Loomis Chaffee School

Ivy League MIT Stanford placement

Loomis Chaffee School: 12 % Top 30 Boarding Schools: 18 % Top 50 High Schools: 25 %

HYPMS placement

Loomis Chaffee School: 5 % Top 30 Boarding Schools: 8 % Top 50 High Schools: 12 %

Average SAT

Loomis Chaffee School: 1,915 Top 30 Boarding Schools: 1,842 Top 50 High Schools: 1,569

Endowment per student

Loomis Chaffee School: \$ 0.27 million (US) Top 30 Boarding Schools: \$ 0.32 million (US) Top 50 High Schools: \$ 0.16 million (US)

Endowment

Loomis Chaffee School: \$ 180 million (US) Top 30 Boarding Schools: \$ 186 million (US) Top 50 High Schools: \$ 110 million (US)

AP courses

Loomis Chaffee School: 15 (courses) Top 30 Boarding Schools: 16 (courses) Top 50 High Schools: 12 (courses)

Students receiving aid

Loomis Chaffee School: 33 % Top 30 Boarding Schools: 30 % Top 50 High Schools: 22 %

Average class size

Loomis Chaffee School: 11 (students) Top 30 Boarding Schools: 12 (students) Top 50 High Schools: 14 (students)

Advanced degree faculty

Loomis Chaffee School: 68 % Top 30 Boarding Schools: 72 % Top 50 High Schools: 64 %

Day Tuition

Loomis Chaffee School: \$ 35,850 (USD) Top 30 Boarding Schools: \$ 31,941 (USD) Top 50 High Schools: \$ 32,349 (USD)

Boarding Tuition

Loomis Chaffee School: \$ 47,100 (USD) Top 30 Boarding Schools: \$ 46,116 (USD) Top 50 High Schools: \$ 45,931 (USD)

Info

- School type: Boarding and day students
- Day student only grade:9th to PG
- Boarding student only grade:9th to PG
- School focus: College Preparatory
- AP and or IB: AP
- Number of AP courses offered: 15
- Average SAT: 1915 (Median)
- ESL offered: Yes
- Academic calendar: Trimesters
- Summer program: Yes
- Boarding availability: 7 day boarding
- Setting: Rural
- Founded:1914
- Total school faculty: 150
- Advanced degree faculty: 68 %
- Teacher: Student ratio: 1:5
- Religious affiliation: None
- Website: http://www.loomis.org
- Address: 4 Batchelder Road Windsor CT 06095 United States

Enrollment

- Day student only grade:9th to PG
- Boarding student only grade:9th to PG
- Enrollment gender: Coed
- Average class size: 11
- Dress code*:No
- Total student enrolled:672
- International student: 15%
- *Dress code, Yes=Formal or Uniform, No=Casual

Tuition

- Boarding student tuition (per year):\$47,100
- Day student tuition (per year):\$35,850

Admissions

- Admissions deadline: January 15
- Application fee: \$75.00
- Acceptance rate:
- Interview: On-campus interview required
- Rolling admissions: No
- English proficiency required for admission: Yes
- Type of aid available: Need-based
- % student receiving aid: 33 %

Contact

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Reviews

Academic

[Georgetown] Science and writing programs are very good. The faculty are very knowledgeable in their subject area. Hands-on and participation-based classes—classes are based on round-table discussion and small group work. Class size hovers around twelve students, and are capped at eighteen. Faculty are eager to engage students, and students seeking faculty outside of the classroom often find greater success in their work. Work load—one to two hours per class per night.

[Yale] Loomis Chaffee offers a wide variety of courses in each field of study. Very strong English department and it puts emphasis on developing student's writing skills and techniques. Almost all of the classes have around 12 students and are focused on discussion with peers. Teachers are very accessible and willing to give extra help. There are different levels of most classes (regular, honors, AP, etc.).

College Counseling

[Georgetown] Process begins halfway through sophomore. Meetings usually occur on a bi-weekly or monthly basis, and leave the student with instructions for what to accomplish before the next meeting. The counselors are informative and encouraging. Much of the work in applying to colleges lays on the student.

[Yale] Begins toward the end of junior year with a one-on-one meeting with your assigned college advisor. The counselors are very realistic in terms of deciding which schools are safeties and which are reaches.

Admissions Process

[Georgetown] Dress conservatively and approach the tour guides with curiosity. Arrive at the interview with both knowledge and questions of the school. The tour guides evaluate applicants. If you have a particular interest, arrange to speak with the corresponding faculty during your visit. Keep contact with tour guides formal. Parents should not overshadow their child. Feeder schools include Eaglebrook and Renbrook.

[Yale] Good grades are obviously required, and good SSAT scores are helpful. Playing a sport helps your chances. Parents should offer some advice, but for the most part should step back.

Extra-Curricular Activities

[Georgetown] Class work dominates life at Loomis. Partaking in extracurricular activities (ECs) beyond the sport/theater requisite each trimester requires sincere student initiative and investment.

[Yale] There are a bunch of community service groups at Loomis Chaffee, and they are accessible to all students and any time-restrictions they may have. Not required.

Quality of School Life

[Georgetown] Surrounding town is safe and sometimes boring. A train station sits right on the edge of campus. Food isn't terrible, and students can avoid monotonous meals by going into town. Discipline has a noticeably more reasonable policy than peer schools. Students are given a second chance (save for a few capital offenses).

[Yale] Loomis is 60% boarding students and 40% day students. For the boarders, there are Dorm Heads and other faculty members on duty in the dorm at all times. There is a peer-advising system as well as faculty advising for each student. Teachers are great mentors and look out for their students' best interests. There is a divide between the boarders and the day students in some respects. The school's approach to discipline is fair but demanding.