



LAKE COUNTRY CLASSICAL ACADEMY

Classical education anchored In American ideals

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THE MISSION OF LAKE COUNTRY CLASSICAL ACADEMY (LCCA) is to train the minds and improve the hearts of young people through a content-rich, classical education in the liberal arts and sciences, with instruction in the principles of moral character and civic virtue.

Lake Country Classical Academy (LCCA) addresses the real need for tuition-free, high-quality, teacher-led, public, K-12 education as a Hillsdale College Member School. We believe that all students should have access to this option, regardless of their ZIP code, socioeconomic status, primary language, or race.

In the first year of operation, LCCA enrolled 421 kindergarten through ninth-grade students. In the second year, LCCA served 508 students in grades K-10, and closed the 2023-24 school with 544 K-11 students. LCCA eagerly anticipates the 2024-25 school year as a fully K-12 institution with more than 600 students.

Classical education is a time-tested means of leading students toward intellectual, moral and civic virtue. Hillsdale College has assisted LCCA in creating and implementing a challenging, engaging academic program and provides teacher training that serves as the foundation for a liberal and civic education. LCCA is honored to be the first Hillsdale College Member School in Wisconsin and is looking forward to its fourth year in operation training students to think well,

love the right things and spend their lives pursuing the good.

We asked Principal Margaret Daigneau what makes LCCA's classical education different from other schools. Her answer was clear and to the point. "Most simply, we're grounded in what is true and what is good. Our robust curriculum is delivered masterfully, and student behavior is anchored in virtues and the developing conviction to uphold them," she says. "We believe in American ideals and the value of traditional, academic learning."

LCCA's well-educated and articulate faculty uses traditional, teacher-led methods of instruction with a commitment to utilize technology effectively without diminishing the faculty leadership that is crucial to academic achievement. LCCA teachers believe that a classical education is the best, most time-tested way to direct students to a life that is truly free.

At LCCA, high academic achievement, personal discipline, ethics and responsibility will be consistently reinforced through the study of subjects in the classical tradition. Students will graduate from LCCA as highly literate and ethical citizens who are well-prepared to advance into any life endeavor.

LCCA offers a school culture of moral virtue, decorum, respect, discipline and studiousness among both students and faculty. The after-school enrichment program enhances this culture with opportunities in martial arts,

theater, service club and more. Student-athletes grow in physical strength, mental endurance and character in fall, winter and spring sports.

Lake Country Classical Academy is proud to be recognized as a 4-star: Exceed Expectations school by the Wisconsin Department of Public Instruction. With hopes to consolidate to a single campus location, LCCA is looking to a bright future offering a classical K-12 education to the Lake Country area.



ENROLLMENT OPPORTUNITIES

LCCA is a Hillsdale College Member School and proud to bring classical education to the public as an independent, tuition-free, charter school!

Visit us at lakecountryclassical.org or email enrollment@lakecountryclassical.org for more details.

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