2025 - 2026
SCHOOL PROFILE

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SCHOOL DISTINCTIVES

Great Books
Ambrose students read over 115 original great works of the Western tradition such as *The Iliad* and *The Odyssey*, the Bible, *Beowulf*, *Hamlet*, *Pride and Prejudice*, and *The Origin of Species*.

House Program
Each student in grades 7-12 is a member of one of our fourteen school houses, where students serve in leadership roles, mentor younger students, compete against one another in athletics, and partner with community service organizations.

Senior Trip
Our seniors spend two weeks traveling through Europe in order to encounter first-hand the art, architecture, and history they have studied at The Ambrose School.

Well-Rounded Core Classes
Ambrose students gain a strong foundation in the humanities, mathematics, natural sciences, world languages, and performing and applied arts.

ACCREDITED THROUGH

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ASSOCIATION OF CLASSICAL CHRISTIAN SCHOOLS

The Ambrose School is a preK-12 liberal arts co-educational school that teaches students how to learn through a classical and Christian approach to education. Our mission is to educate the whole student by fostering virtue and mature character, sound reason and sound faith, a masterful command of language, well-rounded competence, literacy with a broad exposure to books, and an established aesthetic.

SCHOOL SIZE

	LOCUST GROVE CAMPUS (PRE K-12)	BRIDGE CAMPUS (PRE K-12)	NORTH CAMPUS (PRE K-6)
Total Student Body	523	298	90
High School Enrollment	179	65	N/A
Class of 2025	37	7	N/A

District Enrollment Total 911 (as of Fall 2025)

CLASS OF 2025 STATISTICS

- Average SAT (24 tested): **1235**
- Average ACT (10 tested): **27**
- College matriculation rate: **98%**
- National Merit Scholars: **1**

HISTORIC STATISTICS
(DISTRICT WIDE SINCE 2012)

- National Merit Scholars: **11**
- National Merit Semifinalists: **4**
- National Merit Commended Scholars: **16**
- National Hispanic Scholars: **2**

DIPLOMA REQUIREMENTS

Humanities	**90** credits
Rhetoric	**36** credits
Science	**25** credits
Math	**25** credits
Languages	**10** credits
Arts Electives	**16** credits
Total Required Credits	**202 credits**

GRADING

- Semester system
- 4-point grading scale for most courses
- 5-point grading scale for honors courses
- We do not provide class ranking

DUAL CREDIT COURSES

We offer dual credit courses through Northwest Nazarene College and Colorado Christian University. We offer dual credit courses rather than AP courses.

	COURSE TITLE	REQUIRED	HONORS		DUAL CREDIT	
			LOCUST GROVE	BRIDGE CAMPUS	LOCUST GROVE	BRIDGE CAMPUS
HUMANITIES	Letters III: American History and Literature	X	X	X	X	X
	Letters IV: Classical History and Literature	X	X	X	X	X
	Letters V: Medieval History and Literature	X	X	X		
	Letters VI: Modern History and Literature	X	X	X		X
	Comparative Civilizations	X		X		X
	20th Century Art and Culture	X				
WRITING	Writer's Rhetoric	X				
	Classical Rhetoric	X	X	X	X	X
	Summa Theologica	X	X	X	X	
	Junior Thesis	X	X	X	X	
	Summa Civitas	X	X	X	X	
	Senior Thesis	X	X	X	X	
SCIENCE	Biology	X		X		X
	General Chemistry	X	X	X	X	X
	Human Biology		X		X	
	Physics -OR- Conceptual Physics	X				
MATHEMATICS	Geometry	X				
	Algebra II	X				
	Pre-calculus -OR- Senior Trigonometry	X	X		X	X
	Calculus		X	X	X	X
	Personal Finance			X		X
LANG.	Latin IV -OR- Greek I	X				
	Also offered: Latin V & VI, Greek II & III, French I & II					
ARTS	Performance Choir		X		X	
	Also offered: Art, Drama, Graphic Design, Mock Trial,					
	Performance Orchestra, Teacher Apprentice, Writing Fiction					

PROGRAM OVERVIEW

Letters Courses

Our Letters courses integrate the history, literature, philosophy, theology and art of a time period and serve as the foundation of our program. Students read the great works of Western thought and engage with the great questions of human experience through Socratic discussions.

Summa Courses

In **Summa Theologica** students study orthodox Christian theology. In **Summa Civitas**, students learn political theory and American government.

Writing and Rhetoric Courses

Freshmen in **Writer's Rhetoric** focus on written persuasion. Sophomores in **Classical Rhetoric** practice persuasion through public speaking. In our **Junior Thesis** and **Senior Thesis** courses, students research an area of interest, develop an argument with strong evidence, and defend their position in a lengthy paper and in an oral defense before a panel of judges.

Preceptorials and Teaching Apprenticeships

Our one-credit **Preceptorial** courses are electives on a wide variety of subjects. **Teaching Assistantships** give students experience helping in a classroom, and our **Teaching Apprenticeship** students teach and help run a classroom.

COLLEGE ACCEPTANCES AND MATRICULATIONS

In addition to public and private colleges in Idaho, Ambrose alumni have been accepted to:

Abilene Christian University
Albany College of Pharmacy & Health Sciences
Arcadia University
Arizona Christian University
Arizona State University Barrett Honors College
Ashland University Honors
Auburn University
Azusa Pacific University
Baylor University
Belmont University
Berklee College of Music
Biola University
Biola University Torrey Honors Institute
Boston College
British Columbia Institute of Technology
Bucknell University
California Polytechnic State University
Calvin College
Carroll College
Champlain College
Clemson University
Colorado Christian University
Colorado School of Mines
Columbia University
Concordia University
Corban University
Covenant College
Dordt University
Eastern University
Eastern Washington University
Embry-Riddle Aeronautical University
Fashion Institute of Technology
Flagler College
Fort Hays State University Honors College
George Fox University
Gonzaga University
Grand Canyon University
Grove City College
Gutenberg College
Hillsdale College
Indiana University
INSA Lyon, France
Iowa State University
Letourneau University
Liberty University
Loyola Marymount University
Macalester College
Maine Maritime Academy
Marion Military Institute
Mary Baldwin College
Massachusetts Institute of Technology
Michigan State University
Montana State University
Moody Bible Institute
New Mexico Military Academy
New Saint Andrews College
New York University
Northeastern University
Northern Arizona University
Northwest University
Northwest Nazarene University
Notre Dame de Namur University
Ohio State University
Oklahoma Baptist University
Olivet Nazarene University
Oral Roberts University
Pacific Lutheran University
Pepperdine University
Point Loma Nazarene University
Purdue University
Reformation Bible College
Regis University
Rhodes College
Richmond University in London
Rocky Mountain College
Rocky Mountain College of Art & Design
Rose-Hulman Institute of Technology
Rutgers University
San Francisco State University
Santa Clara University
Savannah College of Art and Design
Seattle Pacific University
Seattle University
Southern Adventist University
Southern Methodist University
St. Mary's College
Stetson University
Taylor University
Texas A & M University
Texas Christian University
Texas Tech University
The King's College
The Master's College
Trinity University
Trinity Western University
Tulane University
University of California Berkeley
University of California Los Angeles
University of California San Diego
US Air Force Academy
US Military Academy at West Point
University of Arizona
University of Colorado Boulder
University of Dallas
University of Michigan
University of Notre Dame
University of Oklahoma
University of Portland
University of Southern Mississippi
University of Texas at Austin
University of Washington
Valley Forge Military College
Vanderbilt University
Washington and Lee University
Weber State
Washington State University
Western Michigan University
Westminster College
Westmont College
Wheaton College
Whittier College
Whitworth University

(Colleges where graduates are currently attending or have attended appear in **bold**.)

LOCUST GROVE CAMPUS

6100 N. Locust Grove, Meridian, ID 83646
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- Founded in 1995
- PreK-12th Grades
- Traditional 5-day program

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BRIDGE CAMPUS

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- Founded in 2017
- PreK-12th Grades
- Collaborative model program where students are on campus three days and learn from home two days

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NORTH CAMPUS

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- Founded in 2022
- PreK-6th Grades
- Traditional 5-day program

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