

The Webb School has a 150-year history of providing challenging academics with an emphasis on personal integrity in a small family-like setting. It is a place where young adults are not just expected to learn—they are encouraged to lead. The Webb School emphasizes independent thinking, creative initiative, personal integrity, and civic responsibility. The end result is stronger, more confident thinkers, makers, and doers prepared for college and ready to take on any challenge.

CREATING VOICES THAT MATTER

Who We Are

THE WEBB SCHOOL founded in 1870 by noted educator Sawney Webb, is the oldest continuously operating boarding and day school in the South.







STUDENTS REPRESENT



What We Offer













WHAT MAKES WEBB *different?*

Honor and Character

Our emphasis on honor and personal integrity is central to every aspect of school life at Webb. The Honor Code, dating back to the School's founding, features a pledge signed by every student each year. Elected representatives from the Middle and Upper School serve on the student-led Honor Council.

Emerging Voices Program

Our focus on writing across the curriculum and public speaking is realized in the Emerging Voices Program. Through performing declamations and orations, and presenting original work and senior papers, students throughout the grades gain valuable experience in writing, research, and public presentation.

Global Education

A focus on global education throughout the curriculum gives Webb students knowledge of many cultures and prepares them to live and work in a globally connected world. The diversity of students at Webb, including international students from around the world, promotes increased awareness and understanding of how we are all connected and the challenges we face across regions and nationalities.

Outdoor Program

Webb's Wilderness Instruction and Leadership Development (WILD) program offers significant training in outdoor skills and promotes leadership and confidence. On-campus, students navigate a ropes course and practice a variety of outdoor activities. Off-campus trips feature rock climbing, caving, backpacking, kayaking, and rafting.

Personalized Education

You will know every student and teacher at Webb, and they will know you. Our small class sizes and flexible curriculum allow for an education that meets each student's needs and goals. Advisors, teachers, coaches, and dorm parents monitor each student's progress and provide the encouragement and support that fosters success.

What We Believe

The Webb School faculty has endorsed the following enduring understandings. These beliefs are the foundation of our curriculum and all that we stand for.

INTEGRITY

is a cornerstone of a flourishing life and community.

LEARNING

is an enjoyable and ongoing process.

RESPECT

for self and others is essential to a harmonious society.

SELF-DISCIPLINE

and autonomy are essential to success.

Each person has unique gifts and capacities and a **RESPONSIBILITY** to develop them.

Each person shares the responsibility and honor of SERVING OTHERS.

College Counseling

One of the many advantages of attending Webb is the personalized attention students will experience when working with College Counseling. Webb offers two college counselors, with over 30 years of combined experience, to guide students and their family through the college search, application, and decision processes. Students are placed in the driver's seat with the parents and college counselors playing the roles of navigator and guide.

Here are just some of the college accepts for the Class of 2020

| Alabama | Furman | Rutgers |
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| Auburn | George Washington | Samford |
| Belmont | La Salle | SCAD |
| Birmingham | Lipscomb | Sewanee |
| Southern | Loyola | St Andrews Scotland |
| Boston College | Michigan | Syracuse |
| Boston University | Middlebury | US Airforce Academy |
| Brandeis | Mississippi | USC |
| UC Berkeley | MTSU | Tennessee |
| UCLA | NYU | University of Toronto |
| Centre | Northeastern | Tuffs |
| University of Chicago | UNC Chapel Hill | Tulane |
| Colgate | Penn State | Vanderbilt |
| UConn | Purdue | Virginia |
| Edinburgh University | RIT | Wake Forest |
| Emory | Rollins | Yale |

For a full list of recent matriculation, visit our website at: www.thewebbschool.com/academics/college-counseling

How We Support Our Students

At Webb, our students don't fall through the cracks. The partnership between the teacher, the parents, and the student is an essential one. There are a multitude of safety nets in place to guarantee our students' success.

Advisor System

Every student has a faculty advisor who serves as a personal advocate and mentor. Students have scheduled advisory meetings two times per week. They also meet once a week with their advisor for a group activity that focuses on character development. The advisor plays a key role in the student's experience at Webb and also serves as the liaison between parents and the school.

Extra Help

Each day, teachers are available in their classrooms to help students for a 45 minute class period called Extra Help. This time is built into our students' schedules, and they quickly learn to take advantage of it. In addition, Upper School students are selected to be peer mentors to Middle School students who may need additional help during their Extra Help period.

Study Center & Study Hall

The Study Center is a scheduled class for all 9th graders and new 10th-12th graders which provides study skills instruction, as well as a closely monitored study space to complete homework. The goals of the Study Center are to support the learning and educational development of every Webb student through collaborative effort and research-based teaching and learning and to help all students acquire strong learning and advocacy skills for college and beyond. All 8th graders have a study hall period in their schedule and 6th and 7th graders have a study hall period that rotates twice a week.

Sixth Grade Focus

Sixth graders participate in a Focus class three days a week; in which they utilize tools in a variety of disciplines including technology, writing skills, reading comprehension, library skills, and organizational study skills. Students also extract, contemplate, and discuss the Honor Code through applications as they read four novels in the classroom.

LIFT Program

The LIFT (Learn, Inspire, Focus and Teach) Program for students with diagnosed learning differences provides a dedicated class with a trained faculty member and coordination with teachers for appropriate accommodations.

Test Prep

Webb monitors standardized test preparation for all sophomores, juniors, and seniors as they prepare to take the PSAT, SAT, and/or ACT through the use of the Method Test Prep Khan Academy. All students receive a free Method Test Prep account. This online suite of SAT and ACT preparation materials provides 25 hours of self-paced instruction in each test.

How to Apply

Start your account by visiting www.thewebbschool.com > admissions > Apply to Webb.

You will need:

- Parent and student portion of the application, with essay
- Application Fee of \$50 (\$100 for international students)
- Copy of transcript from current school
- Recommendation from school principal or counselor, English and math teacher
- SSAT or ISEE (Webb also accepts the SAT, ACT, PSAT, Pre-ACT, ACT Aspire or Stanford) international students must also submit TOEFL, TOEFL Jr., or IELTS
- Campus visit and interview or virtual interview via Zoom, Facetime or Skype.

Secondary School Admissions Test (SSAT) Offered at The Webb School

The SSAT Flex test has been made available with requirements for test takers and proctors to follow all local COVID-19 guidelines. The SSAT Flex test will be available for the 2020-2021 testing season. Please reach out to the admissions office at 931-389-6003 to find a time to schedule a flex test for you.

Important Dates

February 20*

Early Decision application deadline & Financial Aid Priority application deadline

March 10

Admissions notification date for Early Decision

*Students can still submit applications for admissions and financial aid after this date. Admissions decisions will be on a rolling basis and financial aid will be awarded if funds are still available.



Visit Info

We believe the best way to experience The Webb School Difference is to spend the day on campus. We are pleased to offer personal on-campus tours for prospective families. Virtual tours and meetings are also available. Personal visits and virtual meetings are available Monday-Friday between 8:00 a.m. and 4:30 p.m. CST

We invite you to schedule a visit by contacting our visit coordinator, Rhea Hyatt at rhyatt@webbschool.com. Visits may also be scheduled online at www.thewebbschool.com.

Meet The Webb Admissions Team

We look forward to connecting with prospective families interested in pursuing a Webb education. To learn more about the admissions process, please call our Admissions Office at 931-389-6003 or email an admissions team member.



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Our Mission

"To turn out young people who are tireless workers, and who know how to work effectively; who are accurate scholars; who know the finer points of morals and practice them in their daily living; who are always courteous."

William R. "Sawney" Webb
Founder of The Webb School

Affordability

We are committed to helping families bridge the gap between what they can afford to pay and what a Webb education costs. Merit scholarships and need-based aid are available to eligible students. Approximately 60% of Webb students receive some form of financial aid or scholarship, and Webb awards more than \$3 million to deserving students annually.

Financial Aid

We encourage families to apply on or before our February 20 priority deadline. Webb uses School and Student Services (SSS) to determine need and applications will be accepted beginning in October. To begin your application, please visit sss.nais.org/parents and be sure to use our school code 8074.

Honors Scholarships

Our Honors Scholarships Program is an exciting opportunity available to new boarding students. Webb makes awards ranging from \$5,000 to \$10,000 per year based on academic merit and extracurricular involvement. The scholarship continues for the student's entire time at Webb, contingent on academic success.

Legacy Scholarships

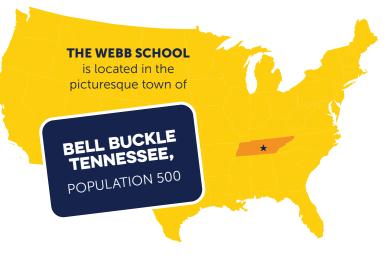
Legacy Scholarships are available to qualified applicants who have a parent, grandparent, aunt, or uncle who attended The Webb School, in the amount of \$1,000, \$5,000, or \$10,000. Scholarship recipients are eligible for need-based aid as well.

Webb's Director of Financial Aid, Carrie Auwarter, can answer any questions relating to aid. Please contact Carrie at 931-389-6003 or cauwarter@webbschool.com.



60% OF STUDENTS RECEIVE FINANCIAL AID OR SCHOLARSHIPS

Where We Are



Our Campus

The Webb School's 150-acre campus is situated in Bell Buckle, Tennessee, a small town known for its rolling hills, beautiful farmland, and quaint Southern charm. Bell Buckle offers a unique setting that conveys a sense of security and safety, allowing students to feel comfortable being themselves. Our students have numerous opportunities to develop an appreciation for the outdoors and explore nature in all of its four-season splendor. A short drive from campus lies Nashville, one of the South's iconic cities, home to famous recording artists, writers, world-renowned chefs, and rich cultural heritage.

The Webb School campus is a one-of-a-kind gem that warrants a firsthand experience. We hope to welcome you soon.





Bell Buckle is a historic artists' village known for its FESTIVALS & ANTIQUES



How to Learn More

For more information or to arrange for a campus visit, call our Admissions Office at 931-389-6003 or email admissions@webbschool.com.





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