



# THE ROCK SCHOOL

A Foundation *for* Flourishing

## Admissions Policy | **GRADES K-11**

The Rock School seeks students with a solid academic record who will benefit from educational excellence in a Christ-centered community. Admittance is based on past academic and social performance, as shown through grade history, standardized test scores, teachers' recommendations, and an educational consultation. The purpose of our admissions process has always been to ensure applicants will flourish at The Rock School.

The Rock School admits students of any race, color, national and ethnic origin to all the rights, privileges, programs, and activities generally accorded or made available to students at the school. The Rock School does not discriminate on the basis of race, color, national and ethnic origin in administration of its educational policies, admissions policies, scholarship and loan programs, and athletic and other school-administered programs.

### ADMISSIONS PROCESS - ALL APPLICANTS

- Educational Consultation
- Online Application
- Recent Report Card or School Transcripts
- Standardized Test Scores (FSA, PSAT, CAT, ITBS, MAP, etc.)
- At least one teacher recommendation
- Student Essay (grades 6-12 only), from prompt included in the Online Application
- Educational/Diagnostic or Psychological Evaluation Results (IEP, 504, etc.), if applicable

### ADDITIONAL REQUIREMENTS FOR INTERNATIONAL STUDENTS

CRITERIA	DOCUMENTS
<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• The student must be at least 16 years old.</li><li>• The student must be entering grade 10 or 11.</li><li>• The student must have high English proficiency.</li><li>• The international student's guardian must have permanent or established residency in the United States. A visitor's visa does not meet this requirement.</li></ul> <p><i>The Rock School does not provide boarding or host families. All living arrangements are the responsibility of the student's family.</i></p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• School Transcripts, translated to English</li><li>• Student's Passport information page</li><li>• Proof of Funds documentation (bank statement and/or letter of support)</li><li>• Local guardian contact information, if student will live with someone other than the parents</li><li>• Email address for at least one current teacher who can complete a recommendation form</li><li>• Zoom Interview, to assess English proficiency</li><li>• Other English proficiency evaluations may be required</li></ul>