

ULS UNIVERSITY LAKE SCHOOL

School Profile '25-'26



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The School

ULS is an independent, college-preparatory Pre-Kindergarten through Grade 12 school located 30 minutes west of Milwaukee in an area of Waukesha County colloquially known as Lake Country. Students who apply for admission come from a variety of cultural, socioeconomic, and geographic backgrounds.



AP School
Honor Roll
Platinum



A+ Niche
Best
Schools



Milwaukee
Magazine's "Face of
College Prep"

1956

ULS
OPENED

180

ACRE
CAMPUS

331

TOTAL
ENROLLMENT

102

UPPER
SCHOOL
STUDENTS

18

PERCENT
INTERNATIONAL
STUDENTS

7:1

STUDENT TO
TEACHER
RATIO

35

SCHOLASTIC
ART & WRITING
AWARDS

35%

RECEIVE
TUITION
ASSISTANCE

Membership



Mission & Vision

ULS delivers an incomparable education through the pursuit of academic excellence and the development of the whole student in a unique learning environment that fosters intellectual curiosity, original thinking, personal integrity and character through service. Our vision is to empower students to lead and thrive in a global community.

Course Offerings

Course Guide updates annually
Independent study available with approval

ENGLISH*

- Composition [1]
- Speech [.5]
- S1: Short Fiction, S2: Intro to Poetry [1]
- S1: Oedipus in Cyberspace, S2: Indigenous Studies [1]
- S1: Gothic Literature, S2: Work, People, Progress [1]
- S1: Dune, S2: Narratives of Crime [1]
- S1: Adv. Literary Criticism, S2: Adv. Existentialism [1]
- AP English Literature [1]

TECHNOLOGY

- Python Game Design [1]

SOCIAL SCIENCE

- Ancient World History [1]
- Modern World History [1]
- AP European History [1]
- United States History [1]
- AP U.S. History [1]
- AP Economics (Macro & Micro) [1]
- U.S. Government & Politics [1]
- AP Psychology [1]
- Current Events [.5]

MATH

- Algebra 1 [1]
- Algebra 2 [1]
- Geometry [1]
- Pre-Calculus [1]
- AP Statistics [1]
- AP Calculus AB [1]
- AP Calculus BC [1]

SCIENCE

- Biology [1]
- Chemistry [1]
- Environmental Science [1]
- Anatomy & Physiology [1]
- Physics [1]
- AP Chemistry [1]
- AP Physics 2 [1]

SPANISH

- Spanish 1 [1]
- Spanish 2 [1]
- Spanish 3 [1]
- Spanish 4 [1]
- AP Spanish Language [1]
- AP Spanish Literature [1]

LEADERSHIP

- Leadership 9 [.5]
- Outdoor Leadership [.5]

FINE ARTS

Studio Art

- Intro to Studio Art [.5]
- Drawing [.5]
- Ceramics [.5]
- Yearbook [.5]
- Portfolio [1]
- AP Art & Design [1]

Theatre

- Acting Techniques [.5]
- Broadcast Production [.5]
- Theatrical Design [.5]

Music

- Concert Choir [.5]
- Chamber Ensemble [.5]
- Music Theory [.5]

PHYSICAL EDUCATION

- P.E. & Health [.5]

A NOTE ON ENGLISH:

Our English Department is moving away from the prescribed scope and sequence of Advanced Placement and historically designed courses for single grade levels in aim of a liberal arts approach that encompasses more voice, deep thinking, and critical analysis with an evolving menu of challenging options that exceed prior requirements and expectations.

Graduation Prerequisites

24 credits required, including the following:

English	4 credits
Mathematics	3 credits
Social Science	3 credits
Science	3 credits
World Language	3 credits
Fine Arts	2 credits
Phys. Ed.	2 credits

Students take 6-7.5 credits each year

Annual service hours and extracurricular participation required

Grade Point Average

The transcript provides both weighted and unweighted GPA as calculated:

A+ 4.0	A 4.0	A- 3.7
B+ 3.3	B 3.0	B- 2.6
C+ 2.3	C 2.0	C- 1.6
D+ 1.3	D 1.0	D- 0.6

AP/Adv. courses receive an additional
1.0 weighted point

Alumni

42
STATES

15
COUNTRIES

#1800+
ALUMNI

Experiential Learning

Intercession: Innovative, interdisciplinary, deep-dives stemming from student interest, often featuring travel.

Leadership Retreat: Decades-long camping tradition with uninterrupted time to bond, develop intangible skills, and appreciate nature.

Senior Capstone Project: Research and writing, collaboration with advisors, and a formal presentation for a community audience.

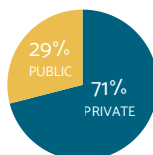
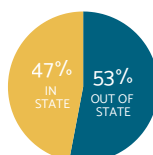
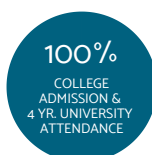
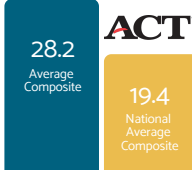
Class of 2025

17
GRADUATES

4.46
TOP
WEIGHTED GPA

\$4.8
MILLION
MERIT
SCHOLARSHIPS

5
AVG. # AP
CLASSES ON
TRANSCRIPT



Matriculation

