

Keith Country Day School Academic Profile

2010-11

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Founded by Belle Emerson Keith in 1916, Keith Country Day School is an independent, nonsectarian, coeducational, college-preparatory school, representing 95 years of independence in education. The school serves students from age three through grade 12 in a child centered environment.

Our student body is diverse. Many of our students receive scholarships or financial aid. Admission to Keith is competitive and is based on achievement and potential to perform college-preparatory work satisfactorily. The admissions policy is non-discriminatory with regard to race, color, national origin, sex or religion.

310 (3-year olds to Grade 12); 113 (Grades 9-12); 33 (Class of 2011)

Enrollment

Academic Program

English:	9-12, AP English, Speech
Foreign Languages:	French I-VI, AP French, Latin I-V, Spanish I-V, Greek I, II
History:	Ancient & Medieval, United States, Modern European, Government, AP United States, AP European, Music History, World Religions
Mathematics:	Algebra I, Accelerated Geometry, Algebra II, College Algebra/Trigonometry Probability and Statistics, Math Analysis, AP Calculus, AB/BC
Science:	Biology, Chemistry, Physics, Environmental Science, AP Biology, AP Chemistry
Fine Arts:	Basic Design, Ceramics, Drawing & Painting, Studio Art, Photography, Yearbook, Theatre Arts, Technical Theater, Chorus, Wind Ensemble, String Ensemble, Select Choir, AP Music Theory
Other:	Health, Physical Education, Learning Resources, College Counseling, Senior Project, Independent Studies

Graduation Requirements (# of semesters)

English	(8)	History	(8)	Foreign Language (in one lang.)	(8)
Fine Arts	(8)	Mathematics	(8)	Health	(1)
Physical Education	(8)	Science	(8)	Senior Project	(1)
College Counseling	(2)	Speech	(1)	Community Service -- 90 hrs in 4 yrs	

Class Rank Grading Scale

Because Keith Country Day School's enrollment is small and selective, Keith has a philosophy of not ranking its students. Unless otherwise designated, academic classes are taught at the honors level. Grade point average is calculated based on the following schedule.

A+	4.35	B+	3.35	C+	2.35	D+	1.35	F	0.00
A	4.0	B	3.0	C	2.0	D	1.0		
A-	3.65	B-	2.65	C-	1.65	D-	0.65		

2009-10 (SAT) Scholastic Assessment Tests

Critical Reading			Math			2009-10 Keith Avg.	2009-10 Nat'l Avg.	
Range	Number	%	Range	Number	%			
700-800	4	40	700-800	4	40	Critical Reading	662	501
600-690	4	40	600-690	2	20	Math	608	516
500-590	1	10	500-590	2	20	Writing	643	492
400-490	1	10	400-590	0	0	Combined	1913	1509
Below 400	0	0	Below 400	2	20			
Totals	10	100	Totals	10	100			

2009-10 (ACT) American College Tests

Range	Number	%	2009-10 Keith Average Composite Score	25.1
30-36	8	21	2009-10 National Average	21.1
25-29	17	42		
20-24	14	35		
Below 20	4	2		
Total	43	100		

Recent Accolades

Two National Merit Semi-Finalist, one National Merit Commended student, 15 AP Scholars, 7 Illinois Scholars, 10 consecutive regional titles in the World Youth in Science and Engineering competition, Regional Champions in Class 1A Scholastic Bowl

Technology

Since 1998, each student and teacher has a networked laptop computer with access to the internet and equipped with the Microsoft Office applications.



*Class of 2010
College
Acceptances*



Adams State College	Lake Forest College	Stanford University (WL)
Amherst College	Lawrence University	Trinity International University
Arizona State University	Loras College	Truman State University
Augustana College	Louisiana State University	University of Aberystwyth (UK)
Beloit College	Loyola University – Chicago	University of Alabama
Boston College	Luther College	University of Dayton
Bradley University	Marian University	University of Essex (UK)
Brown University	Marquette University	University of Illinois at Chicago (HC)
Bryn Mawr College	McHenry County College	University of Illinois/Ur.-Champaign
Carleton College	Mercer University	University of Iowa
Carroll University	Miami University	University of Massachusetts-Amherst
Case Western Reserve University	Missouri Western State University	University of Michigan
Carthage College	Milwaukee School of Engineering	University of Minnesota
Concordia University (WI)	New York University	University of Mississippi
Creighton University	North Central College	University of Missouri
DePaul University	Northern Illinois University	University of North Dakota
Dominican University	North Park University	University of Notre Dame
Drake University	Northwestern University	University of Pennsylvania (WL)
Eastern Illinois University	Oakland University	University of St. Francis
Edgewood College	Olivet Nazarene University	University of South Florida
Ferris State University	Ohio State University	University of Sussex (UK)
Florida Atlantic University	Pennsylvania State University	University of Texas at Austin
Florida State University	Purdue University	University of the Vir. Isl.-St. Thomas
Georgetown University	Quincy University	University of Wisconsin – Fond du Lac,
Georgia Tech University	Regis University	Madison, Oshkosh, Milwaukee
Harvard University (WL)	Ripon College	Valley Forge Military College
Illinois Institute of Technology	Robert Morris University	Vanderbilt University
Illinois State University	Rock Valley College	Villanova University
Iowa Wesleyan College	Rose-Hulman Inst. of Technology	Washington Univ. in St. Louis (WL)
Judson University	Saint Olaf College	Westminster College
Kenyon College (WL)	Saint Xavier University	Youngstown State University
Kentucky State University	Seton Hall University	
Knox College	Southern Illinois Univ.-Carbondale	

*Matriculation
2007-10*



Augustana College	Loyola University – Chicago	University of Dayton
Boston University	Marquette University	University of Dubuque
Brigham Young University	McHenry County College	University of St. Francis
Brown University	McNally Smith College of Music	University of Illinois at Chicago
Carthage College	Miami University of Ohio	University of Illinois/ Urb./Champaign
Carroll University	North Central College	University of Iowa
Champlain College	Northwestern University	University of Michigan
College of Charleston	Oberlin College	University of Minnesota
Columbia College	Purdue University	University of Mississippi
Creighton University	Quincy University	University of Missouri-Kansas City
DePaul University	Rock Valley College	University of North Dakota
Dominican University	St. John's College	University of Notre Dame
Drake University	St. Norbert College	University of St. Andrews
Georgetown University	St. Olaf College	University of Southern California
Grinnell College	Southern Illinois University	University of Wisconsin-Madison
Indiana University	Trinity International University	Ursinus College
Iowa State University	Truman State University	Wesleyan College
Judson University	United States Marine Corps	Westminster College
Knox College	University of California – S.B.	Whittier College
Lawrence University	University of Chicago	Williams College

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