



# GENEVA SCHOOL of BOERNE

2024 | 2025 Academic Profile

*Geneva School of Boerne exists to provide a classical education from a biblical worldview, to equip students for a lifetime of learning, service and leadership to the glory of Jesus Christ.*

## SCHOOL AND COMMUNITY

Geneva School of Boerne is a classical and Christian private school serving approximately 650 students in grades 12–K-Prep. Located on 51 beautiful acres in Boerne, just north of San Antonio in the Texas Hill Country, Geneva offers students advanced learning and personal development through enriching academics and extracurricular activities.

The school was formed in 1998 and began offering classes in 1999 to 13 students in kindergarten, first and third grades. The first senior class of 19 students graduated in May 2011.

Admission to Geneva School of Boerne is selective. Decisions of admittance to the school are based on the candidate's academic record, teacher recommendations, standardized test scores, pre-admission assessments, and student and family interviews. Geneva School of Boerne admits students of any race, color, physical ability, national or ethnic origin to all rights, privileges, programs and activities, generally accorded or made available to students at the school.

Of the faculty members serving in the Rhetoric School, 60 percent hold advanced degrees. The average class size is 18 students.

## ACCREDITATION AND AFFILIATION

Geneva is accredited with the Southern Association of Colleges and Schools Council on Accreditation and School Improvement (SACS CASI), an accreditation division of AdvancED. Geneva School is also a member of the Association of Classical and Christian Schools (ACCS), the Society for Classical Learning (SCL), and the Southern Association of Schools and Colleges (SACS).



**Leslie Moeller**

*Head of School*

**Matt Donnowitz**

*Rhetoric School Headmaster*

**Shelly Ward**

*College and Academic Advisor*

**College Advising Office**

830.755.6101 ext. 305

[sward@genevaschooltx.org](mailto:sward@genevaschooltx.org)

**CEEB – 440731**

113 Cascade Caverns Road  
Boerne, Texas 78015

[GENEVASCHOOLTX.ORG](http://GENEVASCHOOLTX.ORG)

## CLASSICAL AND CHRISTIAN

Geneva's faculty is composed of dedicated educators who uphold a Christ-centered worldview and commitment to classical education. Our award-winning and accredited academics, athletics, and arts programs uphold the classical ideal by teaching students to recognize and pursue truth, goodness, and beauty in every endeavor. Students learn to evaluate ideas according to the teaching of Holy Scripture and to hold themselves to the high calling of the Christian Faith. Geneva graduates enter the world well-spoken and uniquely equipped to lead as servants, scholars, athletes, and artists in their individual contexts.

## THE GENEVA DISTINCTIVES

- Classical Christian Education
- Deeply Invested Educators
- Faithful and Supportive Community

## STUDENT LIFE

At Geneva, students develop themselves inside the classroom through enriching academics and outside the classroom through service, leadership and extracurricular activities. All Rhetoric School students serve for at least one year as an A.I.M. (Adopt, Integrate, Mentor) Leader with students in grades K-Prep–5. Additional opportunities for leadership are given in the Student Senate, National Honor Society and Honor Council. Reminiscent of traditional British public schools, all Rhetoric students are assigned to one of four houses (Milton, Sayers, Chaucer or Lewis) during their tenure at Geneva, in which students develop camaraderie through mentorship, service and competition.



Geneva offers a robust athletic program and competes in the Texas Association of Private and Parochial Schools (TAPPS). The school has won the Henderson Cup, the TAPPS Overall School Championship Award, 10 out of the last 13 years. In 16 years of varsity level competition, the school has celebrated 29 state championships in athletics (cross country, football, volleyball, basketball, golf, tennis, cheer and track and field) and 13 state championships in academics and fine arts (instrumental music, orchestra, vocal music and art). Additionally, Geneva students have earned the TAPPS Athlete or Fine Arts Student of the Year 12 times.

## ACADEMIC PROGRAM

Given the high value placed on academics and the ability of the students, all core courses are taught at an Honors Level. Certain advanced level courses are given an additional point value weight and are indicated as such on the transcript. Due to selective admissions, Geneva does not rank its students. The school reports rank of the top 10 percent for the purpose of admission to Texas public universities.

Geneva curriculum is built on a classical, liberal arts model designed to equip students to write and speak eloquently in any discipline. The Humanities program, composed of history and literature courses, forms the cornerstone of a student's education, teaching them to analyze developments and ideas that shaped the Western world. Geneva offers a full range of AP coursework including AP Biology, AP Chemistry, AP Physics 1, AP Calculus AB, AP Statistics, AP Music Theory, AP Spanish Language and Culture, AP Latin, AP United States Government and Politics and AP Computer Science Principles. The Geneva Scholars Program offers dual credit English courses in partnership with the University of Texas at San Antonio and multiple dual credit courses in partnership with Colorado Christian University. **These advanced courses are available to students during their junior or senior years.**

## GRADING SCALE

Designated Advanced Level Courses are weighted with an additional .3 to the traditional 4.0 scale:

Range	Letter Value	Point Value	Advanced
95-100	A	4.0	4.3
90-94.99	A-	3.7	4.0
87-89.99	B+	3.4	3.7
83-86.99	B	3.1	3.4
80-82.99	B-	2.8	3.1
76-79.99	C+	2.4	2.7
70-75.99	C	2.0	2.3
65-69.99	D	1.0	1.3
Below 65	F	0.0	0.0

## SENIOR THESIS

In addition to fulfilling credit requirements, all Geneva seniors must also successfully complete their senior thesis in order to graduate. Briefly, what this entails is researching and writing a documented essay on a defensible scholarly thesis claim. Similar to a Master of Arts presentation and defense, this must also be memorized and delivered orally before an audience of faculty, students, parents, and invited panelists. Upon completion of the oral presentation, the panelists question the presenter upon points that have been raised, whereupon the presenter demonstrates competency in fielding the questions by "thinking on his or her feet."

The G.K. Chesterton Award is given to the student with the best overall senior thesis presentation each year.



## GRADUATION REQUIREMENTS

Humanities ( <i>History and Literature</i> )	8 credits
Math ( <i>Algebra I, Geometry, Algebra II, Pre-Calculus</i> )	4 credits
Science ( <i>Physics*, Biology, Chemistry, 1 elective</i> )	4 credits
Foreign Language ( <i>Latin I*, Latin or Spanish</i> )	3 credits
Rhetoric ( <i>Rhetoric I &amp; II, Classical Rhetoric, Thesis</i> )	2.5 credits
Theology ( <i>Bible Interpretation, Pauline Ethics, World Religions, Christian Apologetics</i> )	2 credits
Fine Arts	2 credits
Athletics	1 credit
Electives	4 credits
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>30.5 credits</b>

\*Credit earned in 8th grade



CORE CLASSES

9TH GRADE

HON History | *Ancient and Classical*  
HON Literature | *Ancient and Classical*  
HON Geometry  
HON Biology  
HON Rhetoric I  
HON Bible Interpretation

10TH GRADE

HON History | *Medieval to Early Renaissance*  
HON Literature | *Medieval to Early Renaissance*  
HON Algebra II  
HON Chemistry  
HON Rhetoric II  
HON Pauline Ethics

11TH GRADE

HON History | *Renaissance to Early Modern*  
HON Literature | *Renaissance to Early Modern*  
HON Pre-Calculus  
HON Classical Rhetoric  
HON World Religions and Christian Theology

12TH GRADE

HON History | *United States*  
HON Literature | *United States*  
HON Senior Thesis  
HON Apologetics

2024-2025 ELECTIVES

A | Indicates a course receiving additional point value weight, typically in the junior or senior year.

Foreign Language Electives

AP Latin (A)  
AP Spanish Language and Culture (A)  
HON Latin 2, 3  
HON Spanish 1, 2, 3  
Koine Greek

Science Electives

AP Biology (A)  
AP Chemistry (A)  
AP Physics 1 (A)  
Anatomy and Physiology I  
Anatomy and Physiology II

Math Electives

AP Calculus AB (A)  
AP Statistics (A)

Fine Arts Electives

AP Music Theory (A)  
Art  
Band  
Guitar  
Jazz Ensemble  
Musicology  
Orchestra  
Praise Ensemble

Songwriting  
Vocal Music

General Electives

AP Computer Science Principles (A)  
AP United States Government and Politics (A)  
Audio Engineering  
Cinematography  
Advanced Cinematography (A)  
Dual Credit English - UTSA (A)  
Intro and Competitive Debate  
Advanced Competitive Debate (A)  
Intro to Computer Science  
Advanced Journalism (A)  
Journalism: Yearbook  
Journalism: Magazine  
Tolkien and Lewis  
Worldview Forum



SAT PROFILE

Graduating Classes 2020-2024 (209 tested)

Section	Mid 50%	Mean
Critical Reading	580-680	630
Math	560-660	610
Composite	1140-1330	1230

ACT PROFILE

Graduating Classes 2020-2024 (90 tested)

Section	Mid 50%	Mean
Composite	23-29	27

NATIONAL MERIT AND RURAL/SMALL TOWN

Class of 2020 (58) students	2 Commended Scholars, 1 National Hispanic Scholar
Class of 2021 (54) students	1 Commended Scholar, 1 National Hispanic Scholar, 4 Rural/Small Town Scholars
Class of 2022 (54) students	1 Finalist, 2 Commended Scholars, 1 National Hispanic Scholar, 5 Rural/ Small Town Scholars
Class of 2023 (55) students	1 Finalist, 3 Commended Scholars, 3 National Hispanic Scholars, 12 Rural/Small Town Scholars
Class of 2024 (47) students	1 Finalist, 2 Commended Scholars, 9 Rural/Small Town Scholars

GRADE POINT AVERAGES (Upon Graduation)

Class of	Top GPA	Median GPA
2020	4.09	3.74
2021	4.10	3.84
2022	4.08	3.76
2023	4.08	3.73
2024	4.07	3.86
2025*	4.03	3.73

\*Through the end of the junior year



## 2011 - 2024 PARTIAL COLLEGE ACCEPTANCES AND MATRICULATIONS\*

Abilene Christian University\*  
Angelo State University\*  
Appalachian State University  
Arizona State University  
Asbury University\*  
Auburn University\*  
Austin College\*  
Azusa Pacific University  
Baylor University\*  
Belmont University\*  
Berklee College of Music  
Berry College  
Biola University  
Boston College  
Boston University  
Butler University  
California Baptist University  
California Polytechnic State University  
California State University-Monterey Bay  
Calvin University\*  
Case Western Reserve University  
City University of New York  
Clemson University  
College of Charleston\*  
College of the Holy Cross  
College of William and Mary\*  
Colorado Christian University\*  
Colorado School of Mines\*  
Colorado State University\*  
Concordia University Chicago  
Concordia College (Minnesota)\*  
Concordia University (Texas)\*  
Corban University\*  
Cornell University  
Culinary Institute of America\*  
Dallas Baptist University\*  
Dartmouth College  
Davidson College\*  
Drexel University  
Duquesne University  
Elon University  
Embry-Riddle Aeronautical University-Daytona Beach\*  
Embry-Riddle Aeronautical University-Prescott  
Emerson College  
Emory University  
Florida College\*  
Florida Institute of Technology  
Furman University  
George Washington University  
Georgia Institute of Technology  
Gonzaga University  
Gordon College\*  
Grand Canyon University\*  
Grove City College  
Hallmark University\*  
Hardin-Simmons University  
Harding University\*  
Harvard University  
Hawaii Pacific University  
Hendrix College  
High Point University\*  
Hillsdale College\*  
Houston Christian University  
Houston Baptist University  
Howard Payne University\*  
Indiana State University  
Illinois Institute of Technology  
Iowa State University  
Istituto Marangoni, Milan\*  
John Brown University\*  
Kansas State University  
Lamar University\*  
LeTourneau University\*  
Liberty University  
Louisiana State University\*  
Louisiana Tech University\*  
Macalester College  
Marietta College  
Marion Military Institute\*

Marquette University  
Marshall University\*  
Marymount Manhattan College  
McMurry University\*  
McMurry University  
McNally Smith College of Music\*  
Mercyhurst University\*  
Messiah College\*  
Miami University of Ohio  
Middlesex University London  
Mississippi State University  
Montana State University  
National University of Ireland-Galway\*  
New College of Florida\*  
New Mexico State University  
New York University\*  
Northern Arizona University  
Northeastern University\*  
Northwestern Oklahoma State University  
Northwestern University  
Oklahoma Baptist University  
Oklahoma Christian University  
Oklahoma State University\*  
Oral Roberts University\*  
Oregon State University  
Ouachita Baptist University\*  
Pace University\*  
Paris College of Art  
Penn State University  
Pepperdine University\*  
Point Loma Nazarene University  
Pratt Institute  
Purdue University\*  
Rensselaer Polytechnic Institute  
Rhodes College  
Rochester University  
Rose-Hulman Institute of Technology  
Rice University\*  
Sam Houston State University\*  
Samford University\*  
Santa Fe University of Art and Design  
Savannah College of Art and Design\*  
Schreiner University\*  
Seattle Pacific University  
Seattle University\*  
Sewanee-The University of the South\*  
Sonoma State University  
South Dakota School of Mines and Technology  
Southern Adventist University\*  
Southern Methodist University\*  
Southwestern University\*  
St. Edward's University\*  
St. Mary's University (San Antonio)\*  
Stephen F. Austin State University\*  
Stony Brook University\*  
Swarthmore College  
Syracuse University\*  
Tarleton State University\*  
Texas A&M University\*  
Texas A&M University Commerce  
Texas A&M University Corpus Christi  
Texas A&M University Galveston  
Texas A&M University Kingsville  
Texas A&M University San Antonio  
Texas A&M University Texarkana  
Texas Christian University\*  
Texas Lutheran University  
Texas Southern University  
Texas State University\*  
Texas Tech University\*  
The Citadel\*  
The King's College (New York City)\*  
The Master's University\*  
The Ohio State University\*  
The Young Americans College of the Performing Arts\*  
Trinity University (San Antonio)\*  
Tulane University  
United States Air Force Academy  
United States Military Academy – West Point

University of Aberdeen  
University of Alabama\*  
University of Alabama Birmingham  
University of Arizona  
University of Arkansas\*  
University of Chicago  
University of Colorado Boulder  
University of Dallas  
University of Denver\*  
University of Edinburgh  
University of Florida  
University of Georgia  
University of Glasgow  
University of Hartford  
University of Houston\*  
University of Idaho  
University of Iowa  
University of Louisville  
University of Kansas  
University of Kentucky  
University of Mary Hardin-Baylor\*  
University of Massachusetts Amherst  
University of Michigan  
University of Minnesota  
University of Mississippi\*  
University of Missouri  
University of Montana  
University of Montana Western  
University of Nebraska  
University of New Hampshire  
University of New Mexico  
University of North Carolina  
University of North Dakota  
University of North Texas  
University of Northampton  
University of Northern Colorado  
University of Notre Dame\*  
University of Oklahoma\*  
University of Oregon\*  
University of Oxford, Wycliffe Hall\*  
University of Pennsylvania\*  
University of Pittsburgh  
University of Portland  
University of San Diego  
University of San Francisco\*  
University of South Carolina  
University of St Andrews – Scotland\*  
University of Tennessee Knoxville\*  
University of Texas at Arlington\*  
University of Texas at Austin\*  
University of Texas at Dallas  
University of Texas at San Antonio\*  
University of Texas at Tyler\*  
University of the Incarnate Word\*  
University of Tulsa  
University of Utah  
University of the Virgin Islands  
University of Virginia\*  
University of Washington  
University of Wisconsin-Madison  
University of Wyoming\*  
University of York – England  
Valparaiso University\*  
Vanderbilt University\*  
Vanguard University\*  
Villanova University  
Virginia Commonwealth University  
Virginia Military Institute  
Virginia Tech State University  
Wake Forest University  
Washington and Lee University\*  
Washington State University  
Wayland Baptist University  
West Virginia University  
Western State Colorado University  
Westminster College (Missouri)  
Westmont College\*  
Wheaton College\*