Independent School Accreditors for ACCIS Membership Eligibility

ACCIS membership requires all member schools to be accredited by one of the organizations listed below.

- Association of Colorado Independent Schools (ACIS) — [www.acischools.org](http://www.acischools.org)
- Association of Independent Maryland and DC Schools (AIMS) — [www.aimsmddc.org](http://www.aimsmddc.org)
- Association of Independent Schools in New England (AISNE) — [www.aisne.org](http://www.aisne.org)
- Association of Waldorf Schools of North America (AWSNA) — [www.waldorfeducation.org](http://www.waldorfeducation.org)
- California Association of Independent Schools (CAIS/CA) — [www.caisca.org](http://www.caisca.org)
- Canadian Accredited Independent Schools (CAIS/CAN) — [www.cais.ca](http://www.cais.ca)
- Connecticut Association of Independent Schools (CAIS/CT) — [www.caisct.org](http://www.caisct.org)
- Council of International Schools (CIS) — [www.cois.org](http://www.cois.org)
- Florida Council of Independent Schools (FCIS) — [www.fcis.org](http://www.fcis.org)
- Hawaii Association of Independent Schools (HAIS) — [www.hais.org](http://www.hais.org)
- Independent Schools Association of the Central States (ISACS) — [www.isacs.org](http://www.isacs.org)
- Independent Schools Association of the Southwest (ISAS) — [www.isasw.org](http://www.isasw.org)
- Middle States Association of Colleges and Schools, the Commissions on Elementary and Secondary Schools (MSA-CESS) — [www.msa-cess.org](http://www.msa-cess.org)
- North Central Association Commission on Accreditation and School Improvement (NCA CASI), a division of Cognia — [www.ncacasi.org](http://www.ncacasi.org)
- New England Association of Schools and Colleges / Commission on International Education (NEASC/CIE) — [cie.neasc.org](http://cie.neasc.org)
- New England Association of Schools and Colleges / Commission on Independent Schools (NEASC/CIS) — [cis.neasc.org](http://cis.neasc.org)
- New Jersey Association of Independent Schools (NJAIS) — [www.njais.org](http://www.njais.org)
- New York State Association of Independent Schools (NYSAIS) — [www.nysais.org](http://www.nysais.org)
- Northwest Accreditation Commission (NWAC), a division of Cognia — [www.northwestaccreditation.org](http://www.northwestaccreditation.org)
- Northwest Association of Independent Schools (NWAIS) — [www.nwais.org](http://www.nwais.org)
- Pennsylvania Association of Independent Schools (PAIS) — [www.paispa.org](http://www.paispa.org)
- Southern Association of Independent Schools (SAIS) — [www.sais.org](http://www.sais.org)
- Southern Association of Colleges and Schools on Accreditation and School Improvement (SACS CASI), a division of Cognia — [www.sacs.org](http://www.sacs.org)
- Southwestern Association of Episcopal Schools (SAES) — [www.swaes.org](http://www.swaes.org)
- Virginia Association of Independent Schools (VAIS) — [www.vais.org](http://www.vais.org)
- Western Association of Schools and Colleges (WASC) — [www.acswasc.org](http://www.acswasc.org)

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