

Independent School Survey

2011-2012

Delaware Valley independent schools have **increased financial aid** this year by an average of 7.4%, according to 164 area schools participating in the annual MetroKids Independent School Survey. Last year average aid increased 11%. The typical school financially assisted 30% of its students, up from 28% last year.

This year the average independent school's **enrollment increased** 1.7%, reversing two years of declines. **Median day tuition held steady** at about \$12,500; median boarding tuition rose to \$44,310 from \$42,750.

World language offerings were mostly unchanged. Spanish is offered at 145 schools, followed by

French (74 schools), Latin (70), Chinese (27) and Greek (12). Only 11 schools now offer German, compared to 17 last year. Hebrew is offered at 6 schools, and Italian and Japanese at 3. Other schools provide courses in American Sign Language, Armenian and Ukrainian.

In this chart, you'll find Delaware independent schools. You can view similar data for Pennsylvania and South Jersey schools at MetroKids.com/education (see School Survey, upper left). In our Education Guide just below those links, you can search independent schools by location, grades taught or gender.

School Website	City Zip Telephone	Enrollment Boys/Girls/Coed Grades Taught	Tuition Religious Affiliation	Languages Offered & Grade in which Instruction Begins	Uniform/Dress Code % Attend College # of AP Courses	Avg. SAT Score (math/reading/writing) Summer Program?	Extended Day? (AM or PM) % Receive Financial Aid Total Financial Aid	Points of Distinction
● Chapin School www.chapinschool.org	Princeton 08540 609-924-2449	310 Coed PS,K,EL,MS	\$21,100-\$24,925	French-6, Spanish-K	Code	Yes	27% \$1.2 million	Richly textured education inspires academic achievement & builds strength of character in a diverse, caring & supportive community.
Doane Academy www.doaneacademy.org	Burlington 08016 609-386-3500	200 Coed PS,K,EL,MS,HS	\$10,500-\$16,100 Episcopal	Latin-7, Spanish-PS	Uniform 100% 11	Yes	AM & PM 30% NP	Emphasis on character development; family atmosphere; challenging curriculum; sports & extracurricular activities; strong music & art programs.
● Friends School, Mullica Hill www.friendsmh.org	Mullica Hill 08062 856-478-2908	200 Coed PS,K,EL,MS	\$8,100-\$16,380 Quaker	Spanish-PS	None 100%	Yes	AM & PM 35% \$450,000	Partnership with ARC/Gloucester County. Academic projects: U.N. Day, USA Day, World's Fair. Fine & Performing Arts School.
● Haddonfield Friends School www.haddonfieldfriends.org	Haddonfield 08033 856-429-6786	164 Coed PS,K,EL,MS	\$12,800-\$13,900 Quaker	Spanish-PS	None	Yes	AM & PM 33% \$210,000	HFS provides a superb academic education in an atmosphere that fosters mutual respect & strong student/teacher relationships.
● ◆ Hun School of Princeton www.hunschool.org	Princeton 08540 609-921-7600	615 Coed MS,HS	\$32,150 \$46,750 (boarding)	Chinese-6, Fren.-6, Lat.-9, Spanish-6	Code 100% 13	Yes	AM & PM 32% \$2.9 million	Member of the Mid-Atlantic Prep League; award-winning student publications; academic learning skills & international student programs.
● Kellman Brown Academy www.kellmanbrownacademy.org	Voorhees 08043 856-679-2929	200 Coed PS,K,EL,MS	\$9,000-\$14,500 Jewish	Hebrew-K, Spanish-6	None 98%		AM & PM 40% \$350,000	Member: Solomon Schechter Day School Network & NJ Assoc. of Independent Schools. Emphasis on academic excellence, values & leadership.
◆ Lawrenceville School, The www.lawrenceville.org	Lawrenceville 08648 609-895-2030	810 Coed HS	\$38,960 \$48,800 (boarding)	French-9, Grk.-9, Lat.-9, Spanish-9	Code 100%	697/677/687 Yes	29% \$9.7 million	Every student must participate in some sort of physical activity after school, such as sports or dance.
● Montessori Academy (AMI) www.manj.org	Delran 08075 856-461-2121	140 Coed PS,K,EL,MS	\$7,130-\$11,555	Spanish-PS	Uniform	Yes	AM & PM 20% \$100,000	AMI-certified Montessori teachers; creative, non-competitive learning environ. with values & academic excellence.

Legend: ◆ — Residential school ● — Accommodates some disabilities NP — Not provided Grades Taught — PS-preschool (or nursery school, PreK), K-kindergarten, EL-elementary, MS-middle school, HS-high school

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● Moorestown Friends School www.mfriends.org	Moorestown 08057 856-235-2900	710 Coed PS,K,EL,MS,HS	\$15,100 - \$23,450 Quaker	Chinese-6, Fren.-6, Lat.-5, Spanish-K	Code 100% 16	641/628/644 Yes	AM & PM 24% \$2 million	MFS is New Jersey's only three-division Friends School, offering a challenging liberal arts education from preschool-12th grade.
Oak Hill Academy www.oakhillacademy.com	Lincroft 07738 732-530-1343	420 Coed PS,K,EL,MS	\$15,400	French-PS, Latin-7, Spanish-5	Code	Yes	AM & PM 34% \$230,200	Challenging curriculum in caring environment; award-winning literary magazine; math team & National Latin & French Exams winners.
◆ Peddie School www.peddie.org	Hightstown 08520 609-944-7500	557 Coed HS	\$35,000 \$45,000 (boarding)	Chinese-9, Fren.-9, Lat.-9, Spanish-9	Code 100% 17	Yes	AM & PM 40% \$5 million	Peddie is proud of its diverse student body, which is made up of students of all backgrounds from 18 states & 23 countries.
◆ Pennington School, The www.pennington.org	Pennington 08534 609-737-1838	485 Coed MS,HS	\$29,750 \$44,310 (boarding) Methodist	Chinese-12, Fren.-7, Ger.-8, Lat.-6, Span.-7	Code 100% 17	Yes	30% \$3 million	Diverse student population; AP & Honors courses, as well as math & writing labs. Boarding starts in 7th grade.
● Politz Day School of Cherry Hill www.politz.org	Cherry Hill 08002 856-667-1013	160 Coed PS,K,EL,MS	\$11,000 Jewish	Hebrew-K	Code		AM & PM NP NP	Warm, loving environment. Each child's learning style is addressed. Must be Jewish to attend. Outstanding general & Judaic curriculum.
Princeton Day School www.pds.org	Princeton 08542 609-924-6700	907 Coed PS,K,EL,MS,HS	\$23,600-\$28,910	French-PS, Spanish-PS	None 100% 20	650/650/660 Yes	PM 30% \$3 million	Community service required for grades 9-12, 50 hours by graduation; courses available at Princeton Univ.; peer leadership training.
● Princeton Friends School www.princetonfriendsschool.org	Princeton 08540 609-683-1194	137 Coed PS,K,EL,MS	\$21,750 Quaker	Chinese-PS, Spanish-PS	None	Yes	AM & PM 32% \$450,000	High intellectual expectation in a collaborative environment. Emphasis on character & creativity. Multi-age grouping.
● South Jersey Christian Academy www.sjchristianacademy.org	Sicklerville 08081 856-728-2001	107 Coed PS,K,EL	\$3,250-\$5,250 Christian		Code	Yes	AM & PM NP NP	Quality, affordable Christian education through 8th grade, offering small class sizes, full day kindergarten & a variety of preschool schedules.
● Stuart Country Day School of the Sacred Heart www.stuartschool.org	Princeton 08540 609-921-2330	460 Girls PS,K,EL,MS,HS	\$10,400-\$30,300 Roman Catholic	French-K, Latin-6, Spanish-PS	Uniform EL 100% 13	628/595/628 Yes	AM & PM 30% \$2 million	Prepares young women for lives of exceptional leadership & service. Challenging, innovative curriculum, superb teaching & personal development.
● Villa Victoria Academy www.villavictoria.org	Ewing 08628 609-882-1700, ext. 20	200 Girls PS,K,EL,MS,HS	\$9,976-\$11,500 Roman Catholic	Chinese-4, French-7, Spanish-4	Uniform 100% 8	Yes	PM 30% NP	100% college acceptance & enrollment; award-winning theater program, small class sizes with individual attention; inclusive, faith-based education.
Westfield Friends School www.cinnaminson.com/Westfield	Cinnaminson 08077 856-829-0895	170 Coed PS,K,EL,MS	\$10,610 Quaker	French-PS, Latin-5, Spanish-PS	None	Yes	AM & PM NP NP	

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