
HONORS ENGLISH II	6	9	6	4	4	0	1	0		
ENGLISH III	0	7	10	7	10	6	2	0		
AP ENGLISH LANGUAGE	2	6	11	7	0	0	2	0		
COMPOSITION I	6	13	15	10	9	3	0	0		
COMPOSITION II	2	12	11	4	7	1	0	0		
COMPOSITION III	2	11	9	4	3	0	2	0		
SPANISH I	11	22	6	13	8	3	0	2		
SPANISH II	1	15	13	10	0	2	0	0		
HONORS SPANISH II	18	8	0	0	0	0	0	0		
HONORS SPANISH III	19	7	7	0	0	0	1	0		
GEOMETRY	0	6	7	9	4	7	0	0		
HONORS GEOMETRY	11	9	3	3	0	0	0	0		
ALGEBRA II	0	4	7	11	7	4	0	0		
HONORS ALGEBRA II	12	12	5	6	0	0	0	0		
PRECALCULUS	9	12	5	4	0	0	0	0		
HONORS PRECALCULUS	14	12	2	2	0	0	0	0		
AP STATS	2	2	0	0	0	0	0	0		
CALCULUS	0	3	1	0	0	0	0	0		
BIOLOGY	13	16	6	19	5	0	0	0		
CHEMISTRY	3	13	7	13	3	4	1	1		
HONORS CHEMISTRY	3	7	7	5	1	2	1	0		
PHYSICS	7	10	5	14	4	3	1	0		
HONORS PHYSICS	5	6	1	2	2	0	0	0		
AP BIOLOGY	10	4	5	1	0	0	0	0		
AP CHEMISTRY	8	2	0	0	0	0	0	0		
WORLD HISTORY	14	16	11	9	3	4	0	0		
ECONOMICS	0	2	3	2	2	0	0	0		
GOVERNMENT	0	0	2	4	2	1	0	0		
AP HUMAN GEOGRAPHY	11	4	5	4	0	0	0	0		
AP WORLD HISTORY	25	8	3	2	1	0	1	0		
US HISTORY	1	18	14	3	0	0	0	0		
AP US HISTORY	9	13	13	2	0	1	0	0		

## SELECTED COLLEGE ACCEPTANCES FOR RECENT VALWOOD GRADUATES (2013-2017)

U CALIFORNIA, DAVIS
U CALIFORNIA, IRVINE
U CALIFORNIA, SANTA
BARBARA

COLBY COLLEGE
COLLEGE OF WILLIAM and MARY
DENISON UNIVERSITY
GEORGE WASHINGTON UNIVERSIT

**BOSTON UNIVERSITY** 

HOFSTRA UNIVERSITY
JAMES MADISON UNIVERSITY
JOHNS HOPKINS UNIVERSITY
MIDDLEBURY COLLEGE
NEW YORK UNIVERSITY

RUTGERS UNIVERSITY ST. JOHN'S UNIVERSITY THE OHIO STATE UNIVERSITY UNIVERSITY OF THE CUMBERLANDS UNIVERSITY OF LOUISVILLE UNIVERSITY OF RICHMOND UNIVERSITY OF VIRGINIA VIRGINIA TECH WASHINGTON & LEE UNIVERSITY XAVIER UNIVERSITY

MERCER UNIVERSITY

U CALIFORNIA, SANTA CRUZ
UNIVERSITY OF OREGON
UNIVERSITY OF UTAH

IOWA STATE UNIVERSITY
MICHIGAN STATE UNIVERSITY
UNIVERSITY OF ILLINOIS, URBANA

COLORADO STATE UNIVERSITY
LOUISIANA STATE UNIVERSITY
SOUTHERN METHODIST UNIVERSITY
TEXAS A&M, CORPUS CHRISTI
TEXAS CHRISTIAN UNIVERSITY

TULANE UNIVERSITY
UNITED STATES AIR FORCE ACADEMY
UNIVERSITY of COLORADO
UNIVERSITY of DENVER
UNIVERSITY of OKLAHOMA

AUBURN UNIVERSITY **AUGUSTA UNIVERSITY** BERRY COLLEGE **BRENEAU UNIVERSITY CLEMSON UNIVERSITY** COLLEGE of CHARLESTON COLLEGE of COASTAL GEORGIA DAVIDSON COLLEGE **ECKERD COLLEGE ELON UNIVERSITY EMORY UNIVERSITY** FLAGLER COLLEGE FLORIDA ATLANTIC UNIVERSITY FLORIDA SOUTHERN COLLEGE FLORIDA STATE UNIVERSITY **FURMAN UNIVERSITY** GEORGIA COLLEGE GEORGIA INSTITUTE of TECHNOLOGY GEORGIA SOUTHERN UNIVERSITY **GUILFORD COLLEGE** HIGH POINT UNIVERSITY KENNESAW STATE UNIVERSITY LaGRANGE COLLEGE

LENOIR-RHYNE COLLEGE

APPALACHIAN STATE UNIVERSITY

MISSISSIPPI STATE UNIVERSITY NORTH CAROLINA A&T UNIVERSITY **RHODES COLLEGE** SAMFORD UNIVERSITY SAVANNAH COLLEGE of ART & DESIGN SEWANEE: UNIVERSITY of the SOUTH STETSON UNIVERSITY THE CITADEL TROY UNIVERSITY UNION UNIVERSITY UNIVERSITY of ALABAMA UNIVERSITY of FLORIDA UNIVERSITY of GEORGIA UNIVERSITY of MIAMI UNIVERSITY of MISSISSIPPI UNIVERSITY of NORTH CAROLINA UNIVERSITY of NORTH GEORGIA UNIVERSITY of NORTH FLORIDA UNIVERSITY of SOUTH CAROLINA UNIVERSITY of TAMPA **UNIVERSITY of TENNESSEE** VALDOSTA STATE UNIVERSITY WAKE FOREST UNIVERSITY WOFFORD COLLEGE