Overview

Thank you for your interest in Wake Young Men's Leadership Academy! Selecting a school is an important and sometimes overwhelming venture. We hope you find the information provided helpful on your path to choosing your school.

MISSION

Wake County Public School System will provide a relevant and engaging education and will graduate students who are collaborative, creative, effective communicators and critical thinkers.

VISION

Wake Young Men's Leadership Academy molds young men who are capable and prepared to succeed academically, civically, and professionally as proven leaders in the community through rigorous, experiential learning opportunities.

CAREER READINESS

At WYMLA, our Young Men are provided opportunities to make knowledgeable career choices through academic rigor and workbased learning experiences. Collaboration and partnership through our Business Alliance, Youth Chamber of Commerce, and other community partners enhance the young men's career readiness experiences through career assessments, career events, guest speakers, resume writing, practice interviews, networking workshops, job shadowing, and volunteer opportunities. Ultimately, each of our Seniors participate in an internship earning course credit as well as real-world experience in a career related to their professional interests.

WYMLA Creed

I am a Wake Young Men's Leadership Academy student. This is my school and these are my brothers.

I am committed to Scholarship in being the best student I can be.

I am committed to Service in making my community stronger.

I am committed to Success in being my brother's keeper.

I am responsible for my actions.

I am respectful of my family.

I am dedicated to my school.

I am a leader.

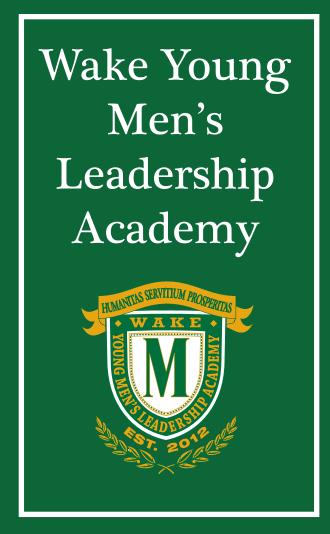




WAKE YOUNG MEN'S LEADERSHIP ACADEMY

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At WYMLA . . . We know your son!

LOWER ACADEMY

Wake Young Men's Leadership Academy has a transitional middle school program (6-8) developing elementary boys into responsible, respectful, and dedicated young men. Middle school students are prepared for the academic and social rigors of high school through an integrated advisory course and various enrichment activities and programs.

UPPER ACADEMY

Wake Young Men's Leadership Academy's Upper School program (9-12) transitions middle school young men into college and career ready leaders. Upper School students are engaged in a rigorous Early College program integrating leadership development and service learning throughout the curriculum. Ninth and tenth grade students take Honors level courses to prepare for their Early College experience at St. Augustine University starting in eleventh grade.



ATHLETICS

WYMLA is proud to partner with Broughton High School and Daniels Middle School sports programs. Students are able to tryout and participate on sports teams of their choice at these schools. Transportation is provided for students from WYMLA to Broughton or Daniels after school.

CLUBS AND ACTIVITIES

WYMLA offers a variety of clubs and activities for students to join and lead. Clubs are available after school on Tuesday's and Thursday's.

Speech and Debate

Beta Club

Yearbook

Science Olympiad

Tutoring

Future Business Leaders of America Art Club

Robotics Club

Intramurals

Chess Club

Key Club

Student Government

National Honor Society

Mentoring



Applying to WYMLA requires two steps:

- 1. Locate or register for a Student Identification Number. Families not currently enrolled in WCPSS must register with the WCPSS Office of Student Assignment prior to completing the application.
- 2. Complete the online application. Online applications are available at **www.wcpss.net/page/113.**

Student applications are reviewed and scored based on a rubric. If there are more applicants than seats available, the Student Assignment Department will utilize a lottery system for seat and wait-list assignments.



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