

College Admission Profile

FRIENDS SELECT SCHOOL

Friends Select School is a coeducational, independent, college preparatory Quaker day school that traces its beginnings to 1689. In the past decade, 100% of the graduates have gone on to college (99% to four-year colleges and 1% to two-year colleges). About 2% have chosen to defer college enrollment for one year.

The academic program at Friends Select is demanding. While courses are not normally designated as Honors, Accelerated, or Advanced Placement, it is the practice of the faculty to assign Honors or Advanced Placement level work in all courses. The upper level courses in math, science and languages are open only to qualified students. Students who take these upper level courses are prepared to sit for Advanced Placement examinations.

Due to the small size of the graduating classes and the selective process of admission to the school, Friends Select School, as a matter of policy, does not rank its students or provide a percentage rank. Friends Select does report college acceptances and other indicators of college-bound student achievement, including SAT score aggregates, and total numbers of National Merit scholars.

Friends Select prides itself on its personalized education, individualized college application process, and its record of achievement matching its graduates with their colleges and universities of first choice. The Friends Select college list reflects the many interests, talents and abilities of its diverse student body.