

Start Your Journey Today

Hi, welcome to Twin Cities Academy! I'm Betsy Lueth, the Executive Director.

TCA is made up of a community of 300 families in the St. Paul and Maplewood area. Most of our families find us because their student has outgrown their current school and they need to find a good fit for middle school and high school.

Some come because they are looking for smaller class sizes and programs focused on preparing for post-secondary education. Others choose us because they need an individualized plan that meets specific learning and social needs.

Our Commitment

Our mission is to ensure that all students graduate with the skills to achieve in college, to contribute positively to society, and to be accepting of all people.

We take pride in our academics, excellent teachers who really care about the well-being of students, and a variety of programs and activities designed to help develop character and community.

No matter who you are, or why you're here, we want you to feel welcome and belong.

97.3%
GRADUATION
RATE



Get the support you need!
At TCA, we focus on supporting students in three ways:



Comprehensive Academics

- Smaller class sizes so your student gets the amount of attention they need
- 1:1 chromebook program for all students
- Academic support that fits your students learning style
- Extra support in math and reading both small group and one on one intervention, if needed
- World prep – a process that helps prep for post-secondary education
- Honors programs to accelerate learning
- CIS (College in the Schools for credit at the University of Minnesota)
- Advanced placement
- AVID program – to develop the soft skills needed for college



Character-building connections

- Teachers committed to building meaningful relationships with students
- A younger peer mentoring requirement to help students develop leadership skills
- A volunteer requirement to help develop a sense of service A diverse student body and a culture of inclusivity
- Fostering a spirit of community and care for each other – understanding the differences that make us stronger together
- Many extracurricular opportunities: Clubs, sports, music programs, social justice, school spirit, YAY!



Compassionate support

- Wrap-around support (mental health check-ins, one on one counselor meetings)
- Extra help for students and families (peer tutoring, food shelf open to all families, access to technology, health, and housing resources)
- On-site therapy
- Other supports to allow kids and their families to focus and help them succeed

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Vision

We serve a diverse student body to succeed in a rigorous college preparatory program.

Mission

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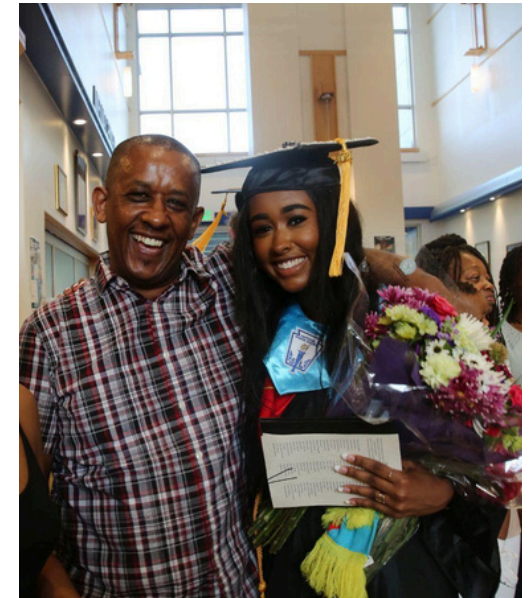
Our History

Twin Cities Academy was opened to offer a college-preparatory school experience for St. Paul students, with a particular focus on attracting a diverse student-body focusing on high academic achievement and serving the community at large through volunteering and service-learning.



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TWIN CITIES ACADEMY (TCA) serves a diverse 6th-12th grade student body to succeed in a rigorous college preparatory program. Our mission is to ensure that all students graduate with the skills to achieve in college, to contribute positively to society, and to be accepting of all people.

Admissions open for Fall 2025