

East Linn Christian Schools

International Student Program

Thank you for looking into East Linn Christian Academy as an option for your high school education and life experience. Our school is located in the mid-Willamette Valley just outside Lebanon, Oregon. We are an hour away from the Santiam Mountain Range, which provides opportunities for skiing, snowboarding and hiking in the winter; the Pacific Ocean where you can enjoy whale watching, fishing and wind surfing year round.

East Linn Christian Academy welcomed our first international students in 2008. Since then, we have had the privilege of serving students from the Philippines, China, Korea, Germany, Hong Kong and Japan. Our vision is to embrace Acts 1:8, Matthew 28:19 and Mark 16:15 by welcoming students from around the world, helping them to grow in English, and becoming more familiar with American tradition and culture. As international students participate in our high school academic and extra-curricular programs, they provide authentic diversity and global awareness development for our student body which enhances a core value (discipleship) here at ELCA. As an international student, you will be placed with a qualified host family who can provide additional support to you during your intercultural journey.

We hope you will consider attending East Linn Christian Academy. We offer a supportive setting where students can grow academically and personally. Our teachers care and provide a challenging education from a Biblically based worldview. We also offer small classes where students receive individual teacher attention. You will grow in English, academics, and personal friendships while attending ELCA. You may also choose to participate in our sports program. East Linn Christian Academy graduates are accepted at recognized public and private universities and colleges throughout the United States.

East Linn Christian Academy does offer ESOL classes for international students. However, we do ask students to pass the SLEP test with a score of at least 50 (or TOEFL of 58) which is submitted with the applications. All international students are expected to carry a full course load and perform at the comparable grade level of an American student fulfilling all academic requirements.

If you are interested in continuing your educational journey at East Linn Christian Academy, please contact American Education and Exchange Association at <http://www.aeeaweb.com>, or International Experience at <http://usa.international-experience.net>.



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PROGRAM VISION

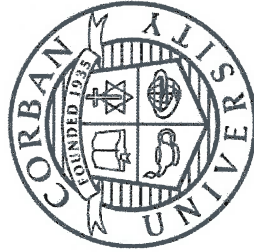
East Linn Christian is committed to providing students with an excellent education, by offering advanced level classes with the opportunity to receive college credit.



College is just around the corner.



Ecampus



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**EAST LINN
CHRISTIAN
ACADEMY**



*Equipping students to serve
Christ with passion*

**Advanced Courses
Program
2017-2018**

MISSION STATEMENT

Providing an education of excellence rooted in Biblical truth, to impact the world for Christ.



Linn Benton Community College

Students take a traditional college course and receive regular college credit. The credits are posted on the East Linn Christian and Linn Benton Community College transcript.

Oregon State e-Campus

The OSU e-Campus has been established specifically for high school students. The courses are posted on the transcript the same as a class taken by other OSU students.

If a student wishes to continue on at OSU after graduation, they must go through the application process and transfer grades from the e-Campus at the time of applying for enrollment.



STEAM

Science Technology Engineering Arts Mathematics

Biomedical Science
Human Body Systems
Intro to Engineering
Aerospace Engineering
Meteorology
Statistics
Computer Science

AP Courses

East Linn offers AP courses in a variety of topics, including Math, Science, English and History. These courses are taught online supported by a certified instructor.

Qualifications



- 11th or 12th grade student
- Student on track for honors diploma or have a 3.75 GPA
- Completed application, signed and turned in, or prior to the deadline

STUDENTS

INTERESTED IN

PARTICIPATING

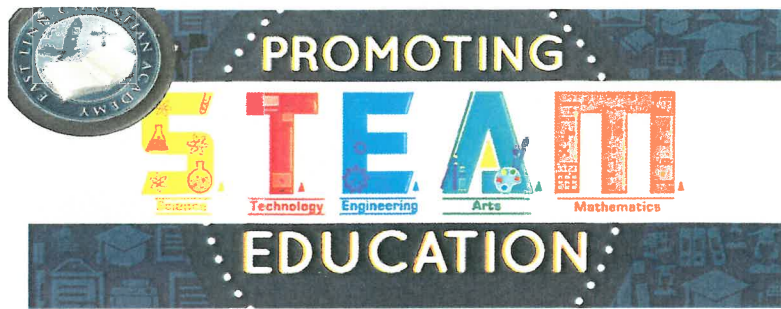
- Meet specific qualifications
- Finish the program application on or before the prescribed deadline
- Pay to take the AP Test at the end of the year.

OTHER COLLEGE CONNECTIONS

- COLLEGE NOW
- CORBAN CONNECTION
- NOTRE DAME
- OREGON INSTITUTE OF TECHNOLOGY

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Why STEAM?

Knowing that our future innovators and creative thinkers are our children – East Linn Christian seeks to encourage students to dive into the STEAM disciplines at an early age. We believe an environment that fosters dynamic learning and interactive exploration ignites an interest in learning that will advance them well beyond the classroom.

What is STEAM?

STEAM stands for:



Science



Technology



Engineering



Arts



Math

STEAM is an educational approach to learning that uses Science, Technology, Engineering, the Arts and Mathematics as access points for guiding student inquiry, dialogue, and critical thinking. By allowing students to connect their learning in the STEM areas together with **art practices, elements, and design principles** STEAM removes limitations and replaces them with **wonder, critique, inquiry and innovation**. The end results are students who take **thoughtful risks**, engage in **experiential learning**, persist in **problem-solving**, embrace **collaboration**, and work through creative process.

Course OPTIONS

Biomedical Science
Human Body Systems
Intro to Engineering
Aerospace Engineering

These are the innovators, educators, leaders, and learners of the 21st century!



EAST LINN CHRISTIAN ACADEMY

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Profile 18-2019

Elementary • Middle School • High School

LOCATION 23-acre campus is located just outside Lebanon. It is 17 miles east of Albany and 14 miles west of Sweet Home.

MISSION STATEMENT Provide an education of excellence rooted in Biblical truth to impact the world for Christ.

VISION STATEMENT Intellectually prepared. Spiritually sound. Disciple for life

PURPOSE Preparing students to utilize knowledge to serve Christ with passion!

HISTORY Founded in 1982, we currently are in our 35th year of operation.

ACCREDITATION East Linn Christian Academy is fully accredited by the Association of Christian Schools International (ACSI) and the Northwest Accreditation Commission (NWAC) and meets all requirements for graduation of the Oregon State Department of Education.

ENROLLMENT Includes preschool, elementary, middle and high school

- Preschool 37
- Elementary 138
- Middle School 82
- High School 122

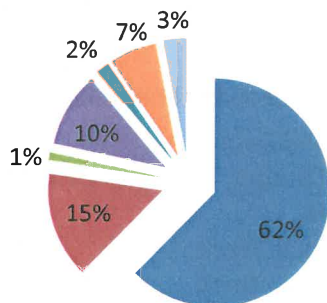
TRANSPORTATION A shuttle bus runs a daily route between Lebanon and Albany.

DEMOGRAPHICS The majority of students are from cities within 50 miles of the school, 10% from international cities.

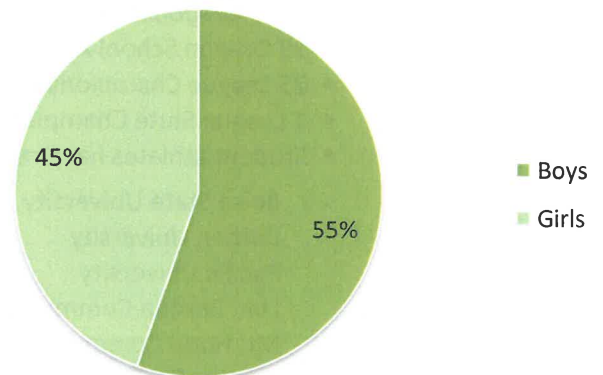
COMPOSITION Break down of enrollment by gender

Demographics

- Lebanon
- Albany
- Scio
- Brownsville
- Harrisburge
- Sweet Home
- International



Composition





STAFF A faculty and staff of 40 full-time and 9 part-time employees make up East Linn Christian Academy

Preschool	2	Preschool Support Staff	3
Elementary	9	Elementary Support Staff	8
Middle/High School	17	MS/HS Support Staff	4

ACADEMIC Average SAT score in the last two years - 1700

ACHIEVMENT National average 1500 (2013 TPR Education)

The following includes colleges, universities and other programs that have accepted ELCA Graduates:

Corban University	Seattle Pacific University	Portland Bible College
George Fox University	Western Oregon University	YWAM
Biola University	Wheaton College	Oregon Inst. of Tech.
Boise State University	Pacific Lutheran	AIM
Oregon State University	Willamette University	Army/Navy/Marines
Eastern Oregon University	Cambridge University	Linn Benton Com. College
Northwest Nazarene University	Point Loma Nazarene University	Lane Community College
University of Portland	Portland State University	University of Oregon
University of Pennsylvania	New York University	

COLLEGE Concurrent community college courses, College Now courses through LBCC and STEM OIT

ATHLETICS Members of the Oregon School Activities Association (OSAA) – 2A Division/Tri-River League.

ACHIEVMENT Sports include: Cross Country, Soccer, Volleyball, Basketball, Golf, Track and Baseball.

- ◆ State Championship Track and Field 2017
- ◆ 2012 *Oregonian Cup* Winner
- ◆ 29 Oregon School Activities Association Top 8 Finalists
- ◆ 25 League Championships in a variety of sports
- ◆ 1 League State Championship in Basketball
- ◆ Student athletes have received scholarships to the following universities:

Boise State University	Track and Swimming
Corban University	Cross Country, Track and Basketball, Soccer
Pacific University & Linfield	Football
Linn Benton Community College	Basketball, Track
Mt. Hood Community College	Basketball, Track
Warner Pacific	Cross Country, Track
Northwest Christian University	Soccer