

# Lake Forest Academy

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LFA is a boarding school with a long and rich tradition. Founded in 1857, small classes, active and varied learning experiences, and a close-knit advisory system are all important parts of our history. 71% of faculty have advanced degrees; 80% of faculty live on campus; 100% of seniors matriculate to college; Class of 2018 (118 students) went to 77 institutions in 30 states and 5 countries. 27 Varsity sports; Over 60 different clubs; Service learning club and trip opportunities; Visual and performing arts classes and groups and private vocal lessons available; Arts Concentration in Music, Theater and Visual Arts.

## Community

The school is located on the North Shore in Lake Forest, Illinois, United States, about 30 miles north of Chicago. Chicago is the third most populous city in the United States and is a center of international finance, business, technology, entertainment and sports. Students can visit one of the city's most famous attractions, the Magnificent Mile, the most magnificent street in Chicago, with unique shops, restaurants, hotels, beautiful architecture and some of the tallest buildings in the United States. The feeling and atmosphere of the Magnificent Mile is similar to Shanghai Nanjing Road.



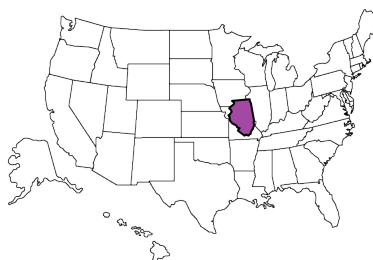
## Location Information

**Nearest Airport:** O'Hare International Airport (ORD)

**Nearest Major Cities:** Chicago (40 minutes)

**Typical Weather:** hot and humid continental climate, hot summers, no dry season

**Attractions nearby:** Northwestern University, University of Chicago, Lincoln Park Milwaukee, Sears Tower, Willis Tower, Shedd Aquarium



- \*NICHE A+
- \*Art Courses
- \*Founded in 1857
- \*22 AP Courses

## General Information

- Year Founded: 1857
- Religion: Catholic
- Gender: Co-ed
- Grades: 9-12th
- Student Body: 433
- International Students: 110
- Average Class Size: 12
- T-S Ratio: 1:6

## Admission Requirements

- TOEFL +SSAT(9-10th)
- TOEFL +SAT/PSAT/ACT(11-12th)
- Skype Interview

## Accreditation

- Independent School Association of the Central States
- National Association of Independent Schools
- the State of Illinois

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## Sports

Baseball	Cross Country	Field Hockey	Tennis
Basketball	Football	Soccer	Track
Cheerleading	Golf	Swimming	Football

## Clubs & Activities

Asian Culture Union, Christian Fellowship for Caxys, Cultural Diversity Club, Gay Straight Alliance, Indian Club, International Cuisine Club, Jewish Student Union, Muslim Student Association, Amnesty International, Caxy Service Board, Chinese Dictionary Project, Crop Walk, Food Bank, Literary Corps, Relay for Life, Robotics at Neal Academy, Senior Service, Suicide and Self-Harm Awareness Club (SASHA), Astronomy Club, Badminton Club, Board Games/Card Games Club, Chinese Stone Carving, Croquet Club, Debate Club, Drone Club, Entrepreneurship Club, Film Society, Frog Newsroom, Future Medical Leaders of the World, Gamers' Lounge, Girls Learn International, International Dance Club, Investment Club, Literary Magazine, Math Team, Model UN, Music Enthusiasts, Outdoor Environmental Club, Robotics Club, Rock Climbing Club, Sailing Club, Science Olympiad, Science on the Fly, Sign Language Club, VOX, and much more!

## Academic Information

**School Schedule:** 7:40am-2:55pm

**English Support:** ESL

**Ave. SAT:** 1290

**Ave. Act:** 27

**AP courses:** English Language & Composition, English Literature, Calculus AB, Calculus BC, Statistics, Computer Science A, Computer Science Principles, Chinese Language & Culture, French Language & Culture, Spanish Language & Culture, Spanish Literature & Culture, United States Government and Comparative Politics, Biology, Chemistry, Environmental Science, Physics C, Psychology, Economics, U.S History, World History, Art History, Music Theory

**Art courses:** Acting, Advance Acting, Advance Studio Art, Black & White Photography and Digital Media, Choir, Directing, Electronic Music Ensemble, Orchestra, Piano 1, 2D Studio, 2D Design, Sculpture, Theater Technology1, Writing for Performance, Advance Music Production, Ceramics 1-2, Public Speaking etc.

## Facilities

Lake Forest Academy is situated on a wooded 150-acre campus, which includes a small lake. There are 30 plus buildings on campus, including Reid Hall, Corbin Academic Center, Hutchinson Commons, the Student Union, five dormitories and several faculty housing buildings. The Cressey Center for the Arts is the site for all-school meetings, concerts and student theatrical productions; the Reyes Family Science Center; and a new student union building was opened in the fall of 2016, housed within it is the Stuart Center for Global Learning. LFA has a variety of athletic facilities, including the David O. MacKenzie '50 Ice Arena, a swimming pool, the Glore Memorial Gymnasium, the James P. Fitzsimmons Athletic Wing, the Crown Fitness & Wellness Center, tennis courts, all-weather track, and five full-sized playing fields for football, field hockey, and soccer.

## College Matriculation

Class of 2018 (118 students) went to 77 institutions in 30 states and 5 countries. Most popular college destinations past five years: University of Illinois, New York University, Cornell University, University of Southern California, Boston University, Emory University, Stanford University, Northwestern University, University of California- Los Angeles.