

# COLLEGE MATRICULATION AND ACCEPTANCES

## for CLASSES OF 2008-2011



# BROOKSTONE

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Abraham Baldwin Agricultural College	Georgetown University	Rhodes College	<b>University of Colorado at Boulder</b>
Agnes Scott College	Georgetown University School of Foreign Service	Rice University	University of Colorado at Denver
Albany State University	<b>Georgia College and State University</b>	<b>Rollins College</b>	University of Denver
Allen University	<b>Georgia Institute of Technology</b>	Rutgers, The State University of New Jersey at New Brunswick	University of Florida
American University	<b>Georgia Southern University</b>	Saint Louis University	<b>University of Georgia</b>
American University of Antigua College of Medicine	Georgia Southwestern State University	<b>Samford University</b>	University of Hawaii at Manoa
Anderson University	<b>Georgia State University</b>	<b>Savannah College of Art and Design</b>	University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign
Andrew College	Glenville State College	Savannah State University School of Visual Arts	University of Kentucky
Appalachian State University	Goucher College	<b>Sewanee: The University of the South</b>	University of Maryland, College Park
<b>Auburn University</b>	Guilford College	Shorter University	University of Massachusetts, Boston
Auburn University Montgomery	Hampshire College	South Georgia College	University of Miami
Baylor University	<b>Hardin-Simmons University</b>	<b>Southeastern University</b>	University of Michigan
Belmont University	Hartwick College	<b>Southern Methodist University</b>	University of Minnesota, Twin Cities
Benedict College	<b>Harvard University</b>	Southern Polytechnic State University	<b>University of Mississippi</b>
<b>Berry College</b>	Haverford College	<b>Southern Union State Community College</b>	University of Missouri, Kansas City
Binghamton University	Hobart and William Smith Colleges	Spelman College	<b>University of New Hampshire</b>
<b>Birmingham-Southern College</b>	Howard University	Stanford University	<b>University of North Carolina at Wilmington</b>
Boston College	<b>Huntingdon College</b>	Stetson University	<b>University of Notre Dame</b>
<b>Boston University</b>	Iowa State University	<b>Stony Brook University</b>	University of Oklahoma
Bowdoin College	James Madison University	Swarthmore College	University of Pennsylvania
Brandeis University	Johns Hopkins University	Sweet Briar College	University of Pittsburgh
<b>Brown University</b>	Kennesaw State University	<b>Syracuse University</b>	University of Richmond
Carnegie Mellon University	<b>LaGrange College</b>	Texas A&M University	<b>University of Rochester</b>
Carson-Newman College	LeHigh University	Texas Christian University	University of South Alabama
Case Western Reserve University	Louisiana State University	The Citadel, the Military College of South Carolina	<b>University of South Carolina</b>
Centre College	<b>Mars Hill College</b>	The College of Wooster	University of Southern California
<b>Chapman University</b>	Maryland Institute of Art	<b>The George Washington University</b>	<b>University of Tennessee, Knoxville</b>
<b>Chattahoochee Valley State Community College</b>	Massachusetts College of Art and Design	The Ohio State University	University of Vermont
Clemson University	Massachusetts Institute of Technology	<b>The University of Alabama</b>	University of Virginia
Colby College	<b>Mercer University</b>	<b>The University of Alabama at Birmingham</b>	<b>University of Washington</b>
<b>College of Charleston</b>	Miami University, Oxford	The University of Alabama in Huntsville	University of Wisconsin, Madison
College of William and Mary	<b>Middlebury College</b>	<b>The University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill</b>	<b>Valdosta State University</b>
Colorado College	<b>Morehouse College</b>	<b>The University of Texas, Austin</b>	<b>Vanderbilt University</b>
Colorado School of Mines	NCAA Eligibility Center	<b>The University of West Georgia</b>	Villanova University
Columbia University	New York University	<b>Troy University</b>	<b>Virginia Commonwealth University</b>
<b>Columbus State University</b>	North Georgia College & State University	Tufts University	Virginia Military Institute
<b>Cooper Union for the Advancement of Science &amp; Art</b>	Northeast Ohio Medical University	<b>Tulane University</b>	Virginia Polytechnic Institute and State University
Cornell University	Northeastern University	<b>Tuskegee University</b>	<b>Wake Forest University</b>
Dartmouth College	Northern Michigan University	United States Air Force Academy	<b>Washington and Lee University</b>
<b>Darton College</b>	Northwestern University	<b>United States Military Academy</b>	Washington University in St. Louis
Davidson College	<b>Oglethorpe University</b>	United States Naval Academy	Wayne State University
Denison University	<b>Oxford College of Emory University</b>	University of California at Berkeley	Weill Cornell Medical College in Qatar
DePaul University	Parsons School of Design	University of California at Los Angeles	<b>Wesleyan College</b>
Drew University	Pennsylvania State University, University Park	University of California at Santa Barbara	Western Carolina University
Drexel University	<b>Pepperdine University</b>	University of Chicago	Western State College of Colorado
Duke University	Pratt Institute	University of Cincinnati	Whitman College
East Carolina University	<b>Presbyterian College</b>		<b>Wingate University</b>
<b>Elon University</b>	Princeton University		<b>Wofford College</b>
<b>Emory University</b>	Purdue University		Yale University
Fisk University	Queens University of Charlotte		Young Harris College
Fordham University	<b>Rhode Island School of Design</b>		
<b>Fort Valley State University</b>			
<b>Furman University</b>			
Gainesville State College			
Gardner-Webb University			

## COLLEGE ADMISSION PROFILE for 2011-2012

COLLEGE BOARD/SAT AND ACT CODE: 110822

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**SCHOOL TYPE:** Founded in 1951, Brookstone is an independent, coeducational college preparatory school for students in pre-kindergarten through grade 12.

**ACCREDITATION AND MEMBERSHIPS:** National Association for College Admissions Counseling, Southern Association for College Admission Counseling, The College Board, National Association of Independent Schools, Southern Association of Independent Schools, Georgia Independent School Association, Atlanta Area Association of Independent Schools, Council for Advancement and Support of Education, Georgia High School Association, National Association of Secondary School Principals, The Cum Laude Society, National Honor Society, Secondary School Admission Testing Board

**ENROLLMENT:** 786 total; 276 students in the Upper School; 49 in the Class of 2012

**CAMPUS:** The campus is in a college-like setting located on 100 acres in northwest Columbus. The Upper School Building is over 200,000 square feet of technologically enhanced classrooms, including state-of-the-art science labs and a theater-style lecture room. Additional facilities on campus which augment our college preparatory program include an auditorium, a theater for performing arts, and a complex for studio arts. Those facilities along with two libraries; twelve acres of athletic venues; a fitness center; two gymnasiums; football, softball, baseball and soccer fields; a track; a cross country trail; six tennis courts; an all-faiths chapel; and three outdoor classrooms surround a central quadrangle.

**MISSION STATEMENT:** Brookstone School, a college preparatory school founded in the Judeo-Christian tradition and committed to academic excellence, endeavors to develop in its students a foundation for lifelong learning, integrity, personal responsibility, mutual respect and service to others.

**FACULTY:** The school has 81 teaching professionals, 2 librarians, and 5 counselors; more than 63% hold advanced degrees. The teaching faculty student-teacher ratio is 10:1. The average teaching experience of the faculty is 18 years.

**STUDENT BODY:** Brookstone is a learning community comprised of students and teachers from a variety of backgrounds that represent different ethnic groups and international heritages.

**ADMISSIONS:** An applicant's academic record, standardized test scores, interview, and teacher recommendations are all considered in the admission process. All students seeking a college preparatory program are encouraged to apply.

**FINANCIAL AID:** For the 2011-2012 school year, \$862,956 in need-based financial aid and merit scholarships was awarded to 117 students.

**Bold = matriculation**

# THE BROOKSTONE EXPERIENCE

**SENIOR SPEECH:** All seniors are required to research, compose, and deliver a senior speech (policy, interpretation, values) on a topical issue. The presentation will be conducted before the Upper School faculty and student body.

**SPECIAL OPPORTUNITIES:**

**Honor Scholarships:** A donor funded, character and leadership based scholarship program for rising freshmen new to Brookstone.

**Freshman Orientation:** Freshmen begin the year with a three-day retreat. The retreat is designed to help the freshmen know one another better, as well as themselves. They also have the opportunity to bond with their upperclassmen mentors. Freshmen also participate in a workshop focusing on learning skills using the Emergenetics/STEP Profile designed to help students understand their thinking preferences and how to use their strengths to be successful in the classroom. LinkCrew is a yearlong freshman program where members of the junior and senior classes act as positive role models to allow freshmen to discover what it takes to be successful both academically and socially.

**SERVANT LEADERSHIP PROGRAM:** Brookstone strives to instill the values of servant leadership in every student by living out the attitude, "Serving others, while developing ourselves." The academic curriculum allows for integrated character education and service learning opportunities in the classroom, while students are also involved in service and leadership development through activities within clubs, organizations, athletics, and community service projects. Through the partner ships with our sister school, Ricks Institute of Liberia, West Africa and local partner, Fox Elementary School, students have the opportunity to develop relationships and serve *locally*.

**STUDY/TRAVEL:** Teachers voluntarily take students on numerous educational trips to international places, including Canada, Europe, Mexico, Africa, Latin America and the United Kingdom. A student study/travel program to Oxford, England led by Brookstone faculty members is available for Upper School students during spring vacation. A school-sponsored and counselor-led summer College Tour is available for students each year.

**ACADEMIC CALENDAR**

Brookstone School operates on a schedule of two 18-week semesters with examinations at the end of each semester.

**CLASS RANK**

Brookstone does not publish rank. Given the size and makeup of our student body, slight variations in GPA can make a significant difference in class rank. Additional information on grade distribution, correlations of SAT and GPA and complete course of studies offered are provided to assist in determining the quality of the student's work.

**DISCLOSURE OF CONDUCT RECORDS**

As an NACAC member, Brookstone School will, when requested on the institution's application, report student conduct records of serious disciplinary violations, suspension, and dismissal.

**ATHLETICS:** During the 2010-2011 school year, approximately 75% of the Upper School students were members of a school-sponsored athletic team. Brookstone athletic teams won eight regional championships and advanced to the state playoffs in boys and girls cross country, softball, volleyball, competitive cheerleading, boys basketball, boys and girls golf, boys and girls tennis, boys and girls soccer, boys and girls track, and baseball. The boys' golf team won the state championship for the eleventh time.

**FINE ARTS:** The Fine Arts Department at Brookstone School offers students a wide variety of opportunities through both Visual and Performing arts. In the Middle and Upper School levels, students are able to take Band, Chorus, and Class Piano. Students in the Middle School may take Drama which present plays each quarter, while the Upper School presents a play each spring. In addition, the Upper School One-Act Play Team has won three state championships and twelve regional championships in the last fifteen years. The Visual Arts begin for students in Kindergarten and continue through the Upper School. Offerings include AP Studio Art, Foundations of Art, painting, ceramics, and Industrial Design in the Upper School.

**HONOR ROLLS:** Brookstone has two honor roll distinctions, based on the student's numerical academic average. Numerical grades in Honors and AP courses are weighted by a factor of 1.05 for Honor Roll computation purposes. *Headmaster's Roll: All grades 90 or above; Honor Roll: Overall average of 85 with no grade below 80*

**COLLEGE ATTENDANCE AND SCHOLARSHIPS:** One hundred percent of the Class of 2011 attends college. The 2011 graduates submitted 325 applications and were accepted to 67 different institutions. The class was offered academic and athletic scholarships valued at more than \$4 million.

**NATIONAL MERIT SCHOLARSHIP COMPETITION**

Year	Class Size	Finalist	Semi-Finalist	Commended	National Achievement
2008	62	2	2	3	1
2009	64	2	2	6	0
2010	79	1	2	8	0
2011	73	0	0	2	1
2012	49	0	0	3	0

**CLASS OF 2012 – GPA AND SAT I SCORE RANGES-MIDDLE 50%**

GPA	3.0-4.2	Only grades earned in academic subjects at Brookstone are used to determine the GPA. AP and Honors courses are weighted in calculating the GPA. Un-weighted grades are posted on transcripts.
Critical Reading	520-650	
Math	520-650	
Writing	550-650	
Total (CR+M)	1040-1270	

**ADVANCED PLACEMENT RECOGNITION**

	2008	2009	2010	2011	Total
Scholar	11	13	11	17	52
Honor	1	10	2	11	24
Distinction	8	10	13	10	41
National Scholar	0	0	1	0	1

**CLASS OF 2012 – WEIGHTED GRADE POINT AVERAGE DISTRIBUTION Grades 9-11**

Grades 9-11	Number	Percentage of Class*
4.0 and higher	13	27%
3.99 – 3.00	23	47%
2.99 – 2.00	10	20%
1.99 – 1.00	3	6%

\* The Class of 2012 has 49 total members.

# ACADEMIC CURRICULUM

Below is a list of classes currently offered and the grades in which they are available to students.:

**ENGLISH – 4 REQUIRED CREDITS**

- English..... 9/10/11
- English Honors..... 9/10/11
- Senior Literature..... 12
- AP Literature &..... 12  
Composition

**FOREIGN LANGUAGE – 3 REQUIRED CREDITS**

- French 1 ..... 8/9/10/11/12
- French 2 ..... 9/10/11/12
- French 2 Honors ..... 9/10/11/12
- French 3 ..... 10/11/12
- French 3 Honors ..... 10/11/12
- French 4 Honors ..... 11/12
- AP French Language..... 12
- Spanish 1..... 8/9/10/11/12
- Spanish 2..... 9/10/11/12
- Spanish 2 Honors..... 9/10/11/12
- Spanish 3..... 10/11/12
- Spanish 3 Honors..... 10/11/12
- Spanish 4 Honors..... 11/12
- AP Spanish ..... 12
- Latin 1..... 8/9
- Latin 2 Honors..... 9/10
- Latin 3 Honors..... 10/11
- AP Latin Vergil..... 12

**MATHEMATICS – 4 REQUIRED CREDITS**

- Algebra 1..... 8/9
- Algebra 1 Honors..... 9
- Algebra 2..... 10/11
- Algebra 3 &  
Trigonometry ..... 11/12
- Algebra &  
Trigonometry Honors..... 9/10/11
- Geometry ..... 9/10
- Geometry Honors ..... 8/9/10
- Calculus..... 11/12
- Calculus Honors..... 11/12

- AP Calculus AB..... 11/12
- AP Calculus BC..... 12
- AP Statistics..... 11/12

**SCIENCE – 3 REQUIRED CREDITS**  
(all science courses are lab courses)

- Physical Science..... 8
- Biology ..... 9/10
- Biology Honors ..... 9/10
- AP Biology ..... 11/12
- Science Research ..... 10/11/12
- Physics..... 11/12
- AP Physics ..... 11/12
- Chemistry..... 10/11
- Chemistry Honors..... 10/11
- AP Chemistry ..... 11/12
- Anatomy/Physiology..... 11/12
- Ecology\* ..... 11/12
- Neuroanatomy\* ..... 11/12
- Ornithology\* ..... 11/12
- Zoology..... 11/12
- Marine Biology\*..... 11/12

**SOCIAL SCIENCE – 3 REQUIRED CREDITS**

- Word History ..... 9/10/11
- U.S. History ..... 10/11
- AP U.S. History..... 10/11
- U.S. Government\* ..... 11/12
- AP U.S. Government &.. 11/12  
Politics\*
- Economics\* ..... 11/12
- AP Micro Economics\* ..... 11/12
- Constitutional Law ..... 11/12  
Honors\*
- Geography Honors\*..... 11/12
- AP Human Geography\*... 11/12
- AP European History ..... 11/12
- Psychology\*..... 11/12
- Civil War\* ..... 11/12

**GRADING SYSTEM**

Grading is numerical; letter grade equivalents and grade points are as follows:

A	=	100-90	=	4.0 grade points
B	=	89-80	=	3.0 grade points
C	=	79-73	=	2.0 grade points
D	=	72-70	=	1.0 grade points
F	=	below 70	=	0.0 grade points

AP & Honor courses are weighted for GPA and Honor Rolls. Honor courses receive a 0.5 addition and AP courses receive a 1.0 addition to the GPA equivalent.

**GRADUATION REQUIREMENTS**

Brookstone School has one graduation award, the diploma. The minimum program of study leading to graduation includes 22 credits. Seniors are required to research, compose, and deliver a deliberative speech before an assembly of faculty and students.

DISCIPLINE	UNITS
English.....	4
Foreign Language.....	3
Mathematics.....	4*
Science (with lab).....	3**
Social Science.....	3***
Fine Arts.....	1
Computer Science.....	½
Physical Education.....	½****
Health and Safety Education .....	½

\* must include Algebra 1 and 2, and Geometry

\*\* must include Biology and Chemistry

\*\*\* must include World History, U.S. History, Economics, and U.S. Government

\*\*\*\* Completion of 2 Varsity seasons over the 4-year period are accepted for Physical Education credit.

\* = Semester course

AP = Advanced Placement course

There are no exceptions to this scope.

Students may only take AP courses with teacher approval and a favorable grade in the prerequisite course.