



Magnet, Early College and Application Schools

210 ALLENDOWN LN, KNIGHTDALE 27545



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Current - 2025-26

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► Elementary

► Middle

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[Athens Drive Magnet High](#)

Program: Center for Medical Sciences and Global Health Initiatives

Students interested in a career in health and/or science professions will be interested in this magnet theme. Areas of concentration range from agricultural sciences, animal science, global health initiatives, and much more. Students in this program become leaders in the medical and health science fields.

Experiences include STEM (science, technology, engineering, and math) pedagogy learning across disciplines, relevant connections between the core curriculum and current topics in medical sciences and global health, community partnerships that offer hands-on learning opportunities, and collaboration with extensive university and corporate partnerships for real-world connections.

Transportation: Parent Provides 

[Broughton Magnet High](#)

Program: Global Studies and Language Immersion/International Baccalaureate DP Programme

In the Global Studies program, students participate in a world language class and participate in a Global Studies course. This course will explore world religions, cultures, and global issues. The purpose is to give students an understanding, respect, and appreciation of multiple geographic regions and cultural areas in an effort to develop an understanding of various challenges that unite and divide the world. The Language Immersion program (Spanish and/or Mandarin Chinese) is designed for a cohort of students who arrive from a participating pathway middle school. Beyond intellectual rigor, a strong emphasis of the IB Diploma Programme (11th & 12th grades) is placed on the ideals of international understanding, responsible citizenship, and service. Students become critical and compassionate thinkers, lifelong learners, and informed participants on local and world affairs, respecting the variety of cultures and attitudes that make up the world. Students who choose to participate in the Diploma Programme can potentially earn an International Baccalaureate Diploma that is recognized by major universities worldwide.

Transportation: Parent Provides ⓘ

[Crossroads FLEX Magnet High](#)

Program: Blended learning

Crossroads FLEX, in partnership with North Carolina Virtual Public School, is a digital, hybrid/blended learning school that serves students whose outside interests and activities require considerable amounts of time during regular school hours known as “pursuits.” Pursuits can include highly competitive and active students in the arts, sports, and entrepreneurship. The master schedule is designed to offer students a flexible schedule, so they have more time to pursue their interests. Core content courses are primarily taught in a face-to-face setting, while most electives are offered asynchronously.

A Crossroads FLEX student is responsible, able to work independently, self-motivated, engaged, and exhibits the highest degree of integrity. Crossroads FLEX students train 20+ hours a week and are highly competitive in their chosen pursuits.

Transportation: Parent Provides ⓘ

[East Wake Magnet High](#)

Program: iTech and Design

East Wake Magnet High features an iTech & Design theme with innovation labs, dual enrollment at Wake Tech, and electives in engineering, drones, and design. Business partnerships and collaboration with NC State's College of Design prepare students for college and careers.

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[Enloe Magnet High](#)

Program: Gifted and Talented/International Baccalaureate DP Programme

This magnet program is rooted in the belief that every student has gifts and talents that are valued and nurtured through this model. Students in GT schools explore an extensive menu of electives designed to develop their strengths and interests. They have the opportunity to customize their academic programs by choosing elective courses according to their academic needs and interests.

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[Millbrook Magnet High](#)

Program: International Baccalaureate - Middle Years and Diploma Programme

In the IB Middle Years Programme (MYP), for grades 9 and 10, students learn through global contexts, key interdisciplinary concepts, and the application of social, thinking, research, communication, and self-management skills. A critical piece of student learning happens through action and service to the community. Students benefit from a wide range of course offerings in the arts, world languages, technology, social studies, science, and physical education. During the fifth year of the MYP (10th grade), students complete a personal project that demonstrates initiative, organization, and creativity. The IB Diploma Years Programme (DP), for grades 11 and 12, not only offers intellectual rigor, but emphasizes ideals of international understanding, responsible citizenship, and service. The IB DP students become critical and compassionate thinkers, lifelong learners, and informed participants on local and world affairs, respecting the variety of cultures and attitudes that make up the world. Students who choose to participate in the Diploma Programme can potentially earn an International Baccalaureate Diploma that is recognized by major universities worldwide.

Transportation: Express Busing ⓘ

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[North Wake College And Career Academy](#)

Program: Early College

This school is a collaborative endeavor with Wake Technical Community College and Wake County Government. Students will be able to complete studies in one of five programs as part of their graduation credits. The school offers Culinary, Business Administration, IT/Tech Support, Early Childhood Education, and Emergency Medical Science. Through an academic foundation paired with career-informed courses and work-based learning experiences, graduates of North Wake CCA may continue to a four-year university, or apply their earned credits towards an AAS

degree, certificate, or diploma program at Wake Technical Community College.

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[Southeast Raleigh Magnet High](#)

Program: University Connections: School of Design, Art and Engineering

University Connections: School of Design, Arts & Engineering leverages college-level expertise to inform the development of magnet course offerings and strengthens overall program rigor. Strong and visible partnerships with local colleges and universities as well as businesses provide invaluable resources. The transdisciplinary thematic curriculum allows students to select and focus on one of the following College and Career Pathways:

1. Design
2. Arts
3. Engineering, Math, and Sciences
4. Humanities and Social Sciences

Students have opportunities to take specialized courses, interact with experts in these fields, and participate in on-site visits.

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[Vernon Malone College and Career Academy](#)

Program: Early College

Vernon Malone College and Career Academy is a collaborative endeavor between the Wake County Public School System, Wake Technical Community College, and Wake County Government. Students at Vernon Malone College and Career Academy complete studies in one of these Career & Technical Education (CTE) programs as part of their high school graduation credits. These include Biopharmaceutical Technology, Cosmetology, Multi-Trades Technology, Nurse Aide, Simulation and Game Development and Welding.

Through an academic foundation, paired with career-focused courses and work-based learning experiences, graduates of Vernon Malone College and Career Academy will be prepared to enter the workforce, continue on to a four-year university, or apply their earned credits towards an Associate of Applied Science (AAS) degree, certificate or diploma program at Wake Technical Community College in areas such as Applied Engineering, Business & Public Services, Computer Technologies, Skilled Trades, or Transportation.

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[Wake Early College of Health and Science](#)

Program: Early College of Health and Sciences

This school provides opportunities to explore careers in the health and sciences through partnerships with Wake Tech, and WakeMed Health and Hospital. This four to five-year high school program allows students to earn their high school diploma and an Associate degree, college transfer credit, prerequisite courses to prepare for a health sciences degree, or certificate tuition-free. Students follow a rigorous high school program of honors classes for the first two years and are dual-enrolled in Wake Tech courses for the remaining years.

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[Wake Early College of Information and Biotechnology](#)

Program: Wake Early College of Information and Biotechnology

The school will be housed at Wake Technical Community College's new RTP campus. Students will take a blend of high school courses and Wake Tech courses, with a focus on Information Technology and Biotechnology. Students will graduate with a high school diploma and credits towards their Associate in Applied Sciences degree, with the potential to earn enough credits to graduate with an Applied Sciences degree. The school will also partner with RTP businesses to provide students with real-world work experience.

Graduates will take courses and attain skills that will make them job-ready in two high-demand areas. Program offerings include Network Management, Computer Programming, Cybersecurity, and Biotechnology.

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[Wake STEM Early College High](#)

Program: Wake NCSU STEM Early College

The Wake STEM Early College High School is a small public school of choice; a joint project between the Wake County Public School System and North Carolina State University. STEM is the theme of the school's program in addition to our identity as an early college. Early college means students take college courses at NCSU as well as the courses required to earn a high school diploma over a five-year period. STEM at our school does not just relate to four subject areas but instead permeates throughout the entire program as our students explore the "Grand Challenges for Engineering."

STEM has two components that we explore:

1. The world is bigger than our community, state, country, and nation. It is our responsibility to 'reach beyond our limits to achieve our dreams, even those not yet imagined'.
2. We can only solve the world's problems and truly realize our potential if we think with an engineering mindset.

At Wake STEM we follow the NCSU Engineering Design Process as our foundation to solve our problems and complete our projects.

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[Wake Young Men's Leadership Academy](#)

Program: Wake Young Men's Leadership Academy Single-gender Early College

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men and women in a rigorous single-gender academic program. The Wake Leadership Academy is a 6-13, single-gender, early college, leadership academy within the Wake County Public School System. Grades 6-10 for the Wake Young Men's Leadership Academy are held in the Thompson School Building in downtown Raleigh. Grades 6-10 for the Wake Young Women's Leadership Academy is held on the Governor Morehead School for the Blind campus. Grades 11-13 are at Saint Augustine's University located in the historic Oakwood neighborhood of Raleigh, NC. The schools emphasize leadership development, entrepreneurship, and community service. Each school serves approximately 50 students per grade level in grades 6 through 13.

Staffed by a team of educators who are dedicated to the academic and social progress of all children, they support, enrich, and empower each young man and woman to become learners and leaders in local and global environments. They prepare young men and women for life-long learning through rigorous instruction. They collaborate with students, parents, community members, and each other to create successful schools.

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