



# The Schilling School for Gifted Children

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## School Profile

The Schilling School for Gifted Children is an independent coeducational institution founded in 1997, chartered by the Ohio Department of Education, and maintaining membership in the Ohio Association of Independent Schools.

Nationally, it is one of only two schools serving gifted students from kindergarten through 12th grade.

**Percentage of students with IQs 130-144: 45%**

**Percentage of students with IQs 145-200: 55%**

**Our faculty is comprised of gifted adults who are experienced teachers, subject specialists, and practitioners in their fields of expertise.**

Both Lower School and Upper School academic programs are accelerated. All academic courses at the Upper School level are considered honors courses and many are taught at the college level. (i.e. Differential Equations, Discrete Math, Advanced Chinese, Asian Literature and History) Foreign language classes begin in kindergarten and continue through high school. Nine are offered: Chinese, Dutch, French, German, Japanese, Latin, Russian, Sign, and Spanish.

**100% of Schilling graduates go on to college with Schilling students having been accepted at the following colleges and universities:**

*American University*

*Antioch College*

*Bard College*

*Bates College*

*Beloit College*

*Boston College*

*Brandeis University*

*Brigham Young University*

*Brown University*

*Bryn Mawr College*

*California Institute of Technology*

*Carleton College*

*Carnegie Mellon University*

*Case Western Reserve University*

*Centre College*

*Claremont McKenna College*

*College of Mt. St. Joseph*

*College of Wooster*

*Colorado School of Mines*

*Colorado State University*

*Columbia University*

*Davidson College*

*Denison University*

*DePauw University*

*Dickinson College*

*Drew University*

*Earlham College*

*Franklin and Marshall College*

*Grinnell College*

*Hampshire College*

*Harvey Mudd College*

*Haverford College*

*Hiram College*

*Illinois State University*

*Indiana University*

*Kenyon College*

*Knox College*

*Longy School of Music*

*Manchester College*

*Miami University – Oxford*

*Mount Holyoke College*

*Muskingum College*

*New College of Florida*

*New School University*

*Northern Arizona University*

*Northern Illinois University*

*Northland College*

*Oberlin College*

*Ohio Northern University*

*Ohio State University*

*Ohio University*

*Ohio Wesleyan University*

*Reed College*

*Rhodes College*

*Rose Hulman Institute of Technology*

*Sarah Lawrence College*

*Simon's Rock College*

*Skidmore College*

*Slippery Rock University of Pennsylvania*

*Smith College*

*Southern Illinois University*

*Tufts University*

*Tulane University*

*United States Air Force Academy*

*University of Arizona*

*University of Cincinnati*

*University of Colorado*

*University of Dayton*

*University of Illinois*

*University of Kentucky*

*University of Massachusetts*

*University of Michigan*

*University of Rochester*

*Washington University in St. Louis*

*Westminster College*

*Westmont College*

*Wheaton College*

*Willamette University*

*Wittenberg University*

*Worcester Polytechnic Institute*

*Wright State University*

*Xavier University*

**Non Discrimination Policy:** The Schilling School for Gifted Children, Inc. recruits and admits students of any race, color, or national or ethnic origin to all the rights, privileges, programs and activities. In addition, the School will not discriminate on the basis of race, color, or national or ethnic origin in administration of its educational policies, scholarships/loans/fee waivers, educational programs and athletics/extracurricular activities. In addition, the School is not intended to be an alternative to court or administrative agency ordered, or public school district initiated, desegregation. The Schilling School for Gifted Children, Inc. will not discriminate on the basis of race, color, sex, age, religion or national or ethnic origin in the hiring of its certified or non-certified personnel.

# School Accomplishments

Approved by Homeland Security to authorize I-20's for international students to obtain F-1 visas to study at our school.

The Schilling School has the highest average SAT score among Greater Cincinnati public and private high schools according to *Cincinnati Magazine*.

The only K-12 school exclusively serving gifted students in the state of Ohio. The Ohio Department of Education and the Canadian Department of Education requested permission to use the Schilling curriculum as a model.

## Student Accomplishments

A Schilling graduate, in her freshman year at Cal Tech, was one of only two summer fellowship recipients in charge of data retrieval and analysis for the NASA solar satellite investigation project (STEREO).

Two Schilling students have received perfect scores on the National Latin Exam.

A board game patent was awarded to a Schilling Lower School student, possibly the youngest patent holder in American history.

Five Schilling writers from grades 2, 8, 9, and 12 have been published.

Two Schilling students competed in the National History Bee national level competition last year.

## Faculty Accomplishments

Our Math/Science Department chair, who teaches Calculus, Differential Equations, Advanced Physical Mathematics, and Differential Phenomena, was nominated for a Nobel Prize in 1990. This brought him international acclaim, with his work featured in scientific books and international journals, including cover articles in *Science* and *Naturwissenschaften*. He has more than 50 scientific publications to his credit and is internationally regarded as an expert in Auger spectroscopy.

Our Molecular Biology and Genetics teacher, a researcher at the University of Cincinnati Medical School, has taught medical students and undergraduates and finds teaching gifted children at the Schilling School more stimulating intellectually.

Our U.S. Government and Law and Economics teacher is an attorney who comes to us from private practice.

Our Innovation and Creativity teacher was a retired professional engineer who received the highest engineering career award and taught graduate and undergraduate courses.

Our Comparative Religion teacher, prior to moving to the Greater Cincinnati area, was the denominational chaplain at Yale University.

Our Architecture teacher was the Director of the School of Architecture and Interior Design of the College of Design, Architecture, Art, and Planning at the University of Cincinnati.

Our Oil Painting teacher's painting of Emperor Tsar Alexander II Nikolaevich, Tsar of Russia, and Abraham Lincoln, sixteenth president of the United States, became a part of the permanent collection of the Tsarkoye Selo Museum, Saint Petersburg Russia in January, 2008.

Our faculty has graduated from top tier colleges and universities, including Harvard, Princeton, Yale, Penn, Columbia, Wellesley, Wesleyan, Emory, Vanderbilt, Indiana University, University of Virginia, University of Michigan, University of North Carolina, Brandeis, Furman, University of California San Diego, University of Illinois, and the London School of Economics & Political Science. Our faculty has taught at Yale, Penn, Brown, Michigan, Purdue, Indiana University, University of California Santa Barbara, U.S. Army, Miami University, Northern Kentucky University, University of Toledo, and the University of Cincinnati.