EDUCATING GIRLS SINCE 1913

WELCOME
Middle and Upper School Admission Preview
SUNDAY, OCTOBER 20, 2019
THE HOCKADAY SCHOOL
Sunday, October 20, 2019   |   Program

2:00 pm

**Welcome**
The Nancy A. Nasher and David J. Haemisegger Family Theater

Maryanna Phipps  
_Director of Admission and Enrollment Management_

Dr. Karen Warren Coleman  
_Eugene McDermott Head of School_

Gina Miele  
_Form IV Student_

**Student Performance**

_The rest of the afternoon is yours to craft your individual experience._

2:30 – 4:00 pm

- Hockaday At-A-Glance Sessions begin at 2:30 pm, 3:00 pm, and 3:30 pm in various locations
- Please note, the Middle School Life session and Upper School Life session will only be offered from 2:30 – 2:50 pm
- Campus Tours leave at 2:30 pm, 3:00 pm, and 3:30 pm from Metzger Plaza
- Assistant Head of School and Provost, Middle School and Upper School Division Heads, Director of Residence, Associate Director of College Counseling, and other key administrators will be available for conversation on Metzger Plaza when not moderating sessions.
- Fine Arts faculty will be in the lobby of The Nancy A. Nasher and David J. Haemisegger Family Theater. The Science faculty will be in the Idea Lab, and all other faculty will be in the Middle School and Upper School hallways.
- In case of inclement weather, Metzger Plaza activities will be held in the Ownby Lobby in the Margaret Doggett Crow Science Building next to the registration tables.

APPLY ONLINE AT WWW.HOCKADAY.ORG
UPPER AND MIDDLE SCHOOL LIFE

Join the Division Heads and groups of current students for an informal discussion of what life is like in Upper or Middle School at Hockaday. The girls are eager to answer your questions about being at an all girls’ school, homework load, extracurricular opportunities, and much more.

Please note the following two sessions will only be offered from 2:30-2:50 pm

- Upper School Life
  Lisa Culbertson ’96, Head of Upper School
  1st floor, Margaret Doggett Crow Science Building, Clements Lecture Hall

- Middle School Life
  Linda Kramer, Head of Middle School
  The Nancy A. Nasher and David J. Haemisegger Family Theater
## Meet the Athletics Staff:

**Meet the Athletics Staff:**

**Coaches, Health, and Physical Education Teachers**

Deb Surgi, Director of Athletics; Coaches and Physical Education Faculty

Penson Gym

We practice Health and Physical Education in every grade at Hockaday. We will highlight the ways our PK – 12 program develops the skills and habits that girls need to be healthy and active for a lifetime. Hockaday Athletics start in 7th grade, and our coaches are here to answer questions about our athletics philosophy, competing at a high level, and SPC competitions.

## Middle School Robotics

**Laura Baker, Middle School Robotics Coach**

2nd Floor, Middle School Hallway, MS210

The dynamic Hockaday FIRST Lego League robotics team, The Hockabuilders, are thrilled to present information regarding Hockaday's award winning middle school robotics program. The Hockabuilders will share their current innovative project solution for this year's theme: City Shapers. They will then explain their current robot design through an executive summary report. After their presentation, prospective families may enter the robotics room to view all five teams (Daisies of the Future, Designer Daisies, Daisy City, and The Dream Machine) in action.

## Calling All Science Buffs

**Dr. Marshall Bartlett, Science Department Chair**

3rd Floor, Margaret Doggett Crow Science Building, Lyda Hill '60 STEAM Institute, Idea Lab

What is the Hockaday Research Program? What semester courses are available in the Science department? What other Science electives and opportunities are offered at Hockaday? Join our Science Faculty to learn about our unique classes and programs for anyone interested in STEM (Science, Technology, Engineering, and Math).

## How Do Hockadaisies Debate?

**Dr. Chuck Walts, Director of Debate and Forensics**

2nd Floor, Liza Lee Academic Research Center, LLARC204

Join us for a glimpse into the world of competitive speech and debate at Hockaday. Our Debate program introduces students to the art and skills of persuasion, logic, and argumentation. Today, one of our Debate coaches and two students will discuss what it is like to experience Debate at Hockaday.
At-A-Glance Sessions begin at 2:30, 3:00, and 3:30 pm

The Places You will Go…with Upper School Integrated Math

Jeri Sutton, Natalia Ismail, and Jackie Girard, Upper School Math Teachers
2nd Floor, Upper School Hallway, US224
What is Integrated Math and why do we do it in the Upper School? Let’s get interactive to discover how teachers in the Upper School incorporate technology to enhance mathematical learning. Then we’ll learn all the places you can go after Integrated Math. Love math? Not a “math person”? All are welcome here.

Act Like A Star! Improv, Drama, and Theater

Emily Gray, Upper School Drama Teacher
The Nancy A. Nasher and David J. Haemisegger Family Center for the Arts, The Lacerte Family Black Box Theater
Join one of our talented Drama teachers in the Black Box Theater as she goes through theater games and improv sessions as she would in a real Middle School Drama class or Upper School Theater class.

Leadership and Diversity: Promoting Community

Tresa Wilson, Director of Inclusion and Community
2nd Floor, Middle School Hallway, 7/8th Grade Commons
Do you have questions about Diversity, Equity, and Inclusion programming? Join two of our Student Diversity Board Members and the Director of Inclusion and Community as they shed light on how Hockaday provides an inclusive environment to engage in conversations around these topics and other related programs.

How Many Languages Do You Speak?

Alejandra Suarez, Chair, World Languages Department
2nd Floor, Upper School Hallway, US218
Every Hockaday graduate can go beyond the two years of a required World Language and engage in courses like Business French, Latin Literature, Advanced Chinese Language and Culture, or Latin American Perspectives. Explore the opportunities. The Middle School and Upper School World Languages faculty will be available to answer any of your questions.
**The Places You will Go...with Middle School Integrated Math**

**Terry Bourek and Shane Bourek, Middle School Math Teachers**
2nd Floor, Middle School Hallway, MS214

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**Connecting Girls to Science Through Real-World Experiences**

**Kirsten Lindsay-Hudak, Upper School Science Teacher**
3rd Floor, Margaret Doggett Crow Science Building, Lyda Hill '60 STEAM Institute, S328

Learn how we inspire girls to have a passion and curiosity for science by connecting students to female role models through interactions with working scientists. Explore how we raise community awareness and cultivate problem-solving skills by partnering to create solutions with local organizations. See how students experience science outside the classroom using real data and simulated professional experiences.

**Preparing for a Life of Purpose and Impact**

**Laura Day, Executive Director of the Institute for Social Impact and Director of the Dr. William B. Dean Service Learning Program**
3rd Floor, Margaret Doggett Crow Science Building, Lyda Hill '60 STEAM Institute, S327

Did you know Hockaday is the first independent school in the nation to include Social Impact (SI) designations on transcripts? Think anatomy, race, microbiology, theater, economics, and government! Join us to learn how we use the power of engaged, hands-on learning to prepare our students for leadership in their communities, workplaces, and society.
1. Ann Bower '67 Gallery
2. Ashley H. Priddy Commencement Terrace
3. Ashley H. Priddy Lower School
4. Ashley H. Priddy Tennis Center
5. Biggs Dining Hall
6. Ann Graves Child Development Center
7. Clements Lecture Hall
8. Great Hall
9. Hill Family Wellness Center
10. Higginbotham Natatorium
11. Hoak Portico
12. Health Center
13. Lacerte Family Gymnasium
14. Libraries
15. Liza Lee Academic Research Center
16. Linda P. Custard Upper School
17. Lyda Hill '60 STEAM Institute
18. Margaret Doggett Crow Science Building
19. Margaret Doggett Crow Amphitheater
20. Middle School Hall
21. The Nancy A. Nasher and David J. Haemisegger Family Center for the Arts
22. The Nancy A. Nasher and David J. Haemisegger Family Theater
23. Penson Athletic Center
24. Reed Memorial Track
25. Schmitz Residence Hall
26. Tarry House
27. Whittenburg Dining Terrace
APPLICATION CHECKLIST

2020–2021  |  Grades 5-11

Part I – Due December 14, 2019

• Application Form
• Application Fee $175*
• Parent Statement
• Student Questionnaire
• A copy of your daughter’s birth certificate

Part II – Due January 27, 2020

• Admission Testing (details below)
• English Teacher Evaluation; Math Teacher Evaluation; Head of School Evaluation
• Transcripts: To include 2019, 2018-2019, and 2017-2018.
• Student Interview: The interview should be completed or scheduled by January 27, 2020.
• Parent Interview (Boarding Applicants Only)
• Optional Student Visit: A student shadow visit gives your daughter the opportunity to attend classes in the grade to which she is applying. She will be matched with a current student who will be her hostess. The interview may be conducted during the course of the day and lunch will be provided. Once the interview has been submitted, the optional student shadow visit may be scheduled by clicking on the checklist in the parent portal.

NOTIFICATION DATE – March 13, 2020 (Day) and March 10, 2020 (Boarding)

The Hockaday School has long adhered to the policy that the School admits students of any race, color, national or ethnic origin, or religion. The School does not discriminate on the basis of race, color, national or ethnic origin, or religion in the administration of its admissions and education policies, financial aid programs, athletic programs, and other School-administered programs or activities.

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