

# PRIVATE DAY SCHOOL PROGRAMS IN THE USA

Choose a High School in Massachusetts, California, New York, Washington D.C., Florida, Louisiana, Connecticut, Pennsylvania, Colorado, Arizona, Iowa, North Carolina, Indiana, Georgia, Michigan, Illinois, Nevada, Wisconsin, New Jersey, Maryland, or Ohio!

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**Educatus Group**

GET AHEAD – STUDY ABROAD!

# NOW IS YOUR TIME.

You may never have another chance to study abroad in high school – so make it the best year!

With Educatius Group, you get much more than an exchange program – you get the opportunity of a lifetime.

It challenges you to try new things, building confidence and independence, plus you'll form friendships that will last a lifetime!

Discover your future studying abroad with Educatius!

When you attend an Educatius Group SELECT program, you choose exactly what you want! Consider any combination of:



BIG CITY LOCATIONS



BEACH



SPORTS



ARTS



CLIMATE



ACADEMICS



## COMMITMENT TO QUALITY

Educatius Group has always been committed to providing the utmost care and quality for our students. For the 2018-2019 Advisory List for Academic Semester and Year Programs, the Council on Standards for International Educational Travel (CSJET) grants F-1 Inbound full listing to Educatius Inc. Additionally, Educatius maintains a formal Quality Control Division which ensures ongoing compliance to company quality standards and child welfare laws.

# EDUCATIUS GROUP: We are the High School Experts

OUR +15 YEARS OF EXPERIENCE FOCUS ON  
MAKING HIGH SCHOOL DREAMS COME TRUE.



## EDUCATIUS GROUP IN THE USA

In 2018, Educatius Group received and managed the highest number of F-1 students on CSIET-listed high school programs in the USA High Schools in **35** States

**70+** USA Private Boarding Schools

**70+** USA Private Day Schools

**60+** USA Public School Districts

**250** Local Coordinators in the USA

## EDUCATIUS GROUP WORLDWIDE

SELECT and CLASSIC programs in **17** countries: USA, Canada, Australia, New Zealand, UK, Ireland, Germany, France, Spain, Italy, Sweden, Norway, Denmark, Finland, Argentina, Chile, Japan

**6,000** students to our high schools worldwide in 2018

Placed and managed **1,000** students who were sponsored by official government programs from Europe, Latin America and Asia

Recruiting students from **60+** countries **300** full time staff worldwide and over **1,000** part time support staff

## EDUCATIUS SERVICE PROMISE

Educatius Group's new Service Promise is a service level commitment for our USA and Canada programs. From application through arrival, our team will guide you through the admission process, and ensure that students are supported in their new home.

All of us at Educatius Group appreciate the trust you've placed in us to organize and support your studies at an American high school. Our long history will ensure you have the experience of a lifetime.  
– Tom Ericsson, Founder





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# SELECT PRIVATE DAY SCHOOL PROGRAM: Study at the US Private Day School of Your Choice!

Studying at an Educatus Group SELECT Private Day School lets you experience the very best that the USA private day school system has to offer.

Private day schools in Educatus Group's portfolio have been selected for their extraordinary academic environments, top arts and sports programs, and awesome campus facilities. What's more, our private day schools include some of the highest-ranked schools in regions throughout the USA.

On our F-1 program, you study under an F-1 visa, which allows you to browse a list of specific schools, basing your choice on academic courses, extracurricular activities and clubs, and location.

With Educatus Group's SELECT F-1 Private Program you get to customize your study abroad by choosing:

- *Your dream destination: California, Boston, Florida, Arizona, New York State — 20 states to choose from!*
- *A lifestyle you love: A school in a big city, near the beach, close to the mountains, warm weather all year round, in the heart of America and more!*
- *How long you study: International students can study at a US private school for a semester, a year, multiple years, or even a short term program of 10-12 weeks!*
- *A school with a sport you love or want to try*
- *A school with a unique art program, such as multimedia, acting, dance, journalism, architecture, music and more*
- *A school which allows you to earn a US high school diploma in one year*

## Who is qualified?

Exact admissions requirements vary from school to school, but in general:

- *Age: 13-19 upon arrival*
- *English Requirement: Usually ELTiS of 205 minimum.*
- *Many schools accept SLEP or TOEFL (45 minimum)*
- *Grades: 8-12*
- *GPA: 2.0 or C average minimum*
- *Health: Flexible on allergies or managed medical conditions*

**WHAT'S NEW!**  
Students who want to use private day school as a path to a top tier university will benefit from Educatus Group's additional Academic Excellence Services. Our Yale Ph.D. educated coach will work with students on an individualized study plan to help them reach their highest potential.

## Compare the advantages of Educatus Group's F-1 Private Day Schools vs typical J-1 exchange

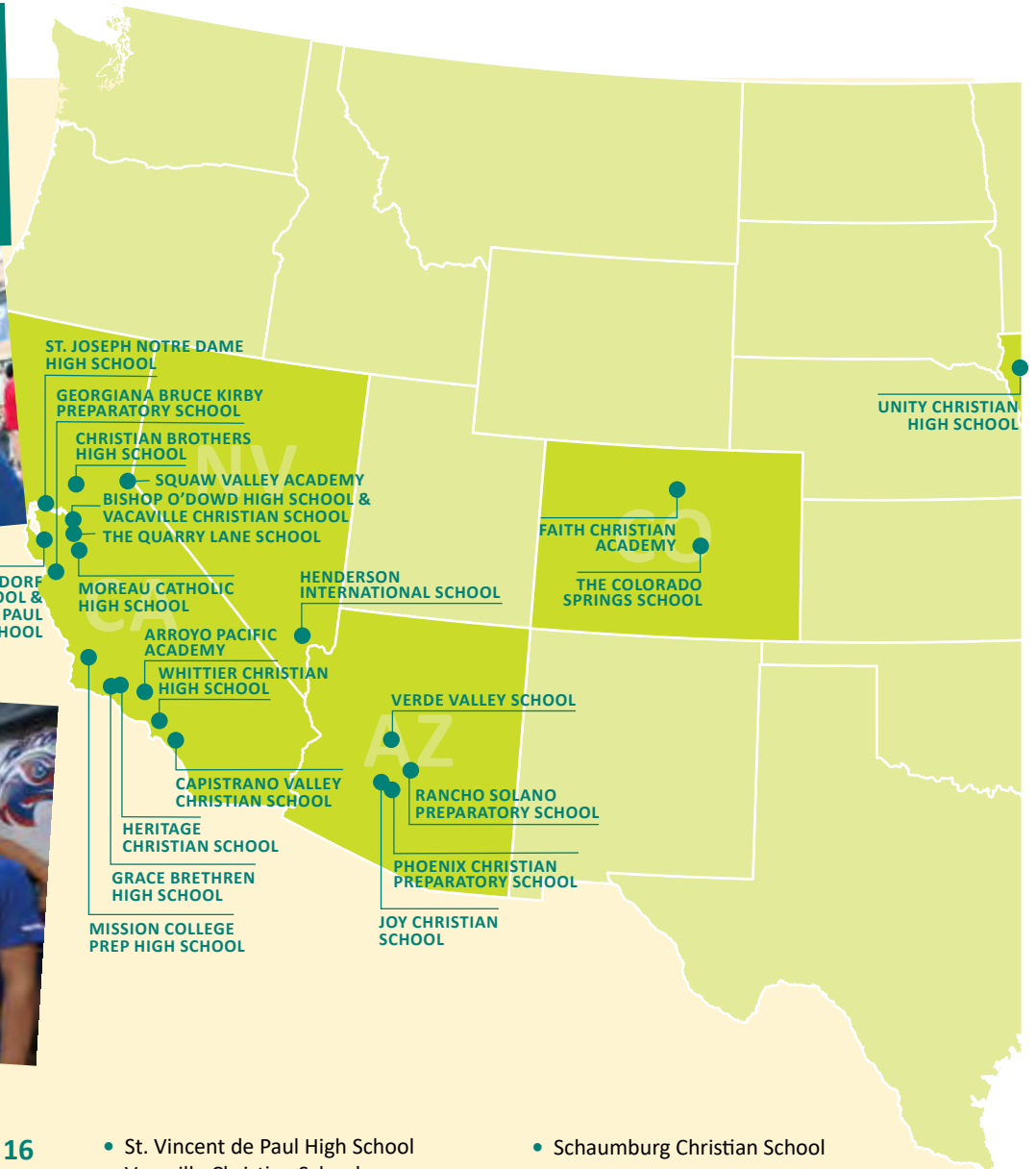
ADVANTAGES:	EDUCATIUS F-1	TYPICAL J-1
Students choose exact private day school based on location, sports, arts and Academic subjects (SELECT)	✓	✗
Locations include some of the USA's most desirable destinations like Boston, California, Florida, New York and more! (SELECT)	✓	✗
Students can earn high school diploma in one year if entering grade 12 (SELECT & Academic Exchange) or earn academic credit	✓	✗
Student Host Family Placements are guaranteed (SELECT & Academic Exchange)	✓	✗
Semester, year or multiple years and 10-12 week programs available (SELECT & Academic Exchange)	✓	✗
Flexible on allergies and managed medical conditions (SELECT & Academic Exchange)	✓	✗

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# SELECT Private Day Schools



SAN FRANCISCO WALDORF HIGH SCHOOL & ST. VINCENT DE PAUL HIGH SCHOOL



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- Christian Brothers High School
- Georgiana Bruce Kirby Preparatory School
- Grace Brethren High School
- Heritage Christian School
- Mission College Preparatory School
- Moreau Catholic High School
- The Quarry Lane School
- San Francisco Waldorf High School
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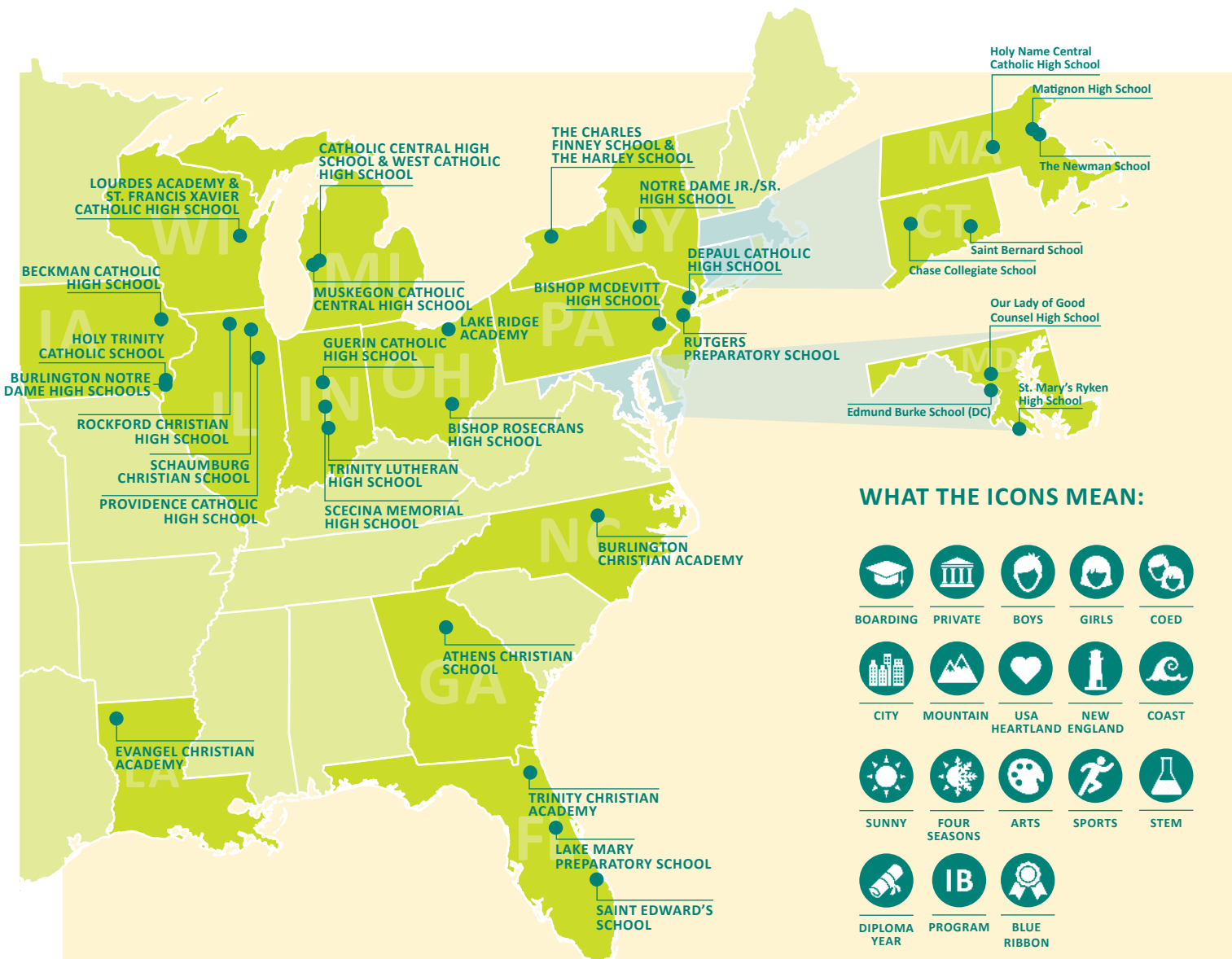
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**WHAT THE ICONS MEAN:**

BOARDING	PRIVATE	BOYS	GIRLS	COED
CITY	MOUNTAIN	USA HEARTLAND	NEW ENGLAND	COAST
SUNNY	FOUR SEASONS	ARTS	SPORTS	STEM
DIPLOMA YEAR	IB PROGRAM	BLUE RIBBON		






# Academic Benefits of Private Day Schools

Motivated international students want more than just to improve their English — and that’s what makes Educatus’ SELECT F-1 Private Day High School Program so special! International students take courses for academic credit and receive teaching of the highest quality. While US public schools emphasize creativity and independent thinking, all of Educatus’ public schools offer a core curriculum of English, Math, Science, Humanities, and Arts.

## Diploma Year Program

Educatus students entering grade 12 can earn a US Diploma in one year if they pass a combination of required and elective courses. Once graduated from high school, they may then apply to an American university, assisted by the school’s college counselor or Educatus College & University Services (ECUS).

Look for the  icon on a school profile to see if it offers this option!

Many graduates of Educatus’ Diploma Year Program have successfully gone on to study at US universities. In fact, the class of 2018 gained acceptances to some of the top universities in the country, including the University of Chicago, Boston College, and Pennsylvania State University.

## Convalidation

Enjoy studying at a USA high school, but eager to return back to your home country? Not a problem! The credits you earned in the US can be applied to your education back home. Educatus will assist you with the process of convalidating these courses.

## AP Courses

Advanced Placement (AP) courses are equivalent to a first-year university course, so they’re great for students who want to challenge themselves in a particular subject. Plus, they give you a fast track into higher education!

AP courses typically include Biology, Calculus, Chemistry, English, Spanish and US History, but some schools even offer specialized AP courses in fields like Art, Computer Science, Economics, Environmental Science, Geography, Latin, Music, and Psychology.

## Foreign Languages

Beyond English, many international students interested in studying an additional language can typically choose from Spanish and French. Additionally, some private schools also offer German, Latin, Mandarin Chinese, Russian, Italian, Korean, and Japanese.

## Specialty Programs

Specialty programs cultivate students’ unique talents. Given that companies like Google and Apple are leaders in innovation, STEM (Science, Technology, Engineering and Math) curricula are very popular with American students right now. Additionally, some schools have specialty programs in fields like business leadership, multimedia, and performing arts.





## Academic Excellence Services

According to Education Week, the “average [USA] student-to-school-counselor ratio is 482-to-1; nearly double the 250-to-1 ratio recommended by the American School Counselor Association...students inadvertently may miss out on the best path forward...The fact is that even the most dedicated, high-quality professionals can’t give every student the necessary attention when juggling an unmanageable workload.”

Motivated high school students who aspire to a top tier university need every advantage. Now international students can add Educatius’ Academic Excellence Services to their high school program – for custom coaching to achieve their goals!

These services; optional add-ons to our high school programs, are led by Dr. Sharon Tan, PhD from Yale University. With over a decade of experience advising students, she is uniquely qualified to help young people achieve their very best in both high school academics and college admissions.

**Academic Advising Services (Grades 9-12)** provide personalized academic mentoring, development of a personalized action plan, and monthly reviews of academic performance.

**College Counseling Services (Grades 11-12)** provide a college counseling camp (including visits to elite Boston-area colleges), assistance in application preparation, and guidance throughout the college search and application process for competitive colleges.

For US college-bound students, we recommend that they sign up for both the Academic Advising Services and College Counseling Services.



*Dr. Sharon Tan received her Ph.D., M.Phil. and M.S. Biology from Yale University where she was awarded the Davenport Hooker Fellowship for Distinguished Academic Standing. Her extensive experience in education and research includes her tenure as a professor at the University of Massachusetts and Curry College, and as a postdoctoral fellow at The University of Chicago and The University of Texas.*

*With a deep passion for making an impact on the lives of international students, Dr. Tan founded an independent school in Beijing where she personally mentored students pursuing a U.S. high school curriculum. Dr. Tan’s approach enables students to build self-confidence while achieving their educational goals.*

Watch Quynh from Vietnam explain how studying in America gave her so many interesting choices to study  
[educatius.org/QUYNH](https://educatius.org/QUYNH)




VIDEO  
HIGHLIGHT



## Private Schools Arts Programs

All US Private Schools offer art classes as part of the regular curriculum, letting students earn credit as they develop their talents or gain new skills. Besides specialized instruction, many schools offer additional arts experiences through fun, after-school classes and clubs—a great way to meet American students with the same interests.

The range of art courses available is almost as varied as the number of private schools you have to choose from! Virtually every private school has an art option (music, painting/drawing, drama, etc.). Some may even have teachers with professional experience in their craft. You can view each school's individual profile pages for their specific art courses on our website.

Schools with an  icon next to them offer particularly strong arts programs.

Here are some of the Educatius Group schools with unique and/or advanced programs for the student who wants a little something out of the ordinary:

- **Christian Brothers High School, California (p. 23)**  
Broadcast Journalism, Ceramics, Jazz Band, Media Arts, Video Production, Vocal Jazz Choir
- **Heritage Christian School, California (p. 26)**  
Commercial Art, Film Production, Jazz Ensemble, Theater Arts, Woodworking
- **Saint Edward's School, Florida (p. 41)**  
Design, Electronic Music, Graphics
- **Providence Catholic High School, Illinois, (p. 44)**  
2D Design, Graphic Design, Music Theory, Studio Art
- **Seccina Memorial High School, Indiana (p. 48)**  
Advanced 2D Design, Ceramics, Portfolio Prep, Jewelry
- **St. Mary's Ryken High School, Maryland (p. 56)**  
AP Music Theory, Jazz Band, Orchestra, Technical Theatre
- **West Catholic High School, Michigan (p. 62)**  
Art Palette, Concert Band, Design, Drawing, Graphic Design, Jazz Band, Portfolio Preparation, Studio Art
- **Edmund Burke School, Washington D.C. (p. 73)**  
Book Arts, Directions and Avenues, Mixed Media, Photojournalism, Urban Alchemy, Video Production

VIDEO  
HIGHLIGHT



Barbara from Brazil tells how studying in California helps her prepare to be a screenwriter and actor.

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## Playing Sports at Private Day Schools


For international students, joining an athletic team doesn't just mean advancing your skills – it's also one of the best ways to build lasting friendships!

Most high schools in the US offer several kinds of teams to join. The most common sports are American football, soccer, basketball, volleyball, track and field, and baseball.

Educatus' private day schools may also offer specialty sports such as rowing/crew, ice hockey, tennis, golf, swimming, sailing, skiing and equestrian (horseback riding). Many boast outstanding, state-of-the-art athletic facilities.

Sports are divided into seasons — fall, winter, and spring — which can vary from school to school. Students who want to study for a semester and play a sport should check that school's list of sports during the semester they will be attending.

For a complete list of sports available at each school, browse our school profiles!

Schools with an  icon next to them have particularly strong sports programs.

Here are a few highlights of Educatus Group schools and the exceptional sports they offer!

- **Christian Brothers High School, California (p. 23)**

Basketball, Football, Golf, Lacrosse, Rugby, Soccer, Swimming and Diving, Tennis, Volleyball, Water Polo

- **Saint Edward's School, Florida (p. 41)**

Cheerleading, Cross Country, Crew, Golf, Lacrosse, Swimming, Volleyball, Soccer, Tennis, Weightlifting

- **Evangel Christian Academy, Louisiana (p. 54)**

12 State Football Championships, 3 State Baseball Championships, 2 State Softball Championships, and a second-place finish in Division III Wrestling

- **Our Lady of Good Counsel High School, Maryland (p. 55)**

Field Hockey, Swimming and Diving, Wrestling, Rugby, Golf, Indoor Track

- **Matignon High School, Massachusetts (p. 58)**

Cross Country, Cheerleading, Ice Hockey, Lacrosse, Soccer, Volleyball

- **West Catholic High School, Michigan (p. 62)**

Bowling, Cheerleading, Gymnastics, Rugby, Skiing, Soccer, Tennis, Volleyball, Wrestling

- **DePaul Catholic High School, New Jersey (p. 64)**

Basketball, Bowling, Cross Country, Football, Soccer, Swimming, Track and Field, Wrestling

- **Edmund Burke School, Washington D.C. (p. 73)**

Basketball, Cross Country, Golf, Soccer, Swimming, Track and Field, Ultimate Frisbee



# What Our Students Say

In the beginning, I was scared that I wouldn't make any friends and it would be boring. I found out, however, it was so easy and it came out so naturally! I met awesome people and I created bonds that will never break. I feel more confident about myself and my abilities. Now I feel like I can face every kind of situation life reserves for me.


– **Luigi M. from Italy**

I feel like here I actually like learning and going to school. When I first came here I decided I wanted to live here the rest of my life so I thought it would be better for me to stay here and graduate from here so I could go to college. My dream for myself is that one day I can become a screen writer and actor. I told my parents one month after moving here, I want to stay here for another year, so my coordinator told me about a private school and I saw it and I liked it. I like the smaller classes, so to have less people to be able to actually talk to my teachers and have them know me is something important to me. Last year, my history teacher inspired me so much, I never wanted to go to college before I met her. I really like my host family, I get to have two sisters. We have a lot of fun together. I really feel like they are my family. It made me a better person to live here. You are going to have a great experience living here. – **Barbara H. from Brazil**

I knew studying abroad would absolutely be the best choice for me because I was so afraid of making big changes in my life. My classmates and teachers at school so were nice and patient. They would help me fix the problems and answer my questions in class. My host parents would also give me a hand when I was frustrated finishing my homework. Everything is new for me and being an exchange student this year really changed every aspect of my life. Every holiday, I celebrated with my host family and the memory of my soccer team might be my best experience in the United States!

– **Srinthorn C. from Thailand**





I'm Saori. My English name is Liza so everyone calls me Liza. I'm from Japan and I'm studying abroad at Arizona Lutheran Academy in the United States. I'm really having fun in my school life. I feel really thankful that I get to try a lot of new things! I started cheerleading last fall for the first time and I noticed myself cheerful. That was the thing that I had never realized before. It is a really good experience to study abroad so that you can find new aspects of yourself by trying new things in a different place. The picture is the thing that I tried also for the first time: theater. I made really good friends in there. And that was such a joy to make something together as an international student. Even if your first language is different than others, your personality don't change that's what I learned a lot this year and that's the reason why I made so many friends. My studying abroad has been amazing and I really like it so I decided to study abroad again! It's such a fun and interesting thing to be in a different culture. I really want to thank to Educatius that I'm having an amazing experience and I can come back here again. – **Saori M. from Japan**

I didn't expect that I would make so many American friends. I pictured myself greeting them, but that was all. I didn't expect that we would become close. Studying in America has changed how I see the world and it broadens my horizons. I'm more mature and independent. I chose my school because of its quiet neighborhood, so I can focus more on academics. – **Joyce Z. from China**

I feel my perspective of the world has been changed. I learned to appreciate my own culture and identity and language, what it's like to live in another country and so much more. The highlights have definitely been trips with my host family and friends. I was lucky enough to travel to Hawaii and Mexico! I miss my family now, but I know I will forever miss and cherish this year!. – **Lene-Mari H. from Norway**



# Living with a Host Family

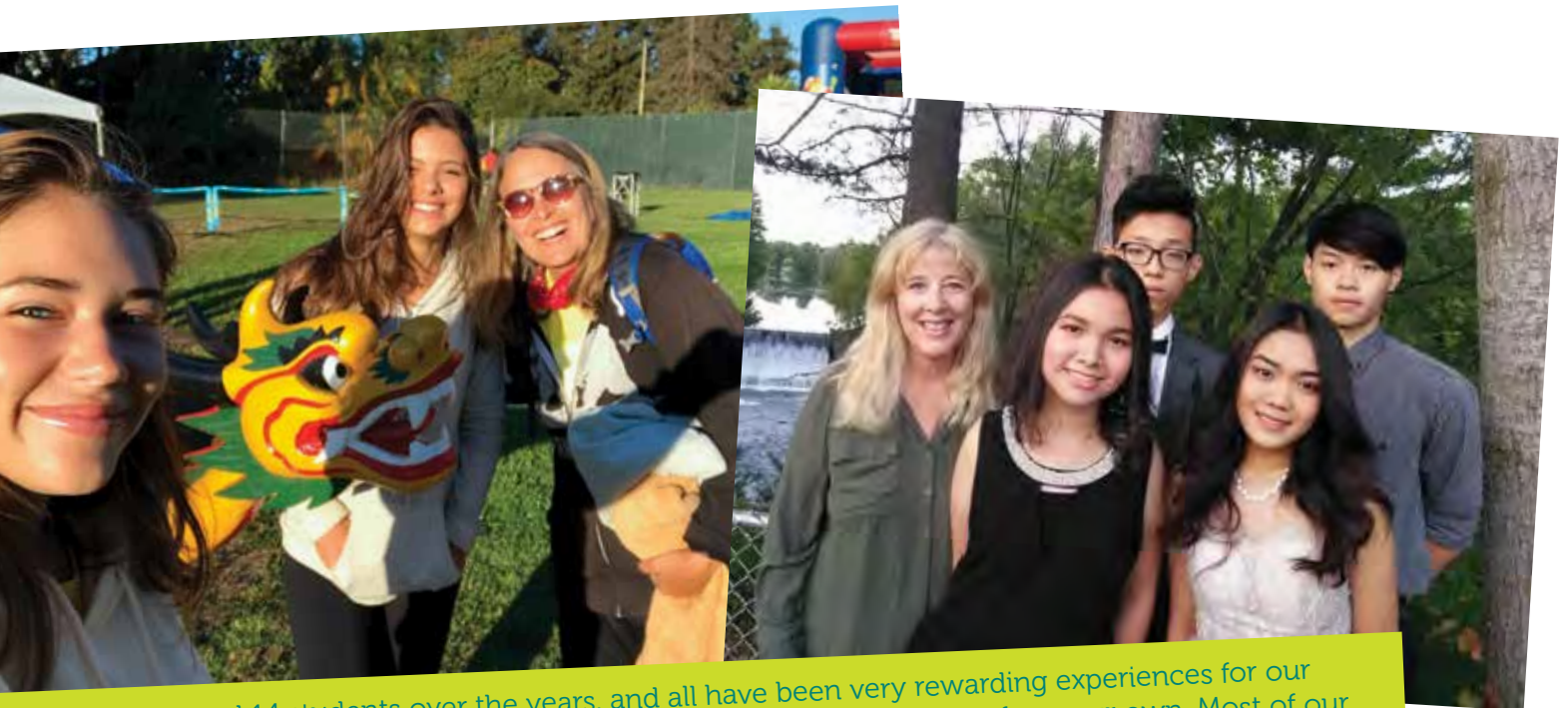


Being away from home for a term, semester, or year can be difficult. Good news, though — your host family is here to help you make the experience the best it can be!

Living with a host family allows international students to immerse themselves into American culture, dramatically improve their English, and stay in a safe, welcoming home. Additionally, since Educatius finds and works with host families directly, we are able to provide support to our students in every aspect of life in the USA.

There are a variety of host families. However, the one thing they all have in common is an enthusiasm for sharing American culture with students.

All Educatius families are carefully screened and most have years of experience as hosts. Each student will be assigned an International Coordinator who will answer questions and address concerns. They'll also advocate for students should any issues arise with the host family or the school. Listed by CSJET (Council on Standards for International Educational Travel), Educatius has a long track record of success of voluntarily following the strictest standard of quality and safety above and beyond J-1 exchange program requirements.



We've hosted 14 students over the years, and all have been very rewarding experiences for our family. It's always great to have cultures in our house that are different from our own. Most of our students come back to visit — it's a relationship for life. You'll get so much more out of it than you'd ever imagine. Clara is very smart, athletic, and gets incredible grades. Clara will always be a part of our family! — **The Greenleaf Family in Massachusetts hosting Clara from Brazil**

We wanted to share some of our favorite moments from this past school year together. We live in a small town in Illinois. We have had two international students with us this year who quickly became forever members of our family - Penny from Vietnam and Patnarin from Thailand. We have had many family day trips to the St Louis Zoo, St Louis Science Center, Botanical Gardens, and Grant's Farm. Thank you very much for this opportunity to become a host family - it is a unique experience I want to share with the world. — **The Bodinet family in Illinois hosting Penny from Vietnam and Patnarin from Thailand**

# OUR SERVICE PROMISE

## Taking the utmost care of the international students — from start to finish.

At Educatius Group, we care about the well-being of all of our students, and we want to make sure that they have the best experience possible. With that in mind, our Service Promise is a service-level promise that we've implemented for our USA SELECT and Academic Exchange High School programs.

Educatius Group staff will provide:

- *A fast, clear admissions process for applying to schools*
- *A carefully-screened host family who speaks English as their primary language:*
  - *Four weeks before school starts on SELECT USA programs*
  - *Two weeks before school starts on USA Academic Exchange Program*
- *Intensive support during the first 30 days, including airport pickup, practical details (such as setting up a bank account or mobile phone), and interview, meeting, or orientation with international coordinator within 48 hours of arrival*
- *Clear and prompt communication before and after student arrival*

Admissions staff will guide each student through the admissions process, advise about specific school admissions requirements, ensure that each application is complete before sending to schools and facilitate the issuance of the I-20.

Following acceptance, a student will be placed into an English-speaking host family which has been thoroughly screened through multiple processes, including criminal background checks for all family members over the age of 18.

The host family provides a safe and supportive living environment, 3 healthy meals per day, and arrangement of transportation to and from school and extracurricular activities.

Within the first 30 days, our Student Experience team will pay special attention to ensure that students are well taken care of. For the rest of the stay, students will receive the following support:

- *24/7 toll-free emergency support (USA and Canada) +1 800 301 6014*
- *Monthly check-ins from the student's Local Coordinator to document a report on the student's academic performance, host family situation, social and cultural adjustment, and overall progress*
- *On-going support from the Student Experience team to each student on school, host family, or other social life issues*







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STEM

DIPLOMA  
YEAR

# Joy Christian School

## Glendale, AZ

### LOCATION:

- Population: 226,000
- Located 30 Minutes Northwest of Phoenix
- Weather:  
Summer/Fall: Hot and Dry  
Winter/Spring: Cool and Dry

### ELIGIBILITY:

- Enrollment Restrictions: Accepting Grades 8-12
- Minimum SLEP: 45
- Minimum TOEFL: 50
- Minimum ELTIS: 206

### SCHOOL PROFILE

Joy Christian School is a coeducational, private US day school accepting international students in grades 8-12.

### FACILITIES

The expansive, 88-acre campus has modern facilities like sports fields, a piano lab and a performing arts center with state-of-the-art audio/visual equipment.

### SPORTS AND ARTS

Joy Christian has one of the top basketball programs in the U.S. and their sports teams have won multiple championships.

Joy Christian offers arts courses in piano lab, band, guitar, dance team, drama/theater and even offers private instrumental music lessons.

### AWARDS AND ACCOMPLISHMENTS

Joy Christian School has been ranked as one of the top 10 Private Schools in Arizona.

### COMMUNITY INFORMATION

The city of Glendale is close to downtown Phoenix. International students have fun exploring parks, shopping malls, restaurants, and participating in many outdoor activities.

**University Acceptance Rate:** 99%

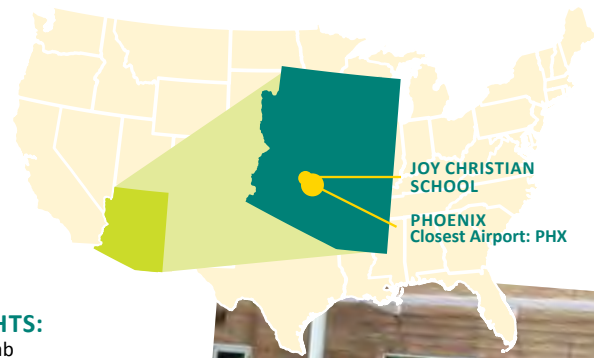
**Partial List of University Acceptances:** Arizona Christian University, Arizona State University, Azusa Pacific University, Baylor University, Colorado Christian University, Concordia University, George Mason University, Grand Canyon University, James Madison University, Midwestern University, North Arizona University, Oregon State University, Pacific Lutheran University, Trine University, University at Buffalo, University of Arizona, University of Colorado Boulder, University of Colorado, University of Nebraska, University of Vermont

### SCHOOL HIGHLIGHTS:

- Brand new STEM Lab
- 2018 Baseball Regional Champions
- Meteorology program featured on GMAZ TV station

### ACADEMICS AND FACTS:

- Grades at School: K-12
- Total Students in School: 840
- Students in High School: 200
- Teacher/Student Ratio: 1:20
- School Uniform Required: YES
- Religious Affiliation: Christian
- Diploma Year Offered: YES; Graduated students cannot earn diploma



### OPTIONS AVAILABLE\*:

**Foreign Languages:** American Sign Language, Spanish

**Advanced Placement Courses:** Calculus, English Language and Composition, English Literature and Composition, Statistics, Comparative Government and Politics, Human Geography, Macroeconomics, US Government and Politics, US History (online only)

**Arts:** Art, Dance Ensemble, Dance Fundamentals, Performance Dance Ensemble, Photography, Piano, Studio Art, 2D Portfolio Preparation, Theater, Worship Band

#### Athletics:

##### Boys:

**Fall:** Cross Country, Football, Volleyball

**Winter:** Basketball, Soccer, Wrestling

**Spring:** Baseball, Golf, Track and Field

##### Girls:

**Fall:** Cheerleading, Cross Country, Volleyball

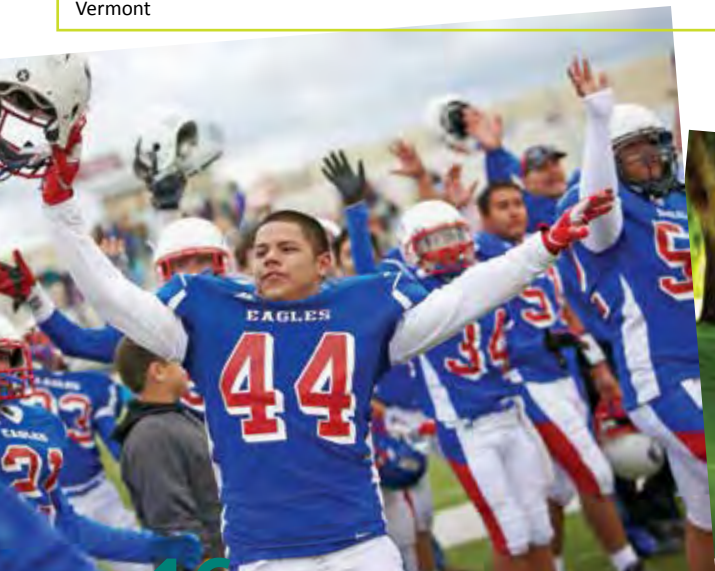
**Winter:** Basketball, Cheerleading, Soccer

**Spring:** Golf, Softball, Track and Field

**Extracurricular Activities:** Basketball Academy, Chess, Choir, Dance Team, Future Health Professionals (HOSA), Instrumental Music Lessons, National Art Society, National Honor Society, National Spanish Honor Society, Percussion Band, Piano, Student Government, Swim Team, Theater, Worship Band

**ESL Available/Level:** YES

\*All courses and options offered by the school are subject to change.

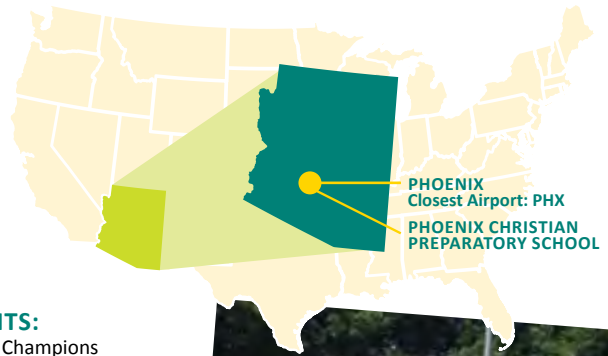






# Phoenix Christian Preparatory School

## Phoenix, AZ



### LOCATION:

- Population: 1.5 Million
- Located in Phoenix
- Weather:  
Summer/Fall: Hot and Dry  
Winter/Spring: Cool and Dry

### ELIGIBILITY:

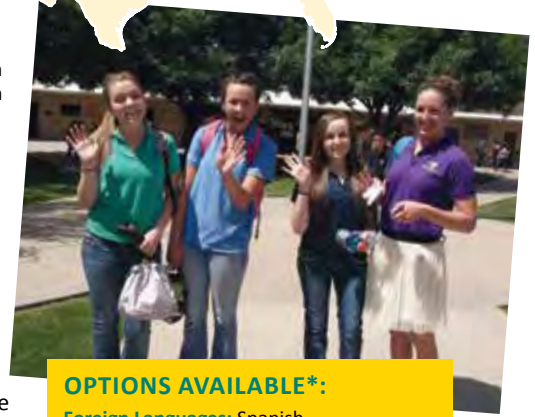
- Enrollment Restrictions: Grades Accepted: 9-11
- Minimum SLEP: 55
- Minimum TOEFL: 50
- Minimum ELTIS: 225

### SCHOOL HIGHLIGHTS:

- 2018 Baseball State Champions
- Recently awarded large STEM grant from the National Science Teacher Association
- STEM Competition MESA State Champions

### ACADEMICS AND FACTS:

- Grades at School: K-12
- Total Students in School: 200
- Teacher/Student Ratio: 1:13
- School Uniform Required: YES
- Religious Affiliation: Christian
- Diploma Year Offered: NO



### SCHOOL PROFILE

Phoenix Christian Preparatory School is a private Christian high school located in the Southwest region of the United States. Offering three diploma tracks, the unique learning environment allows students to receive individualized attention.

### FACILITIES

The school's 13-acre campus is centrally located in the city of Phoenix. The facilities include a gymnasium, library, science building, music building, and a computer lab.

### SPORTS AND ARTS

International students are encouraged to join a sport team and take part in the competition. Recently, Phoenix Christian's girls' basketball team and the boys' baseball team won state titles.

Phoenix Christian values art education and offers courses and clubs in activities such as photography, marching band and drama.

### COMMUNITY INFORMATION

Phoenix is one of the fastest growing cities in the US full of fun activities and unique outdoor parks that you will only find in the southwest of the US Students can enjoy year-round outdoor activities because of its warm climate.

### OPTIONS AVAILABLE\*:

- Foreign Languages:** Spanish
- Advanced Placement Courses:** Calculus, English Literature and Composition, Spanish Language and Culture, US Government and Politics
- Arts:** Art, Chorale, Concert Band, Drama, Jazz Band, Marching Band, Photography, Worship Team
- Athletics:**
  - Boys:**
    - Fall:** Football, Soccer
    - Winter:** Basketball, Soccer, Wrestling
    - Spring:** Baseball, Golf, Tennis, Track and Field
  - Girls:**
    - Fall:** Cheerleading, Soccer, Volleyball
    - Winter:** Basketball, Soccer
    - Spring:** Golf, Softball, Tennis, Track and Field
- Extracurricular Activities:** Band, Choir, Drama, Martial Arts, Mentor Kids USA, National Honor Society, Student Government, Young Life
- ESL Available/Level:** YES

\*All courses and options offered by the school are subject to change.

**University Acceptance Rate:** 97%

**Partial List of University Acceptances:** Arizona State University, Boston University, Drexel University, Grand Canyon University, Northeastern University, Northern Arizona University, Pennsylvania State University, Stanford University, Texas A&M University, University of Arizona, University of California San Diego, University of North Carolina, University of Pennsylvania, University of Pittsburgh, Virginia Polytechnic Institute and State University

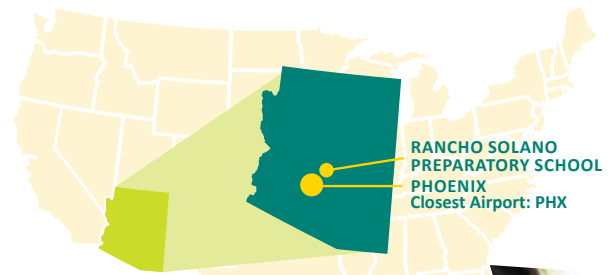




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# Rancho Solano Preparatory School

## Scottsdale, AZ



### LOCATION:

- Population: 247,600
- Located 25 Minutes Northeast of Phoenix
- Weather:  
Summer/Fall: Hot and Dry  
Winter/Spring: Cold and Dry

### ELIGIBILITY:

- Enrollment Restrictions: Grades Accepted 9-12
- Accepts IELTS (Min 5.6), Oxford On-line Placement Test (OOPT), or other standardized English test.
- Minimum SLEP: Not Accepted
- Minimum TOEFL: 60
- Minimum ELTiS: Not Required

### SCHOOL HIGHLIGHTS:

- International Baccalaureate Diploma
- "A+" rated school on Niche.com
- Extensive media program; green room

### ACADEMICS AND FACTS:

- Grades at School: Pre K-12
- Total Students in School: 600
- Students in High School: 94
- Teacher/Student Ratio: 1:6
- School Uniform Required: YES
- Religious Affiliation: NONE
- Diploma Year Offered: YES

### SCHOOL PROFILE

Rancho Solano Preparatory School is a leading private school in Arizona, only 30 minutes from downtown Phoenix. Interactive, discussion-based classes feature small groups and individualized instruction.

### FACILITIES

Rancho Solano Preparatory's Upper School is one of the newest, most innovative educational facilities in the country. The sports facilities feature a regulation college-length basketball floor, a weight room, fields, and outdoor courts.

### SPORTS AND ARTS

Popular sports at Rancho Solano Preparatory School include lacrosse and basketball (for boys and girls) and volleyball (for girls). Members of the high school perform regularly in festivals, concerts, and competitions as part of the fine arts program. Rancho Solano offers unique course options such as global art and cultures as well as character design animation

### AWARDS AND ACCOMPLISHMENTS

Rancho Solano Preparatory School is the only private school in the greater Phoenix area to receive International Baccalaureate authorization.

### COMMUNITY INFORMATION

Scottsdale is located in the beautiful Sonoran Desert. The city offers international students the opportunity to explore restaurants, retail shops, art galleries and more.

**University Acceptance Rate:** 100%

**Partial List of University Acceptances:** Babson College, Baylor University, Boston University, Brandeis University, Brown University, Cornell University, DePaul University, Drexel University, George Washington University, Harvard University, New York University, Northeastern University, Pennsylvania State University, Pepperdine University, Princeton University, Purdue University, Rensselaer Polytechnic Institute, Rhode Island School of Design, School of the Art Institute of Chicago, Temple University, University of Arizona, University of California, University of Chicago, University of Iowa, University of Michigan, University of Pennsylvania



### OPTIONS AVAILABLE\*:

**Foreign Languages:** Chinese, French, Spanish

**Advanced Placement Courses:** Offers IB courses in place of AP. Students have the option to sit for AP exams at the conclusion of their senior year.

**Arts:** Chamber Orchestra, Character Design Animation, Choir, Concert Choir, Dance, Film, Global Art and Cultures, Advanced Guitar, Intermediate Band, Intermediate Guitar, Intro to Art, Intermediate Media Arts, Advanced Media Arts, Music, Intermediate Orchestra, Studio Workshop, Symphonic Band, Visual Arts, Yearbook

#### Athletics:

##### Boys:

**Fall:** Cross Country, Flag Football, Golf, Soccer, Volleyball

**Winter:** Basketball

**Spring:** Baseball, Golf, Lacrosse, Soccer, Tennis

##### Girls:

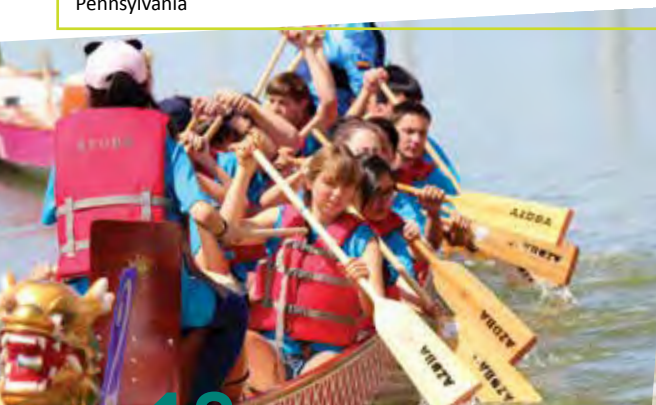
**Fall:** Cross Country, Golf, Volleyball

**Winter:** Basketball, Cheerleading

**Spring:** Golf, Lacrosse, Sand Volleyball, Soccer, Tennis

**Extracurricular Activities:** Chess, Computer Programming, Drama, Entrepreneur Club, Garage Band, Green Club, Honor Choir, Jazz Band, Key Club, Math Club, Mu Alpha Theta, National Art Honor Society, National Honor Society, Newspaper, Pep Band, Physics Club, Pre-Med, Science Fair, Sports Management, Student Government

**ESL Available/Level:** YES

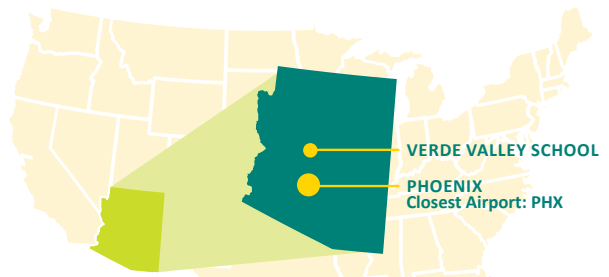


\*All courses and options offered by the school are subject to change.



# Verde Valley School

## Sedona, AZ



### LOCATION:

- Population: 10,110
- Located 2 Hours North of Phoenix
- Weather:  
Summer/Fall: Hot and Humid  
Winter/Spring: Cool and Dry

### ELIGIBILITY:

- Enrollment Restrictions: Grades Accepted: 11
- Minimum SLEP: 60
- Minimum TOEFL: 80
- Minimum ELTIS: 242

### SCHOOL HIGHLIGHTS:

- International Baccalaureate Diploma
- Ranked #3 best private high school in Arizona
- "A+" rated school on Niche.com

### ACADEMICS AND FACTS:

- Grades at School: 9-12
- Total Students in School: 200
- Teacher/Student Ratio: 1:13
- School Uniform Required: YES
- Religious Affiliation: Christian
- Diploma Year Offered: NO

### SCHOOL PROFILE

Verde Valley School is a college preparatory boarding school offering the International Baccalaureate Diploma as its sole curriculum. Verde Valley School was founded in 1948 by two Harvard-trained anthropologists. Today, about half of the student body is comprised of international students.

### FACILITIES

Verde Valley School's facilities include 12 classrooms, multiple science and computer labs, a performance center, a studio, and a library. Verde Valley School also has a fitness center with a climbing wall, an equestrian field, basketball court, tennis court, and football field.

### SPORTS AND ARTS

The beautiful and temperate environment allows for a year-round outdoor sports program that includes horse-back riding, mountain biking, rock climbing, cross-country running, soccer, and golf.

Verde Valley School also offers a variety of art classes to students. Underclassmen explore photography, ceramics, drawing, painting, music, and theater in their freshman and sophomore years.

### COMMUNITY INFORMATION

Sedona has been called the most beautiful tourist destination in the US. Its towering Red Rocks are truly unique. Sedona is about 2 hours by car north of Phoenix, a major metropolitan area.



### OPTIONS AVAILABLE\*:

**Foreign Languages:** French, Spanish

**Advanced Placement Courses:** Offers IB Courses in place of AP Courses

**Arts:** Basic Music Technologies, Ceramics, Instruments, Jazz, Music Analysis, Music Rudiments, Music Theory, Photography, Score Reading, Studio Arts, Theater in Production, Theater in the Making, Theater in the World, Western Classical Music, World Music

#### Athletics:

**Note:** Sports offered depend on and change with the seasons, please inquire for specific details.

**Boys:** Archery, Basketball, Cross Country, Dance, Equestrian, Golf, Hiking, Mountain Biking, Rock Climbing, Soccer, Trail Running, Yoga

**Girls:** Archery, Basketball, Cross Country, Dance, Equestrian, Golf, Hiking, Mountain Biking, Rock Climbing, Soccer, Trail Running, Yoga

**Extracurricular Activities:** A Cappella, Acting for Film, Aikido, Animation, Circus Arts, Creative Welding in Recycled Metal, Geocaching, Global Garden Artistry, Indie Film, International Artistry, International Cooking, Landscape Photography, Silk Screening, Recording Studio, Science of Baking, Spoken Word

**ESL Available/Level:** NO

**University Acceptance Rate:** 100%

**Partial List of University Acceptances:** American University, Babson College, Berklee College of Music, Brandeis University, Cornell College, Dartmouth College, Johns Hopkins University, Mount Holyoke College, Pomona College, Rutgers University, Savannah College of Art and Design, School of the Art Institute of Chicago, Stanford University, State University of New York (SUNY), United States Naval Academy, University of Arizona, University of California, University of Vermont, Vassar College, Villanova University, Wesleyan University



\*All courses and options offered by the school are subject to change.





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# Arroyo Pacific Academy

## Arcadia, CA



### LOCATION:

- Population: 56,364
- Located 40 Minutes Northeast of Los Angeles
- Weather:  
Summer/Fall: Warm and Dry  
Winter/Spring: Cold and Dry

### ELIGIBILITY:

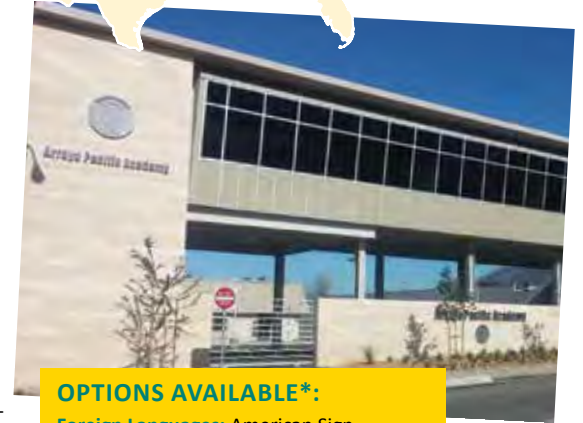
- Enrollment Restrictions: None
- Minimum SLEP: 50
- Minimum TOEFL: 50
- Minimum ELTIS: 215

### SCHOOL HIGHLIGHTS:

- Close to downtown Los Angeles
- Unique art courses such as 3D Computer Generated Imagery, Technical Theater, and Digital Audio
- On-campus fitness center

### ACADEMICS AND FACTS:

- Grades at School: 9-12
- Total Students in School: 180
- Teacher/Student Ratio: 1:9
- School Uniform Required: NO
- Religious Affiliation: None
- Diploma Year Offered: YES



### SCHOOL PROFILE

Arroyo Pacific Academy is a four-year, private college preparatory high school in beautiful Arcadia, California. Not far from downtown Los Angeles, the school's brand new campus offers unique advanced placement and extracurricular opportunities.

### FACILITIES

Recently moved to a brand new campus, the school features a TV and film production studio, a Mac Computer Lab, and a fitness center on campus.

### SPORTS AND ARTS

Students are encouraged to experiment in sports to find what interests them. In 2010, the Eagles rugby team became the U16 and U18 club affiliates of Pasadena Junior Rugby.

The enriching curriculum at Arroyo Pacific includes art courses like technical theater and digital audio.

### COMMUNITY INFORMATION

The city of Arcadia in Los Angeles County, California, is located about 40 minutes northeast of downtown Los Angeles. In 2010, Arcadia was named one of Bloomberg Businessweek's "Best Places to Raise Your Kids." Arcadia has plenty of entertainment for international students and is conveniently connected to Los Angeles via the Los Angeles Metro Gold Line.

**University Acceptance Rate:** 80%

**Partial List of University Acceptances:** Boston College, Boston University, California Lutheran University, California State University, Loyola Marymount University, Michigan State University, New York University, Northern Arizona University, Occidental College, Purdue University, Tulane University, University of California, University of Colorado, University of Miami University of Michigan, University of Southern California, University of Washington

### OPTIONS AVAILABLE\*:

**Foreign Languages:** American Sign Language, Chinese, Spanish

**Advanced Placement Courses:** Biology, Calculus AB, Calculus BC, Chemistry, Chinese Language and Culture, English Language and Composition, English Literature and Composition, Environmental Science, Microeconomics, Macroeconomics, Music Theory, Physics 1, Physics 2, Psychology, Statistics, US Government, US History, World History

**Arts:** 3D Computer Generated Imagery (CGI), Band, Chorus, Dance, Graphic Design, Jazz Band, Media Graphics, Media Production, Orchestra, Performing Arts, Rock Band, Technical Theater, TV and Film Productions

### Athletics:

#### Boys:

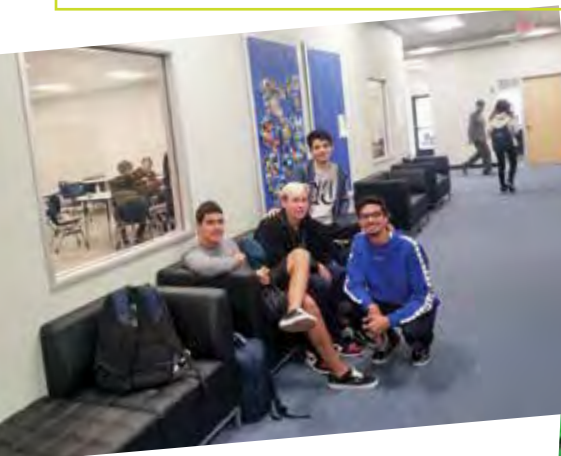
**Note:** Sports offered depend on and change with the seasons, please inquire for specific details.

Basketball, Rugby, Soccer, Tennis, Volleyball

**Extracurricular Activities:** Animation, Art, Associated Student Body, Band, Car, Cycling, Fitness, Food, Interact, Movie, National Honor Society, Outdoors Club, Science Olympiad, Soccer, Speech and Debate, Student Activities, Tabletop Games, Video Games

**ESL Available/Level:** YES - Beginner to Advanced

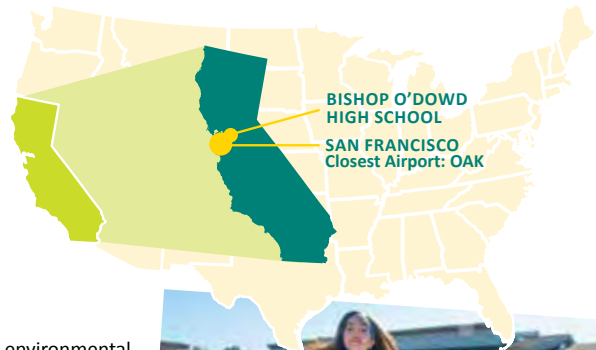
\*All courses and options offered by the school are subject to change.





# Bishop O'Dowd High School

## Oakland, CA



### LOCATION:

- Population: 413,775
- Located 30 Minutes East of San Francisco
- Weather:  
Summer/Fall: Warm and Temperate  
Winter/Spring: Cool and Dry

### ELIGIBILITY:

- Enrollment Restrictions: Grades Accepted: 9-11
- Minimum SLEP: Not Accepted
- Minimum TOEFL: 70
- Minimum ELTIS: 228

### SCHOOL HIGHLIGHTS:

- Green Ribbon School for environmental sustainability program
- Strong sports program with many titles
- State-of-the-art Center for Environmental Science and Living Lab

### ACADEMICS AND FACTS:

- Grades at School: 9-12
- Total Students in School: 1,200
- Teacher/Student Ratio: 1:13
- School Uniform Required: NO (There is a Dress Code)
- Religious Affiliation: Catholic
- Diploma Year Offered: NO



### SCHOOL PROFILE

Offering over 20 Advanced Placement courses along with many college-preparatory course options, Bishop O'Dowd is well-known throughout the San Francisco Bay Area for its rigorous curriculum, competitive athletics and creative fine arts programs.

### FACILITIES

Newly upgraded facilities include a state-of-the-art Center for Environmental Studies and a Living Lab. It includes vegetable and botanical gardens, a certified wildlife habitat with indoor science labs/classrooms, an outdoor classroom, and space for planning, research, and experimentation.

### SPORTS AND ARTS

Many of Bishop O'Dowd's teams have won regional and state championships across 16 sports. Students are encouraged to pursue creative interests and passion in courses such as art, symphonic band and interactive design.

### AWARDS AND ACCOMPLISHMENTS

Nationally recognized for its environmental science program. In 2016, the school was given the Elmer Brown Award for overall academic and athletic excellence, placing 1st out of 170 high schools in the region.

### COMMUNITY INFORMATION

Oakland is a major port city located in the San Francisco Bay Area. In addition to easy access to San Francisco via public transportation, Oakland offers a bustling downtown, parks and cultural activities.

**University Acceptance Rate:** 98%

**Partial List of University Acceptances:** American University, Boston College, Boston University, Cambridge University, Carnegie Mellon University, Columbia University, Cornell University, Dartmouth College, Emerson College, Georgetown University, Harvard University, Hofstra University, Johns Hopkins University, Northeastern University, Pepperdine University, Princeton University, Purdue University, Stanford University, Syracuse University, Tufts University, Tulane University, University of California, University of Notre Dame, University of Pennsylvania, Vassar College, Wheaton College, Yale University

### OPTIONS AVAILABLE\*:

**Foreign Languages:** Chinese, French, Spanish

**Advanced Placement Courses:** Biology, Calculus AB, Calculus BC, Chemistry, Computer Science A, Comparative Government and Politics, Computer Science Principles, English Literature and Composition, Environmental Science, French Language and Culture, Human Geography, Macroeconomics, Physics 1, Psychology, Spanish Language and Culture, Statistics, Studio Art, Studio Art: 2-D Design, Studio Art: 3D Design, Studio Art: Drawing, US Government and Politics, US History

**Arts:** Art Workshop, Band, Ceramics, Chorus, Computer Art, Digital Music Studio, Drama, Drawing, Drawing and Design, Interactive Design, Jazz Band, Painting, Performing Arts, Photography, String Orchestra, Symphonic Band, The Art of Film and Video, Urban Art

### Athletics:

#### Boys:

**Fall:** Cross Country, Football, Soccer, Water Polo

**Winter:** Basketball

**Spring:** Baseball, Golf, Lacrosse, Rugby, Swimming, Tennis, Track and Field, Volleyball

#### Girls:

**Fall:** Cross Country, Soccer, Cheerleading, Volleyball, Water Polo

**Winter:** Basketball, Cheerleading

**Spring:** Golf, Lacrosse, Rugby, Softball, Swimming, Tennis, Track and Field

**Extracurricular Activities:** Anime, Asian Student Alliance, Black Student Union, Book, Computer Gaming, Debate, Drum Circle, Environmental, Equestrian, Feminist, Filipino Club, French, Hip Hop Appreciation, Junior Statesman of America, Latinos Unidos, Mathletes, National Honor Society, Ping Pong, Robotics, Ski, Zumba

**ESL Available/Level:** NO

\*All courses and options offered by the school are subject to change.



I didn't know that I was this open to trying new things until I came to Bishop O'Dowd... what I am most impressed about is the co-op living lab. We grow our own food here in the living lab. The Bay Area's an awesome place to live. — **Quynh from Vietnam**



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# Capistrano Valley Christian School

## San Juan Capistrano, CA



LOS ANGELES  
Closest Airport: LAX  
CAPISTRANO VALLEY  
CHRISTIAN SCHOOL

### LOCATION:

- Population: 36,282
- Located 1 Hour Southeast of Los Angeles
- Weather:  
Summer/Fall: Warm and Dry  
Winter/Spring: Cool and Dry

### ELIGIBILITY:

- Enrollment Restrictions: Grades Accepted: 9-12
- Minimum SLEP: Not Accepted
- Minimum TOEFL: 50
- Minimum ELTIS: 215

### SCHOOL HIGHLIGHTS

- National Blue Ribbon School
- Located minutes from the California coast
- Strong athletic program; combined 53 league titles

### ACADEMICS AND FACTS:

- Grades at School: Pre K-12
- Total Students in School: 525
- Students in High School: 215
- Teacher/Student Ratio: 1:16
- School Uniform Required: YES
- Religious Affiliation: Christian
- Diploma Year Offered: YES



### SCHOOL PROFILE

Over 97% of Capistrano Valley Christian School's graduates attend their first choice college. The school offers international students specially designed academic instruction in English. Students benefit from digital textbooks and Capistrano's 1:1 laptop program.

### FACILITIES

The facilities include a main building, administration building, library, career center, activity center, worship center and sports field. Capistrano is making improvements to their athletic field complex, gymnasium, along with an athletic media and events center.

### SPORTS AND ARTS

Students at Capistrano Valley participate on sports teams such as football, tennis, and volleyball.

The theater arts in particular have won many awards, including M.A.C.Y. (Music and Arts Commendation for Youth), as well as nominations for Best Actor (Codey Huntting) and Best Actress (Kristen Reyes).

### COMMUNITY INFORMATION

Capistrano Valley Christian School is located in San Juan Capistrano, which is part of Orange County, California. The city is less than a five minute drive from local beaches and Dana Point Harbor.

**University Acceptance Rate:** 100%

**Partial List of University Acceptances:** Air Force Academy, Biola University, California State University, Pepperdine University, Point Loma Nazarene University, Princeton University, Stanford University, University of California - Berkeley, University of California - Irvine, University of California - Los Angeles, University of Southern California, Ohio State University, Purdue University, Rutgers University, San Diego State University

### OPTIONS AVAILABLE\*:

**Foreign Languages:** Chinese, French, Spanish

**Advanced Placement Courses:** Biology, Calculus AB, Calculus BC, Chemistry, Computer Science A, English Language and Composition, English Literature and Composition, Environmental Science, European History, Human Geography, Psychology, Statistics, US Government and Politics, US History

**Arts:** Art, Choir, Dance, Dickens Carolers, Musical Theater, Yearbook

### Athletics:

#### Boys:

**Fall:** Cross Country, Football, Tennis

**Winter:** Basketball, Soccer

**Spring:** Baseball, Golf, Volleyball, Weightlifting

#### Girls:

**Fall:** Cheerleading, Cross Country, Golf, Tennis, Volleyball

**Winter:** Basketball

**Spring:** Softball, Weightlifting

**Extracurricular Activities:** California Scholarship Federation, Choir, Film Club, French Honor Society, Interact Club, International Leadership Team, High School Retreat, International Mission Trips, Media Center, National English Honor Society, National Honor Society, National Spanish Honor Society, Performing Arts Productions, Ping Pong Club, School Musical, School Play, Student leadership Team, Visual Arts, Yearbook

**ESL Available/Level:** YES

\*All courses and options offered by the school are subject to change.







# Christian Brothers High School

## Sacramento, CA



### LOCATION:

- Population: 485,200
- Located 2 Hours Northeast of San Francisco
- Weather:  
Summer/Fall: Warm and Dry  
Winter/Spring: Cool and Mild

### ELIGIBILITY:

- Enrollment Restrictions: Grades Accepted: 9-11
- Minimum SLEP: 55
- Minimum TOEFL: 70
- Minimum ELTiS: 228
- Minimum iTEP: 3.0

### SCHOOL PROFILE

Located in Sacramento, California, Christian Brothers is known for its well-rounded, bright and enthusiastic students. The school's supportive and strong academic program enables graduates to go on to attend some of the most prestigious colleges in the country.

### FACILITIES

Facilities include a state-of-the-art performing arts center, engineering labs, video production and media labs, new training and sports facilities, and the learning commons.

### SPORTS AND ARTS

Students at Christian Brothers are very involved on campus. International students are encouraged to join a club or sports team such as rugby, water polo, track, or football. Students can participate in many arts programs, including eight instrumental performance groups, three theater productions, numerous art classes, and more.

### COMMUNITY INFORMATION

Sacramento, the capital city of California, offers many cultural, artistic, and leisure opportunities. The city is only one hour from the ski slopes of Lake Tahoe and two hours from Californian beaches.

### SCHOOL HIGHLIGHTS:

- Strong athletic program with state-of-the-art facilities
- Award-winning student-run television station
- Located in the heart of California close to mountains and beaches

### ACADEMICS AND FACTS:

- Grades at School: 9-12
- Total Students in School: 1,106
- Teacher/Student Ratio: 1:25
- School Uniform Required: YES
- Religious Affiliation: Catholic
- Diploma Year Offered: NO



### OPTIONS AVAILABLE\*:

**Foreign Languages:** Chinese, French, Spanish

**Advanced Placement Courses:** Art History, Biology, Calculus AB, Calculus BC, Chemistry, Computer Science A, English Language and Composition, English Literature and Composition, French Language and Culture, Physics C: Mechanics, Psychology, Statistics, US Government and Politics, US History, World History

**Arts:** Acting, Art Survey, Broadcast Journalism, Ceramics, Chamber Chorus, Chorus, Concert Band, Concert Choir, Introduction to Art, Jazz Band (Before/After School), Media Arts, Painting, Painting and Drawing, Sports Broadcasting, String Ensemble, Theater, Video Production, Vocal Jazz Choir (Before/After School), Writing for Publication

### Athletics:

**Boys:**  
**Fall:** Cross Country, Football, Water Polo  
**Winter:** Basketball, Soccer, Wrestling  
**Spring:** Baseball, Golf, Rugby, Swimming and Diving, Tennis, Track, Volleyball

### Girls:

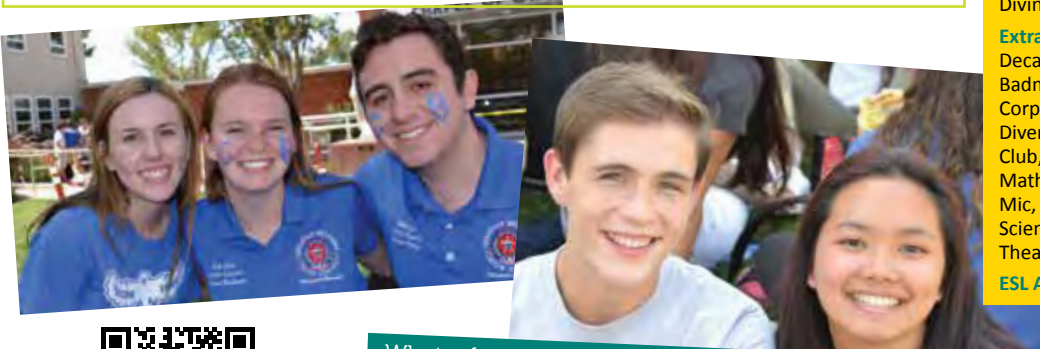
**Fall:** Cheerleading, Golf, Volleyball, Tennis, Water Polo  
**Winter:** Basketball, Soccer, Wrestling  
**Spring:** Softball, Lacrosse, Swimming and Diving, Track

**Extracurricular Activities:** Academic Decathlon, Anime, Asian Pacific Club, Badminton, Cinema, Christian Service Corps, Computer Science, Cooking Club, Diversity, Environmental, Fitness, French Club, Frisbee, Golf, Guitar, Interact, Mathletes, Model United Nations, Open Mic, Photography, Ping Pong, Robotics, Science Olympiad, Student Government, Theater Society, Ukulele Club, Veritas

**ESL Available/Level:** NO

**University Acceptance Rate:** 99%

**Partial List of University Acceptances:** Amherst College, Arizona State University, Boston College, Boston University, California Institute of Technology, Columbia University, Dartmouth College, Duke University, Georgetown University, Harvard University, John Hopkins University, New York University, Northwestern University, Princeton University, Stanford University, University of California - Berkeley, University of California - Los Angeles, University of Chicago, University of Colorado - Boulder, University of Connecticut, University of Notre Dame, University of Texas, University of Washington, Vanderbilt University



What a fantastic school! Christian Brothers has amazing new facilities for sports, media and performing arts. The kids all seem so happy and spirited. You can tell they enjoy being at school. And, they have a great program for international students. – **Carolyn Caindec, School Marketing and Relations Manager**

\*All courses and options offered by the school are subject to change.



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# Georgiana Bruce Kirby Preparatory School

## Santa Cruz, CA



SAN JOSE  
Closest Airport: SJV  
GEORGIANA BRUCE KIRBY  
PREPARATORY SCHOOL

### LOCATION:

- Population: 63,364
- Located 40 Minutes South of San Jose
- Weather:  
Summer/Fall: Warm and Dry  
Winter/Spring: Cool and Dry

### ELIGIBILITY:

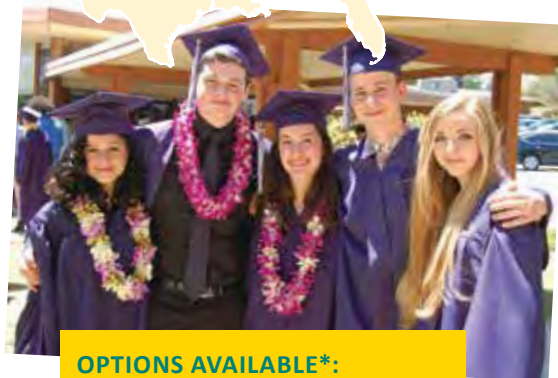
- Enrollment Restrictions: Grades Accepted: 9-12
- Minimum SLEP: Not Accepted
- Minimum TOEFL: 50
- Minimum ELTIS: Not Accepted

### SCHOOL HIGHLIGHTS:

- Award-winning print journalism and multimedia programs
- Great location near California beaches and national parks

### ACADEMICS AND FACTS:

- Grades at School: 6-12
- Total Students in School: 280
- Students in High School: 180
- Teacher/Student Ratio: 1:12
- School Uniform Required: NO
- Religious Affiliation: None
- Diploma Year Offered: YES



### SCHOOL PROFILE

Georgiana Bruce Kirby Preparatory High School is located 2 hours south of San Francisco. The school offers 15 honors and Advanced Placement courses, including four intensive paths in art, science and technology, humanities, and languages.

### FACILITIES

The campus features a printing press for book making, an audio engineering lab with recording studios, and a photography dark room. It also has large music and art rooms as well as dance, drama, and ceramics studios.

### SPORTS AND ARTS

Students can participate in both traditional and non-traditional sports like mountain biking, surfing, sailing, and Ultimate Frisbee.

Georgiana's fine arts program aids students in their creativity whether they join fine arts courses or clubs after school.

### AWARDS AND ACCOMPLISHMENTS

In 2006, Georgiana Bruce Kirby Preparatory High School was named the "Best in the World" in Advanced Placement art history for a school of its size. The school newspaper is regularly recognized for its quality by the Columbia School of Journalism, the National Scholastic Press Association, and Quill & Scroll.

### COMMUNITY INFORMATION

Santa Cruz sits along the northern edge of California's Monterey Bay. It's known for its moderate climate, ancient redwood forests, and natural coastline. The Santa Cruz Beach & Boardwalk is great for surfers and world famous for its landmark wooden roller coaster.

**University Acceptance Rate:** 100%

**Partial List of University Acceptances:** American University, Bard College, Bentley University, Boston University, California State Polytechnic University, Clark University, Colgate University, Colorado State University, Columbia University, Drexel University, Emily Carr University of Art and Design, Gettysburg College, Harvard University, Marymount Manhattan College, Massachusetts Institute of Technology, Mount Holyoke College, New York University, Oberlin College, Princeton University, Rensselaer Polytechnic University, Rhode Island School of Design, Santa Monica University, Tufts University, Tulane University, University of California, University of Washington, Vassar College, Wellesley College, Wesleyan University

### OPTIONS AVAILABLE\*:

**Foreign Languages:** American Sign Language, Latin, Spanish

**Advanced Placement Courses:** Calculus BC, Chemistry, Comparative Governments and Politics, English Literature and Composition, Statistics, Studio Art: 2D Design, Studio Art: 3D Design, Studio Art: Drawing

**Arts:** Art (Beginner to Advanced), Book Arts, Ceramics, Chamber Choir, Chorus, Dance Company, Dance, Drama, Jazz Choir, Jazz Ensemble, Music Theory, Orchestra, Photography, Treble Choir

#### Athletics:

##### Boys:

**Fall:** Coed Ultimate Frisbee, Cross Country, Sailing

**Winter:** Basketball, Sailing

**Spring:** Coed Ultimate Frisbee, Golf, Mountain Bike Racing, Sailing, Track and Field, Volleyball

##### Girls:

**Fall:** Coed Ultimate Frisbee, Cross Country, Sailing, Volleyball

**Winter:** Basketball, Sailing

**Spring:** Coed Ultimate Frisbee, Golf, Mountain Bike Racing, Sailing, Track and Field

**Extracurricular Activities:** Art, Baseball, Chess, Economics, Epicurean, Games, Gay/Straight Alliance, Junior Statesman of America, Math, Mountain Bike, Quantum Physics, Sailing, Student IT, Surf, Yearbook

**ESL Available/Level:** YES - Advanced

\*All courses and options offered by the school are subject to change.







# Grace Brethren High School

## Simi Valley, CA



### LOCATION:

- Population: 126,871
- Located 1 Hour Northwest of Los Angeles
- Weather:  
Summer/Fall: Warm and Temperate  
Winter/Spring: Cool and Dry

### ELIGIBILITY:

- Enrollment Restrictions: Grades Accepted: 9-11; 12 only if transferring from US School
- Minimum SLEP: Not Accepted
- Minimum TOEFL: 80
- Minimum ELTiS: 225

### SCHOOL HIGHLIGHTS:

- Award-winning Theater Arts Department: nominated for the Jerry Herman Awards
- Strong athletic programs and sport teams
- Located close to Los Angeles and California beaches

### ACADEMICS AND FACTS:

- Grades at School: Pre K-12
- Total Students at School: 430
- Students in High School: 325
- Teacher/Student Ratio: 1:15
- School Uniform Required: YES
- Religious Affiliation: Christian
- Diploma Year Offered: NO



### OPTIONS AVAILABLE\*:

**Foreign Languages:** Spanish

**Advanced Placement Courses:** Calculus AB, Calculus BC, Chemistry, Computer Science Principles, English Language and Composition, English Literature and Composition, European History, Physics 1, Physics 2, Spanish Language and Culture, Spanish Literature and Culture, Statistics, Studio Art: 2D Design, Studio Art: Drawing, US Government and Politics, US History

**Arts:** 3D Design, Art, Art Media, Beginning Instruments Band, Ceramics, Choir, Computer Graphics, Drama, Film Industry, Film Production, Graphic Arts, Jazz Band, Photography, Studio Art

#### Athletics:

##### Boys:

**Fall:** Cross Country, Football  
**Winter:** Basketball, Soccer  
**Spring:** Equestrian, Golf, Swimming, Track

##### Girls:

**Fall:** Cheerleading, Cross Country, Volleyball  
**Winter:** Basketball, Soccer  
**Spring:** Equestrian, Softball, Swimming, Track

**Extracurricular Activities:** California Scholastic Federation, Community Service, Equestrian, Film Club, Leadership, Mock Trial, National Honor Society, National Art Honor Society, Robotics, Science Club, Spanish Club, Speech, Thespian National Society

**ESL Available/Level:** YES

### SCHOOL PROFILE

Located in Southern California, students who attend Grace Brethren can challenge themselves with more than 15 different Advanced Placement courses, along with extracurricular classes in arts and athletics.

### FACILITIES

The 13-acre campus features state-of-the-art classrooms, science labs, and a large list of athletic facilities.

### SPORTS AND ARTS

The school has top-level coaching within the Tri-County Athletic Association. All students are welcome to join a team.

The high school gives international students the opportunity to develop their interest in the arts with courses like 3D design, film production, leadership, and robotics.

### AWARDS AND ACCOMPLISHMENTS

The Grace Brethren High School robotics team is currently ranked first in California and 20th in the world.

### COMMUNITY INFORMATION

Simi Valley, California is approximately one hour northwest of Los Angeles, the entertainment and film capital of the world. Enjoying a warm, sunny climate year round, Simi Valley gives international students easy access to a variety of parks, shopping centers, theaters, and restaurants.

**University Acceptance Rate:** 98%

**Partial List of University Acceptances:** Baylor University, Boston University, Brigham Young University, California State University, California Institute of Performing Arts, Columbia University, Fashion Institute of Technology - New York, George Washington University, Loyola Marymount University, New York University, Northwestern University, Pennsylvania State University, Pepperdine University, University of California, University of Chicago, University of Hawaii, University of Washington, Virginia Polytechnic Institute and State University, Wheaton College, Yale University



Very nice school with interactive staff!  
Great location in the heart of Simi Valley.  
– Rusty Silva, Regional Manager

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# Heritage Christian School

## Northridge, CA



### LOCATION:

- Population: 62,000
- Located 30 Minutes Northwest of Los Angeles
- Weather:  
Summer/Fall: Warm and Temperate  
Winter/Spring: Cool and Dry

### ELIGIBILITY:

- Enrollment Restrictions: Grades Accepted: 8-12
- Minimum SLEP: Not Accepted
- Minimum TOEFL: 50-70
- Minimum ELTiS: 222-232
- High School Pathway Program available for students with zero English

### SCHOOL HIGHLIGHTS:

- Energetic student body and supportive teacher environment
- Good music program
- Woodworking lab

### ACADEMICS AND FACTS:

- Grades at School: 6-12
- Total Students in School: 775
- Students in High School: 565
- Teacher/Student Ratio: 1:24
- School Uniform Required: YES
- Religious Affiliation: Christian
- Diploma Year Offered: NO



### OPTIONS AVAILABLE\*:

**Foreign Languages:** French, Spanish

**Advanced Placement Courses:** Biology, Calculus AB, Calculus BC, Chemistry, English Language and Composition, English Literature and Composition, French Language and Culture, Physics C: Mechanics, Psychology, Spanish Language and Culture, US Government and Politics, US History, World History

**Arts:** 3D Design, Ceramics, Choir, Chorale, Commercial Art, Computer Graphics, Digital Photography, Drama, Film Production, Jazz Ensemble, Orchestra, Studio Art, Theater Arts, Woodworking

#### Athletics:

##### Boys:

**Fall:** Cross Country, Football  
**Winter:** Basketball, Soccer  
**Spring:** Baseball, Golf, Swimming, Track and Field, Volleyball

##### Girls:

**Fall:** Cross Country, Volleyball, Tennis  
**Winter:** Basketball, Soccer  
**Spring:** Golf, Softball, Swimming, Track and Field

**Extracurricular Activities:** Coffee Club, Chinese Club, Armenian Club, Film, Jazz Band, Orchestra, Photography, Theater

**ESL Available/Level:** YES

### SCHOOL PROFILE

Heritage Christian School, founded in 1976, has 13 Advanced Placement courses and over 20 after-school activities supported by the latest technologies like 3D graphic computers and SmartBoards. Many graduates of Heritage Christian are accepted to university, with some students going on to Ivy League schools.

### FACILITIES

The school facilities include science labs, a carpentry workshop, art/music classrooms, a gymnasium, an auditorium, a library, and an academic center with computers.

### SPORTS AND ARTS

Boys and girls athletic teams compete in the Southern Section CIF competition with traditional sports like Volleyball, Tennis and Football.

The fine arts department at Heritage is known for its offerings. The school's Concert Choir has an international reputation and has performed in eight different countries: England, Ireland, Germany, Austria, Italy, Chile, France, and the Czech Republic.

### COMMUNITY INFORMATION

Heritage Christian is located in the heart of the San Fernando Valley. Some of Los Angeles' more famous sites are located minutes not far from Heritage Christian like Hollywood, Beverly Hills, and the beautiful Californian beaches.

**University Acceptance Rate:** 97%

**Partial List of University Acceptances:** Arizona State University, Baylor University, Biola University, Boston College, Boston University, California Polytechnic State University - Pomona, California Polytechnic State University - San Luis Obispo, Carnegie Mellon University, Cornell University, Dartmouth College, Duke University, Georgetown University, Johns Hopkins University, New York University, Northeastern University, Pepperdine University, Princeton University, Pomona College, Santa Clara University, Stanford University, State University of New York - Birmingham, Tulane University, University of California, University of Arizona, University of Colorado, University of Massachusetts - Boston, University of North Carolina, University of Notre Dame, University of Oregon, University of San Diego, University of Southern California, Vanderbilt University, Westmont College

I feel like here I actually like learning and going to school. I like the small classes. The teachers are so passionate. My history teacher inspired me so much that I decided I wanted to go to college. — **Barbara from Brazil**

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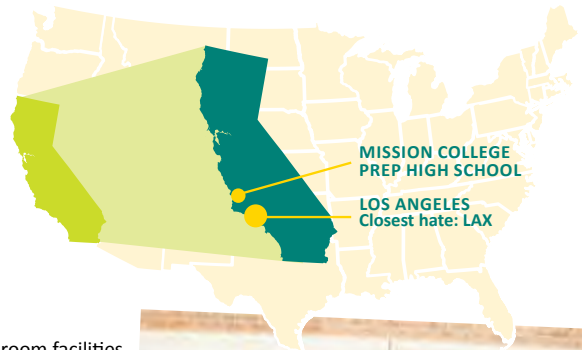
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# Mission College Prep Catholic High School

## San Luis Obispo, CA



### LOCATION:

- Population: 46,730
- Located 3 Hours and 20 Minutes Northwest of Los Angeles
- Weather:  
Summer/Fall: Warm and Temperate  
Winter/Spring: Cool and Mild

### ELIGIBILITY:

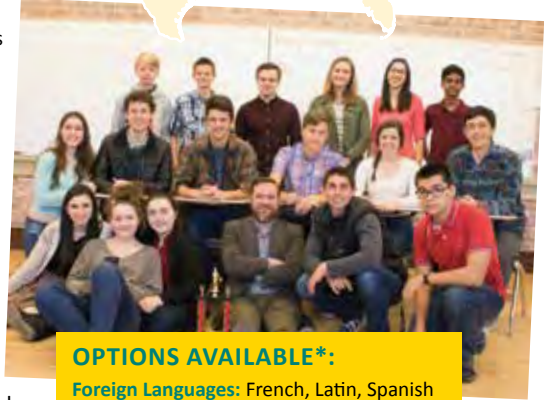
- Enrollment Restrictions: Grades Accepted: 9-11
- Minimum SLEP: Not Accepted
- Minimum TOEFL: 50
- Minimum ELTIS: 215

### SCHOOL HIGHLIGHTS:

- Modern athletic and classroom facilities
- Offers many extracurricular activities
- Located close to Santa Barbara

### ACADEMICS AND FACTS:

- Grades at School: 9-12
- Total Students at School: 350
- Teacher/Student Ratio: 1:14
- School Uniform Required: NO
- Religious Affiliation: Catholic
- Diploma Year Offered: NO



### OPTIONS AVAILABLE\*:

**Foreign Languages:** French, Latin, Spanish

**Advanced Placement Courses:** Calculus AB, Calculus BC, English Language and Composition, English Literature and Composition, Human Geography, Physics C: Mechanical, Statistics, US History, World History

**Arts:** Art, Band, Cinematography, Creative Writing, Digital Photography, Drama, Studio Art, Yearbook

#### Athletics:

##### Boys:

**Fall:** Cross Country, Football  
**Winter:** Basketball, Soccer  
**Spring:** Baseball, Golf, Swimming and Diving, Tennis, Track and Field, Volleyball

##### Girls:

**Fall:** Cross Country, Tennis, Volleyball  
**Winter:** Basketball, Soccer  
**Spring:** Golf, Softball, Swimming/Diving, Track and Field

**Extracurricular Activities:** Book Club, Dance, Drama, Future Physicians of America, Gay Straight Alliance, Interact, Junior Statesman, Math, Mock Trial, Music Ministry, Physics, Red Cross, Student Council

**ESL Available/Level:** NO

### SCHOOL PROFILE

Mission College Preparatory Catholic High School is located on the central coast of California. Along with an array of Advanced Placement courses, the high school offers 70 college prep courses and is certified by the University of California.

### FACILITIES

The beautiful upgraded historic and "new building" provide state-of-the-art science classrooms, computer facilities, cafeteria, modern gymnasium and locker rooms.

### SPORTS AND ARTS

The school has an excellent athletics program and students can join a number of teams. Every year, teams come from across the country to play in the "Christmas Classic," a basketball tournament hosted by Mission Catholic each year. Students can help plan, produce, and execute theater events, assemblies, rallies, and tournaments.

### AWARDS AND ACCOMPLISHMENTS

The high school's athletic teams have won a total of 47 CIF Championships to date.

### COMMUNITY INFORMATION

The charming town of San Luis Obispo is located three hours north of Los Angeles and four hours south of San Francisco. Set along the pristine coast of central California, temperatures are moderate; perfect for enjoying outdoor activities all year round.

**University Acceptance Rate:** 97%

**Partial List of University Acceptances:** Arizona State University, Boston College, University of California - Los Angeles, University of Oregon, University of San Francisco, Stony Brook University - New York, University of California - Berkeley, University of California - San Diego, Fashion Institute of Design & Merchandising - Los Angeles, University of Texas at Austin, University of Washington, Northeastern University, University of California - Davis, University of Arizona, Cornell University, Belmont University - Nashville, Santa Clara University, Marist College - New York, University of the Pacific, Brown University, Wheaton College, St. Mary's College of California, University of Chicago, Wake Forest University, University of California - Irvine



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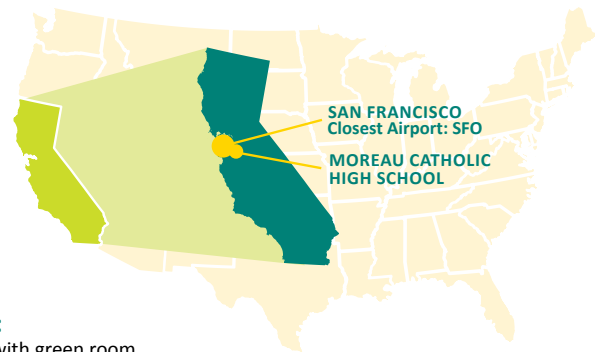
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# Moreau Catholic High School

## Hayward, CA



### LOCATION:

- Population: 154,612
- Located 40 minutes Southeast of San Francisco
- Weather:  
Summer/Fall: Warm and Temperate  
Winter/Spring: Cool and Dry

### ELIGIBILITY:

- Enrollment Restrictions: Grades Accepted: 9-10
- Minimum SLEP: Not Accepted
- Minimum TOEFL: 65-70 (varies by grade)
- Minimum ELTIS: Not Accepted

### SCHOOL HIGHLIGHTS:

- Student-run TV station with green room
- Virtual Reality Lab for Biotech and Engineering programs
- Offers over 20 AP courses

### ACADEMICS AND FACTS:

- Grades in School: 9-12
- Total Students in School: 945
- Teacher/Student Ratio: 1:15
- School Uniform Required: NO
- Religious Affiliation: Catholic
- Diploma Year Offered: NO

### SCHOOL PROFILE

In addition to an outstanding academic program, Moreau Catholic High School offers students the opportunity to participate in a strong extracurricular program. They have unique course offerings such as Biotechnology, Mass Media and Costume & Makeup Design.

### FACILITIES

Moreau Catholic's campus includes art studios, a dance studio, a the newly-renovated theater, the Brother Stephen Walsh Memorial Gallery, athletic facilities, a library, and learning commons. The school introduced two new spaces in fall of 2016: zSpace, a virtual reality science lab, and Design Studio, a classroom where students can apply scientific principles in an environment that promotes risk-taking and invention.

### SPORTS AND ARTS

Students compete against other top-notch schools year-round in the Mission Valley Athletic League.

Moreau Catholic's ensembles regularly earn regional and national acclaim for their outstanding musical productions. Each year, students are accepted to the most prestigious collegiate arts programs in the country.

### COMMUNITY INFORMATION

Hayward is known as the "Heart of the Bay" due to its convenient central location in Alameda County, not far from San Francisco, Oakland, and San Jose.

**University Acceptance Rate:** 100%

**Partial List of University Acceptances:** Arizona State University, Boise State University, Boston University, California State University, Columbia University, Cornell University, Fordham University, Georgetown University, Loyola Marymount University, Ohio State University, Pennsylvania State University, Pepperdine University, Purdue University, Rutgers University, Spelman College, Syracuse University, University of Arizona, University of California, University of Colorado, University of Oregon, University of San Diego, University of San Francisco, University of Wisconsin, Virginia Polytechnic Institute and State University, Xavier University

I love visiting Moreau. It's such a positive, upbeat school community. It's only 40 minutes to downtown San Francisco and also close to Silicon Valley. The school is extremely innovative and offers exciting programs in science and technology. They also have a strong arts program where students have gone on to study art at UC Berkeley!— **Carolyn Caindec, School Marketing and Relations Manager**



### OPTIONS AVAILABLE\*:

**Foreign Languages:** Chinese, French, Spanish

**Advanced Placement Courses:** Biology, Calculus AB, Calculus BC, Chemistry, Chinese Language and Culture, Comparative Government and Politics, Computer Science A, Computer Science Principles, English Literature and Composition, Environmental Science, French Language and Culture, Human Geography, Macroeconomics, Microeconomics, Physics 1, Psychology, Spanish Language and Culture, Spanish Literature and Culture, Statistics, Studio Art: 2-D Design, Studio Art: 3-D Design, Studio Art: Drawing, US Government and Politics, US History

**Arts:** American Musical Theory, Ceramics, Chorus, Concert Band, Concert Choir, Costume Design, Dance, Drawing, Film, Instrumental Music, Jazz, Painting, Play Directing, Sculpting in Clay, String Orchestra, Symphonic Band, Theater

### Athletics:

#### Boys:

**Fall:** Cross Country, Football, Water Polo  
**Winter:** Basketball, Soccer  
**Spring:** Badminton, Baseball, Golf, Swimming, Tennis, Track and Field, Volleyball

#### Girls:

**Fall:** Cheerleading, Cross Country, Golf, Tennis, Volleyball, Water Polo  
**Winter:** Basketball, Cheerleading, Soccer  
**Spring:** Badminton, Softball, Swimming, Track and Field

**Extracurricular Activities:** African American Student Association, Asian Culture, Math Team, Mock Trial, Model United Nations, National Honor Society, Programming, Robotics and Engineering, Speech and Debate, Stock Market, Student Ambassadors, Theater

**ESL Available/Level:** NO

\*All courses and options offered by the school are subject to change.





# The Quarry Lane School

## Dublin, CA



### LOCATION:

- Population: 54,695
- Located 1 Hour East of San Francisco
- Weather:  
Summer/Fall: Warm and Dry  
Winter/Spring: Cool and Mild

### ELIGIBILITY:

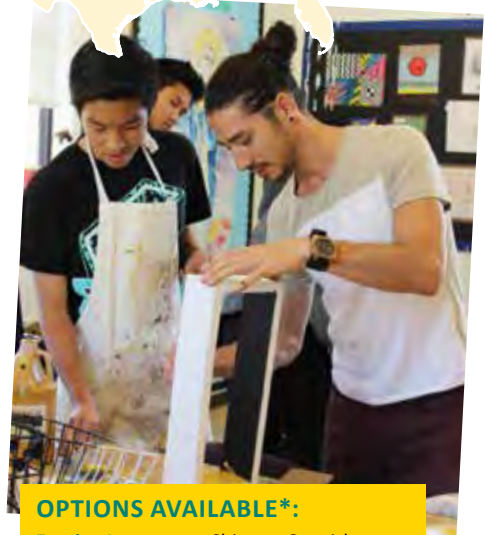
- Enrollment Restrictions: Grades Accepted: 9-11
- Minimum SLEP: Not Accepted
- Minimum TOEFL: 50-85 (varies by grade)
- Minimum ELTiS: Not Accepted

### SCHOOL HIGHLIGHTS:

- International Baccalaureate Diploma
- Has over 15 AP courses
- No-cut sports teams

### ACADEMICS AND FACTS:

- Grades at School: K-12
- Total Students in School: 700
- Teacher/Student Ratio: 1:12
- School Uniform Required: NO
- Religious Affiliation: None
- Diploma Year Offered: NO



### SCHOOL PROFILE

The Quarry Lane School encourages students to explore academics and creativity with challenging courses and extracurriculars. The school also proudly offers the prestigious International Baccalaureate (IB) Diploma in addition to AP courses.

### FACILITIES

The Quarry Lane School's 10-acre campus features modern science laboratories, technology and engineering laboratories, a visual arts studio, library, computer laboratory, gymnasium, and classrooms. Athletic facilities include an outdoor track, sports fields and tennis courts.

### SPORTS AND ARTS

Sports teams at The Quarry Lane School don't make cuts, meaning that every international student has the opportunity to participate in competitive sports. The Quarry Lane School's famous art learning center offers one-on-one courses where students can learn piano, guitar, bass, drums, flute, clarinet, saxophone, and vocals.

### COMMUNITY INFORMATION

Dublin is a suburban city located not far from San Francisco and San Jose/Silicon Valley. It is the second fastest growing city in the state and has a variety of community events throughout the year.

### OPTIONS AVAILABLE\*:

**Foreign Languages:** Chinese, Spanish

**Advanced Placement Courses:** Biology, Calculus AB, Calculus BC, Chemistry, Computer Science A, Computer Science Principles, English Language and Composition, European History, Physics 1, Physics 2, Physics C: Electricity and Magnetism, Physics C: Mechanics, Psychology, Spanish Language and Culture, Statistics, US History

**Arts:** Art Fundamentals, Art in Design, Choir, Dance, Jazz Band, Theater

#### Athletics:

**Boys:**  
**Fall:** Cross Country, Soccer  
**Winter:** Basketball, Futsal  
**Spring:** None

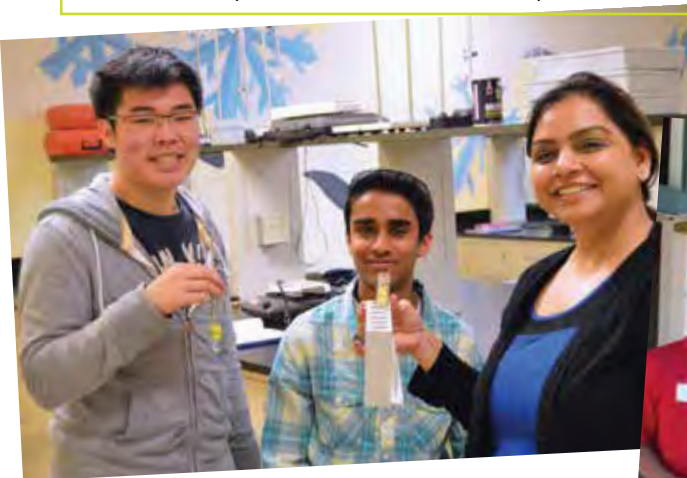
**Girls:**  
**Fall:** Cross Country, Soccer  
**Winter:** Basketball, Futsal  
**Spring:** None

**Extracurricular Activities:** Dance, Economics, High School Musical, Jazz Band, Musical Theater Production, Robotics, Rock Band Leadership, Science, Speech Team, Theater, Yearbook

**ESL Available/Level:** YES

**University Acceptance Rate:** 100%

**Partial List of University Acceptances:** Academy of Art University, Boston University, Chapman University, Clark University, Columbia University, Cornell University, Dartmouth College, Drexel University, Harvard University, Idaho State University, Johns Hopkins University, Loyola Marymount University, Mount Holyoke College, New York University, Northeastern University, Northwestern University, Pennsylvania State University, Rice University, Saint Mary's College, Sonoma State University, Stanford University, University of Arizona, University of California, Vanderbilt University



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# San Francisco Waldorf High School

## San Francisco, CA



### LOCATION:

- Population: 850,000
- Located in San Francisco
- Weather:  
Summer/Fall: Warm and Dry  
Winter/Spring: Cool and Mild

### ELIGIBILITY:

- Enrollment Restrictions: Grades Accepted: 9-10
- Minimum SLEP: Not Accepted
- Minimum TOEFL: 73
- Minimum ELTIS: Not Accepted

### SCHOOL HIGHLIGHTS:

- Internationally recognized Waldorf curriculum
- Located in the heart of San Francisco
- Small school with many extracurricular activities

### ACADEMICS AND FACTS:

- Grades at School: 9-12
- Total Students in School: 152
- Teacher/Student Ratio: 1:8
- School Uniform Required: NO
- Religious Affiliation: None
- Diploma Year Offered: NO



### OPTIONS AVAILABLE\*:

**Foreign Languages:** Chinese, Spanish

**Advanced Placement Courses:** Calculus AB

**Arts:** Art of Video, Oil Painting, Acrylic and Watercolor Painting, Basketry, Black and White Photography, Bookbinding, Concert Choir, Copper Arts, Digital Photography, Drumming, Glass Arts, Guitar: Beginning and Intermediate, Jazz Ensemble, Metal Arts, Orchestra, Pottery, Weaving, Printmaking, Sculpture Art, Sewing and Design, Techniques in Drawing, World Music

#### Athletics:

##### Boys:

**Fall:** Cross Country, Sailing, Soccer

**Winter:** Basketball, Sailing

**Spring:** Baseball, Sailing

##### Girls:

**Fall:** Cross Country, Sailing, Volleyball

**Winter:** Basketball, Sailing

**Spring:** Sailing, Soccer

**Extracurricular Activities:** Amnesty International, Bee Keeping Club, Drama, Gay/Straight Alliance, Literary Magazine, Math, Math Olympiad, Martial Arts, Model United Nations, Photography, Rock Climbing, Spirit, Student Council, Students for Social Justice, Yearbook, Yoga – Clubs vary based on student interest.

**ESL Available/Level:** YES

### SCHOOL PROFILE

Founded in 1997, San Francisco Waldorf High School is one of more than 1,000 Waldorf schools worldwide. All students study physics and calculus and have the opportunity to take Advanced Placement and honors courses. San Francisco Waldorf also takes part in the "Outdoor Classroom" initiative in order to connect students with nature and all that San Francisco has to offer.

### FACILITIES

The campus has classrooms, state-of-the-art science labs, dedicated art studios, and a library media center with access to Macs and PCs.

### SPORTS AND ARTS

International students are encouraged to participate in sports like sailing, which is offered year-round.

All students take four years of music and art. They conclude each year with musical and theater performances and an annual arts showcase event so students can experiment with what they have learned.

### AWARDS AND ACCOMPLISHMENTS

San Francisco Waldorf was the first school in San Francisco to be awarded the LEED Gold Certification for environmental design.

### COMMUNITY INFORMATION

Located in the West Portal neighborhood in San Francisco, the school is walking distance to local businesses and right across from public transportation stops. International students can take advantage of the De Young Museum, poetry writing on the beach, and lectures by local authors and activists.

**University Acceptance Rate:** 99%

**Partial List of University Acceptances:** Brown University, California Polytechnic State University, California State University Maritime Academy, Carnegie Mellon University, Cornell University, Duke University, Haverford College, Middlebury College, Oberlin College, Pomona College, Reed College, San Francisco State University, Smith College, Stanford University, Swarthmore College, University of California - Berkeley, University of Colorado, University of Edinburgh, University of Washington, Wellesley College, Wesleyan University, Yale University

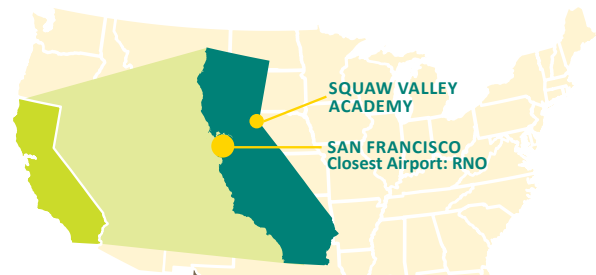






# Squaw Valley Academy

## Olympic Valley, CA



### LOCATION:

- Population: 825
- Located 3 Hours Northeast of San Francisco
- Weather:  
Summer/Fall: Warm and Dry  
Winter/Spring: Cold and Dry

### ELIGIBILITY:

- Enrollment Restrictions: None
- Assesses English level after student enrolls
- Minimum SLEP: Not Required
- Minimum TOEFL: Preferred, No Minimum
- Minimum ELTiS: Not Required

### SCHOOL HIGHLIGHTS:

- Located minutes from an Olympic ski resort
- Daily outdoor activities and sports incorporated into curriculum
- Offers 16 AP courses

### ACADEMICS AND FACTS:

- Grades at School: 9-12
- Total Students in School: 100
- Teacher/Student Ratio: 1:8
- School Uniform Required: YES
- Religious Affiliation: None



### OPTIONS AVAILABLE\*:

**Foreign Languages:** Spanish

#### Advanced Placement Courses:

Biology, Calculus AB, Calculus BC, Chemistry, Chinese, English Language and Composition, English Literature and Composition, Macroeconomics, Microeconomics, Physics B, Psychology, Spanish Language and Culture, Studio Art, US Government and Politics, US History, World History

**Arts:** Ceramics, Drama, Jewelry Design, Music, Performing Arts, Photography, Studio Art, Videography

#### Athletics:

##### Boys:

**Fall:** Fly-Fishing, Golf, Hiking, Mountain Biking, Rock Climbing, Skateboarding, Soccer, Tennis, Weightlifting

**Winter:** Basketball, Cross-Country Skiing, Ice Hockey, Ice Skating, Rock Climbing, Skiing, Snowboarding

**Spring:** Beach Volleyball, Fly-Fishing, Golf, Lake Kayaking, River Rafting, Rock Climbing, Soccer, Swimming, Tennis

##### Girls:

**Fall:** Fly-Fishing, Golf, Hiking, Mountain Biking, Rock Climbing, Running, Skateboarding, Soccer, Tennis, Weightlifting

**Winter:** Basketball, Cross-Country Skiing, Ice Hockey, Ice Skating, Skiing, Snowboarding

**Spring:** Beach Volleyball, Fly-Fishing, Golf, Lake Kayaking, River Rafting, Rock Climbing, Soccer, Swimming, Tennis

**Extracurricular Activities:** Art, Chess, Gardening, Sustainability, Music, Photography, Recycling, Science, Yearbook

**ESL Available/Level:** YES

### SCHOOL PROFILE

Surrounded by Tahoe National Forest, Lake Tahoe, and Squaw Valley Ski Resort, Squaw Valley Academy incorporates daily outdoor activity into its college preparatory curriculum. The school features year-round athletic opportunities, individualized instruction, and an Apple laptop for each student.

### FACILITIES

Squaw Valley's campus is situated within the Sierra Nevada mountain range. The campus is minutes from Lake Tahoe, ski resorts, and a national forest. It features science labs, a darkroom, a music lab, and art studios.

### SPORTS AND ARTS

The campus is located two miles from a 3,500-acre Olympic ski resort and offers students the opportunity to ski or snowboard seven days a week during the winter months. In addition to multiple highly competitive ski and snowboard teams, Squaw Valley offers various athletics options year-round.

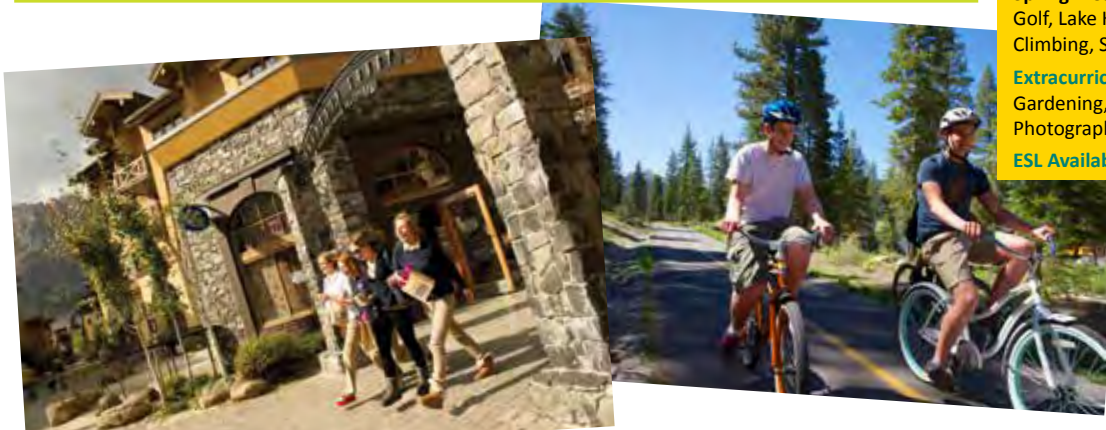
The school's Fine Arts program offers diverse options such as jewelry design and photography

### COMMUNITY INFORMATION

Olympic Valley (also known as Squaw Valley) is located in the Sierra Nevada mountain range of Northern California. The Squaw Valley Ski Resort was the site of the 1960 Winter Olympics. Around the year, the village hosts a number of musicians, artists, and concert-goers.

**University Acceptance Rate:** 100%

**Partial List of University Acceptances:** Academy of Art University, Boston University, Chapman University, Clark University, Columbia University, Cornell University, Dartmouth College, Drexel University, Harvard University, Idaho State University, Johns Hopkins University, Loyola Marymount University, Mount Holyoke College, New York University, Northeastern University, Northwestern University, Pennsylvania State University, Rice University, Saint Mary's College, Sonoma State University, Stanford University, University of Arizona, University of California, Vanderbilt University



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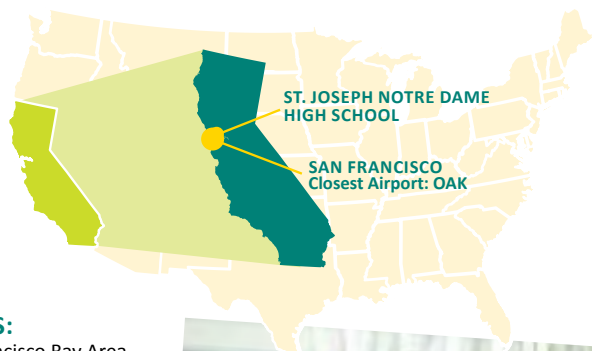
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# St. Joseph Notre Dame High School

## Alameda, CA



### LOCATION:

- Population: 78,000
- Located 30 Minutes East of San Francisco
- Weather:  
Summer/Fall: Warm and Temperate  
Winter/Spring: Cold and Mild

### ELIGIBILITY:

- Enrollment Restrictions: Grades Accepted: 9-11
- Minimum SLEP: Not accepted
- Minimum TOEFL: 70
- Minimum ELTIS: 228

### SCHOOL HIGHLIGHTS:

- Located in the San Francisco Bay Area, minutes outside of the city
- Strong basketball team, head coach is a former NBA player
- Facilities include Smart Classrooms

### ACADEMICS AND FACTS:

- Grades at School: 9-12
- Total Students in School: 440
- Teacher/Student Ratio: 1:16
- School Uniform Required: YES
- Religious Affiliation: Catholic
- Diploma Year Offered: NO



### SCHOOL PROFILE

Founded in 1881, Saint Joseph Notre Dame High School has a diverse community which offers students the opportunity to learn from an extensive variety of perspectives, both in and out of the classroom.

### FACILITIES

The school is located in historic Alameda, just minutes from the shoreline of San Francisco Bay. It features a music center, a library, a gymnasium, a science center, and unique Smart Classrooms with cutting-edge technology.

### SPORTS AND ARTS

St. Joseph Notre Dame's powerful basketball team has won six state championships, the most in Northern California.

There are a range of arts opportunities – both fine and performing – available at St. Joseph Notre Dame. The school's theater program is traditionally strong, and the 2014 production of *In the Heights* was one of the year's top productions in California.

### AWARDS AND ACCOMPLISHMENTS

St. Joseph Notre Dame's powerhouse basketball program has been successful over the years, and students have won many academic awards. The school is accredited by the Western Association of Schools and Colleges.

### COMMUNITY INFORMATION

Alameda, California is an island located in the San Francisco Bay. It is bordered by the City of Oakland to the north, and is across the bay from San Francisco, which can be reached by car, ferry, or BART train.

**University Acceptance Rate:** 99%

**Partial List of University Acceptances:** Boston College, Brown University, Case Western Reserve University, Colgate University, College of Wooster, Connecticut College, Cornell University, Dartmouth College, Emory University, The George Washington University, Georgetown University, Grinnell College, Johns Hopkins University, New York University, Northwestern University, Pepperdine University, Scripps College, University of California - Berkeley, University of California - Los Angeles, University of Michigan, University of Vermont, University of Southern California, Washington University in St. Louis, Worcester Polytechnic Institute

### OPTIONS AVAILABLE\*:

**Foreign Languages:** Chinese, Spanish

**Advanced Placement Courses:** Biology, Calculus AB, Calculus BC, English Language and Composition, English Literature and Composition, Environmental Science, Physics 1, Spanish Language and Culture, Statistics, Studio Art, US Government and Politics, US History, World History

**Arts:** Desktop Publishing, Digital Illustration Studio, Drawing, Honors Art, Musical Theater, Painting, Photography, Play Directing, Portfolio, Visual Arts

#### Athletics:

##### Boys:

**Fall:** Cross Country, Soccer

**Winter:** Basketball

**Spring:** Baseball, Golf, Tennis, Swimming, Volleyball, Track and Field

##### Girls:

**Fall:** Cross Country, Golf, Tennis, Volleyball

**Winter:** Basketball, Soccer

**Spring:** Softball, Swimming, Track and Field

**Extracurricular Activities:** Chess, Crew

Team, Culinary Club, Environmental Club, Filipino, Habitat for Humanity, Interact, Latinos Unidos, Model United Nations, Music Theater, Pep Band, Ping Pong, Prayer and Praise, Random Acts of Kindness, Red Cross, Speech & Debate, Yearbook

**ESL Available/Level:** NO

\*All courses and options offered by the school are subject to change.







# St. Vincent de Paul High School Petaluma, CA



### LOCATION:

- Population: 60,000
- Located 1 Hour North of San Francisco
- Weather:  
Summer/Fall: Hot and Dry  
Winter/Spring: Cool and Mild

### ELIGIBILITY:

- Enrollment Restrictions: Grades Accepted: 9-11
- Minimum SLEP: Not Accepted
- Minimum TOEFL: 50
- Minimum ELTIS: Not Accepted
- Minimum ITEP: 3.5

### SCHOOL HIGHLIGHTS:

- State-of-the-art facilities with technology such as Smartboards
- No-cut sport teams
- Student-run literary magazine recognized by National Council of Teachers of English Programs

### ACADEMICS AND FACTS:

- Grades at School: 9-12
- Total Students in School: 289
- Teacher/Student Ratio: 1:11
- School Uniform Required: YES
- Religious Affiliation: Catholic
- Diploma Year Offered: NO



### SCHOOL PROFILE

Founded in 1916, St Vincent de Paul High School offers a college preparatory curriculum in the northern California town of Petaluma.

### FACILITIES

Outstanding facilities include a gymnasium, a multi-sport synthetic turf field, music rooms, computer labs, and Smartboards in the classrooms.

### SPORTS AND ARTS

The athletic program consists of a large variety of sports, including a championship football team. About 70 percent of students join competitive teams, with many participating in multiple sports.

The school's award-winning literary magazine, Amuse, is run entirely by students. There are over 16 other different clubs and activities for students to join, like the debate team, jazz ensemble, sculpture, ceramics, painting, and more.

### AWARDS AND ACCOMPLISHMENTS

St. Vincent was named in the 2008 WASC report as the "Friendliest School in America" and its literary magazine was recognized for excellence by the National Council of Teachers of English Programs.

### COMMUNITY INFORMATION

The city of Petaluma lies about an hour north of San Francisco's Golden Gate Bridge. George Lucas' 1973 movie *American Graffiti* was set in historic downtown Petaluma. The Mediterranean climate is perfect for outdoor activities.

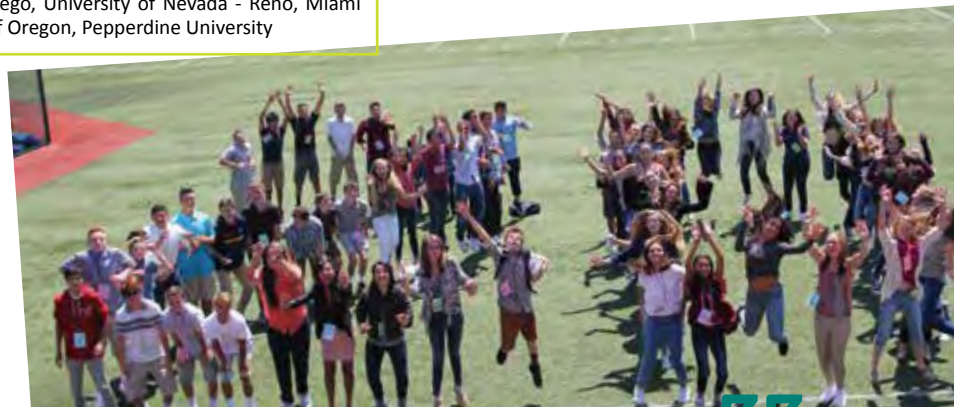
### OPTIONS AVAILABLE\*:

- Foreign Languages:** French, Spanish
- Advanced Placement Courses:** Biology, Calculus AB, Calculus BC, Chemistry, Computer Science Principles, English Literature and Composition, French Language and Culture, Physics 1, Spanish Language and Culture, Studio Art: 2-D Design, Studio Art: Drawing, US History
- Arts:** 2D Design, Ceramics, Drama, Jazz Ensemble, Painting, Studio Art
- Athletics:**
  - Boys:**
    - Fall:** Cross Country, Football, Soccer
    - Winter:** Basketball, Wrestling
    - Spring:** Baseball, Golf, Swimming, Tennis, Track and Field
  - Girls:**
    - Fall:** Cheerleading, Cross Country, Soccer, Volleyball
    - Winter:** Basketball
    - Spring:** Golf, Softball, Swimming, Tennis, Track and Field
- Extracurricular Activities:** A Cappella, Art, Campus Ministry, Chess, Finance, French, Garden, Leadership, Meditation, Mentoring Program, Music, Philosophy, Recycling, Yoga
- ESL Available/Level:** YES

\*All courses and options offered by the school are subject to change.

**University Acceptance Rate:** 98%

**Partial List of University Acceptances:** Arizona State University, Brown University, Duke University, Emory University, Fordham University, University of Idaho, The University of Arizona, Johns Hopkins University, Humboldt State University, Lesley University, Lewis & Clark College, California Lutheran University, Linfield College, Loyola Marymount University, Loyola University Chicago, California State University, Loyola University - Maryland, Fullerton College of Marin, Marist College, University of California - Berkeley, University of California - Irvine, University of California - San Diego, University of Nevada - Reno, Miami University - Oxford, University of Colorado - Boulder, University of Oregon, Pepperdine University





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# Vacaville Christian School

## Vacaville, CA



### LOCATION:

- Population: 96,000
- Located 1 Hour Southwest of Sacramento
- Weather:  
Summer/Fall: Hot and Dry  
Winter/Spring: Cool and Wet

### ELIGIBILITY:

- Enrollment Restrictions: Grades Accepted: 9-11
- Minimum SLEP: Not Accepted
- Minimum TOEFL: 70
- Minimum ELTIS: Not Accepted
- Minimum TOEFL Junior: 750
- Minimum SLATE: 4.0

### SCHOOL HIGHLIGHTS:

- Classrooms equipped with cutting edge technology
- Has its own music conservatory and radio broadcasting station
- Located near San Francisco and 1 hour from the Pacific Coast

### ACADEMICS AND FACTS:

- Grades at School: 9-12
- Total Students in School: 200
- Teacher/Student Ratio: 1:9
- School Uniform Required: NO
- Religious Affiliation: Christian
- Diploma Year Offered: NO



### OPTIONS AVAILABLE\*:

**Foreign Languages:** French, Spanish

**Advanced Placement Courses:** Biology, Calculus AB, Calculus BC, Chemistry, English Language and Composition, English Literature and Composition, European History, Microeconomics, Physics 1, Physics 2, Psychology, Spanish Language and Culture, Spanish Literature and Culture, Statistics, Studio Art: 2-D Design, Studio Art: Drawing, US Government and Politics, US History

**Arts:** Art, Choir, Drama, Jazz

**Athletics:**

**Boys:**

**Fall:** Football, Soccer, Cross Country

**Winter:** Basketball, Wrestling

**Spring:** Golf, Volleyball, Baseball, Track, Swimming, Tennis

**Girls:**

**Fall:** Cheerleading, Cross Country, Volleyball

**Winter:** Basketball, Cheerleading, Wrestling

**Spring:** Soccer, Softball, Golf, Volleyball, Baseball, Swimming, Tennis, Track

**Extracurricular Activities:** Anime, California Scholarship Federation, Culture, Film, Game, Interact, Mu Alpha Theta Honor Society, National Honor Society, Russian, Student Ambassadors, Student Athlete Advisory Council, Student Government  
**ESL Available/Level:** YES

\*All courses and options offered by the school are subject to change.

### SCHOOL PROFILE

Vacaville Christian School accepts international high school students in grades 9-11. Students have the opportunity to develop their talents with Advanced Placement courses and extracurricular activities.

### FACILITIES

The school has three state-of-the-art college-level science labs, an art studio, and modern athletic facilities with football and soccer fields, baseball and softball diamonds, a gymnasium, two full-size basketball courts, and a weight room.

### SPORTS AND ARTS

Athletic options range from team sports like baseball, cheerleading, football, soccer, and softball to individual sports like cross country, golf, and wrestling.

Every student is encouraged to expand their knowledge and develop their creative skills. Students have access to a Music Conservatory and Radio Broadcasting Station as well as courses in art, chorale and drama.

### AWARDS AND ACCOMPLISHMENTS

Vacaville Christian School was voted best private school in Solano County.

### COMMUNITY INFORMATION

Vacaville is centrally located between San Francisco and California's capital city, Sacramento. About three hours east of Vacaville is beautiful Lake Tahoe, famous for its water sports and world-class ski resorts. The city's downtown area hosts the Vacaville Fiesta Days each May, which features street concerts, a car show, and a parade.

**University Acceptance Rate:** 99%

**Partial List of University Acceptances:** Arizona State University, Boston College, Boston University, Cornell University, Ithaca College, Johns Hopkins University, New York University, Pennsylvania State University, Pepperdine University, Pratt Institute, Purdue University, Rensselaer Polytechnic Institute, Rutgers University, Syracuse University, United States Military Academy - West Point, University of Colorado - Boulder, University of Pennsylvania, University of Southern California, Washington State University, University of California Berkeley, University of California Davis, University of California Irvine, University of California Los Angeles (UCLA), University of California - San Diego, California Polytechnic State University (Cal Poly)

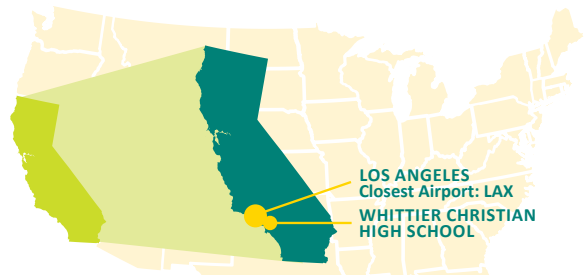






# Whittier Christian High School

## La Habra, CA



### LOCATION:

- Population: 62,066
- Located 40 Minutes Southeast of Los Angeles
- Weather:  
Summer/Fall: Hot and Dry  
Winter/Spring: Cool and Dry

### ELIGIBILITY:

- Enrollment Restrictions: Grades Accepted: 9-11
- Minimum SLEP: Not Accepted
- Minimum TOEFL: 40-50 (varies by grade)
- Minimum ELTiS: Not Accepted
- Minimum SLATE: 3.0

### SCHOOL HIGHLIGHTS:

- Earn college credits through California State Fullerton
- Championship sport teams
- Located in Southern California near Los Angeles

### ACADEMICS AND FACTS:

- Grades at School: 9-12
- Total Students in School: 620
- Teacher/Student Ratio: 1:14
- School Uniform Required: NO
- Religious Affiliation: Christian
- Diploma Year Offered: NO



### OPTIONS AVAILABLE\*:

**Foreign Languages:** French, German, Spanish

**Advanced Placement Courses:** Biology, Calculus AB, Chemistry, English Language and Composition, English Literature and Composition, Environmental Science, Physics 1, Psychology, Spanish Language and Culture, Studio Art: 2-D Design, Studio Art: Drawing, US Government and Politics

**Arts:** Art Design, Concert Band, Dance, Design, Digital Art Design, Digital Photography, Drumline, Honors Art, Jazz Band, Marching Band, Pep Band, Pit Percussion, Strings Ensemble, Studio Art, Theater

#### Athletics:

##### Boys:

**Fall:** Cheerleading, Cross Country, Football  
**Winter:** Basketball, Soccer  
**Spring:** Baseball, Golf, Softball, Swimming and Diving, Tennis, Track and Field, Volleyball

##### Girls:

**Fall:** Cheerleading, Cross Country, Tennis, Volleyball  
**Winter:** Basketball, Soccer  
**Spring:** Baseball, Golf, Softball, Swimming and Diving, Track and Field

**Extracurricular Activities:** Bible Study, California Scholarship Federation, College Vision Club, Contemporary American Thinking, Film, French Club, German Club, International Club, International Justice Mission, Key Club, Math, National Honor Society, Students Against Destructive Decisions, The Herald Newspaper, Video Game, Yearbook

**ESL Available/Level:** YES

### SCHOOL PROFILE

Located in a quiet community, Whittier Christian High School is situated half an hour from the city of Los Angeles and 40 minutes from the beaches of California. It offers a 1:1 iPad Instructional Program and the flexibility of three academic tracks.

### FACILITIES

The 20-acre campus includes a new gymnasium, state-of-the-art computer, science, and digital art labs, a multimedia presentation room, an auditorium, and an art gallery.

### SPORTS AND ARTS

Many alumni of Whittier's strong athletics program have gone on to play collegiate and professional level sports.

For students interested in fine and performing arts, an extensive program offers a variety of choices from studio art, dance, choir and string ensemble, to jazz, concert and marching band.

### COMMUNITY INFORMATION

La Habra is located in Orange County, California, near some of the most beautiful beaches in the United States. It is also a short distance from the famous Disneyland theme park. The city has plenty of shopping, entertainment, parks, and bike trails.

**University Acceptance Rate:** 99%

**Partial List of University Acceptances:** Arizona State University, Baylor University, Boston College, Boston University, California Baptist University, California State University, Colorado State University, Duke University, Georgetown University, Georgia State University, Harvard University, Kansas State University, Loyola University, Miami University, Oberlin College, Ohio State University, Oklahoma Baptist University, Oregon State University, Princeton University, University of Chicago, University of Connecticut, University of Florida, University of Michigan, University of Notre Dame, University of Pennsylvania, Wheaton College, Yale University



One of Southern California's leading private high schools. Students are taught, inspired, and prepared to be critical thinkers. Great location to Los Angeles and all of its attractions. – **Madelyn Mancini, Regional Manager**

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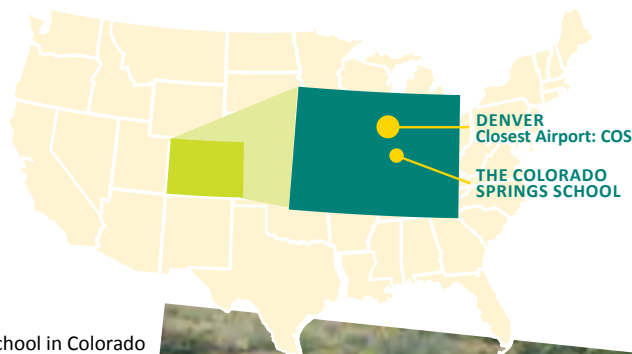
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# The Colorado Springs School

## Colorado Springs, CO



### LOCATION:

- Population: 445,000
- Located in Colorado Springs
- Weather:  
Summer/Fall: Warm and Dry  
Winter/Spring: Cold and Dry

### ELIGIBILITY:

- Enrollment Restrictions: Grades Accepted: 9-11
- Minimum SLEP: Not Accepted
- Minimum TOEFL: 85-90 (Varies by Grade)
- Minimum ELTIS: Not Accepted
- Strong application with low scores may be considered; please inquire

### SCHOOL HIGHLIGHTS:

- Ranked a top 3 private school in Colorado by Niche.com
- Low teacher/student ratio
- Perfect location for year-round sports like mountain biking and skiing

### ACADEMICS AND FACTS:

- Grades at School: 9-12
- Total Students in school: 300
- Teacher/Student Ratio: 1:7
- School Uniform Required: NO
- Religious Affiliation: None
- Diploma Year Offered: NO



### SCHOOL PROFILE

Founded in 1962, Colorado Springs School is a private, college preparatory day school. Students learn through traditional and experiential methods based in “real world” experiences inside and outside of the classroom.

### FACILITIES

The 28-acre campus is located at the foot of the Rocky Mountains on a former estate built in 1907. The school’s main building is listed on the National Register of Historic Places. The school’s facilities include a theater, gallery, performing arts center, gymnasium, and newly developed innovation lab.

### SPORTS AND ARTS

Some of the competitive athletic teams offered at Colorado Springs include soccer, basketball, volleyball, cross-country, tennis, lacrosse, golf, and mountain biking.

For those with more creative interests, three plays/musicals are performed each year in the on-campus performing arts center. The school also offers many arts courses.

### AWARDS AND ACCOMPLISHMENTS

Niche ranked The Colorado Springs School the third-best private school in Colorado. The school was also ranked #1 Best Private School by The Colorado Springs Business Journal in 2016.

### COMMUNITY INFORMATION

Home to the United States Olympics Training Center, Colorado Springs is a destination for year-round outdoor activities such as running, hiking, cycling, and winter sports.

**University Acceptance Rate:** 100%

**Partial List of University Acceptances:** Baylor University, Boston University, Columbia University, Cornell University, Duke University, Georgetown University, John Hopkins University, Santa Clara University, Massachusetts Institute of Technology, Miami University, New York University, Northwestern University, Ohio State University, Pennsylvania State University, Purdue University, Texas A and M University, Tufts University, University of California, University of Chicago, University of Colorado, University of Notre Dame, University Of Pennsylvania, University of Texas, University of Washington, Vanderbilt University, George Washington University

CSS has a very warm and welcoming school environment. You literally know every person in the upper school. The teacher knows each student very well, so they can individualized advice and help them to do their best.  
– Victor from China



### OPTIONS AVAILABLE\*:

**Foreign Languages:** French, Spanish

**Advanced Placement Courses:** Biology, Calculus AB, Calculus BC, Chemistry, Comparative Government and Politics, English Language and Composition, English Literature and Composition, Environmental Science, Macroeconomics, Microeconomics, Psychology, Spanish Language and Culture, Statistics, US History

**Arts:** Band, Choir, Drawing, Glass Making, Graphic Design, Jewelry Making, Metal Sculpture, Painting, Photography, Pottery, Theater

#### Athletics:

##### Boys:

**Fall:** Cross Country, Mountain Biking, Soccer, Tennis

**Winter:** Basketball

**Spring:** Volleyball

##### Girls:

**Fall:** Cross Country, Mountain Biking, Volleyball

**Winter:** Basketball

**Spring:** Soccer, Tennis

**Extracurricular Activities:** Art Club, Book Club, Computer Science Club, Disc Golf, Garage Band, Mountain Caravan, National Honor Society, Poetry, Retreats, Robotics, Ski Club, Student Government, Theater Production, Ultimate Frisbee, Yearbook

**ESL Available/Level:** NO

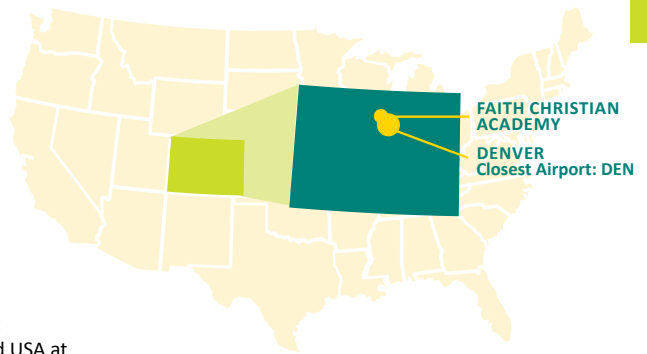
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# Faith Christian Academy

## Arvada, CO



### LOCATION:

- Population: 107,451
- Located 30 Minutes Northwest of Denver
- Weather:  
Summer/Fall: Warm and Dry  
Winter/Spring: Cool and Dry

### ELIGIBILITY:

- Enrollment Restrictions: Grades Accepted: 9-12
- Minimum SLEP: 52
- Minimum TOEFL: Not Required
- Minimum ELTiS: 220

### SCHOOL HIGHLIGHTS:

- FCA student represented USA at international triathlon
- Rated "A" on Niche.com
- Strong sports program

### ACADEMICS AND FACTS:

- Grades at School: K-12
- Total Students in School: 1,000
- Students in High School: 404
- Teacher/Student Ratio: 1:16
- School Uniform Required: NO
- Religious Affiliation: None
- Diploma Year Offered: YES

### SCHOOL PROFILE

Faith Christian Academy is a private Christian school near Denver, Colorado. Students may choose to take either Advanced Placement or dual enrollment classes where they have the opportunity to earn college credit while attending high school.

### FACILITIES

The school's 75,000 square foot main building houses a gym, classrooms, and special art, science, and technology labs. Outside are a variety of athletic fields and facilities.

### SPORTS AND ARTS

Faith Christian students have received more than 110 Division I and II collegiate athletic scholarships and won 32 Colorado State Championships since 1998. The school is consistently ranked in the top 20% of all high schools in the state in athletics. Students in the choir, band, art, and drama programs participate in state competitions and frequently earn top honors.

### COMMUNITY INFORMATION

The city of Arvada is a quiet suburb located about twenty minutes northwest of downtown Denver. The state of Colorado is well known for numerous outdoor activities including hiking and snowboarding.

**University Acceptance Rate:** 100%

**Partial List of University Acceptances:** Azusa Pacific University, Colorado Christian University, Colorado School of Mines, Colorado State University, Massachusetts Institute of Technology (MIT), Oral Roberts University, Stanford University, University of Colorado, United States Air Force Academy, Wheaton College

**OPTIONS AVAILABLE\*:**

**Foreign Languages:** French, Latin, Spanish

**Advanced Placement Courses:** Calculus BC, Physics C: Mechanics

**Arts:** Art, Band, Choir, Digital Photography, Drama, Graphic Design, Pottery, Video Production

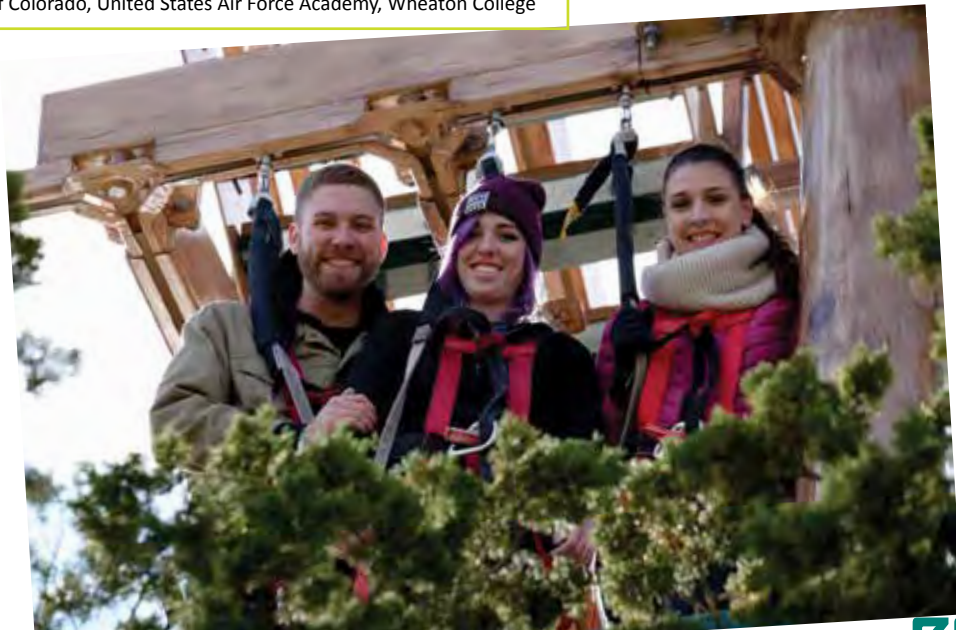
**Athletics:**

**Boys:**  
**Fall:** Cross Country, Football, Golf, Soccer  
**Winter:** Basketball, Wrestling  
**Spring:** Baseball, Club Volleyball, Track

**Girls:**  
**Fall:** Cheerleading, Cross Country, Softball, Volleyball  
**Winter:** Basketball, Cheerleading  
**Spring:** Golf, Softball, Track

**Extracurricular Activities:** Debate, Forensics, French, Knowledge Bowl, National Honor Society, Robotics and Engineering, Science, Speech, Student Leadership Council

**ESL Available/Level:** NO



\*All courses and options offered by the school are subject to change.



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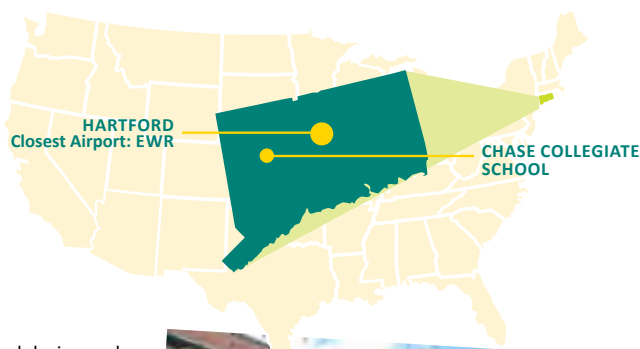
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# Chase Collegiate School

## Waterbury, CT



### LOCATION:

- Population: 110,000
- Located 1 hour 30 minutes Northeast of New York City
- Weather:  
Fall/Winter: Cold and Temperate  
Spring/Summer: Warm and Humid

### ELIGIBILITY:

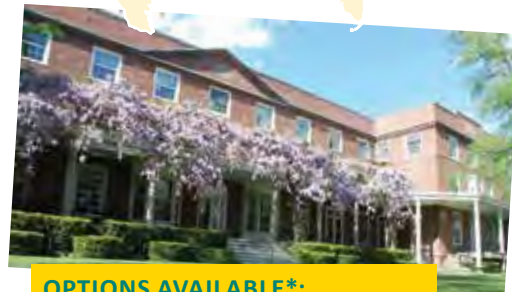
- Enrollment Restrictions: None
- Minimum SLEP: Not Accepted
- Minimum TOEFL: No Minimum
- Minim ELTiS: No Minimum

### SCHOOL HIGHLIGHTS:

- Curriculum centered around design and innovation
- Capstone Project allows seniors to design and create a cross-curricular project
- Performing arts opportunities such as rock band

### ACADEMICS AND FACTS:

- Grades at School: 9-12
- Total Students in School: 250
- Teacher/Student Ratio: 1:8
- School Uniform Required: YES
- Diploma Year Offered: NO



### OPTIONS AVAILABLE\*:

**Foreign Languages:** French, Latin, Spanish

**Advanced Placement Courses:** Biology, Calculus AB, Calculus BC, Chemistry, English Language and Composition, English Literature and Composition, European History, French Language and Culture, Physics, Spanish Language and Culture, Statistics, US History, World History

**Arts:** Acting, Advanced Studio Art, Band, Black and White Photography, Ceramics, Chorus, Digital Photography, Drawing, Painting, Revolution in Print, Set Design, Short Documentary Production, Sound Design, Theater Production, Yearbook

#### Athletics:

##### Boys:

**Fall:** Cross Country, Soccer, Volleyball  
**Winter:** Basketball, Indoor Track, Wrestling  
**Spring:** Baseball, Golf, Lacrosse, Tennis, Ultimate Frisbee

##### Girls:

**Fall:** Cross Country, Soccer, Volleyball  
**Winter:** Basketball, Indoor Track  
**Spring:** Golf, Lacrosse, Softball, Tennis, Ultimate Frisbee

**Extracurricular Activities:** Bowling, Chase Information Agency, Culture Club, Current Events Club, Executive Council, Habitat for Humanity, Honor Council, Investment Club, Life is Delicious, Literary Magazine, Math Team, Robotics Club, Special Wishes, Student Council, Trees of Hope

**ESL Available/Level:** YES

\*All courses and options offered by the school are subject to change.

### SCHOOL PROFILE

Located less than two hours from New York City, Chase Collegiate School provides students with a one-of-a-kind learning environment. With a curriculum centered around design and innovation, the school encourages students to follow their passions and think outside the box.

### FACILITIES

Chase Collegiate School has state-of-the-art facilities including a field house, an arts center, and tennis courts. Three "Innovation Spaces" or design labs are an integral part of the Design Thinking Curriculum and foster creative and critical thinking.

### SPORTS AND ARTS

Students at Chase Collegiate School can participate in a number of sports throughout the school year. The Highlanders compete in the New England Preparatory School Athletic Council (NEPSAC).

There are plenty of artistic opportunities at Chase Collegiate School. From options like acting and band to more unique programs like set design and theater production, students are encouraged to explore their passions.

### AWARDS AND ACCOMPLISHMENTS

Chase Collegiate School has produced a number of distinguished alumni, former CIA Director and congressman Porter Goss, TV producer Christopher Licht, and Webster Bank president James Smith.

### COMMUNITY INFORMATION

Waterbury (nicknamed "The Brass City") is a city in the US state of Connecticut on the Naugatuck River. It is the 10th largest city in the New York Metropolitan Area, 9th largest city in New England and the 5th largest city in Connecticut. Students can easily access the famous cities of New York and Boston.

**Partial List of University Acceptances:** American University, Boston College, Boston University, Colgate University, Connecticut College, Cornell University, Fairfield University, Fordham University, George Washington University, Middlebury College, New York University, Northeastern University, Pennsylvania State University, Providence College, Trinity College, Tufts University, University of Connecticut, University of Hartford, University of New Hampshire, University of Pennsylvania, University of Rochester, Vanderbilt University, Villanova University, Yale University

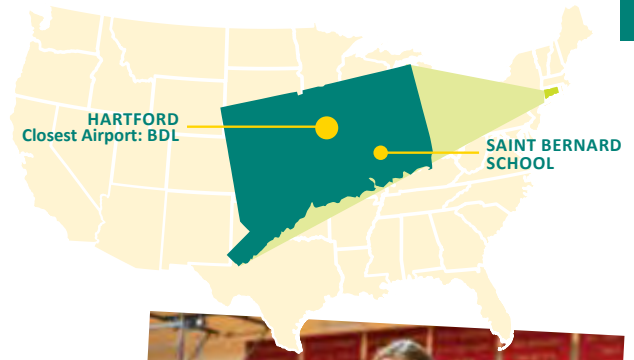






# Saint Bernard School

## Uncasville, CT



### LOCATION:

- Population: 20,000
- Located 45 Minutes Southeast of Hartford
- Weather:  
Summer/Fall: Warm and Humid  
Winter/Spring: Cold and Temperate

### ELIGIBILITY:

- Enrollment Restrictions: Grades Accepted: 8-11
- Minimum SLEP: 61
- Minimum TOEFL: 65
- Minimum ELTIS: 242

### SCHOOL HIGHLIGHTS:

- Strong arts program
- Rated "A" on Niche.com
- Located near Boston, New York and Providence

### ACADEMICS AND FACTS:

- Grades at School: 6-12
- Total Students in School: 325 (15% International)
- Students in High School: 240
- Teacher/Student Ratio: 1:10
- School Uniform Required: YES
- Religious Affiliation: Catholic
- Diploma Year Offered: NO



### SCHOOL PROFILE

Saint Bernard School is a private educational institution. The school offers Advanced Placement courses and an "Early College Experience" program through local universities. In addition, the school boasts the most advanced mathematics department in eastern Connecticut.

### FACILITIES

Saint Bernard's recently upgraded its sports facilities and educational equipment. There are science labs for classes like forensic science and a Cloud Analysis Center used for digital education courses.

### SPORTS AND ARTS

More than 95% of Saint Bernard students participate in at least one of its 23 varsity sports.

Students may also choose to take part in courses such as concert choir and band as well as a variety of clubs and activities including, choir, band, orchestra, strings, jazz, guitar, piano, drama and dance. The award-winning music department has performed at Disneyland, Times Square, and Carnegie Hall.

### AWARDS AND ACCOMPLISHMENTS

In 2015, the Saint Bernard Mock Trial Team was the regional champion, advancing to the second round of Civics First CT semi-finals. The school is also the only Catholic high school in the state of Connecticut with a competitive marching band.

### COMMUNITY INFORMATION

Located 45 minutes from the city of Hartford, Uncasville is a village within the township of Montville. Home to the Mohegan Sun Arena, which hosts major concerts and live sporting events, Uncasville is also one and a half hours from Boston, three hours from New York City, and not far from beaches along the Atlantic Ocean.

### OPTIONS AVAILABLE\*:

**Foreign Languages:** French, Spanish

**Advanced Placement Courses:** Art History, Biology, Calculus AB, Chemistry, AP Computer Science English Literature and Composition, English Literature and Composition, Music Theory, Microeconomics, Music Theory, Spanish Language and Culture, US History

**Arts:** Acting, Art, Computer Graphic Design, Drama, Lighting and Sound, Music, Photography, Pottery, Set Building, Theater Introduction

#### Athletics:

##### Boys:

**Fall:** Cross Country, Football, Soccer,  
**Winter:** Basketball, Fencing, Ice Hockey, Indoor Track, Wrestling  
**Spring:** Baseball, Golf, Soccer, Tennis

##### Girls:

**Fall:** Cheerleading, Cross Country, Soccer  
**Winter:** Basketball, Cheerleading, Fencing, Indoor Track, Wrestling  
**Spring:** Golf, Lacrosse, Softball, Tennis, Track and Field

**Extracurricular Activities:** Chess Club, Choir, Dance, Drama, Guitar, International Club, Jazz Band, Math Team, Mock Trial, Mu Alpha Theta, String Ensemble, Student Ambassadors, Student Government, Student Leadership Council, Yearbook

**ESL Available/Level:** YES - Advanced

\*All courses and options offered by the school are subject to change.

**University Acceptance Rate:** 100%

**Partial List of University Acceptances:** Boston College, Boston University, Brown University, Columbia University, Concordia University, Duke University, Fordham University, Georgetown University, Gonzaga University, Harvard University, Johns Hopkins University, Keene State College, Loyola University, New York University, Northeastern University, Providence College, Syracuse University, University of Alabama, University of Chicago, University of Colorado, University of Massachusetts, University of Notre Dame, University of Tampa, Vanderbilt University, Villanova University, Wheaton College, Yale University





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YEAR

# Lake Mary Preparatory School

## Lake Mary, FL



### LOCATION:

- Population: 15,800
- Located 30 Minutes North of Orlando
- Weather:  
Summer/Fall: Temperate and Warm  
Winter/Spring: Cool and Humid

### ELIGIBILITY:

- Enrollment Restrictions: Grades Accepted: 9-12
- Minimum SLEP: Not Accepted
- Minimum TOEFL: Not Required
- Minimum ELTIS: Not Required

### SCHOOL HIGHLIGHTS:

- STEAM program with Makerspace
- Renowned golf program
- Self-directed student interest project with advisory mentor

### ACADEMICS AND FACTS:

- Grades at School: Pre K-12
- Total Students in School: 520
- Students in High School: 250
- Teacher/Student Ratio: 1:11
- School Uniform Required: YES
- Religious Affiliation: None
- Diploma Year Offered: YES

### SCHOOL PROFILE

Lake Mary Preparatory School is an academically rigorous school located 30 minutes from the city of Orlando. The school's distinguished STEAM program features 15 honors and AP science courses and a new Makerspace.

### FACILITIES

The 48-acre campus features science and computer labs, art studios, instrumental and vocal music rooms, a performance stage, a pottery room, and a new Makerspace with a 3D printer, laser cutter, and Clear Touch interactive board. Athletic facilities include a fully-equipped weight room, a gymnasium, a dance studio, and athletic fields and courts.

### SPORTS AND ARTS

Lake Mary Preparatory School's competitive athletics program has won state championships in several sports but is best known for its outstanding golf program. Lake Mary collaborates with Mike Bender Golf Academy and Eagles Dream Golf Academy. The school's arts program offers students unique opportunities in diverse disciplines such as drama, music, graphic design and media, photography, and fine arts.

### AWARDS AND ACCOMPLISHMENTS

Lake Mary was awarded the AP Capstone in recognition of academic achievement. Each year, about fifty percent of Lake Mary graduates are admitted into a top 50 American college or university. Both genders' golf and archery teams have won multiple state championships. The school's 2017-18 debate team was in the country's top ten percent.

### COMMUNITY INFORMATION

Located in central Florida and just half-hour from Orlando, international students can easily take a day trip to Disney World and Universal Studios.

#### University Acceptance Rate: 100%

**Partial List of University Acceptances:** Boston College, Boston University, Brandeis University, College of William and Mary, Colorado State University, Columbia University, Florida State University, Georgia Tech University, Harvard University, Indiana University, Miami University - Ohio, Northwestern University, Ohio State University, Pennsylvania State University, Purdue University, University of Arizona, University of California, University of Colorado, University of Florida, University of Illinois, University of Miami, University of Michigan, University of Minnesota, University of Rochester, University of Tampa, University of Texas, University of Wisconsin - Madison, Vanderbilt University



### OPTIONS AVAILABLE\*:

**Foreign Languages:** Chinese, French, Spanish

**Advanced Placement Courses:** Biology, Calculus AB, Calculus BC, Chemistry, Computer Science, English Composition, English Literature, Environmental Science, Government & Politics, Physics B, Psychology, Spanish Language and Culture, Statistics, Studio Art: 2D Design, US Government, US History, World History

**Arts:** 2D Art, 3D Art, Acting, Animation, AP Studio Art: 2D Design, Band, Chorus, Costume and Makeup, Dance, Digital Art, Drama, Film, Graphic Design, Music, Photography, Portfolio, Studio Art, Symphonic Band, Technical Theater, Television Production, Yearbook

#### Athletics:

##### Boys:

**Fall:** Bowling, Cross Country, Football, Golf, Swimming

**Winter:** Basketball, Soccer, Weightlifting

**Spring:** Archery, Baseball, Tennis, Track and Field

##### Girls:

**Fall:** Bowling, Cross Country, Golf, Swimming, Volleyball

**Winter:** Basketball, Soccer, Weightlifting  
**Spring:** Archery, Lacrosse, Softball, Tennis, Track and Field

**Extracurricular Activities:** Art Honor Society, Band, Chess Club, Choir, Dance Team, Female Empowerment, Film & Photography Club, Global Society, Habitat for Humanity, Intramural Sports, Key Club, Latin Club, Math Counts, National Honor Society, News Network, Newspaper Club, Robotics, Spanish Club, Speech and Debate, Spirit Club, Yearbook

**ESL Available/Level:** YES

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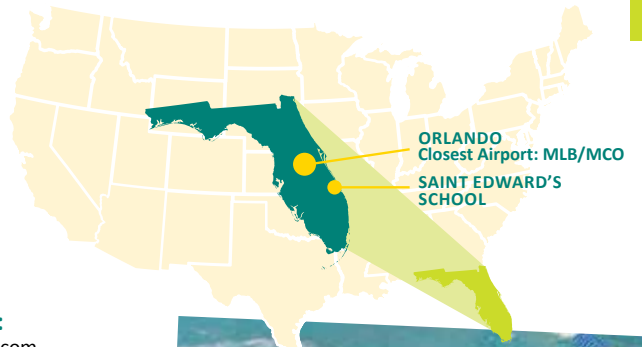






# Saint Edward's School

## Vero Beach, FL



### LOCATION:

- Population: 17,000
- Located 2 Hours Southeast of Orlando
- Weather:  
Summer/Fall: Hot and Humid  
Winter/Spring: Warm and Temperate

### ELIGIBILITY:

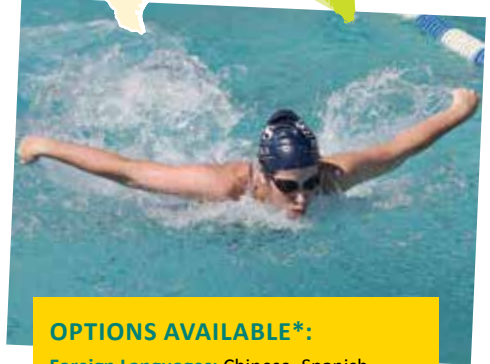
- Enrollment Restrictions: Grades Accepted: 9-12
- Minimum SLEP: Not Accepted
- Minimum TOEFL: 70-75 (Varies by Grade)
- Minimum ELTIS: 215-225 (Varies by Grade)

### SCHOOL HIGHLIGHTS:

- Rated an "A+" on Niche.com
- Outstanding swim team with professional coaches
- Ideal coastal location in Florida

### ACADEMICS AND FACTS:

- Grades at School: Pre K-12
- Total Students in School: 584
- Students in High School: 240
- Teacher/Student Ratio: 1:13
- School Uniform Required: NO
- Religious Affiliation: Episcopal
- Diploma Year Offered: NO



### OPTIONS AVAILABLE\*:

**Foreign Languages:** Chinese, Spanish

**Advanced Placement Courses:** Art History, Biology, Calculus AB, Calculus BC, Chemistry, Computer Science A, English Language and Composition, English Literature and Composition, Environmental Science, European History, Human Geography, Macroeconomics, Microeconomics, Music Theory, Physics C: Electricity and Magnetism, Physics C: Mechanics, Spanish Language and Culture, Spanish Literature and Culture, Statistics, Studio Art: 2-D Design, Studio Art: Drawing, US Government and Politics, US History, World History

**Arts:** Concert Band, Concert Choir, Conservatory, Design, Electronic Music, Graphics, Photojournalism, Studio Art, Theater

#### Athletics:

##### Boys:

**Fall:** Cross Country, Football, Golf, Swimming

**Winter:** Basketball, Soccer

**Spring:** Baseball, Crew, Lacrosse, Tennis, Weightlifting

##### Girls:

**Fall:** Cheerleading, Cross Country, Golf, Swimming, Volleyball

**Winter:** Basketball, Soccer, Weightlifting

**Spring:** Crew, Lacrosse, Tennis

**Extracurricular Activities:** Dance, Environment Competition, Film Club, Model United Nations, Mu Alpha Theta, Photography, Poetry Club

**ESL Available/Level:** YES

### SCHOOL PROFILE

Saint Edward's School is an independent, Episcopal institution with a challenging upper-school curriculum. International students can join programs like STEM, entrepreneurship/business classes, a Global Initiatives Program, and internship opportunities.

### FACILITIES

The beautiful 33-acre campus is set along Florida's Treasure Coast off the Indian River Lagoon, complete with a dock and a fleet of boats. Other facilities include an 800-seat performing arts center, an aquatic complex, gymnasiums, and a fine arts center with music and art studios. There are also two libraries, athletic fields, and science labs.

### SPORTS AND ARTS

Saint Edwards School has a very competitive sports program, fielding numerous championship teams.

Many of the school's fine and performing arts courses such as choral and instrumental music, art history, technical theater, and speech performance are taught by practicing professionals.

### COMMUNITY INFORMATION

Vero Beach is a coastal town located on the Treasure Coast of central Florida. There are activities to enjoy like sunny beaches, water activities, urban hiking, historical tours, and quiet afternoons fishing on the lagoon.

**University Acceptance Rate:** 100%

**Partial List of University Acceptances:** Babson College, Brown University, Bucknell University, Columbia University, Dartmouth College, George Washington University, Georgia Institute of Technology, Harvard University, Johns Hopkins University, McGill University, Massachusetts Institute of Technology, Mount Holyoke College, Notre Dame University, Northwestern University, New York University, Oxford University, Princeton University, University of California, University of Florida, University of Michigan, University of Pennsylvania, University of Virginia, Vanderbilt University, Villanova University, Yale University



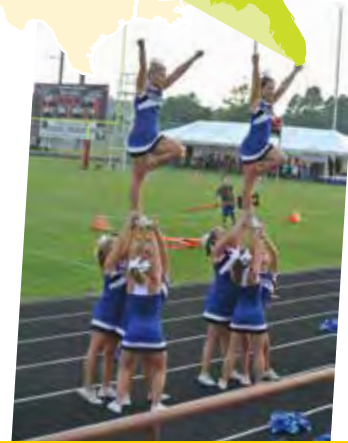
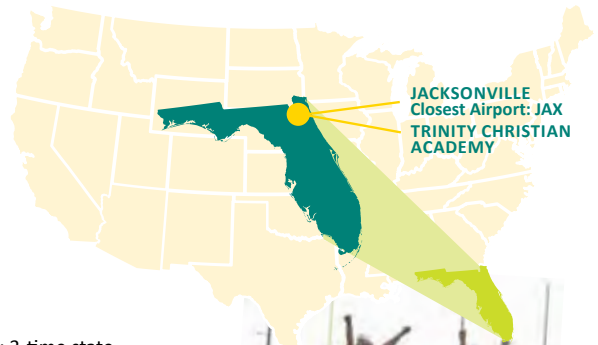
It's a really good school, it has great environment for study and the students there are very nice. The school treats the international students very well. – Siyue from China

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# Trinity Christian Academy

## Jacksonville, FL



### LOCATION:

- Population: 854,000
- Located in Jacksonville
- Weather:
  - Summer/Fall: Warm and Humid
  - Winter/Spring: Cool and Humid

### ELIGIBILITY:

- Enrollment Restrictions: Grades Accepted: 7-11; Grade 12 US transfers
- Minimum SLEP: Not Accepted
- Minimum TOEFL: 38-75 (Varies by Grade)
- Minimum ELTIS: Not Required

### SCHOOL HIGHLIGHTS:

- Strong baseball program; 3-time state champions
- Championship marching band
- Award-winning art program

### ACADEMICS AND FACTS:

- Grades at School: K-12
- Total Students in School: 1,464
- Students in High School: 350
- Teacher/Student Ratio: 1:18
- School Uniform Required: YES
- Religious Affiliation: Christian
- Diploma Year Offered: NO

### SCHOOL PROFILE

Trinity Christian teachers utilize some of the latest technologies in their classrooms such as Smartboards and tablets. Many students have gone on to study at prestigious colleges and universities across the United States.

### FACILITIES

Trinity Christian is located on a beautiful 150 acre campus. International students can relax between classes or enjoy the sunny Florida weather during lunch with friends. There are also five different computer labs available on campus for students.

### SPORTS AND ARTS

Trinity Christian Academy's athletic programs offer a range of sports for male and female athletes to compete in.

The school also offers some of the best fine arts courses in Florida, such as marching band and drawing. Private piano and voice lessons are exclusively offered by well-qualified teachers.

### COMMUNITY INFORMATION

Jacksonville is the largest city in Florida and is located on the northeastern coast of the state. International students will enjoy great Florida weather, a large city center with many fun activities, famous universities, and beaches.

**University Acceptance Rate:** 90%

**Partial List of University Acceptances:** American College, Auburn University, Boston College, Clemson University, Embry-Riddle Aeronautical University, Georgia Tech, Johnson & Wales University, Liberty University, Ohio University, Pennsylvania State University, Purdue University, Rutgers University, University of California, University of Illinois, University of Florida, University of Washington, University of Minnesota, Indiana University, Florida State University, Binghamton University New York, Mount Holyoke College

### OPTIONS AVAILABLE\*:

**Foreign Languages:** American Sign Language, Chinese, French, German, Latin, Spanish

**Advanced Placement Courses:** Calculus, Chemistry, Human Geography, World History

**Arts:** Band, Choir, Concert Band, Drawing and Painting, Theater, Marching Band, Speech, Symphonic Band, Theater Production

#### Athletics:

##### Boys:

**Fall:** Cross Country, Football, Golf, Volleyball

**Winter:** Basketball, Soccer

**Spring:** Baseball, Tennis, Track and Field

##### Girls:

**Fall:** Cross Country, Golf, Volleyball

**Winter:** Basketball, Cheerleading, Soccer

**Spring:** Softball, Tennis, Track and Field

**Extracurricular Activities:** Art Club, Bible Club, Chorus, Computer, Drama, Internships, International Club, Marching Band, National Honor Society, Private Art and Music Lessons Club, Science Club, Student Council, Symphonic Band, Theater

**ESL Available/Level:** NO - Language support and tutoring is available.

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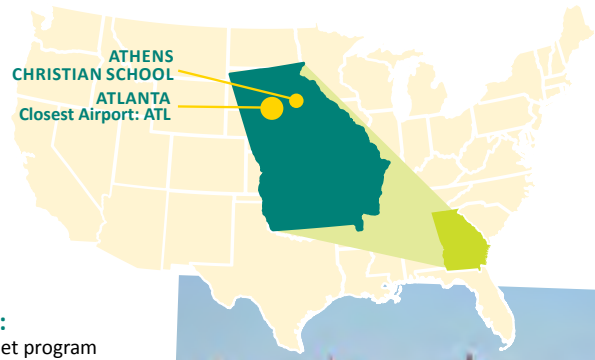






# Athens Christian School

## Athens, GA



### LOCATION:

- Population: 120,000
- Located 1 hour and 25 Minutes East of Atlanta
- Weather:  
Summer/Fall: Warm and Humid  
Winter/Spring: Cool and Mild

### ELIGIBILITY:

- Enrollment Restrictions: Grades Accepting: 9-12
- Minimum SLEP: Not Accepted
- Minimum TOEFL: No Minimum
- Minimum ELTIS: No Minimum

### SCHOOL HIGHLIGHTS:

- Year-round classical ballet program
- Highly-rated piano program
- A recipient of the Christenberry Award for Academic Excellence for the last four years

### ACADEMICS AND FACTS:

- Grades at School: Pre K-12
- Total Students in School: 750
- Students in High School: 230
- Teacher/Student Ratio: 1:17
- School Uniform Required: NO
- Religious Affiliation: Christian
- Diploma Year Offered: YES



### SCHOOL PROFILE

Athens Christian School is a private, inter-denominational Christian day school 1.5 hours from Atlanta. A tight-knit community, the school offers Advanced Placement courses as well as different clubs and activities.

### FACILITIES

Athens Christian School's campus facilities are comprised of a field house, a football stadium, sports fields, a gymnasium, and a wrestling practice room. There are chemistry and computer labs, plus drama and music centers.

### SPORTS AND ARTS

Students have more than 15 sports to choose from, including their championship cross country and track teams. Besides competitive and intramural sports, the school is well known for its strong music program.

### COMMUNITY INFORMATION

Athens is just northeast of Atlanta, with a large variety of professional sports teams, museums, and entertainment. With sunny weather year-round, Athens has become a favorite among international students because of its famous southern charm and hospitality.

### OPTIONS AVAILABLE\*:

**Foreign Languages:** Latin, Spanish

**Advanced Placement Courses:** Calculus AB, English Language and Composition, English Literature and Composition, US Government and Politics, US History

**Arts:** Band, Chorus, Film, Graphic Design, One-Act Play, Piano, Video Arts

#### Athletics:

##### Boys:

- Fall:** Cross Country, Football
- Winter:** Basketball, Wrestling
- Spring:** Baseball, Soccer, Tennis, Track and Field

##### Girls:

- Fall:** Cheerleading, Cross Country, Softball, Volleyball
- Winter:** Basketball
- Spring:** Soccer, Tennis, Track and Field

**Extracurricular Activities:** Bible Club, Fellowship of Christian Athletes, Future Farmers of America, Mission Trips, Mock Trial, Red Cross, Trips

**ESL Available/Level:** NO

**University Acceptance Rate:** 80%

**Partial List of University Acceptances:** Anderson University, Asbury University, Auburn University, Depauw University, Euory University, Georgia Southern University, Georgia Institute of Technology, Harding University, Harvard University, Lee University, Liberty University, Mercer University, Ohio State University, University of Alabama, University of Florida, University of Georgia, University of Illinois, University of Iowa, University of Massachusetts, University of Minnesota, University of North Carolina, University of Tennessee, University of Virginia, Vanderbilt University, United States Military Academy - West Point Academy



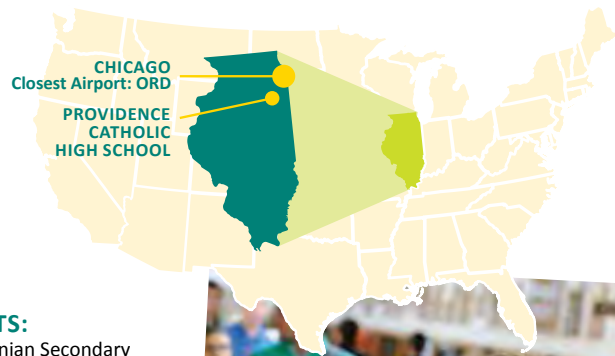
\*All courses and options offered by the school are subject to change.



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# Providence Catholic High School

## New Lenox, IL



### LOCATION:

- Population: 25,000
- Located 1 Hour Southwest of Chicago
- Weather: Summer/Fall: Warm and Temperate Winter/Spring: Cool and Humid

### ELIGIBILITY:

- Enrollment Restrictions: Grades Accepted: 9-11
- Minimum SLEP: Not Accepted
- Minimum TOEFL: 80
- Minimum ELTIS: 212

### SCHOOL HIGHLIGHTS:

- Received the Augustinian Secondary Education Award
- Class of 2018 received \$10 million in college scholarships
- Rated an "A" on Niche.com

### ACADEMICS AND FACTS:

- Grades at School: 9-12
- Total Number of Students: 1,000
- Teacher/Student Ratio: 1:14
- School Uniform Required: YES
- Religious Affiliation: Catholic
- Diploma Year Offered: NO



### OPTIONS AVAILABLE\*:

**Foreign Languages:** French, Spanish

**Advanced Placement Courses:** Biology, Calculus AB, Calculus BC, Calculus AB, Chemistry, Computer Science, English Language and Composition, English Literature and Composition, European History, Microeconomics, Music Theory, Psychology, Physics C, Statistics, Studio Art: 2D Design, Studio Art: Drawing, Spanish Language and Culture, US Government and Politics, US History

**Arts:** 2D Design, Band, Cadet Band, Celtic Concert Choir, Choir, Drawing, Graphic Design, Introduction to Art, Music Appreciation, Painting

#### Athletics:

##### Boys:

**Fall:** Cross Country, Football, Golf, Soccer  
**Winter:** Basketball, Ice Hockey, Wrestling  
**Spring:** Baseball, Lacrosse, Tennis, Track, Volleyball

##### Girls:

**Fall:** Cheerleading, Cross Country, Golf, Pom Poms, Soccer, Volleyball  
**Winter:** Basketball, Cheerleading, Pom Poms

**Spring:** Dance, Softball, Tennis, Track

**Extracurricular Activities:** Art, Band and Color Guard, Bass Fishing, Book, Choir, Film, Habitat for Humanity, Law, Manga Club, Math Team, Mock Trial Team, National Art Honor Society, National Honor Society, Newspaper, Philosophy, Poetry Slam, Science, Student Council, Theater, Winter Guard, World Language Honor Society, Yearbook

**ESL Available/Level:** NO

\* All courses and options offered by the school are subject to change.

### SCHOOL PROFILE

Providence Catholic High School is a coeducational day school located one hour south of Chicago offering 20 honors and Advance Placement courses. Graduates consistently go on to study at some of the top universities in America.

### FACILITIES

The 75-acre high school campus facilities include a football stadium with synthetic turf and all-weather track, sports fields and courts, as well as a cross-country course, two gymnasiums, a wrestling complex, and a training center/weight room.

### SPORTS AND ARTS

Providence Catholic High School's athletic teams have earned over 30 state championships and have produced a number of professional athletes. For art lovers there's a wide selection of courses and activities like studio art, band and choir. Students display their completed work at the campus art gallery.

### AWARDS AND ACCOMPLISHMENTS

The outstanding teaching staff has received the Augustinian Secondary Education Award and the Who's Who in American Teachers designation. Providence Catholic's 30 state championships is the most titles held by any private school in the state of Illinois.

### COMMUNITY INFORMATION

Located one hour south of the metropolitan city of Chicago, New Lenox is a charming village that introduces international high school students to typical American life. Taking the short journey via public transportation into Chicago gives international students the chance to experience world-class museums, sports teams, and entertainment.

**University Acceptance Rate:** 99%

**Partial List of University Acceptances:** Dartmouth College, Georgia Institute of Technology, New York University, Northwestern University, Purdue University, Stanford University, Tulane University, University of Alabama, University of Chicago, University of Illinois, University of Michigan, University of North Carolina, University of Notre Dame, University of Pennsylvania, Villanova University, Washington University

Providence Catholic is a school with wonderful facilities, and a caring and involved teaching faculty. The school has designed an English language and American culture course specifically for international students to help them be successful both academically and socially. – **Rebecca Piduch, Program Advisor**

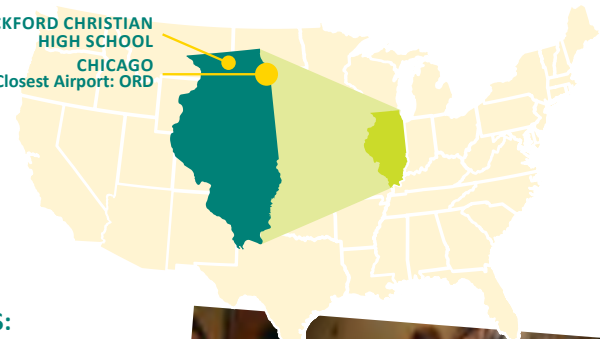






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ROCKFORD CHRISTIAN HIGH SCHOOL  
CHICAGO  
Closest Airport: ORD



# Rockford Christian School

## Rockford, IL

### LOCATION:

- Population: 152,200
- Located 90 Minutes Northwest of Chicago
- Weather:  
Summer/Fall: Warm and Humid  
Winter/Spring: Cool and Wet

### ELIGIBILITY:

- Enrollment Restrictions: Grades Accepted: 7-11; 12 if US Transfer
- Minimum SLEP: 55
- Minimum TOEFL: 50
- Minimum ELTIS: 228

### SCHOOL HIGHLIGHTS:

- Strong arts program
- Opportunity for international students to speak at graduation

### ACADEMICS AND FACTS:

- Grades at School: 9-12
- Total Students in School: 344
- Teacher/Student Ratio: 1:13
- School Uniform Required: YES
- Religious Affiliation: Christian
- Diploma Year Offered: YES



### SCHOOL PROFILE

Rockford Christian High School is a private, non-denominational US day school. It provides a curriculum that includes more than 10 honors and Advanced Placement courses.

### FACILITIES

The campus covers 35 acres and features facilities such as advanced technology classrooms, computer and science labs, libraries, art studios, a performance stage, gymnasiums, a stadium, and a band practice room. There is also an advanced art laboratory for graphic design.

### SPORTS AND ARTS

Students can participate in many sports teams and clubs including swimming, soccer, and even bass fishing!

Rockford Christian School's fine arts faculty is comprised of professional artists and musicians that help students put on programs and concerts throughout the year. Many graduates of Rockford Christian move on to great art schools. At year's end there is a week-long tour to perform in such places as Nashville and Disney World.

### COMMUNITY INFORMATION

Rockford (also known as Forest City) offers lots of great things to do and see like museums, gardens, and shopping. The city has a wonderful mixture of natural beauty and an urban vibe.

### OPTIONS AVAILABLE\*:

**Foreign Languages:** Chinese, French, German, Spanish

**Advanced Placement Courses:** Art History, Biology, Calculus AB, Calculus BC, Chemistry, Chinese Language and Culture, Computer Science Principles, English Language Composition, English Literature and Composition, Environmental Science, Microeconomics, Music Theory, Physics 1, Physics 2, Psychology, Statistics, US Government and Politics, US History, World History

**Arts:** 2D Art, 3D Art, Art, Art History, Choir, Chorale, Concert Band, Dance, Ensemble, Graphic Design, Jazz, Theater

#### Athletics:

##### Boys:

**Fall:** Cross Country, Football, Golf, Soccer, Volleyball

**Winter:** Basketball, Bowling, Swimming

**Spring:** Baseball, Bass Fishing, Softball, Tennis, Track

##### Girls:

**Fall:** Cross Country, Dance, Football, Sideline Cheer, Swimming, Volleyball

**Winter:** Basketball, Bowling, Competition Cheerleading, Dance, Sideline Cheerleading

**Spring:** Baseball, Bass Fishing, Soccer, Softball, Track

**Extracurricular Activities:** Chapel Assistants, Choir, Cultural Diversity, High School Musical, International National Honor Society, Newspaper, Prayer and Praise, Robotics, Science Olympiad Club, Strings, Student Government

**ESL Available/Level:** YES, at an additional cost

**University Acceptance Rate:** 98%

**Partial List of University Acceptances:** Baylor University, Bethel College, California College of the Arts, Colorado State University, Columbia College, Cornell University, Duke University, Florida Southern College, Illinois Wesleyan University, Indiana Wesleyan University, Loyola University, Marquette University, Miami University, Milwaukee Institute of Art and Design, New York Art Institute, New York University, Purdue University, Rhode Island School of Design, Savannah College of Art and Design, Seattle Pacific University, St. Louis University, Texas Christian University, University of Colorado, University of Iowa, University of Kentucky, University of Michigan, University of Notre Dame, University of Pennsylvania, University of Tennessee, University of Washington, Wheaton College



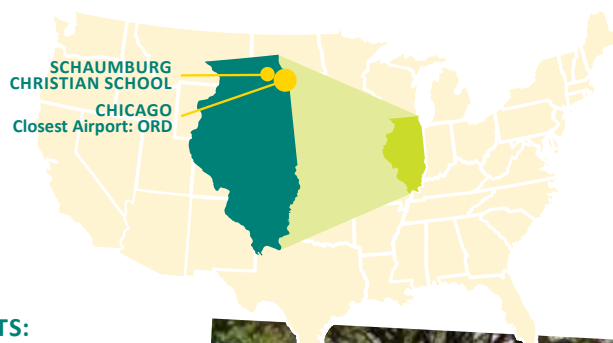
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# Schaumburg Christian School

## Schaumburg, IL



### LOCATION:

- Population: 74,200
- Located 50 Minutes Northwest of Chicago
- Weather:  
Summer/Fall: Warm and Temperate  
Winter/Spring: Cool and Humid

### ELIGIBILITY:

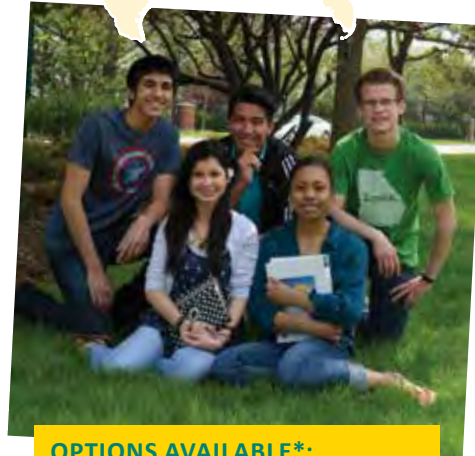
- Enrollment Restrictions: Grades Accepted: 9-12
- Minimum SLEP: 50
- Minimum TOEFL: Not Required
- Minimum ELTIS: 225

### SCHOOL HIGHLIGHTS:

- Illinois Association of Christian Schools Competition State Champions in 29 categories
- Provides each student a touchscreen Chromebook computer
- Chicago is easily to visit with public transportation

### ACADEMICS AND FACTS:

- Grades at School: Pre K-12
- Total Students in School: 1,034
- Students in High School: 150
- Teacher/Student Ratio: 1:11
- School Uniform Required: NO
- Religious Affiliation: Christian
- Diploma Year Offered: YES



### SCHOOL PROFILE

Just 50 minutes from downtown Chicago, Schaumburg Christian School is a private Christian day school for students in grades 9-12. Its academic program offers honors, Advanced Placement, and dual enrollment college credit courses.

### FACILITIES

Schaumburg Christian School has an 18 acre campus that includes computer/science/home economics labs, music studios, and "The Life Center," consisting of three basketball courts, tennis courts, a track, and two weight rooms.

### SPORTS AND ARTS

Students are encouraged to join competitive sports teams like basketball, soccer and swimming.

For those individuals with artistic talents, there are award-winning fine and performing arts programs.

### COMMUNITY INFORMATION

Schaumburg is a suburban area that is not far from Chicago. International students have the opportunity to enjoy the town's many shops and restaurants, while also having easy access to the exciting cultural activities and entertainment.

**University Acceptance Rate:** 98%

**Partial List of University Acceptances:** Arizona State University, Aurora University, Baylor University, Boston College, Bowdoin College, Brandeis University, California Baptist College, College of DuPage, Columbia University, Cornell University, DePaul University, DeVry University, Drexel University, Harper College, Hawaii Pacific College, Illinois Institute of Technology, Indiana University, Iowa State University, Liberty University, Loyola University, New York University, Northeastern University, Ohio State University, Pratt Institute, Purdue University, San Diego State University, Syracuse University, Temple University, Trinity Christian College, University of Alabama, University of Illinois, University of Massachusetts, University of Pennsylvania, Vanderbilt University, Westminster College, Wheaton College

### OPTIONS AVAILABLE\*:

**Foreign Languages:** (All foreign language classes are online only) Arabic, Chinese, French, German, Greek and Hebrew

**Advanced Placement Courses:** Calculus AB, English Language and Composition, English Literature and Composition, Physics 1, US History, World History

**Arts:** Band, Choir, Drama and Speech, Hand Bells, Orchestra Band, Private Lessons, Strings

#### Athletics:

##### Boys:

**Fall:** Cross Country, Soccer

**Winter:** Basketball

**Spring:** Baseball, Track and Field

##### Girls:

**Fall:** Cross Country, Soccer

**Winter:** Basketball, Cheerleading

**Spring:** Soccer, Swimming, Track and Field

**Extracurricular Activities:** Badminton, Baseball, Basketball, Martial Arts, Ping Pong, Soccer, Swimming, Tennis, Volleyball

**ESL Available/Level:** NO

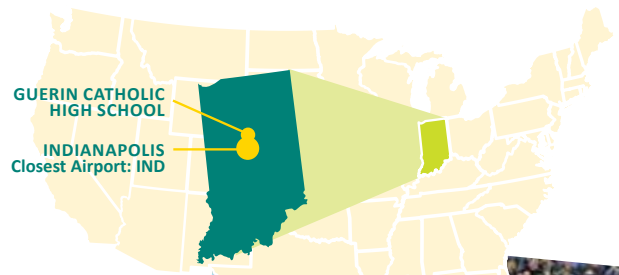
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# Guerin Catholic High School

## Noblesville, IN



### LOCATION:

- Population: 57,600
- Located 40 Minutes North of Indianapolis
- Weather:  
Summer/Fall: Warm and Temperate  
Winter/Spring: Cool and Humid

### ELIGIBILITY:

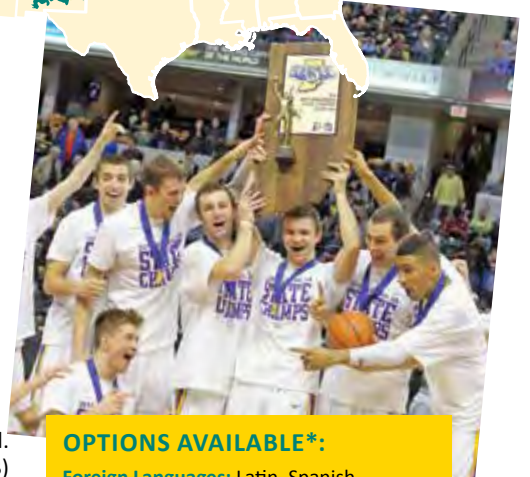
- Enrollment Restrictions: Grades Accepted: 9-11
- Minimum SLEP: Not Accepted
- Minimum TOEFL: 80
- Minimum ELTiS: 250

### SCHOOL HIGHLIGHTS:

- International Baccalaureate Diploma
- Great location, just outside of Indianapolis
- Brand new facilities finished in 2016

### ACADEMICS AND FACTS:

- Grades at School: 9-12
- Total Students in School: 750
- Teacher/Student Ratio: 1:14
- School Uniform Required: YES
- Religious Affiliation: Catholic
- Diploma Year Offered: NO



### SCHOOL PROFILE

Founded in 2004, Guerin Catholic High School is a four-year, college preparatory school. The school has the largest number of students in the International Baccalaureate (IB) Diploma program in the state of Indiana with 80% of their students in the Honors/IB curriculum.

### FACILITIES

Guerin Catholic's facilities include science labs, tennis facilities, a soccer and lacrosse stadium, and more. The school's newest facilities were completed in 2016.

### SPORTS AND ARTS

Guerin Catholic's athletes, teams, and coaches have been recognized for outstanding sportsmanship on three occasions as IHSAA Sportsmanship Award Recipients. There are numerous opportunities in the arts. The Golden Voice choir has received the "Esprit de Corps" Award, first place for High School Mixed Choir, and the overall winner of the Festivals of Music competition.

### AWARDS AND ACCOMPLISHMENTS

Every year since 2007, Catholic High School Honor Roll has recognized Guerin Catholic as one of the nation's Top 50 Catholic High Schools.

### COMMUNITY INFORMATION

Guerin Catholic High School is set on 72 acres. Located a short trip from Indianapolis, international students can enjoy professional sports venues and a thriving cultural scene with numerous activities. They'll also experience the character and hospitality that make Indianapolis special.

### OPTIONS AVAILABLE\*:

**Foreign Languages:** Latin, Spanish

**Advanced Placement Courses:** Offers IB Courses in place of AP Courses

**Arts:** Acting, Art History, 2D Art, 3D Art, Cadet Band, Ceramics, Chorus, Concert Band, Drawing, Guitar Ensemble, House Band, Instrumental, Music Theory and Composition, Orchestra, Painting, Piano and Electronic Keyboard, Sculpture, Theater Arts

#### Athletics:

##### Boys:

**Fall:** Cross Country, Soccer, Tennis

**Winter:** Basketball

**Spring:** Baseball, Golf, Lacrosse, Track

##### Girls:

**Fall:** Cross Country, Golf, Soccer, Volleyball

**Winter:** Basketball, Cheerleading

**Spring:** Lacrosse, Softball, Tennis, Track

#### Extracurricular Activities:

Academic Decathlon, Art, Book Club, Broadcast Technology, Distributive Education Clubs of America (DECA), Garden Club, International Club, Latin Club, Math Club, Mock Trial, National Honor Society, Peer Tutoring, Students Against Destructive Decisions, Yearbook

**ESL Available/Level:** NO

**University Acceptance Rate:** 99%

**Partial List of University Acceptances:** Ball State University, Boston College, Bucknell University, Carnegie Mellon University, Colorado State University, DePaul University, Georgetown, Indiana University, Lehigh University, Loyola University Chicago, New York University, Purdue University, Santa Clara University, University of Louisville, University of Michigan, University of North Carolina, University of Notre Dame, University of Oregon, Vanderbilt University



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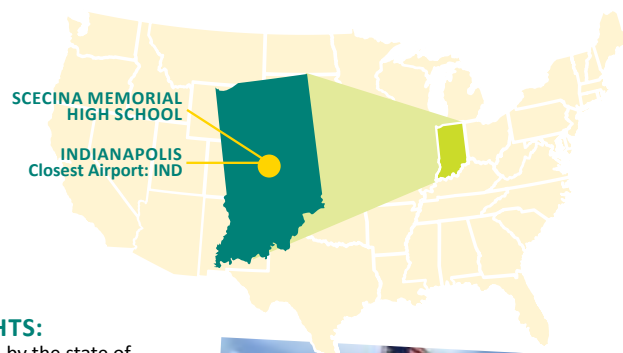
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# Scecina Memorial High School

## Indianapolis, IN



### LOCATION:

- Population: 858,000
- Located in Indianapolis
- Weather:  
Summer/Fall: Warm and Humid  
Winter/Spring: Cool and Wet

### ELIGIBILITY:

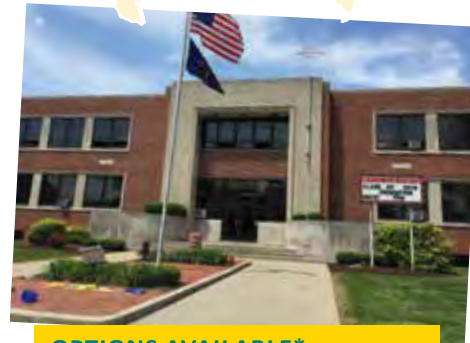
- Enrollment Restrictions: None
- Minimum SLEP: 55
- Minimum TOEFL: 69
- Minimum ELTiS: 228

### SCHOOL HIGHLIGHTS:

- Rated an "A" school by the state of Indiana
- Offers an Advance Computer Programming curriculum
- Located in the heart of Indianapolis

### ACADEMICS AND FACTS:

- Grades at School: 9-12
- Total Students in School: 450
- Teacher/Student Ratio: 1:17
- School Uniform Required: YES
- Religious Affiliation: Catholic
- Diploma Year Offered: YES



### SCHOOL PROFILE

Scecina Memorial High School is a private, Catholic, college preparatory school located in Indianapolis, Indiana. With more than 15 honors and Advanced Placement courses, the school offers the "Project Lead the Way" program that teaches a biomedical science curriculum in physiology, genetics, microbiology, and public health.

### FACILITIES

In recent years, the school has added or updated eight classrooms, a science lab, a guidance center, and a soundproof music room. There's also a gymnasium with locker rooms, and improvements were recently made to the school's technology infrastructure.

### SPORTS AND ARTS

Students participate on competitive sports teams such as lacrosse, golf, gymnastics and bowling.

Presented with a wide-variety of arts courses, extracurricular activities and clubs, students can express themselves creatively, or develop their passions and interests.

### AWARDS AND ACCOMPLISHMENTS

Established in 1953, Scecina Memorial High School is the oldest archdiocesan high school in Indianapolis.

### COMMUNITY INFORMATION

The school is situated just minutes from downtown Indianapolis. Indianapolis is the epicenter for activities such as museums, professional sporting events, entertainment and shopping. It's also home to the world-famous Indianapolis (Indi) 500 automobile race.

**University Acceptance Rate:** 92%

**Partial List of University Acceptances:** Agnes Scott College, Aquinas College, Ball State University, Butler University, Clemson University, DePaul University, Georgetown University, Indiana State University, Indiana University, Louisiana State University, Loyola University, Michigan University, Northwestern University, Purdue University, Rose Hulman University, SUNY University, The Ohio State University, United States Naval Academy, University of Kentucky, University of Louisville, University of Notre Dame, Xavier University, Youngstown State

### OPTIONS AVAILABLE\*:

**Foreign Languages:** French, Latin, Spanish

**Advanced Placement Courses:** Biology, Calculus AB, Chemistry, English Language and Composition, English Literature and Composition, Environmental Science, Psychology, Spanish Language and Culture, Statistics, US Government and Politics, US History

**Arts:** 2D Art, Band, Ceramics, Chorus, Instrumental, Jewelry, Music History, Music Theory and Composition, Portfolio Prep, Visual Communication

#### Athletics:

##### Boys:

**Fall:** Cross Country, Football, Soccer, Tennis  
**Winter:** Basketball, Swimming, Wrestling  
**Spring:** Baseball, Golf, Lacrosse, Track and Field, Volleyball

##### Girls:

**Fall:** Cross Country, Golf, Soccer, Volleyball  
**Winter:** Basketball, Cheerleading, Gymnastics, Swimming  
**Spring:** Softball, Tennis, Track and Field

**Extracurricular Activities:** Baking, Bowling, Brain Bowl, Drama, French, Latin, National Honor Society, Robotics and Engineering, Spanish, Student Ambassadors

**ESL Available/Level:** YES

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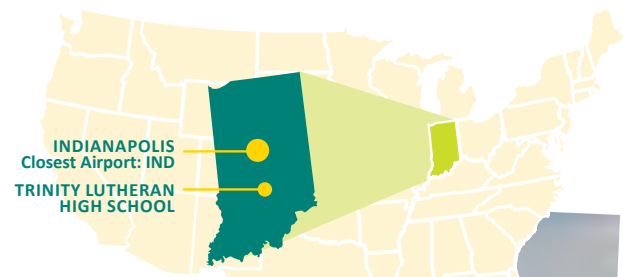






# Trinity Lutheran High School

## Seymour, IN



### LOCATION:

- Population: 20,000
- Located 1 Hour South of Indianapolis
- Weather:  
Summer/Fall: Warm and Humid  
Winter/Spring: Cool and Mild

### ELIGIBILITY:

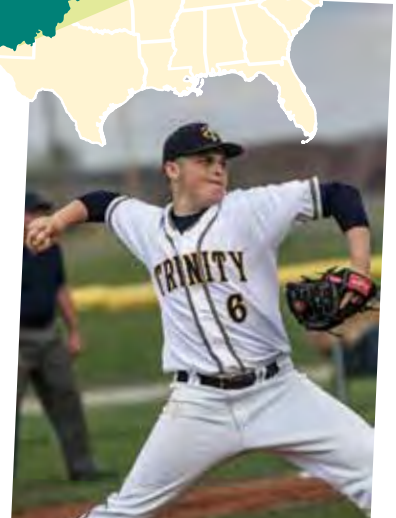
- Enrollment Restrictions: Grades Accepted: 9-11
- Minimum SLEP: 55
- Minimum TOEFL: Not Required
- Minimum ELTiS: 220

### SCHOOL HIGHLIGHTS:

- Four-star rating on Great Schools
- Academic Super Bowl State Champions in Interdisciplinary Studies

### ACADEMICS AND FACTS:

- Grades at School: 9-12
- Total Students in School: 155
- Teacher/Student Ratio: 1:10
- School Uniform Required: NO
- Religious Affiliation: Lutheran
- Diploma Year Offered: NO



### SCHOOL PROFILE

Trinity Lutheran High School of southern Indiana is a coeducational high school with an intimate and friendly community. Teachers and staff make themselves accessible to international students.

### FACILITIES

The 41 acre campus includes classrooms, science labs, media center, dining hall, fitness center, gymnasium, and more.

### SPORTS AND ARTS

After school, students are able to take part in any of the 30 extracurricular activities at Trinity, including 18 team sports. The school's drama department is well-recognized within the community and region. Throughout the year, the drama department puts on three performances—more than a typical high school.

### COMMUNITY INFORMATION

Seymour is centrally located in southern Indiana. It has great parks and shopping available for international students. Indianapolis, the capital of Indiana, is only an hour-and-a-half away and it is a great place to visit on weekends. Among the many museums, parks and cafes, it also has the well-known Indianapolis Motor Speedway for racing enthusiasts.

### OPTIONS AVAILABLE\*:

**Foreign Languages:** Spanish

**Advanced Placement Courses:** Biology, English Literature and Composition, Environmental Science

**Arts:** Art, Band, Choir, Drama, Guitar, Hand Bells

**Athletics:**

**Boys:**

**Fall:** Bowling, Cross Country, Soccer, Tennis

**Winter:** Basketball

**Spring:** Baseball, Golf, Track and Field

**Girls:**

**Fall:** Bowling, Cross Country, Golf, Soccer, Volleyball

**Winter:** Basketball, Cheerleading

**Spring:** Softball, Tennis, Track and Field

**Extracurricular Activities:** Art, Chapel Assistants, Chess Club, Dance, Hand Bells, National Honor Society, Robotics and Engineering, Student Ambassadors, Student Government, Yearbook

**ESL Available/Level:** NO

### University Acceptance Rate: 100%

**Partial List of University Acceptances:** Anderson University, Ball State University, Butler University, Concordia University - Nebraska, Concordia University, Embry Riddle Aeronautical University, Hanover College, Indiana University, Indiana University, Ivy Tech College, Luther College, Marian University, North Central College, Purdue Statewide Tech, Purdue University, Rose-Hulman Institute of Technology, Tiffin University, Tri-State University (Trine University), University of Evansville, University of Indianapolis, University of Louisville, University of Northwestern Ohio, University of Southern Indiana





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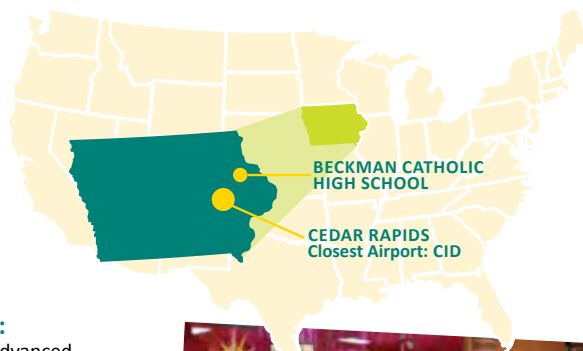
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# Beckman Catholic High School

## Dyersville, IA



### LOCATION:

- Population: 4,100
- Located 1 Hour and 10 Minutes Northeast of Cedar Rapids
- Weather:  
Summer/Fall: Warm and Temperate  
Winter/Spring: Cool and Humid

### ELIGIBILITY:

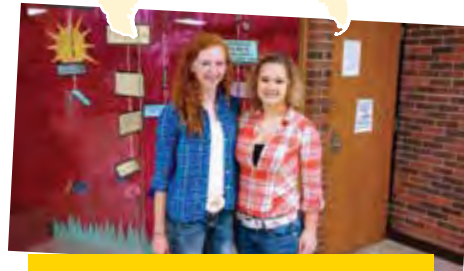
- Enrollment Restrictions: Grades Accepted: 9-11
- Minimum SLEP: 50
- Minimum TOEFL: Not Required
- Minimum ELTIS: 215

### SCHOOL HIGHLIGHTS:

- Ranked a Top 50 Iowa Advanced Placement high school
- International students can participate in sports at all levels
- Offers the "Project Lead the Way" program

### ACADEMICS AND FACTS:

- Grades at School: 7-12
- Total Students in School: 410
- Students in High School: 290
- Teacher/Student Ratio: 1:14
- School Uniform Required: YES
- Religious Affiliation: Catholic
- Diploma Year Offered: NO



### OPTIONS AVAILABLE\*:

**Foreign Languages:** Spanish

**Advanced Placement Courses:** Calculus AB, English Language and Composition, English Language and Composition, US History

**Arts:** Band, Choir, Clay Sculptures, Digital Photography, Drawing, Flags, Graphic Design, Jazz Band, Jazz Choir, Painting, Vocal

**Athletics:**

**Boys:**

**Fall:** Cross Country, Football  
**Winter:** Basketball, Wrestling  
**Spring:** Baseball, Golf, Soccer, Track

**Girls:**

**Fall:** Cross Country, Volleyball  
**Winter:** Basketball  
**Spring:** Golf, Soccer, Softball, Track

**Extracurricular Activities:** Art Club, Band, Book Club, Campus Ministry, Dance, Drama, Future Farmers of America, Math Club, National Honor Society, Newspaper Staff, Science Club, Speech Club, Spanish Club, Student Ambassadors, Student Government, Vocal Music, Written Communications Club, Yearbook Committee

**ESL Available/Level:** NO

\*All courses and options offered by the school are subject to change.

### SCHOOL PROFILE

With a challenging curriculum and great school community, Beckman Catholic High School is great for international students. The school offers Advanced Placement courses, the option to take college courses locally or via the Internet, and the innovative "Project Lead the Way" program curriculum in the engineering and STEM fields.

### FACILITIES

Each student is given a Chromebook laptop to use and connect to the wireless network available in all classrooms. Facilities include computer rooms, an iPad lab, a multi-usage hall and a sports stadium.

### SPORTS AND ARTS

International students may join sports, from freshman to the varsity level. Over the years, teams have won state championships in baseball, soccer, track and field, and girls golf. The arts department strongly encourages students to take part in a class or after school program to help develop creative talents.

### AWARDS AND ACCOMPLISHMENTS

Named among the top 50 Catholic high schools in America by the National Catholic High School Honor Roll, Beckman Catholic is also ranked in the top 50 Iowa Advanced Placement high schools.

### COMMUNITY INFORMATION

Dyersville is located one hour northeast of Cedar Rapids. The city has 100 acres of parks—in fact, the baseball field, Field of Dreams, was built for the iconic 1989 film of the same name.

**University Acceptance Rate:** 97%

**Partial List of University Acceptances:** Baylor University, Indiana University, Iowa State University, Kansas State University, Michigan State University, Northwestern University, Ohio State University, Oklahoma State University, Pennsylvania State University, Purdue University, Texas Christian University, Texas Tech University, University of Illinois, University of Iowa, University of Kansas, University of Michigan, University of Minnesota, University of Nebraska, University of Oklahoma, University of Texas, University of Wisconsin, West Virginia University

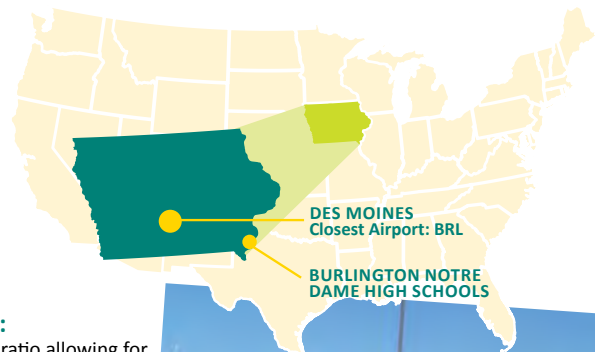






# Burlington Notre Dame High Schools

## Burlington, IA



### LOCATION:

- Population: 26,900
- Located 2 Hours 30 Minutes Southeast of Des Moines
- Weather:  
Summer/Fall: Warm and Temperate  
Winter/Spring: Cool and Humid

### ELIGIBILITY:

- Enrollment Restrictions: Grades Accepted: 9-12
- Minimum SLEP: 53
- Minimum TOEFL: Not Required
- Minimum ELTIS: 223

### SCHOOL HIGHLIGHTS:

- Low student to teacher ratio allowing for individual attention
- Five stars on PrivateSchoolReview.com
- Rated an "A" School on Niche.com

### ACADEMICS AND FACTS:

- Grades at School: 6-12
- Total Students in School: 244
- Teacher/Student Ratio: 1:8
- School Uniform Required: YES
- Religious Affiliation: Catholic
- Diploma Year Offered: YES



### OPTIONS AVAILABLE\*:

**Foreign Languages:** Arabic, Chinese, Farsi, French, Hindi, Spanish

**Advanced Placement Courses:** English Language and Composition, English Literature and Composition, Macroeconomics, Microeconomics, US Government and Politics

**Arts:** Art (Beginner to Advanced), Art Studio, Concert/Marching Band, Hand Chime Ensemble, Jazz Choir, Mixed Choir, Music Theory

#### Athletics:

##### Boys:

**Fall:** Cross Country, Football, Volleyball  
**Winter:** Basketball, Swimming, Wrestling  
**Spring:** Golf, Soccer, Tennis, Track

##### Girls:

**Fall:** Cross Country, Swimming, Volleyball  
**Winter:** Basketball, Wrestling  
**Spring:** Golf, Soccer, Tennis, Track

**Extracurricular Activities:** Band, Dance Team, Musicals, Quiz Bowl Teams, Speech and Debate, Student Council

**ESL Available/Level:** NO

### SCHOOL PROFILE

Founded in 1956, Burlington Notre Dame High School is a private, Roman Catholic high school in Burlington, Iowa. Offering challenging courses, extracurricular activities, and intimate class sizes, nearly 100% of Burlington Notre Dame High School graduates receive college acceptances to some of the best universities in the US.

### FACILITIES

Located five minutes from downtown Burlington, the facilities include new lockers, sports facilities, and classrooms which have planned updates for the near future.

### SPORTS AND ARTS

International students are encouraged to participate in the school's many sports, clubs and events.

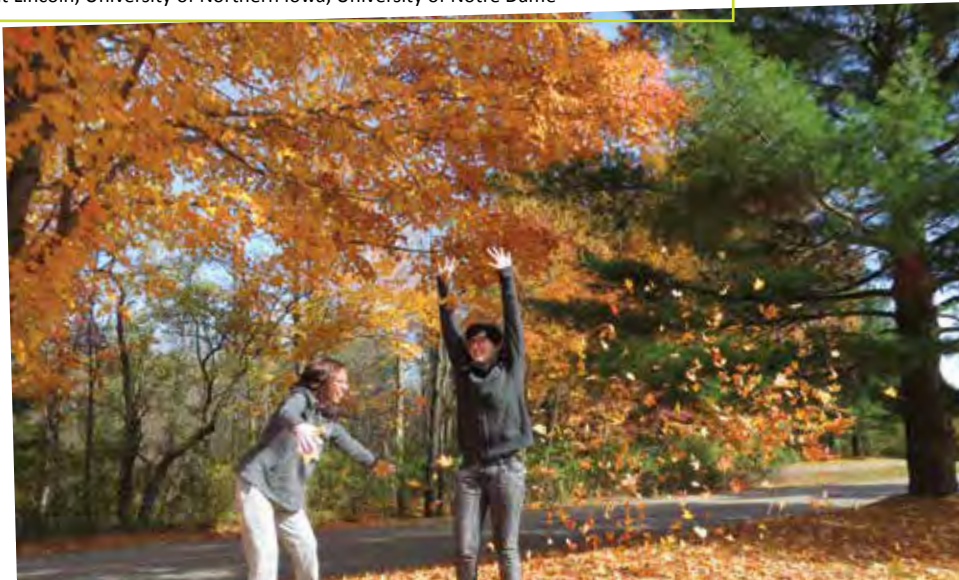
Burlington Notre Dame High School has a large selection of art and music choices. Some of the special programs offered include art studio, Electric Blue Jazz Choir, and concert marching band.

### COMMUNITY INFORMATION

A friendly midwestern town, Burlington has three large cities within a four hour drive. This gives international students a great chance to explore various cityscapes in the US like Chicago, St. Louis, and Kansas City.

**University Acceptance Rate:** 99%

**Partial List of University Acceptances:** Carl Sandburg College, Central College, Creighton University, Culver Stockton, Drake University, Georgetown University, Grandview College, Iowa State University, Loras College, Luther College, Monmouth College, Mt. Mercy College, Northwestern University, Southeastern Community College, St. Ambrose University, United States Air Force Academy, University of Dubuque, University of Iowa, University of Nebraska at Lincoln, University of Northern Iowa, University of Notre Dame





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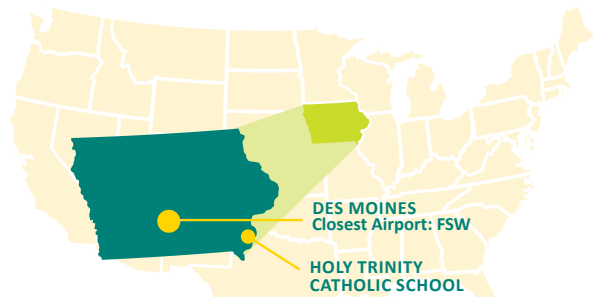


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# Holy Trinity Catholic School

## Fort Madison, IA



### LOCATION:

- Population: 11,000
- Located 2 Hours and 45 Minutes Southeast of Des Moines
- Weather:  
Summer/Fall: Warm and Humid  
Winter/Spring: Cool and Temperate

### ELIGIBILITY:

- Enrollment Restrictions: Grades Accepted: 9-12
- Minimum SLEP: 45
- Minimum TOEFL: Not Required
- Minimum ELTIS: 206

### SCHOOL HIGHLIGHTS:

- Dual enrollment courses with local community college
- Award winning music program
- Located near the banks of the Mississippi River, the longest river in the USA

### ACADEMICS AND FACTS:

- Grades at School: 7-12
- Total Students in School: 150
- Students in High School: 100
- Teacher/Student Ratio: 1:15
- School Uniform Required: YES
- Religious Affiliation: Catholic
- Diploma Year Offered: YES



### OPTIONS AVAILABLE\*:

**Foreign Languages:** Spanish

**Advanced Placement Courses:** English Literature and Composition, US Government and Politics, US History

**Arts:** All-State Vocal, Chorus, Drama, Dinner Theater, Honor Band, Honor Choir, Marching Band, Men's Doo-Wop, Opus Honor Choir, Pep Band, Show Choir, Speech Team

#### Athletics:

**Note:** Sports offered depend on and change with the seasons, please inquire for specific details.

**Boys:** Basketball, Cross Country, Football, Soccer, Tennis, Track and Field

**Girls:** Basketball, Cross Country, Soccer, Softball, Tennis, Track and Field, Volleyball

**Extracurricular Activities:** Dance Team, Debate Team, Drama Club, Inventors Club, Jazz Band, Marching Band, National Honor Society, Newspaper, Pep Band, Retreats, Science Bowl, Show Choir, Speech Team, Student Council, Vocal and Instrumental Contest, Vocal Club, Yearbook

**ESL Available/Level:** NO

\*All courses and options offered by the school are subject to change.

### SCHOOL PROFILE

Holy Trinity Catholic School offers a wide variety of college preparatory classes, electives, and Advanced Placement choices, as well as dual enrollment courses for college credit with the local community college. Students receive individualized attention and support to ensure future success.

### FACILITIES

Students have the best facilities at Holy Trinity Catholic with state-of-the-art classrooms and athletic facilities.

### SPORTS AND ARTS

Students may participate in a various selection of sports including baseball, softball, soccer, volleyball, and basketball.

The outstanding music program has received many state awards. There are many artistic extracurricular activities and clubs like "Men's Doo-Wop" and honors choir.

### AWARDS AND ACCOMPLISHMENTS

Students at Holy Trinity Catholic School have participated in the International Science Fair as well as qualified for several science awards including the World Food Prize. They have also placed in the top 50 Advanced Placement schools in the state of Iowa.

### COMMUNITY INFORMATION

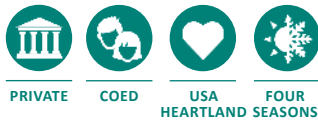
Three hours southeast of Des Moines, Fort Madison sits along the famous Mississippi River, enabling students to enjoy activities like boating, fishing, skating, and biking. The area also hosts festivals such as the Tri-State Rodeo and Sweet Corn Festival.

**University Acceptance Rate:** 100%

**Partial List of University Acceptances:** Central College, Coe College, Drake University, Iowa State University, Iowa Wesleyan University, Lindenwood University, Loyola University, Mt. Mercy College, St. Ambrose University, University of Illinois, University of Iowa, University of Northern Iowa, University of Notre Dame, University of Wisconsin, University of Wyoming, Wichita State University

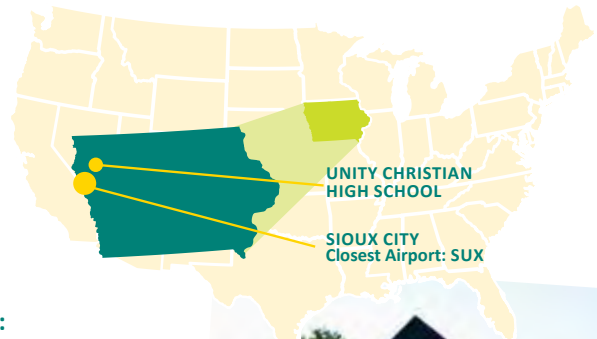






# Unity Christian High School

## Orange City, IA



### LOCATION:

- Population: 6,200
- Located 1 hour Northeast of Sioux City
- Weather:  
Summer/Fall: Warm and Humid  
Winter/Spring: Cool and Wet

### ELIGIBILITY:

- Enrollment Restrictions: None
- Minimum SLEP: 55
- Minimum TOEFL: Not Required
- Minimum ELTIS: Not Required

### SCHOOL HIGHLIGHTS:

- Dual enrollment courses with local colleges
- Highly rated Chamber Strings & Orchestra program
- Located near the Mississippi River

### ACADEMICS AND FACTS:

- Grades at School: 9-12
- Total Students in School: 264
- Teacher/Student Ratio: 1:12
- School Uniform Required: NO
- Religious Affiliation: Christian
- Diploma Year Offered: NO



### OPTIONS AVAILABLE\*:

**Foreign Languages:** Spanish

**Advanced Placement Courses:** Partners with local universities for college credit courses in place of AP courses.

**Arts:** Advanced Drawing and Painting, Band, Choir, Drawing and Painting, Independent Study, Introduction to Art, Orchestra, Photography, Sculpture, Symphonic Band, Visual Arts, Yearbook

#### Athletics:

##### Boys:

**Fall:** Cross Country, Football

**Winter:** Basketball

**Spring:** Baseball, Golf, Soccer, Track and Field

##### Girls:

**Fall:** Cheerleading, Cross Country, Dance, Volleyball

**Winter:** Basketball, Cheerleading, Dance

**Spring:** Soccer, Softball, Track and Field

**Extracurricular Activities:** Academic Competitions, Bel Canto Chorale, Competitions, Concert Choir, Future Farmers of America, Game Club, International Student Club, Jazz Band, Jr. Engineering Technical Society, Math Competitions, Musical Production, Pep Band, Quiz Bowl, Robotics, Science Fair, Student Leadership Council, Yearbook

**ESL Available/Level:** YES

### SCHOOL PROFILE

Unity Christian High School is a small co-educational private school accepting international high school students in grades 9-12. Unity partners with Northwestern College and other local colleges to provide students an opportunity to earn college credit while attending high school.

### FACILITIES

Unity Christian's campus is consistently undergoing updates and renovations to adapt to student needs. A new state-of-the-art auditorium was opened in 2013 and a greenhouse was also recently constructed in 2015.

### SPORTS AND ARTS

Unity Christian offers a competitive sports program, giving students the opportunity to join at the junior varsity or varsity levels.

The school is recognized for its strong arts program, with courses such as photography and sculpture available.

### COMMUNITY INFORMATION

Unity Christian High school is found in the town of Orange City near the Mississippi River. The area is part of the American heartland and gives international students a unique cultural view of America. On weekends students can visit nearby Sioux City to shop and explore.

**University Acceptance Rate:** 95%

**Partial List of University Acceptances:** Arizona State University, Augustana College, Azusa Pacific University, Bethel University, Buena Vista University, Calvin College, Central College, Cedarville University, Covenant College, Dordt College, Drake University, Florida International University, Iowa State University, Northwestern College, South Dakota State University, Southeast Technical Institute, Texas A&M University, Trinity College, University of Iowa, University of Northern Iowa, University of Sioux Falls, Western Iowa Tech



\*All courses and options offered by the school are subject to change.



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# Evangel Christian Academy

## Shreveport, LA

### LOCATION:

- Population: 201,900
- Located in Shreveport
- Weather:  
Summer/Fall: Warm and Temperate  
Winter/Spring: Cool and Humid

### ELIGIBILITY:

- Enrollment Restrictions: Grades Accepted: 9-12
- Minimum SLEP: 45
- Minimum TOEFL: Not Required
- Minimum ELTiS: 206

### SCHOOL PROFILE

Evangel Christian Academy is a school that offers students some of the best educational opportunities in the country. Students benefit from small classes sizes and dual enrollment courses.

### FACILITIES

Located just outside of Shreveport, Louisiana, Evangel Christian's 88-acre campus features state-of-the-art classrooms and athletic facilities.

### SPORTS AND ARTS

Sports is a very important aspect of Evangel Christian's culture. The school's sports teams have won 12 state football championships, 3 state baseball championships, and the school's wrestling team finished 2nd in Division III.

Evangel Christian has an excellent drama program as well. The school had 1st and 2nd place individual winners in the Louisiana State Drama Festival.

### COMMUNITY INFORMATION

Situated on the banks of the Red River, Shreveport's tranquil river atmosphere, friendly festivals, and open skyline make for a great place to go to school.

**University Acceptance Rate:** 96%

**Partial List of University Acceptances:** Berklee College of Music, Duke University, Louisiana State University, Massachusetts Institute of Technology, Pennsylvania State University, Pepperdine University, Savannah College of Art and Design, University of Central Florida, University of Connecticut, University of Miami, University of North Carolina, University of Notre Dame, Yale University

### SCHOOL HIGHLIGHTS:

- 5-star rating on Private School Reviews
- Strong athletic program with multiple state championships
- Good ESL Program

### ACADEMICS AND FACTS:

- Grades at School: K-12
- Total Students in School: 679
- Student's in High School: 350
- Teacher/Student Ratio: 1:13
- School Uniform Required: YES
- Religious Affiliation: Christian
- Diploma Year Offered: YES



### OPTIONS AVAILABLE\*:

**Foreign Languages:** Latin, Spanish

**Advanced Placement Courses:** Offers dual enrollment courses in place of AP Courses.

**Arts:** Art (Beginner to Advanced), Band, Band Advanced Drama, Fine Arts Survey, Media Art (Beginner to Advanced), Music Technology

#### Athletics:

##### Boys:

**Fall:** Football

**Winter:** Basketball, Soccer, Wrestling

**Spring:** Baseball, Golf, Tennis, Track

##### Girls:

**Fall:** Volleyball

**Winter:** Basketball, Soccer

**Spring:** Softball, Tennis, Track

**Extracurricular Activities:** Cheerleading, Christian Leadership, Drama Club, FIRST Lego League, Guitar Club, International Journalism, LACUE State Film Competition, National Honor Society, Prayer and Praise, Science Olympiad, Student Council, Yearbook

**ESL Available/Level:** YES

\*All courses and options offered by the school are subject to change.



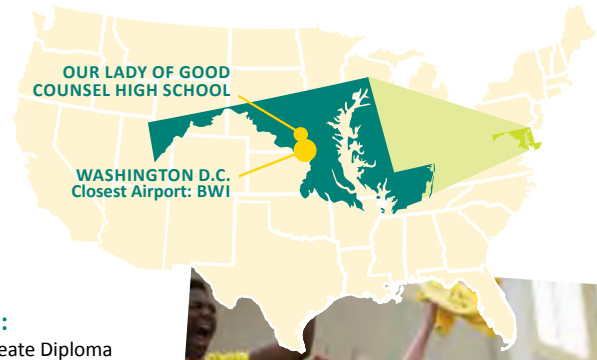




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# Our Lady of Good Counsel High School

## Olney, MD



### LOCATION:

- Population: 34,000
- Located 50 Minutes North of Washington DC
- Weather:  
Summer/Fall: Warm and Temperate  
Winter/Spring: Cold and Temperate

### ELIGIBILITY:

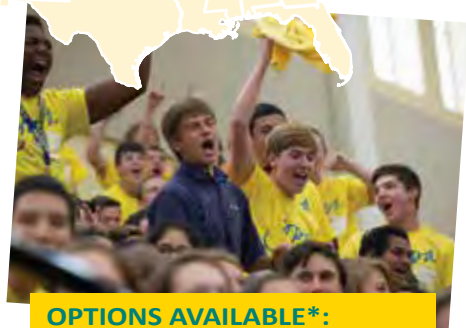
- Enrollment Restrictions: Grades Accepted: 9-11
- Minimum SLEP: Not Accepted
- Minimum TOEFL: 65
- Minimum ELTIS: 250

### SCHOOL HIGHLIGHTS:

- International Baccalaureate Diploma
- Great location north of Washington D.C.
- 100% of 2018 international student graduates went to a top 100 US university

### ACADEMICS AND FACTS:

- Grades at School: 9-12
- Total Students in School: 1,237
- Teacher/Student Ratio: 1:13
- School Uniform Required: YES
- Religious Affiliation: Catholic
- Diploma Year Offered: NO



### SCHOOL PROFILE

Our Lady of Good Counsel High School is a private coeducational secondary school in the Washington D.C. area. The top-ranked school enrolls a large student body in grades 9 to 12. It offers a college preparatory curriculum, the prestigious International Baccalaureate (IB) Diploma, STEM (Science, Technology, Engineering and Math), and fine arts.

### FACILITIES

The campus boasts a performing arts center, 52 acres of athletic fields, more than 10 science labs, a dance studio, two weight rooms, two gymnasiums, a football stadium with a turf field, and 50 classrooms with Apple TVs and Smartboards.

### SPORTS AND ARTS

A superior athletic program has seen students go on to the Olympics, and is recognized for the performances by individual students in track and field, golf and baseball. Our Lady of Good Counsel High School has an outstanding arts program that connects students with professional artists through workshops, mentorships, and community-based activities.

### AWARDS AND ACCOMPLISHMENTS

Our Lady of Good Counsel has twice received the U.S. Blue Ribbon Educational Award from the US Department of Education. The school has a college acceptance rate of nearly 100 percent, and 30 percent of graduates are accepted to Ivy League schools.

### COMMUNITY INFORMATION

Olney is located 45-minutes from Washington DC. In DC students can visit iconic US sites including The Smithsonian Institute's National Air and Space, The Natural History Museum, the Lincoln Memorial, and The White House.

### OPTIONS AVAILABLE\*:

**Foreign Languages:** Chinese, French, Latin, Spanish

**Advanced Placement Courses:** Biology, Calculus AB, Calculus BC, Chemistry, Comparative Government and Politics, Computer Science A, English Literature and Composition, Environmental Science, European History, French Language and Culture, Human Geography, Macroeconomics, Physics 1, Psychology, Spanish Language and Culture, Statistics, Studio Art: Drawing, US Government and Politics, US History

**Arts:** Choral Music, Dance, Instrumental Music, Theater, Visual Arts

#### Athletics:

##### Boys:

**Fall:** Cross Country, Football, Soccer  
**Winter:** Basketball, Field Hockey, Indoor Track, Swimming and Diving, Wrestling  
**Spring:** Baseball, Golf, Lacrosse, Rugby, Tennis, Track and Field

##### Girls:

**Fall:** Cheerleading, Field Hockey, Soccer, Tennis, Volleyball  
**Winter:** Basketball, Cheerleading, Field Hockey, Indoor Track, Swimming and Diving  
**Spring:** Golf, Lacrosse, Softball, Track and Field

**Extracurricular Activities:** Anime, Broadcast Technology, Chinese Culture, Computer, Cooking, Equestrian, Fishing, Future Business Leaders of America, Game, Global Development, Guitar, Hip Hop, Mock Trial, Model United Nations, Philosophy, Ski and Snowboard, Speech and Debate, UNICEF, Yoga

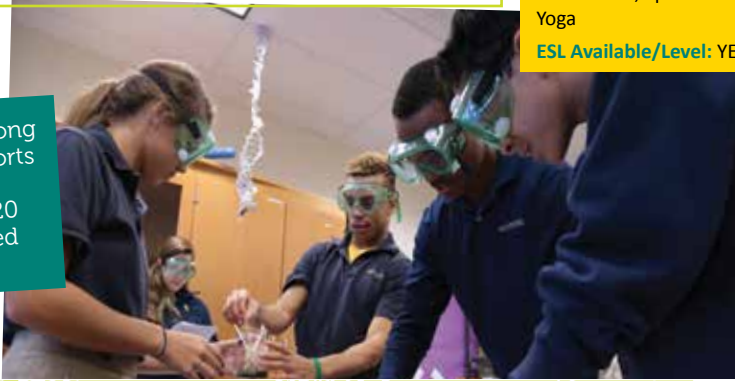
**ESL Available/Level:** YES - Intermediate

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**University Acceptance Rate:** 100%

**Partial List of University Acceptances:** Berklee College of Music, Boston College, Boston University, Brown University, Columbia University, Dartmouth College, Duke University, Drexel University, Harvard University, Johns Hopkins University, Georgetown University, Massachusetts Institute of Technology, Princeton University, Stanford University, University of Pennsylvania, Vanderbilt University, Vassar College, Villanova University, Virginia Polytechnic Institute and State University, Wake Forest University, Yale University

A great location outside of D.C. with a strong academic program. Graduates of their sports program have competed at Olympics in tennis and wrestling. Admits fewer than 20 international students a year - For talented students! – **Carla Kearns VP Marketing**





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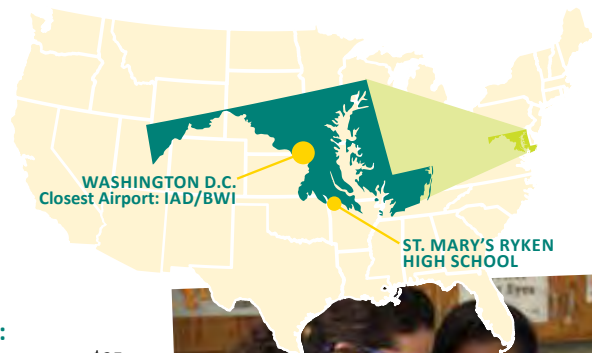
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# St. Mary's Ryken High School

## Leonardtown, MD



### LOCATION:

- Population: 3,500
- Located 2 Hours South of Washington, D.C.
- Weather:  
Summer/Fall: Warm and Humid  
Winter/Spring: Cool and Humid

### ELIGIBILITY:

- Enrollment Restrictions: Grades Accepted: 9-11
- Minimum SLEP: Not Required
- Minimum TOEFL: 70-80 (Varies by Grade)
- Minimum ELTIS: Not Required

### SCHOOL PROFILE

St. Mary's Ryken High School Scholar Program features curriculum from the nationally recognized "Project Lead the Way". The program includes STEM tracks in engineering, computer science, and biomedical. Also part of the Scholars Program, students can seek accelerated concentrations in global and international studies, humanities, and performing and visual arts.

### FACILITIES

The 87-acre campus includes an athletic stadium with professional grade turf and track, as well as a brand new athletic building. St. Mary's also launched a 1:1 iPad Program.

### SPORTS AND ARTS

St. Mary's offers a total of 43 teams including 26 varsity programs and 17 different sports. Over 70% of students participate in at least one of the school's athletic programs. They are a member of the Washington Catholic Athletic Conference, considered one of the most competitive conferences in the country.

The arts program at St. Mary's offers 25 courses ranging from ceramics and painting to jazz band and technical theater. Each year, the school produces two showcases.

### COMMUNITY INFORMATION

Leonardtown is a historic town in southeast Maryland, founded in 1660. A coastal town, it is located immediately adjacent to the Patuxent River Naval Air Station, the home to the U.S. Naval Test Pilot School, and Naval Air Systems Command. International students can enjoy nautical scenery and activities in a quaint, colonial town.

**University Acceptance Rate:** 100%

**Partial List of University Acceptances:** Boston University, Bucknell University, Carnegie Mellon University, Case Western Reserve University, Clemson University, College of William and Mary, Cornell University, Emory University, George Mason University, Georgia Technical Institute, Howard University, James Madison University, Johns Hopkins University, Miami University - Ohio, New York University, Northeastern University, Northwestern University, Ohio University, Pennsylvania State University, Purdue University, Rutgers University, Stanford University, Tulane University, United States Naval Academy, University of California - San Diego, University of Massachusetts - Amherst, University of North Carolina - Chapel Hill, University of Notre Dame, University of Pennsylvania, University of Southern California, University of Texas, University of Virginia, University of Washington, Vanderbilt University, Vassar College, Villanova University, Virginia Polytechnic Institute

### SCHOOL HIGHLIGHTS:

- Fantastic academic program; over \$25 million in college scholarships awarded to the class of 2018
- Offers 7 different scholar study paths
- Elite sports program; 32 athletes signed to college scholarships in 2018

### ACADEMICS AND FACTS:

- Grades at School: 9-12
- Total Students in School: 720
- Teacher/Student Ratio: 1:13
- School Uniform Required: YES
- Religious Affiliation: Catholic
- Diploma Year Offered: NO



### OPTIONS AVAILABLE\*:

**Foreign Languages:** Advanced English for Internationals, Chinese, French, Latin, Spanish

**Advanced Placement Courses:** Art History, Biology, Calculus AB, Calculus BC, Chemistry, Computer Science A, Computer Science Principles, English Language and Composition, English Literature and Composition, Environmental Science, French Language and Culture, Human Geography, Latin, Macroeconomics, Microeconomics, Music Theory, Physics 1, Physics C: Electricity and Magnetism, Physics C: Mechanics, Psychology, Spanish Language and Culture, Statistics, Studio Art: 2-D Design, Studio Art: Drawing, US Government and Politics, US History, World History

**Arts:** Band, Ceramics, Drawing, Drums, Graphic Arts, Guitar, Intro to Theater, Intro to Visual Arts, Jazz Band, Keyboard, Orchestra, Painting, Photography, Technical Theater

### Athletics:

#### Boys:

**Fall:** Cross Country, Equestrian, Football, Sailing, Soccer  
**Winter:** Basketball, Equestrian, Ice Hockey, Swimming, Wrestling  
**Spring:** Baseball, Equestrian, Golf, Lacrosse, Sailing, Tennis, Track and Field

#### Girls:

**Fall:** Cheerleading, Cross Country, Equestrian, Field Hockey, Sailing, Soccer, Tennis, Volleyball  
**Winter:** Basketball, Equestrian, Ice Hockey, Swimming  
**Spring:** Equestrian, Golf, Lacrosse, Sailing, Softball, Track and Field

**Extracurricular Activities:** Apologetics, Astronomy Club, Calligraphy Club, Chess Club, Chinese Culture, Creative Computing, Drama Club, Equestrian, Forensic Science, Future Business Leaders of America (FBLA), Global Seminar, Key Club, TV-Studio, Math Team, Mock Trial, Model United Nations, National Honor Society, Pre-Med Club, Robotics, Science Bowl, Service Clubs

**ESL Available/Level:** YES

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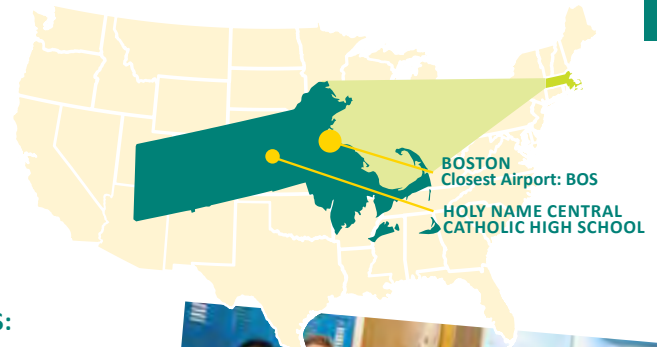






# Holy Name Junior/ Senior High School

## Worcester, MA



### LOCATION:

- Population: 183,000
- Located 1 Hour West of Boston
- Weather:  
Summer/Fall: Warm and Humid  
Winter/Spring: Cool and Dry

### ELIGIBILITY:

- Enrollment Restrictions: Grades Accepted: 9-12
- Minimum SLEP: 47
- Minimum TOEFL: 55
- Minimum ELTIS: 209

### SCHOOL HIGHLIGHTS:

- Great STEM program
- Elite athletic teams; seven championships in different sports
- No-cut sports policy

### ACADEMICS AND FACTS:

- Grades at School: 7-12
- Total Students in School: 571
- Teacher/Student Ratio: 1:13
- School Uniform Required: YES
- Religious Affiliation: Catholic
- Diploma Year Offered: NO



### SCHOOL PROFILE

Holy Name Junior/Senior High School is a catholic coeducational college-preparatory school located in the second-largest city in Massachusetts. International students will be able to enjoy a great educational experience located in the welcoming city of Worcester.

### FACILITIES

The Holy Name Junior/Senior High School campus includes a wind turbine, a gymnasium, sports fields, STEM labs, and more.

### SPORTS AND ARTS

Holy Name Junior/Senior High School offers at least one sport per season for girls and boys with a no-cut policy, guaranteeing that every student can participate in athletics regardless of ability or experience. A number of graduates have gone on to play sports at both the collegiate level and professionally.

Each year, the arts program participates in amazing concerts and competitions, and students from Holy Name go on an annual overnight trip.

### COMMUNITY INFORMATION

Worcester is located in central Massachusetts. Students can enjoy winter activities like snowboarding or skiing with many slopes nearby. The second-largest city in the state, Worcester is known as a college town and is home to a number of famous colleges nearby such as Worcester Polytechnic Institute (WPI), Clark University, and Assumption College. Students can easily travel to historic Boston and experience the city's culture, food, atmosphere, and prestigious universities.

### OPTIONS AVAILABLE\*:

**Foreign Languages:** French, Spanish

**Advanced Placement Courses:** Biology, Calculus AB, Calculus BC, Chemistry, Computer Science A, English Language and Composition, English Literature and Composition, Environmental Science, European History, Macroeconomics, Microeconomics, Psychology, Spanish Literature and Culture, Statistics, US Government and Politics, US History

**Arts:** Art (Beginner through Advanced), Band, Chorus, Dance, Introduction to Guitar, Theater

#### Athletics:

##### Boys:

**Fall:** Cross Country, Football, Soccer  
**Winter:** Basketball, Indoor Track  
**Spring:** Baseball, Lacrosse, Tennis, Track

##### Girls:

**Fall:** Cheerleading, Cross Country, Soccer  
**Winter:** Basketball, Cheerleading, Indoor Track  
**Spring:** Lacrosse, Softball, Tennis, Track

**Extracurricular Activities:** Anti-Bullying Club (SMASH), Band, Chorus, Jazz Band, Mock Trial, National Honors Society, Pit Orchestra, Spring Musical, Students Against Destructive Decisions (SADD), Theater Guild

**ESL Available/Level:** NO

**University Acceptance Rate:** 99%

**Partial List of University Acceptances:** Amherst College, Bentley University, Boston College, Boston University, Brown University, Catholic University of America, Clemson University, Colgate University, College of the Holy Cross, Columbia University, Digi Pen Institute of Technology (Singapore), Emory University, Georgetown University, John Hopkins University, John Carroll University, Notre Dame University, Northwestern University, Pennsylvania State University, Rensselaer Polytechnic Institute, Skidmore College, Stanford University, Syracuse University, Tufts University, US Naval Academy, University of Arizona, Worcester Polytechnic University



\*All courses and options offered by the school are subject to change.



# Matignon High School

## Cambridge, MA

### LOCATION:

- Population: 109,700
- Located 20 Minutes Northwest of Boston
- Weather:  
Summer/Fall: Warm and Humid  
Winter/Spring: Cool and Dry

### ELIGIBILITY:

- Enrollment Restrictions: Grades Accepted: 9-11
- Minimum SLEP: No Minimum
- Minimum TOEFL: No Minimum
- Minimum ELTiS: No Minimum

### SCHOOL PROFILE

Founded in 1947, Matignon High School is a private, coeducational Catholic school. Matignon High School has a long tradition of rigorous academics and small class sizes. Matignon High School's curriculum includes college preparatory courses at the honors and Advanced Placement levels.

### FACILITIES

The school's picturesque campus saw a recent renovation of the science labs, library/media center, locker rooms, fitness room, and athletic fields. Additionally, the school recently installed innovative SMART-board technology in all classrooms.

### SPORTS AND ARTS

Matignon High School offers 22 varsity sports, such as lacrosse, track and golf. Matignon is especially known for their stellar ice hockey program. Many students participate in art classes and extracurricular activities, including graphic design class and drama club.

### COMMUNITY INFORMATION

Located just across the river from Boston, Cambridge offers a multicultural setting located just minutes from two of the world's premier universities: Harvard University and Massachusetts Institute of Technology (MIT). With many cafes, bookstores, and boutiques, Cambridge is often referred to as "Boston's Left Bank".

**University Acceptance Rate:** 97%

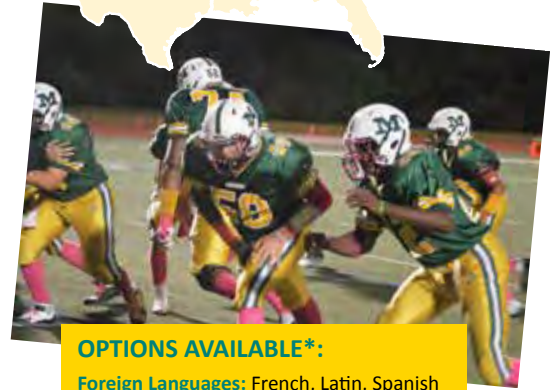
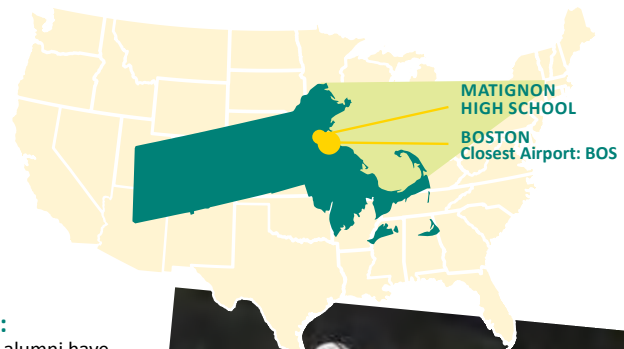
**Partial List of University Acceptances:** Assumption College, Bentley College, Boston University, Catholic University of America, College of the Holy Cross, Curry College, Fordham University, Georgetown University, Harvard University, Howard University, Manhattan College, Massachusetts Maritime Academy, Merrimack College, Northeastern University, Pennsylvania State College, Providence College, St. Anselm College, Suffolk University, Syracuse University, Tufts University, University of Massachusetts, University of Connecticut, University of New Hampshire, University of Vermont, Worcester Polytechnic Institute

### SCHOOL HIGHLIGHTS:

- Elite hockey program: 6 alumni have played in the NHL
- Located near Harvard University
- Rated a 5-star school on Private School Review

### ACADEMICS AND FACTS:

- Grades at School: 9-12
- Total Students in School: 450
- Teacher/Student Ratio: 1:17
- School Uniform Required: YES
- Religious Affiliation: Catholic
- Diploma Year Offered: NO



### OPTIONS AVAILABLE\*:

**Foreign Languages:** French, Latin, Spanish

**Advanced Placement Courses:** Biology, Calculus AB, English Literature and Composition, French Language and Culture Physics 1, Psychology, Spanish Language and Culture, Studio Art: Drawing, US History, World History

**Arts:** 3D Design, Drawing, Graphic Design, Painting, Photography, Printmaking, Studio Art, Understanding Music

#### Athletics:

##### Boys:

**Fall:** Cross Country, Football, Golf, Soccer

**Winter:** Basketball, Ice Hockey, Indoor Track, Swimming

**Spring:** Baseball, Lacrosse, Tennis, Track

##### Girls:

**Fall:** Cheerleading, Cross Country, Golf, Soccer, Volleyball

**Winter:** Basketball, Cheerleading, Ice Hockey, Indoor Track, Swimming

**Spring:** Lacrosse, Softball, Tennis, Track

**Extracurricular Activities:** Academic Decathlon, Art Club, Dance Team, Drama Club, Explore Historical Boston, French Club, International Club, International Fair, Key Club, Photography Club, SADD, Science Club, Spanish Club, Step Team, Yearbook Committee, Yoga Club

**ESL Available/Level:** YES

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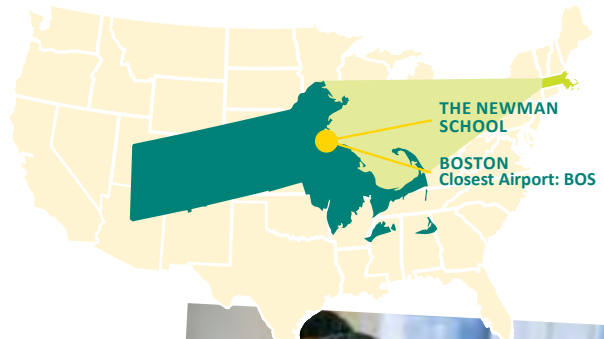
Right down the street from Harvard University, a modern school that has everything! Location close to Boston, arts, sports teams, and great academics. – **Carla Kearns VP Marketing**





# The Newman School

## Boston, MA



### LOCATION:

- Population: 656,000
- Located in Boston
- Weather:  
Summer/Fall: Warm and Humid  
Winter/Spring: Cool and Wet

### ELIGIBILITY:

- Enrollment Restrictions: None
- Minimum SLEP: Not Accepted
- Minimum TOEFL: 55-65 (Varies by Grade)
- Minimum ELTiS: 216

### SCHOOL HIGHLIGHTS:

- International Baccalaureate Diploma
- Located in the heart of Boston
- Rated 5-stars on Private School Review; "A+" on Niche.com

### ACADEMICS AND FACTS:

- Grades at School: 9-12
- Total Students in School: 265 (33% International)
- Teacher/Student Ratio: 1:5
- School Uniform Required: YES
- Religious Affiliation: None
- Diploma Year Offered: YES



### SCHOOL PROFILE

The Newman School is located in the heart of one of the most famous cities in the US: Boston. Students are challenged both intellectually and personally through the school's International Baccalaureate (IB) Diploma program and selection of college-preparatory course work at the honors level.

### FACILITIES

Built in 1881, The Newman School facility is located in Boston's historic Back Bay. The school, once a home, is one of the largest intact examples of Victorian and Edwardian residential architecture in the United States. Students also have access to off-campus sports facilities.

### SPORTS AND ARTS

The sports program at The Newman School takes advantage of the nearby Charles River to allow students to pursue unique interests such as sailing, crew, and more. Newman has a wide array of fine arts courses and club activities available. The clubs offered each year reflect the interests of the current student community and can include drama, photography, chorus, and more.

### COMMUNITY INFORMATION

The Newman School is located in downtown Boston, commonly referred to as the "Education Capital of America." The school is surrounded by prestigious higher education institutions such as Harvard University, MIT, Emerson College, Tufts University, Boston University, and more. Students can relax in the Boston Common, shop, on Newbury Street, and visit famous museums such as the Museum of Fine Arts.

### OPTIONS AVAILABLE\*:

**Foreign Languages:** French, Latin, Spanish

**Advanced Placement Courses:** Offers IB Courses in place of AP Courses

**Arts:** A Capella Group, Arts Integration, Choir, Gallery Methods, Instrumental Instruction, Music Ensemble, Orchestra, Studio Art

#### Athletics:

##### Boys:

**Fall:** Crew, Cross Country, Sailing, Soccer

**Winter:** Basketball

**Spring:** Baseball, Crew, Lacrosse, Sailing, Tennis

##### Girls:

**Fall:** Crew, Cross Country, Sailing, Soccer, Volleyball

**Winter:** Basketball

**Spring:** Crew, Lacrosse, Sailing, Softball, Tennis

**Extracurricular Activities:** Anime and Manga Club, Arabic Club, Bee-keeping Book Discussion Group, Bridging the Gap-American and International Students, Business Club, Chess Team, Engineering Club, Food Club, French Lunch, Hands for Haiti, History Club, Knitting/Embroidery, Math Club, Mock Trial, Model United Nations, NASA Club, Newspaper, Recycling, Red Cross, Robotics, Student Tutoring in Chinatown, Yearbook

**ESL Available/Level:** YES

**University Acceptance Rate:** 100%

**Partial List of University Acceptances:** Art Institute of Chicago, Babson College, Boston College, Boston University, Bowdoin College, California Institute of Technology, Clark University, Columbia College, Cornell University, George Washington University, Georgetown University, Georgia Institute of Technology, Harvard University, Loyola University, New York University, Northeastern University, Oberlin University, Parsons College, Pennsylvania State University, Purdue University, Rensselaer Polytechnic Institute, Syracuse University, Tufts University, University of California, University of Colorado, University of Connecticut, University of Maine, University of Massachusetts, University of Pennsylvania, Wellesley College, Worcester Polytechnic Institute



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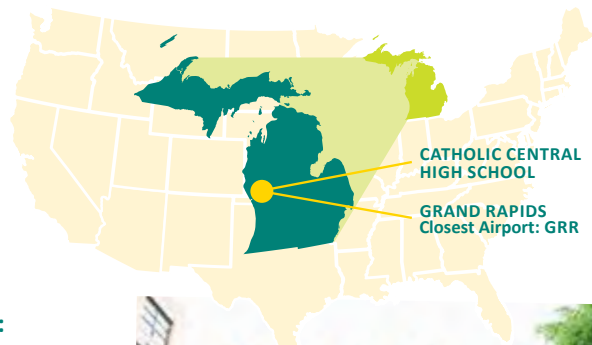


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# Catholic Central High School

## Grand Rapids, MI



### LOCATION:

- Population: 189,800
- Located in Grand Rapids
- Weather:  
Summer/Fall: Warm and Humid  
Winter/Spring: Cool and Dry

### ELIGIBILITY:

- Enrollment Restrictions:  
Grades 10-12 Accepted
- Minimum SLEP: 55
- Minimum TOEFL: 225
- Minimum ELTiS: 50

### SCHOOL PROFILE

Grand Rapids Catholic Central High School was founded in 1906 as the first Catholic co-educational school in the nation. With Honors and AP-level courses, a 1:1 iPad program, and dual-enrollment offered on-campus through nearby Aquinas College, students have endless opportunities to learn in a variety of ways.

### FACILITIES

Located near the Division and Wealthy Street intersection, Catholic Central is comprised of three buildings, with a pedestrian mall and ample parking for students and guests.

### SPORTS AND ARTS

Catholic Central has a tradition of athletic excellence, with boy's soccer taking home conference titles, boy's tennis advancing to the quarterfinals, and girl's cross country and swimming placing in the top five in their conferences.

There are a number of ways to engage in the arts, as well. Students can take part in a variety of fine and performing arts opportunities, including band, chorus, drawing, and studio art.

### COMMUNITY INFORMATION

Catholic Central is situated in the heart of Grand Rapids, Michigan, a city of 190,000 people located 30 miles from Lake Michigan. The second-largest city in Michigan, Grand Rapids was named the No. 1 US Travel Destination by Lonely Planet in 2014. There are a number of concert venues, theaters, and sports stadiums in Grand Rapids, including minor-league baseball, ice hockey, and basketball teams.

**University Acceptance Rate:** 96%

**Partial List of University Acceptances:** Arizona State University, Central Michigan University, Columbia University, Creighton University, Davenport University, Drexel University, Eastern Michigan University, Illinois State University, Indiana State University, Kent State University, Marquette University, Michigan State, Ohio State University, Pennsylvania State University, Purdue University, Saint John's University, Syracuse University, University of Alabama, University of Iowa, University of Miami, University of Michigan, University of Notre Dame, University of St Francis, Vanderbilt University, Xavier University.

### SCHOOL HIGHLIGHTS:

- 1:1 iPad Program
- Successful athletics program
- Dual-enrollment classes offered at nearby Aquinas College

### ACADEMICS AND FACTS:

- Grades at School: 9-12
- Total Students in School: 650
- Teacher-Student Ratio: 1:17
- School Uniform Required: YES
- Religious Affiliations: Catholic
- Diploma Year Offered: YES



### OPTIONS AVAILABLE\*:

**Foreign Languages:** Chinese, French, Spanish

**Advanced Placement Courses:** Biology, Calculus BC, Chemistry, English Language and Composition, English Literature and Composition, Environmental Science, Macroeconomics, Psychology, Statistics, World History

**Arts:** A Capella, Band, Choir, Design, Drawing, Jazz Band, Ladies Chorale, Marching Band, Pep Band, Studio Art

#### Athletics:

##### Boys:

**Fall:** Cross Country, Football, Soccer, Tennis  
**Winter:** Basketball, Bowling, Fencing, Hockey, Skiing, Wrestling  
**Spring:** Baseball, Golf, Lacrosse, Track, Rugby

##### Girls:

**Fall:** Cross Country, Golf, Sideline Cheerleading, Swimming, Volleyball  
**Winter:** Basketball, Bowling, Competitive Cheer, Fencing, Skiing  
**Spring:** Lacrosse, Soccer, Tennis, Track, Softball

**Extracurricular Activities:** Band, Chess, Choir, Earth, French, Latin, Model United Nations, National Honor Society, Quiz Bowl, Student Council, Yearbook

**ESL Available/Level:** NO

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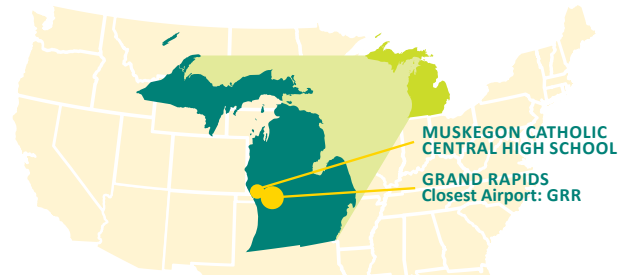






# Muskegon Catholic Central High School

## Muskegon, MI



### LOCATION:

- Population: 38,400
- Located 45 Minutes West of Grand Rapids
- Weather:  
Summer/Fall: Warm and Humid  
Winter/Spring: Cool and Temperate

### ELIGIBILITY:

- Enrollment Restrictions: Grades Accepted: 9-12
- Minimum SLEP: 50
- Minimum TOEFL: 50
- Minimum ELTiS: 215

### SCHOOL HIGHLIGHTS:

- Offers dual enrollment opportunities with three local colleges
- Great arts and sports programs

### ACADEMICS AND FACTS:

- Grades at School: Pre K-12
- Total Students in School: 487
- Students in High School: 238
- Teacher/Student Ratio: 1:13
- School Uniform Required: NO
- Religious Affiliation: Catholic
- Diploma Year Offered: NO

### SCHOOL PROFILE

Muskegon Catholic Central High School offers a curriculum that is both rigorous and meaningful. As a part of the curriculum at Muskegon, community service is compulsory for graduation.

### FACILITIES

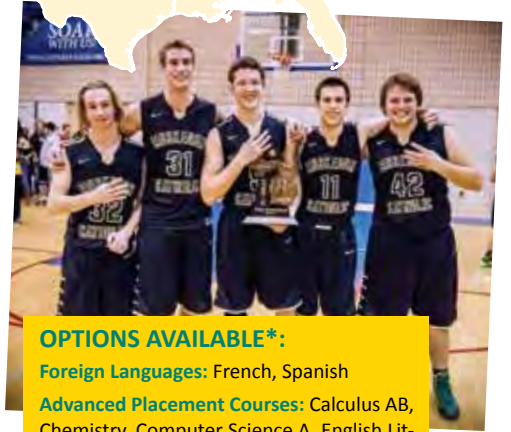
The facilities include a football field, tennis courts, soccer fields, a baseball and softball field, two gymnasiums, a strength and exercise room, and an auditorium.

### SPORTS AND ARTS

With 21 state championship titles in a variety of sports from football to track, Muskegon students have gone on to participate in sports at collegiate and professional levels. The award-winning arts program offers various curricular and extracurricular opportunities including symphonic band, choir, musical theater, and art.

### COMMUNITY INFORMATION

Muskegon County is located in Western Michigan and borders the shores of Lake Michigan, a famous Great Lake. With the largest beach in West Michigan and a reputation as being one of the friendliest cities in the state, Muskegon hosts many events, attractions, and recreational options.



### OPTIONS AVAILABLE\*:

**Foreign Languages:** French, Spanish

**Advanced Placement Courses:** Calculus AB, Chemistry, Computer Science A, English Literature and Composition, US History

**Arts:** Ceramics, Literary Magazine, Music, Painting, Studio Art Introduction, Theater Introduction

#### Athletics:

##### Boys:

**Fall:** Football, Soccer

**Winter:** Basketball, Ice Hockey, Swimming, Wrestling

**Spring:** Baseball, Golf, Track and Field

##### Girls:

**Fall:** Golf, Swimming, Volleyball

**Winter:** Basketball

**Spring:** Soccer, Softball, Tennis, Track and Field

**Extracurricular Activities:** Band, Mission Trips, Musical Production, Pro-Life Club, Volunteer Club

**ESL Available/Level:** NO

\*All courses and options offered by the school are subject to change.

**University Acceptance Rate:** 98%

**Partial List of University Acceptances:** Alma College, Aquinas College, Calvin College, Central Michigan University, Columbia University, Davenport University, Ferris State University, Grand Valley State University, James Madison College, Marquette University, Michigan State University, Notre Dame University, Saginaw Valley State University, Simmons College, St. Mary's College



Great school, nice people and very friendly. The teachers and students accept you, and the experience is good for future jobs, and forces you to mature as a person. — Pablo from Spain



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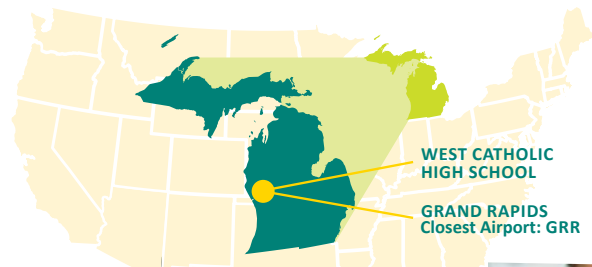


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# West Catholic High School

## Grand Rapids, MI



### LOCATION:

- Population: 189,800
- Located in Grand Rapids
- Weather:
  - Summer/Fall: Warm and Humid
  - Winter/Spring: Cool and Dry

### ELIGIBILITY:

- Enrollment Restrictions: None
- Minimum SLEP: 50
- Minimum TOEFL: 50
- Minimum ELTIS: 215

### SCHOOL HIGHLIGHTS:

- Rated an "A" school on Niche.com
- Freshmen were Christopher Columbus Essay Contest winners

### ACADEMICS AND FACTS:

- Grades at School: 9-12
- Total Students in School: 507
- School Uniform Required: YES
- Religious Affiliations: Catholic
- Diploma Year Offered: YES



### OPTIONS AVAILABLE\*:

**Foreign Languages:** Chinese, French, German, Latin, Spanish

**Advanced Placement Courses:** Biology, Calculus AB, Calculus BC, Chemistry, English Language and Composition, English Literature and Composition, Environmental Science, European History, Macroeconomics, Microeconomics, Physics 1, Psychology, Spanish Language and Culture, US Government and Politics, US History, World History

**Arts:** Art Palette, Concert Band, Concert Choir, Drawing, Design, Digital Photography, Graphic Design, Jazz Band, Marching Band, Music Appreciation, Portfolio Preparation, Studio Art

### Athletics:

#### Boys:

**Fall:** Cross Country, Football, Soccer, Tennis  
**Winter:** Basketball, Bowling, Hockey, Skiing, Swimming, Wrestling  
**Spring:** Baseball, Golf, Rugby, Track

#### Girls:

**Fall:** Cross Country, Golf, Sideline Cheerleading, Swimming, Volleyball  
**Winter:** Basketball, Bowling, Competitive Cheerleading, Gymnastics, Skiing,  
**Spring:** Golf, Soccer, Softball, Tennis, Track

**Extracurricular Activities:** Art Club, Marching Band, Jazz Band, Concert Band, Crew, , Equestrian, Eucharistic Ministers, Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion, French Club, Math Field Day, Math Challenge, Mock Trial, National Honor Society, Peer Ministry, Quiz Bowl, Robotics, Science Olympiad, Spanish Club, Student Ambassadors, Student Government, Students Against Destructive Decisions, Students for Life

**ESL Available/Level:** YES

### SCHOOL PROFILE

One of the top Catholic high schools in the United States, West Catholic High School has been named one of the most challenging private schools in the United States by the Washington Post.

### FACILITIES

West Catholic is located on a 42-acre campus in the northwest corner of Grand Rapids, Michigan. The campus hosts updated athletic facilities and an on-site observatory, developed and designed by the 2012-2013 pre-engineering class. The school also opened a brand new Academic Learning Center in 2017.

### SPORTS AND ARTS

West Catholic's athletics program offers over 20 varsity sports, giving international students an opportunity to participate on a team.

West Catholic art students are offered several choices of electives. The award-winning marching band performs many times throughout the year at festivals, parades, and sporting events. West Catholic Theatre also performs 3 plays each year, including a spring musical.

### COMMUNITY INFORMATION

Grand Rapids is the 2nd largest city in Michigan, and it is only 45 minutes from Lake Michigan, one of five famous Great Lakes. Students can easily find world-renowned art, museums and historic sites in the Grand Rapids area.

**University Acceptance Rate:** 99%

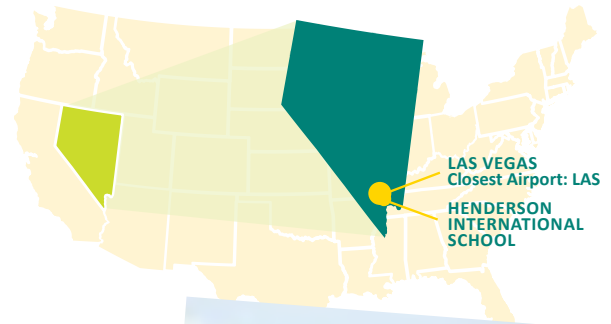
**Partial List of University Acceptances:** Boise State University, Bradley University, Butler University, Central Michigan University, DePaul University, Grand Valley State University, Holy Cross College, Indiana Tech University, Loyola University Chicago, Marquette University, Michigan State University, Montana State University, Northern Michigan University, Northwestern University, Oakland University, Purdue University, Saginaw Valley State University, Stanford University, Trine University, University of California, University of Denver, University of Iowa, University of Michigan, University of Notre Dame, University of Oregon, University of Pittsburg, University of Toledo, University of Washington, Villanova University, Wabash College, Western Michigan University, Xavier University, Yale University





# Henderson International School

## Henderson, NV



### LOCATION:

- Population: 300,000
- Located 25 minutes South of Las Vegas
- Weather:  
Summer/Fall: Warm and Temperate  
Winter/Spring: Cool and Humid

### ELIGIBILITY:

- Enrollment Restrictions: Grades Accepted: 6-9
- Minimum SLEP: No minimum
- Minimum TOEFL: No minimum
- Minimum ELTiS: No minimum

### SCHOOL HIGHLIGHTS:

- Outdoor desert exhibit and greenhouse
- Advanced in-classroom technology including 3-D printing
- Great Science, Technology, Engineering, Arts, and Math (STEAM) program

### ACADEMICS AND FACTS:

- Grades at School: K-9
- Total Students in School: 350
- Students in High School: 15
- School Uniform Required: YES



### SCHOOL PROFILE

Henderson International School is a private, co-educational school located 25 minutes south of Las Vegas. With small class sizes and a strong sense of community, it offers unique, personalized instruction. Each student receives a personalized learning plan, which, coupled with Henderson International School's balanced, well-rounded approach to education, prepares students to be critical thinkers.

### FACILITIES

The school has a number of unique facilities for students to take advantage of, including an Apple computer lab, an outdoor desert science exhibit and greenhouse, music facilities, athletic facilities, and 3-D printing.

### SPORTS AND ARTS

Henderson International School offers a variety of competitive sports to students in middle and high school. The goal of the athletics program is to build and reinforce essential life skills such as confidence, teamwork, and fun.

The school also provides students with a number of arts opportunities in both fine arts and performing arts, offering band, digital arts, theater, and visual arts.

### COMMUNITY INFORMATION

Located just south of Las Vegas, international students will have a unique southwest American lifestyle. Henderson is the second largest city in Nevada and offers all the comforts of a larger city such as shopping and cafés. On the weekends, Henderson International School organizes a number of trips, allowing for students to experience new sights both near and far.

### OPTIONS AVAILABLE\*:

**Advanced Placement Courses:** Computer Science Principles, World History

**Arts:** Band, Digital Arts, Theater, Visual Arts

#### Athletics:

##### Boys:

**Fall:** Various depending on grade level

**Winter:** Various depending on grade level

**Spring:** Various depending on grade level

##### Girls:

**Fall:** Various depending on grade level

**Winter:** Various depending on grade level

**Spring:** Various depending on grade level

**Extracurricular Activities:** Student Council, National Junior Honor Society

**ESL Available/Level:** YES - Intermediate

\*All courses and options offered by the school are subject to change.





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# DePaul Catholic High School

## Wayne, NJ

### LOCATION:

- Population: 279,000
- Located 30 Minutes North of Newark
- Weather:  
Summer/Fall: Warm and Humid  
Winter/Spring: Cool and Humid

### ELIGIBILITY:

- Enrollment Restrictions: Grades Accepted: 9-11
- Minimum SLEP: 56
- Minimum TOEFL: 70
- Minimum ELTIS: 231

### SCHOOL PROFILE

DePaul Catholic High School is a co-educational college preparatory high school where the low student to teacher ratio allows for a more individualized education. At DePaul, international high school students have many options including three foreign languages, more than 12 AP courses, and over 30 extracurricular activities.

### FACILITIES

Since 2013, DePaul Catholic expanded its facilities to include a new student information commons, as well as a new admissions and advancement suite.

### SPORTS AND ARTS

Since 2012, DePaul Catholic has won 33 championships in league, county, and conference competitions. The school's outstanding wrestling team won 5 consecutive district championships. In addition, 10 student-athletes were awarded All-American status in their sport. Most impressively, the last 4 years have seen 150 DePaul Catholic student-athletes go on to compete at the collegiate level.

The Fine and Performing Arts department allows students to explore their unique creative talents. Students engage with various media and techniques used by artists in the creative process with classes like choir, mixed media, and theater.

### COMMUNITY INFORMATION

Less than 20 miles from New York City's Midtown Manhattan, Wayne has something for every international student with recreational lakes, a modern free public library, museums, William Paterson University, shopping, and more.

**University Acceptance Rate:** 100%

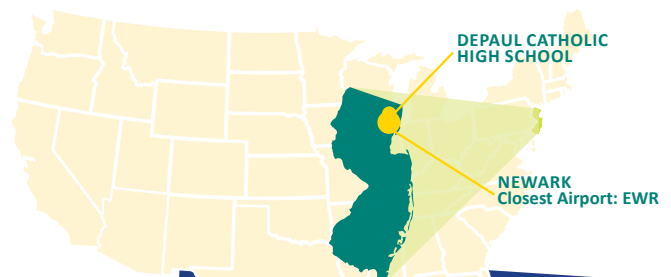
**Partial List of University Acceptances:** Boston University, Bucknell University, Carnegie Mellon University, Case Western Reserve University, Clemson University, College of William and Mary, Cornell University, Emory University, George Mason University, Georgia Institute of Technology, Howard University, James Madison University, John Hopkins University, Miami University - Ohio, New York University, Northeastern University, Northwestern University, Ohio University, Pennsylvania State, Purdue University, Rutgers University, Stanford University, Tulane University, United States Naval Academy, University of California - San Diego, University of Massachusetts - Amherst, University of North Carolina - Chapel Hill, University of Notre Dame, University of Pennsylvania, University of Southern California, University of Texas, University of Virginia, University of Washington, Vanderbilt University, Vassar College, Villanova University, Virginia Polytechnic Institute

### SCHOOL HIGHLIGHTS:

- Unique programs in genetics, engineering, and athletic training
- Rated an "A" school on Niche.com
- Strong sports program; About 60% of graduates play college sports

### ACADEMICS AND FACTS:

- Grades at School: 9-12
- Total Students in School: 650
- Teacher/Student Ratio: 1:14
- School Uniform Required: YES
- Religious Affiliation: Catholic
- Diploma Year Offered: NO



### OPTIONS AVAILABLE\*:

**Foreign Languages:** French, Italian, Spanish

**Advanced Placement Courses:** Art History, Biology, Calculus AB, Chemistry, Computer Science Principles, English Language Composition, English Literature and Compositions, Environmental Science, European History, French Language and Culture, Physics I, Physics 2, Psychology, Spanish Language and Culture, Statistics, Studio Art: 2-D Design, Studio Art: 3-D Design, Studio Art: Drawing, US Government and Politics, US History

**Arts:** Choir, Mixed Media, Music Appreciation, Photo Journalism, Photographic Composition, Piano, Portfolio Art, Studio Art Intro, Theater, Visual Arts

#### Athletics:

##### Boys:

**Fall:** Cross Country, Football, Soccer  
**Winter:** Basketball, Bowling, Skiing, Swimming, Wrestling  
**Spring:** Baseball, Golf, Lacrosse, Track and Field

##### Girls:

**Fall:** Cheer, Cross Country, Soccer  
**Winter:** Basketball, Bowling, Swimming, Volleyball  
**Spring:** Golf, Lacrosse, Softball, Track and Field, Volleyball

**Extracurricular Activities:** Anime, Astronomy, Book Club, Campus Ministry, Chess, Choir, Culinary Club, Dance, Debate, Do it Yourself, Drama, Entrepreneurial Club, Environmental, Film, Forensics, French, Gold Key, Health and Hygiene, Interact, Investment, Jazz Band, Literary Magazine, Mathletes, Mock Trial, Model United Nations, Music Ministry, Peer Ministry, Robotics and Engineering, Spanish, Student Leadership Council, Theater, Video, Weightlifting  
**ESL Available/Level:** YES - Intermediate

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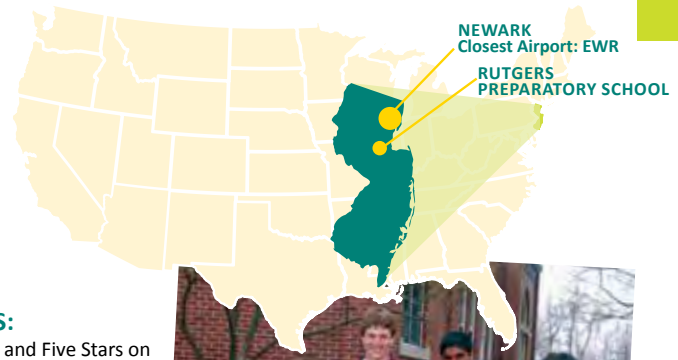






# Rutgers Preparatory School

## Somerset, NJ



### LOCATION:

- Population: 62,300
- Located 1 Hour Southwest of Newark and New York City
- Weather:  
Summer/Fall: Warm and Humid  
Winter/Spring: Cool and Humid

### ELIGIBILITY:

- Enrollment Restrictions: Grades Accepted: 9-12
- Minimum SLEP: Not Accepted
- Minimum TOEFL: 85-90 (Varies)
- Minimum ELTiS: Not Required

### SCHOOL HIGHLIGHTS:

- Rated A+ on Niche.com and Five Stars on Private School Review
- 22 athletic championships won over five years
- All 9-12 students receive an iPad

### ACADEMICS AND FACTS:

- Grades at School: Pre K-12
- Total Students in School: 640
- Students in High School: 360
- Teacher/Student Ratio: 1:7
- School Uniform Required: NO
- Religious Affiliation: None
- Diploma Year Offered: YES

### SCHOOL PROFILE

Rutgers Preparatory School (RPS) offers a full college preparatory and Advanced Placement curriculum. The faculty are selected for deep knowledge of their subject with 61% holding post-graduate degrees.

### FACILITIES

The facilities include an art studio, a traditional photography room, a digital photography room, 12 sets of turntables for ceramics, a library, computer rooms, 6 science labs, and a music building. The athletic facilities include 2 gyms, a track with a field, a multi-functional sports field, soccer/hockey fields, a baseball field, tennis courts, and a croquet field.

### SPORTS AND ARTS

The school has 33 sports teams with approximately 80 percent of students participating in some form of organized athletics at either the junior varsity or varsity level. A broad arts program is offered with courses in visual arts, choral and instrumental music, and drama. Students participate in several performances each year.

### COMMUNITY INFORMATION

Located approximately 50 minutes southwest of New York City, the town of Somerset offers students the opportunity to visit historical sites, enjoy parks and recreational areas, and shop at a variety of stores. Somerset is accessible to the metropolitan area of Central New Jersey. Nearby Rutgers University offers students additional educational and cultural experiences.

**University Acceptance Rate:** 100%

**Partial List of University Acceptances:** Bentley University, Binghamton University, Boston College, Boston University, Brown University, Bucknell University, Carnegie Mellon University, Cornell University, Dartmouth College, Drexel University, Duke University, George Washington University, Georgetown University, John Hopkins University, Michigan State University, Montclair State University, Mount Holyoke College, New York Institute of Technology, New York University, Northeastern University, Purdue University, Quinnipiac University, Rensselaer, Polytechnic Institute, Rhode Island School of Design, University of California, University of Connecticut, University of Illinois, University of North Carolina, University of Pennsylvania, University of Rhode Island, University of Richmond



### OPTIONS AVAILABLE\*:

**Foreign Languages:** Arabic, French, Japanese, Latin, Spanish

**Advanced Placement Courses:** Biology, Calculus AB, Calculus BC, Chemistry, Chinese Language and Culture, Computer Science A, English Language and Composition, English Literature and Composition, Environmental Science, European History, French Language and Culture, Macroeconomics, Microeconomics, Physics C: Electricity and Magnetism, Physics C: Mechanics, Psychology, Spanish Language and Culture, Statistics, US Government and Politics, US History, World History

**Arts:** Acting Introduction, Architecture, Barbershop and Doo-Wop, Brass Ensemble, Ceramics, Chamber Orchestra, Choir Men's, Choir Womens, Concert Band, Critique and Production, Drawing, Drawing and Design, Music Theory, Orchestra, Photography, Saxophone Ensemble, Scene Study, Solo Performance, Strings Ensemble, Vocal Chamber Ensemble Womens

### Athletics:

#### Boys:

**Fall:** Cross Country, Soccer  
**Winter:** Basketball, Swimming, Wrestling  
**Spring:** Baseball, Golf, Lacrosse, Tennis, Volleyball

#### Girls:

**Fall:** Cross Country, Soccer, Tennis, Volleyball  
**Winter:** Basketball, Swimming, Wrestling  
**Spring:** Lacrosse, Softball

**Extracurricular Activities:** American High School Vocational Technology Union, App Development Club, Band, Choir, Entrepreneurial Club, Japan Club, Junior Statesman, Model United Nations, Publications, Student Newspaper, Yearbook

**ESL Available/Level:** NO

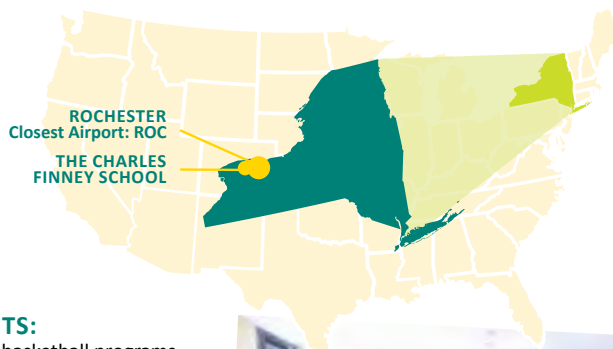
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# The Charles Finney School

## Penfield, NY



### LOCATION:

- Population: 36,200
- Located 15 Minutes East of Rochester
- Weather:  
Summer/Fall: Warm and Temperate  
Winter/Spring: Cold and Humid

### ELIGIBILITY:

- Enrollment Restrictions: Grades Accepted: 9-12
- Minimum SLEP: 50
- Minimum TOEFL: 50
- Minimum ELTIS: 215

### SCHOOL HIGHLIGHTS:

- Great boys and girls basketball programs
- New York State Champions
- Robotics team has won three U.S. Robotic Eastern Regional Championships

### ACADEMICS AND FACTS:

- Grades at School: K-12
- Total Students in School: 301
- Students in High School: 144
- Teacher/Student Ratio: 1:15
- School Uniform Required: YES
- Religious Affiliation: None
- Diploma Year Offered: YES



### SCHOOL PROFILE

The Charles Finney School is a private day school located in northern New York State. Established in 1992, the school offers students a challenging curriculum through honors tracks, as well as a dual enrollment program (college-level courses) with Houghton College and Monroe Community College.

### FACILITIES

The 16-acre campus has a state-of-the-art 3D printer, modern science labs, a library, and an auditorium. Its athletic facilities include a gymnasium, locker rooms, sports field, and courts. The Robotics program is supported by a CAD program and CNC machine, and students have the opportunity to learn how to use both machines.

### SPORTS AND ARTS

There are 5 boys and 5 girls sports teams at the junior varsity and varsity levels. The especially strong boys and girls basketball teams were both New York state Champions. Fine arts classes and extracurricular activities such as art, music, visual arts, and drama are offered, and many students have won regional and state awards.

### AWARDS AND ACCOMPLISHMENTS

Charles Finney School leads the way in the Rochester region with Scholastic Art Awards. It was the first private school to participate in the US FIRST Robotics competition, placing in the top spot in 2013.

### COMMUNITY INFORMATION

Penfield is part of the Greater Rochester area. Bordered by the picturesque Irondequoit Bay, the town is just 15 minutes from downtown Rochester, an international center of higher education which offers a host of attractions and events like music and arts festivals.

### OPTIONS AVAILABLE\*:

**Foreign Languages:** Chinese, French, German, Spanish

**Advanced Placement Courses:** Calculus AB, US History

**Arts:** 3D Art, Band, Ceramics, Choir, Drama Club, Jazz Band, Orchestra, Painting and Drawing, Studio Art, Worship Team

#### Athletics:

##### Boys:

- Fall:** Football, Soccer
- Winter:** Basketball, Wrestling
- Spring:** Baseball, Golf, Track and Field

##### Girls:

- Fall:** Soccer, Volleyball
- Winter:** Basketball
- Spring:** Golf, Softball, Track and Field

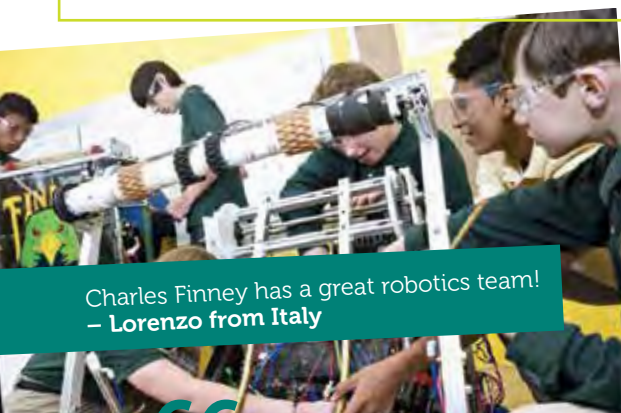
**Extracurricular Activities:** Art Competitions, Choir Competitions, Creative Writing Competitions, Local and International Missions Trips, Musical Productions, Robotics Team

**ESL Available/Level:** YES – Beginner to Advanced

\*All courses and options offered by the school are subject to change.

**University Acceptance Rate:** 88%

**Partial List of University Acceptances:** Grove City College, Houghton College, Nazareth College, Roberts Wesleyan University, Rochester Institute of Technology, St. John Fisher College, University of Notre Dame, University of Rochester



Charles Finney has a great robotics team!  
– Lorenzo from Italy

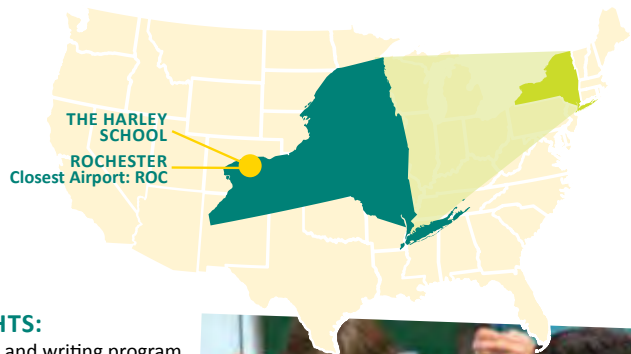






# The Harley School

## Rochester, NY



### LOCATION:

- Population: 210,900
- Located in Rochester
- Summer/Fall: Warm and Humid
- Winter/Spring: Cool and Dry

### ELIGIBILITY:

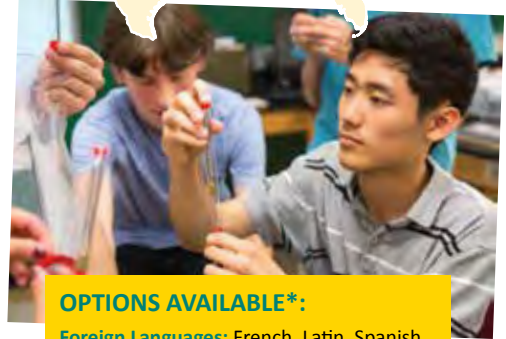
- Enrollment Restrictions: Grades Accepted: 9-11
- Minimum SLEP: Not Accepted
- Minimum TOEFL: 40
- Minimum ELTiS: Not Accepted

### SCHOOL HIGHLIGHTS:

- Award-winning arts and writing program
- Many students recognized by the National Merit Scholarship Program
- "A+" rating on Niche.com

### ACADEMICS AND FACTS:

- Grades at School: Nursery-12
- Total Students in School: 528
- Students in High School: 187
- Teacher/Student Ratio: 1:7
- School Uniform Required: NO
- Religious Affiliation: None
- Diploma Year Offered: NO



### OPTIONS AVAILABLE\*:

**Foreign Languages:** French, Latin, Spanish

**Advanced Placement Courses:** Art History, Biology, Calculus AB, Calculus BC, Chemistry, Computer Science A, English Literature and Composition, Environmental Science, European History, French Language and Culture, Latin, Macroeconomics, Microeconomics, Physics 1, Psychology, Spanish Language and Culture, Statistics, Studio Art: 2D Design, Studio Art: 3D Design, Studio Art: Drawing Portfolio, US Government and Politics, US History

**Arts:** Acting, Ceramic Sculpture, Ceramic Wheel-Working, Choir, Digital Film, Digital Graphic Design, Digital Photography, Directing, Drawing, Glass-Working, Guitar, Improvisation, Jazz Band, Jazz History, Jewelry and Metals, Music Theory, Opera, Painting, Shakespeare, Strings Ensemble, Theater Production, Theremin, Yearbook

#### Athletics:

##### Boys:

- Fall:** Cross Country, Golf, Soccer
- Winter:** Basketball, Bowling, Swimming
- Spring:** Baseball, Tennis, Track and Field

##### Girls:

- Fall:** Cross Country, Golf, Soccer, Tennis, Volleyball
- Winter:** Basketball, Bowling, Swimming
- Spring:** Softball, Track and Field

**Extracurricular Activities:** Advocacy Projects and Clubs, Chess, Community Service, Design Thinking, Filmmaking, Internships, Intramural Sports, Literary Magazine, Makerspace, Math Counts, Newspaper, Outdoor Education, Robotics, Speech and Debate, Student Council

**ESL Available/Level:** NO

### SCHOOL PROFILE

Founded in 1917, the Harley School is a large, independent college preparatory school. Harley students have the freedom to choose Advanced Placement and elective courses in all departments.

### FACILITIES

The facilities include the Sands-Stern Study Center, the Robin Lehman Center for Visual Arts (with a glassblowing studio and student studio space), the Commons Sustainability Center, the Briggs Center for Civic Engagement, and the Center for Mindfulness and Empathy Education (with tennis courts, a swimming pool, and theater).

### SPORTS AND ARTS

The Harley School combines sports teams with another nearby private school. Club sports include Ultimate Frisbee, skiing, and more. The exceptional fine arts curriculum includes unique offerings such as glass making, directing, and introduction to opera. Advanced art students are allotted studio space to work in.

### COMMUNITY INFORMATION

The Harley School is located in Rochester, New York. Rochester is an international center of higher education with plenty of local universities, as well as cultural and historical sites for international students to explore.

**University Acceptance Rate:** 100%

**Partial List of University Acceptances:** Boston University, Brown University, Bryn Mawr College, Carnegie Mellon University, Colgate University, Connecticut College, Cornell University, Duke University, Franklin & Marshall College, Hamilton College (NY), Johns Hopkins University, New York University, Northwestern University, Oberlin College, Rochester Institute of Technology, Savannah College of Art & Design, The Art Institute of Chicago, St. Lawrence University, Stanford University, Swarthmore College, Trinity College, University of California, University of Michigan, University of Rochester, University of Southern California, Vanderbilt University, Wellesley College, Williams College, Yale University



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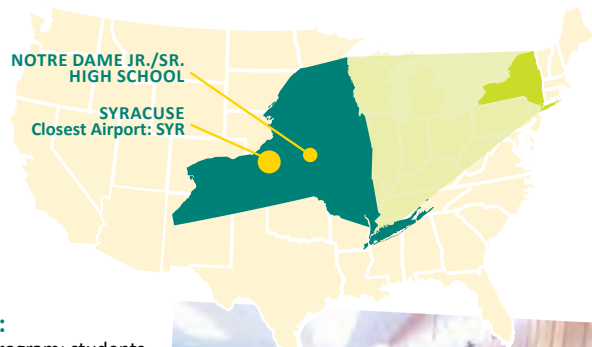
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# Notre Dame Jr./Sr. High School

## Utica, NY



### LOCATION:

- Population: 63,000
- Located 1 Hour East of Syracuse
- Weather:  
Summer/Fall: Warm and Temperate  
Winter/Spring: Cold and Temperate

### ELIGIBILITY:

- Enrollment Restrictions: Grades Accepted: 9-12
- Minimum SLEP: 50
- Minimum TOEFL: 55
- Minimum ELTIS: 215

### SCHOOL HIGHLIGHTS:

- Award-winning music program; students named to Teen All-Star Musicians
- Graduates receive an average of \$100,000 in college scholarship and grants
- "A" rating on Niche.com

### ACADEMICS AND FACTS:

- Grades at School: 7-12
- Total Students in School: 370
- Teacher/Student Ratio: 1:15
- School Uniform Required: YES
- Religious Affiliation: Catholic
- Diploma Year Offered: YES



### SCHOOL PROFILE

Notre Dame Jr./Sr. High School is a private Catholic school in central New York State. Teachers and staff at Notre Dame place emphasis on teaching moral values, effective oral and written communication skills, critical thinking, and creative problem solving.

### FACILITIES

A new school addition is being constructed and will add 14,000 square feet, an ideal educational program space for theater, music, recreation, and athletic facilities to campus.

### SPORTS AND ARTS

A majority of Notre Dame's students participate in one or more of the sports offered, such as lacrosse and golf.

Whether it's drawing, band, writing or theater, Notre Dame has something for all students.

### AWARDS AND ACCOMPLISHMENTS

Over half of the student population in grades 10-12 is part of the optional Navy JROTC program. For the 2016-17 school year, Notre Dame's Navy JROTC won Distinguished Unit with Honors.

### COMMUNITY INFORMATION

Utica, New York is a small city about one hour east of Syracuse. With historic roots dating back to before the birth of America, Utica has well-connected public transportation, good universities, and fun outdoor activities. Winters in Utica are especially great for those who enjoy spending their time on the mountains snowboarding and skiing.

### OPTIONS AVAILABLE\*:

**Foreign Languages:** French, Spanish

**Advanced Placement Courses:** Calculus AB, English Literature and Composition, Psychology, US History, World History

**Arts:** Band, Color Guard, Dance, Drawing and Painting, Jazz Band, Portfolio Development, Studio Art, Theater

#### Athletics:

##### Boys:

**Fall:** Cross Country, Football, Soccer

**Winter:** Basketball, Bowling,

**Spring:** Baseball, Golf, Lacrosse, Swimming, Tennis

##### Girls:

**Fall:** Cross Country, Tennis, Soccer

**Winter:** Basketball, Cheerleading, Swimming

**Spring:** Golf, Softball, Swimming

**Extracurricular Activities:** Band, Literary Magazine, Newspaper, Orchestra, Theater, Yearbook

**ESL Available/Level:** YES

\*All courses and options offered by the school are subject to change.

**University Acceptance Rate:** 98%

**Partial List of University Acceptances:** Boston College, Clarkson University, Colgate University, Florida Institute of Technology, Fordham University, Indiana University, Iowa State University, Keuka College, Northeastern University, Norwich University, Rennselaer Polytechnic Institute, Rochester Institute of Technology, St. John Fisher College, Tuskegee University, Utica College

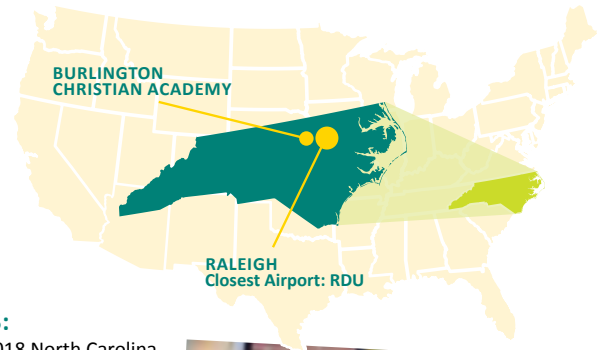






# Burlington Christian Academy

## Burlington, NC



### LOCATION:

- Population: 51,800
- Located 1 Hour Northwest of Raleigh
- Weather: Summer/Fall: Warm and Temperate Winter/Spring: Cool and Temperate

### ELIGIBILITY:

- Enrollment Restrictions: Grades Accepted: 7-11
- Minimum SLEP: Not Accepted
- Minimum TOEFL: 60
- Minimum ELTIS: 242

### SCHOOL HIGHLIGHTS:

- Award-winning staff; 2018 North Carolina Teacher of the Year
- Named in the top 15% of schools in the country by US State Department and Council of American Private Education

### ACADEMICS AND FACTS:

- Grades at School: Pre K-12
- Total Students in School: 600
- Students in High School: 174
- Teacher/Student Ratio: 1:12
- School Uniform Required: NO
- Religious Affiliation: Christian
- Diploma Year Offered: NO



### OPTIONS AVAILABLE\*:

**Foreign Languages:** Latin, Spanish

**Advanced Placement Courses:** Biology, Calculus AB, English Language and Composition, English Literature and Composition, Environmental Science, European History, Statistics, US Government and Politics, US History, World History

**Arts:** Art (Beginner to Advanced), Music, Theater (Beginner to Advanced)

### Athletics:

#### Boys:

**Fall:** Cross Country, Soccer, Volleyball  
**Winter:** Basketball, Swimming  
**Spring:** Baseball, Golf, Tennis, Track and Field

#### Girls:

**Fall:** Cross Country, Tennis, Volleyball  
**Winter:** Basketball, Cheerleading, Swimming  
**Spring:** Golf, Softball, Soccer, Track and Field

**Extracurricular Activities:** Beta Club, Book Club, Campus Ministry Team, Cooking Club, Drama Club, Hiking Club, History Club, International Student Club, Math Club, Mustard Seed Club, National Honor Society, Prep Club, Student Council

**ESL Available/Level:** NO

### SCHOOL PROFILE

Located in Burlington, North Carolina, Burlington Christian Academy has more than 30 years of experience and 600 students. The high school has enjoyed a longstanding reputation of providing students with an excellent, rigorous academic education.

### FACILITIES

In 2007, Burlington Christian Academy completed a new gymnasium and activities center. The school currently has plans for a state-of-the-art high school building in the near future.

### SPORTS AND ARTS

Burlington Christian Academy offers a comprehensive sports program in which all students are encouraged to participate. Passionate teachers work to bring meaning to the arts program and stimulate interest and creativity through courses and extracurricular activities.

### AWARDS AND ACCOMPLISHMENTS

Recognized in the top 15% of all schools in the nation, Burlington Christian Academy students score significantly above grade level on the Stanford Achievement Test (SAT).

### COMMUNITY INFORMATION

Burlington is one of the largest cities in North Carolina. Elon University, ranked second in US News & World Report's "Regional Universities - South" category, is located 10 minutes from Burlington. Burlington has several nice parks and recreational areas with baseball fields, basketball courts, soccer fields, playgrounds, and tennis courts available.

**University Acceptance Rate:** 100%

**Partial List of University Acceptances:** Appalachian State University, Campbell University, Charleston Southern University, Chowan University, Coastal Carolina University, East Carolina University, Elon University, Furman University, Greensboro College, Guilford College, Harding University, High Point University, Lee University, Lenoir-Rhyne University, Liberty University, Lynchburg College, Mars Hill College, Meredith College, Methodist University, Mount Olive College, North Carolina State University, Queens University, University of North Carolina, Wake Forest University, Western Carolina University, Wingate University



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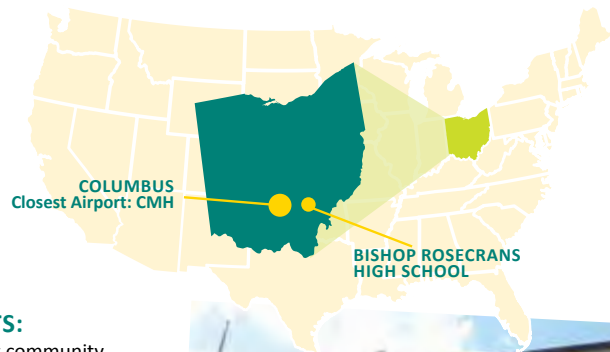
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# Bishop Rosecrans High School

## Zanesville, OH



### LOCATION:

- Population: 25,586
- Located 50 Minutes East of Columbus
- Weather:
  - Summer/Fall: Warm and Temperate
  - Winter/Spring: Cool and Humid

### ELIGIBILITY:

- Enrollment Restrictions: Grades Accepted: 10-12
- Minimum SLEP: 50
- Minimum TOEFL: Not Required
- Minimum ELTIS: 215

### SCHOOL HIGHLIGHTS:

- Warm and welcoming community
- Ranked a Top 50 Private High School in Ohio
- A rated on Niche.com

### ACADEMICS AND FACTS:

- Grades at School: 9-12
- Total Students in School: 110
- Teacher/Student Ratio: 1:13
- School Uniform Required: YES
- Religious Affiliation: Catholic
- Diploma Year Offered: NO



### OPTIONS AVAILABLE\*:

**Foreign Languages:** French, Spanish

**Advanced Placement Courses:** Biology, Calculus AB

**Arts:** Art (Advanced to Beginner), Choir, Foundations of Art, Instrumental Music, Pep Band

#### Athletics:

**Special Note:** F-1 Students are not eligible to play sports.

**Extracurricular Activities:** Campus Ministry, Drama, Key Club, Mock Trial, National Honor Society, Quiz Bowl, Ski, Student Council

**ESL Available/Level:** NO

### SCHOOL PROFILE

Founded in 1950, Bishop Rosecrans High School is a private Catholic high school offering 4 challenging academic tracks: general studies, college prep, advanced college prep, and honors. Students consistently score high on standardized tests, and 100% of graduates go on to attend university.

### FACILITIES

The two acre campus is across the street from the city of Zanesville's Pioneer Park. Their outstanding facilities include a gymnasium, swimming pool, and outdoor athletic fields.

### SPORTS AND ARTS

Due to state regulations, F-1 students are not allowed to play sports at the school. Bishop Rosecrans offers students several fine arts courses and clubs that include choir, drama, and pep band.

### COMMUNITY INFORMATION

Zanesville is a small city located in the southeastern region of Ohio. The downtown area has galleries, theaters, shopping, and restaurants for students to enjoy. About one hour away, students can explore the larger city of Columbus. The area is home to some of America's most famous universities, such as Ohio State University as well as companies like American retailer Hollister.

**University Acceptance Rate:** 100%

**Partial List of University Acceptances:** Ashland University, Belmont University, Bowling Green State University, Capital University, Cleveland State University, Columbus College of Art and Design, Kentucky Mountain Bible College, Massachusetts Institute of Technology, Miami University, Ohio University, Ohio State University, Ohio Dominican University, Suffolk University, University of Cincinnati, Wright State University, Xavier University, Zane State College



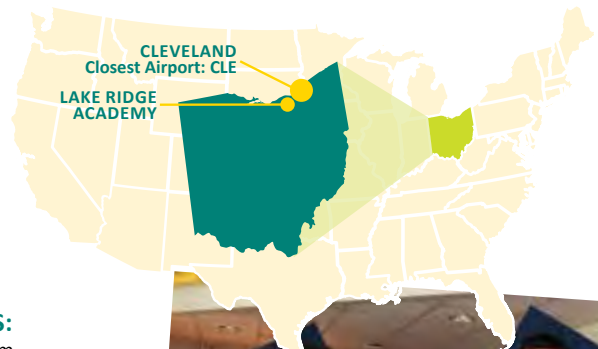
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# Lake Ridge Academy

## North Ridgeville, OH



### LOCATION:

- Population: 31,900
- Located 30 Minutes West of Cleveland
- Weather:  
Summer/Fall: Warm and Temperate  
Winter/Spring: Cool and Humid

### ELIGIBILITY:

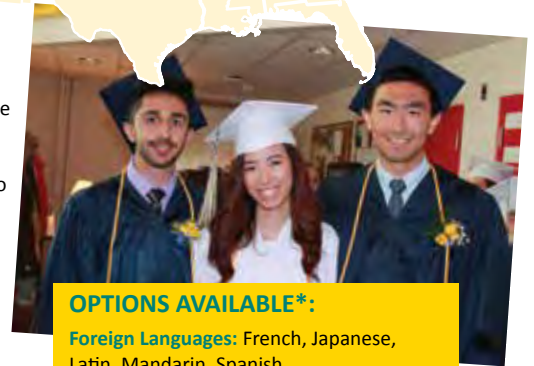
- Enrollment Restrictions: Grades Accepted: 7-11
- Minimum SLEP: Not Accepted
- Minimum TOEFL: 60
- Minimum ELTiS: 220

### SCHOOL HIGHLIGHTS:

- Rated "A+" on Niche.com
- Students awarded silver medals from the Alliance for Young Artists and Writers in 2018
- Production and Arts program selected to perform at the Ohio State Conference

### ACADEMICS AND FACTS:

- Grades at School: K-12
- Total Students in School: 415
- Students in High School: 175
- Teacher/Student Ratio: 1:8
- School Uniform Required: NO
- Religious Affiliation: None
- Diploma Year Offered: NO



### OPTIONS AVAILABLE\*:

**Foreign Languages:** French, Japanese, Latin, Mandarin, Spanish

**Advanced Placement Courses:** Biology, Calculus AB, Calculus BC, Chemistry, English Literature and Composition, Environmental Science, European History, French Language and Culture, Physics 1, Physics C: Electricity, Physics C: Mechanics, Spanish Language and Culture, Statistics, Studio Art: 2D Design, Studio Art: 3D Design, US History, World History

**Arts:** 2-D Design, 3-D Design, Acting, Ceramics, Choir, Dance, Directing Theater, Drawing, Foundations for Art, Improvisation, Jazz, Mixed Media, Music Theory, Musical Theater, Painting, Piano, Sculpture, String Orchestra, Studio Art

### Athletics:

**Note:** F-1 Students are not eligible to play sports.

**Extracurricular Activities:** A Capella, Academic Challenge, Art Club, Book Club, Gay Straight Alliance, Humanitarian Aid Society, Junior Engineering Technology and Science Club, Junior Statesman of America, Lego Robotics, Mock Trial, Model United Nations, National Honors Society, Newspaper, Rocketry, School Musical, Sci-Fi Club, Student Senate, Theater Production, Thespian Society, Yearbook

**ESL Available/Level:** YES - Beginner to Advanced

### SCHOOL PROFILE

Founded in 1963, Lake Ridge Academy is the only independent college preparatory school on Cleveland's west side. It offers students a number of unique programs like entrepreneurial studies, anatomy and physiology, and developmental biology and embryology. The school also offers independent studies in subjects like multi-variable calculus.

### FACILITIES

The 93 acre campus includes a garden, a brand new science and engineering building, a gymnasium, a weight/workout facility, and outside sports facilities. The community resource center on campus includes a library and technology center, multi-media conference room, study rooms, project rooms, foreign language classrooms, computer labs, and a TV/video broadcast editing room.

### SPORTS AND ARTS

Due to state regulations, F-1 students are not able to play sports. The arts program gives students many opportunities. Students take visual arts and drama, direct and perform in plays, and have the chance to work with professional actors.

### COMMUNITY INFORMATION

The school is located in North Ridgeville Ohio, a suburb 30 minutes west of Cleveland and eight miles south of Lake Erie.

### University Acceptance Rate: 100%

**Partial List of University Acceptances:** American University, Boston College, Boston University, Brown University, Butler University, Chicago Institute of Arts, Colorado College, Columbia University, Cornell University, DePaul University, Duke University, Harvard University, Massachusetts Institute of Technology (MIT), Massachusetts School of Pharmacy, Middlebury College, New York University, Northeastern University, Oberlin College, Ohio State University, Princeton University, Purdue University, Rhode Island School of Art & Design, Rochester Institute of Technology, Stanford University, Swarthmore College, University of Loyola, University of Michigan, University of Rochester, Washington University, Yale University

\*All courses and options offered by the school are subject to change.





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# Bishop McDevitt High School

## Wyncote, PA

### LOCATION:

- Population: 3,000
- Located 30 Minutes North of Philadelphia
- Weather:
  - Summer/Fall: Warm and Humid
  - Winter/Spring: Cold and Dry

### ELIGIBILITY:

- Enrollment Restrictions: None
- Minimum SLEP: Not Accepted
- Minimum TOEFL: 60
- Minimum ELTIS: 220

### SCHOOL PROFILE

Bishop McDevitt High School is a school in eastern Pennsylvania accepting international students from grades 9 to 12. Its programs offer students many challenging opportunities in AP, arts, and after-school activities.

### FACILITIES

Bishop McDevitt has enterprise-class internet and network infrastructure available in every classroom. Students have access to media labs, science labs, and sports facilities, including the Rocco Ortenzio Stadium.

### SPORTS AND ARTS

The school has a strong tradition of athletic excellence. The school's sports teams have brought home many titles, with the football team winning multiple titles since 2010. Students can also develop their artistic abilities by taking classes in performing arts, music, or visual arts. Bishop has even more to offer after school with clubs like drama, art, poetry, and more.

### COMMUNITY INFORMATION

Wyncote is conveniently located just outside of Philadelphia and offers international high school students a glimpse of old America. Students can visit many historical sites like the Liberty Bell, try local cuisine like the Philly Cheesesteak, or just enjoy the old city atmosphere at a local cafe.

**University Acceptance Rate:** 98%

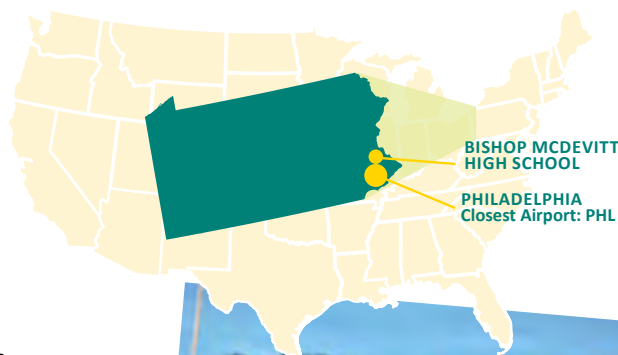
**Partial List of University Acceptances:** American University, Ave Maria University, Drexel University, Fashion Institute of Design and Merchandising (FIDM), Florida State University, George Mason University, Georgetown University, Gettysburg College, Ithaca College, LaSalle University, Loyola University - Chicago, Loyola University - New Orleans, Moore College of Art & Design, Northeastern University, Pennsylvania State University, Providence College, Rennselaer Polytechnic Institute, Syracuse University, Temple University, University of California, University of Connecticut, University of Florida, University of Miami, University of Oregon, University of Pennsylvania, Villanova University, Virginia Tech University, York College

### SCHOOL HIGHLIGHTS:

- Near historic Philadelphia
- Robotics team has attended the World Championship Tournament two years in a row
- Strong sports teams with multiple titles

### ACADEMICS AND FACTS:

- Grades at School: 9-12
- Total Students in School: 437
- Teacher/Student Ratio: 1:22
- School Uniform Required: YES
- Religious Affiliation: Catholic
- Diploma Year Offered: YES



### OPTIONS AVAILABLE\*:

**Foreign Languages:** Spanish

**Advanced Placement Courses:** Biology, Calculus, English Literature and Composition, US History

**Arts:** 2D Design, 3D Design, American Arts, Art, Band, Career Art, Instrumental Music

#### Athletics:

##### Boys:

**Fall:** Cross Country, Football, Soccer

**Winter:** Basketball, Wrestling

**Spring:** Baseball, Track and Field

##### Girls:

**Fall:** Cheerleading, Cross Country, Field Hockey, Soccer, Volleyball

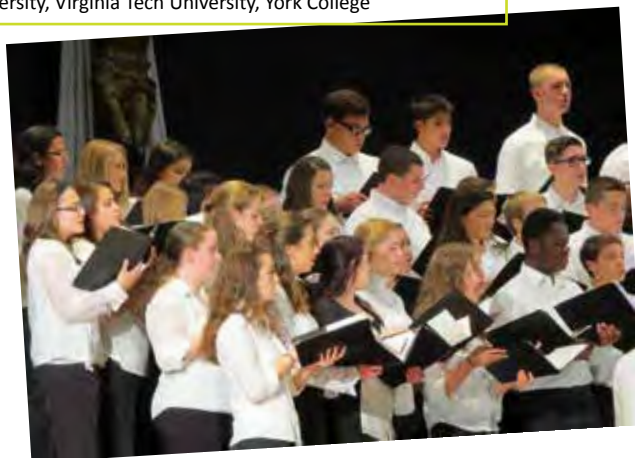
**Winter:** Basketball, Swimming

**Spring:** Lacrosse, Softball, Track and Field

**Extracurricular Activities:** Academic Bowl, Art Club, Band, Book Club, Chess, Choir, Drama, Fashion, Film, Forensics, Mathletes, National Honors Society, Newsletter (Twin Towers), Poetry Club, Robotics, Rock Band, Spanish Club, Student Council, TV Club, World Affairs, World Languages, Writing Lab, Yearbook

**ESL Available/Level:** NO

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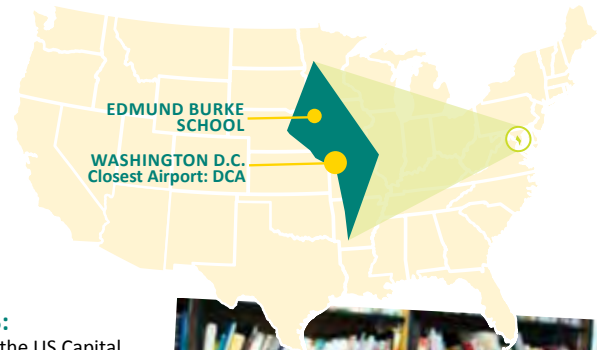






# Edmund Burke School

## Washington D.C.



### LOCATION:

- Population: 602,000
- Located in Washington DC
- Weather:  
Summer/Fall: Warm and Temperate  
Winter/Spring: Cold and Humid

### ELIGIBILITY:

- Enrollment Restrictions: Grades Accepted: 9-11
- Minimum SLEP: Not Accepted
- Minimum TOEFL: Required, No Minimum
- Minimum ELTIS: Not Accepted

### SCHOOL HIGHLIGHTS:

- Located in the heart of the US Capital, Washington D.C.
- Strong sports and arts programs offered
- University acceptance rate of 100%

### ACADEMICS AND FACTS:

- Grades at School: 6-12
- Total Students in School: 296
- Students in High School: 226
- Teacher/Student Ratio: 1:6
- School Uniform Required: NO
- Religious Affiliation: None
- Diploma Year Offered: NO



### SCHOOL PROFILE

Edmund Burke School is a college preparatory school in the heart of Washington DC. Offering challenging academics, world-class arts, and championship sports, Edmund Burke boasts a 100% college acceptance rate for its graduates—many to Ivy League universities.

### FACILITIES

Facilities include two computer labs, offices, classrooms, a library, a music room, athletic facilities, and a theater.

### SPORTS AND ARTS

Edmund Burke’s athletic program offers a range of interscholastic sports and club level competition as well as instruction. The school has won several Potomac Valley Athletic Conference (PVAC) championships in track and field, softball and soccer. Edmund Burke offers a comprehensive art program with the understanding that painting, drawing, ceramics, music, and acting are important for student development.

### COMMUNITY INFORMATION

Washington DC is the nation’s capital and the center of all 3 branches of the federal government - including Congress, the President, and the Supreme Court. Famous for the many national monuments and museums, the city hosts 176 foreign embassies and is the headquarters of many international organizations. The area also hosts more than 20 excellent colleges, all within a 1 hour drive from DC.

### OPTIONS AVAILABLE\*:

**Foreign Languages:** French, Latin, Spanish

**Advanced Placement Courses:** Art History, Biology, Calculus AB, Chemistry, English Literature and Composition, French Language and Culture, Latin, Macroeconomics, Microeconomics Physics C: Mechanics, Spanish Language and Culture, Statistics, US History

**Arts:** Book Arts, Ceramics (Beginner to Advanced), Directions and Avenues, Drawing and Painting, Mixed Media, Photography, Photojournalism, Portfolio Development, Urban Alchemy, Video Production

#### Athletics:

##### Boys:

- Fall:** Cross Country, Soccer
- Winter:** Basketball, Swimming
- Spring:** Baseball, Golf, Track and Field, Ultimate Frisbee

##### Girls:

- Fall:** Cross Country, Soccer, Volleyball
- Winter:** Basketball, Swimming
- Spring:** Golf, Softball, Track and Field, Ultimate Frisbee

**Extracurricular Activities:** Animal Rights, Art, Book, Chess Team, Comic Books, Dance, Debate and Speech, Drama, Dungeons and Dragons, Environmental Action, Jewish Culture, Key Club, Literary Magazine, Music and Vinyl Shares, Newspaper, Peer Tutoring, Photography, Robotics, Student Government, Students Supporting All Sexual Identities, Women’s Forum, Yearbook, Yoga

**ESL Available/Level:** YES

\*All courses and options offered by the school are subject to change.

### University Acceptance Rate: 100%

**Partial List of University Acceptances:** Berklee College of Music, Boston University, Brandeis University, Brown University, Clark University, College of William & Mary, Cornell University, Emory University, Fordham University, George Washington University, Georgetown University, Harvard University, Ithaca College, James Madison University, Johns Hopkins University, Mercyhurst College, Miami University, Mount Holyoke College, New York University, Northeastern University, Ohio State University, Pennsylvania State University, Pratt Institute, San Francisco Art Institute, Savannah College of Art and Design, School of the Art Institute of Chicago





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# Lourdes Academy

## Oshkosh, WI

### LOCATION:

- Population: 66,621
- Located 1 Hour Southwest of Green Bay
- Weather:  
Summer/Fall: Warm and Temperate  
Winter/Spring: Cool and Dry

### ELIGIBILITY:

- Enrollment Restrictions: Grades Accepted: 9-11; 12 if transferring from U.S. school
- Minimum SLEP: 60
- Minimum TOEFL: 73
- Minimum ELTIS: 233

### SCHOOL PROFILE

Established in 1959, Lourdes Academy is the oldest high school in the town of Oshkosh. It is conveniently located 1 hour south from the city of Green Bay, home to the popular NFL football team, the Green Bay Packers.

### FACILITIES

Completed in 2005, the Bill Behring Commons serves as a cafeteria, auditorium, and performing arts center. It connects with the student union, as well as the new gymnasium and band classroom. Students also have access to off-site sports fields and facilities at nearby Titan Stadium.

### SPORTS AND ARTS

International students are encouraged to join any junior varsity sports teams such as cross country, football, soccer, hockey, and basketball.

Lourdes offers courses in performing and visual arts along with music. Students are invited to join performances as musicians, singers, dancers, and actors.

### COMMUNITY INFORMATION

The City of Oshkosh is a small city that has several National Historic Places. Famous for being home to the iconic brand OshKosh B'Gosh, the city is about one and a half hours north of Milwaukee and one hour south of Green Bay. Students can enjoy Oshkosh's parks, galleries, nationally renowned museums, golf courses, entertainment venues, and festivals. Oshkosh combines small-town, midwestern hospitality with a big city lifestyle.

**University Acceptance Rate:** 96%

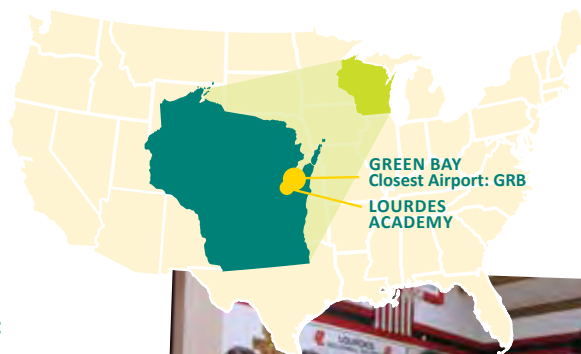
**Partial List of University Acceptances:** Belmont University, Carroll University, Drake University, Loyola University, Mariah University, Marquette University, Miami University, Northern Michigan University, St. Louis University, St. Mary's University, St. Norbet College, Texas Tech University, University of Alabama, University of Denver, University of Houston, University of Iowa, University of Kansas, University of North Dakota, University of Wisconsin

### SCHOOL HIGHLIGHTS:

- Strong STEM Program
- Career Exploration Opportunities

### ACADEMICS AND FACTS:

- Grades at School: Pre K-12
- Total Students in School: 700
- Students in High School: 220
- Teacher/Student Ratio: 1:15
- School Uniform Required: NO
- Religious Affiliation: Catholic
- Diploma Year Offered: NO



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### OPTIONS AVAILABLE\*:

**Foreign Languages:** German, Spanish

**Advanced Placement Courses:** Psychology, Statistics

**Arts:** 3D Art, Art, Band, Chamber Choir, Chorus, Concert Choir, Contemporary Ensemble, Graphic Arts, Musical, Pep Band, Symphonic Band, Wind Ensemble

### Athletics:

#### Boys:

**Fall:** Cross Country, Football, Soccer  
**Winter:** Basketball, Ice Hockey, Wrestling  
**Spring:** Baseball, Golf, Track and Field

#### Girls:

**Fall:** Cross Country, Dance, Swimming and Diving, Tennis, Volleyball  
**Winter:** Basketball, Dance, Ice Hockey  
**Spring:** Golf, Soccer, Softball, Track and Field

**Extracurricular Activities:** Chemistry, Fellowship of Christian Athletes, Forensics, International, Martial Arts, Movies, National Honor Society, Photography, Recycling, Student Leadership Council, Yearbook

**ESL Available/Level:** NO

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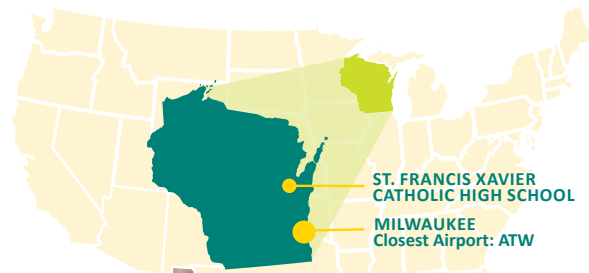






# St. Francis Xavier Catholic High School

## Appleton, WI



### LOCATION:

- Population: 74,000
- Located 2 Hours North of Milwaukee
- Weather:  
Summer/Fall: Warm and Humid  
Winter/Spring: Cool and Wet

### ELIGIBILITY:

- Enrollment Restrictions: None
- Minimum SLEP: Not Accepted
- Minimum TOEFL: Not Required
- Minimum ELTiS: 228

### SCHOOL PROFILE

St. Francis Xavier High School offers unique courses where students can try subjects like computer applications, criminal justice, 3D design, aerospace engineering, architectural drafting, civil engineering and architecture, genetics, and marketing.

### FACILITIES

The academic wing includes computer labs, science labs, a large guidance suite, and a library media center. The school's performing arts center includes a 749-seat theater plus new rooms for band, chorus, drama, and art.

### SPORTS AND ARTS

St. Francis Xavier Catholic High School athletics has a rich tradition of success, and typically, well over half of the student body participates each year. The arts program at St. Francis is impressive and includes the Xavier Theater Academy, an intensive learning/performance class geared toward dedicated, serious performers and technicians. Students prepare for and present public performances of a Broadway musical at the end of each session.

### COMMUNITY INFORMATION

Appleton is situated along the Fox River, about 40 minutes south of Green Bay and two hours north of Milwaukee. The largest park in Appleton has several baseball/softball fields, playground equipment, an indoor ice skating rink, a sledding hill, a picnic pavilion, a catch and release fishing pond, and barbecue grills.

**University Acceptance Rate:** 98%

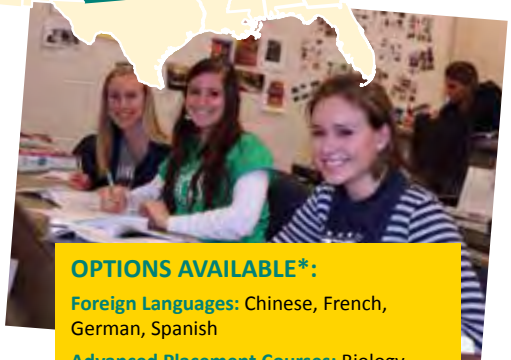
**Partial List of University Acceptances:** Brown University, Florida State University, Indiana University, Marquette University, Purdue University, St. Norbert College, Stubenville University, University of California, University of Florida, University of Minnesota, University of Notre Dame, University of Wisconsin (Madison), Whitewater, Stevens Point, Green Bay, Lacrosse, Oshkosh)

### SCHOOL HIGHLIGHTS:

- About 70% of students earn college credit while attending
- Strong arts program; Theater Academy for serious theater students
- Highest ACT average in Fox Valley area

### ACADEMICS AND FACTS:

- Grades at School: 9-12
- Total Students in School: 600
- Teacher/Student Ratio: 1:17
- School Uniform Required: YES
- Religious Affiliation: Catholic
- Diploma Year Offered: YES



### OPTIONS AVAILABLE\*:

**Foreign Languages:** Chinese, French, German, Spanish

**Advanced Placement Courses:** Biology, Calculus AB, English Language and Composition, English Literature and Composition, Human Geography, Music Theory, Physics 1, Psychology, Statistics, US History, World History

**Arts:** 2D Design, 3D CAD Modeling, 3D Design, Acting, Acting Troupe, Advanced Graphic Design, Arts and Crafts, Basic Drafting, Ceramics, Chorale, Compositional Techniques, Computer Animation, Computer Assisted Drafting, Concert Band, Concert Choir, Drawing, Fashion Drawing, Jazz Ensemble, Jewelry, Media Basics, Media Production, Music Theory, Orchestra, Painting, Playwriting, Theater, Wind Ensemble

### Athletics:

#### Boys:

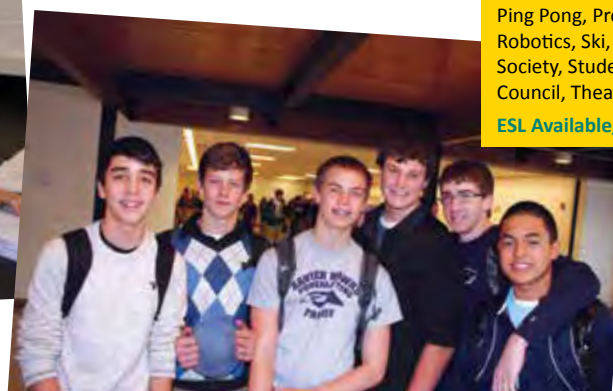
- Fall:** Cross Country, Football, Soccer
- Winter:** Basketball, Hockey, Powerlifting, Wrestling
- Spring:** Baseball, Golf, Tennis, Track

#### Girls:

- Fall:** Cheerleading, Cross Country, Volleyball
- Winter:** Basketball, Dance and Drill, Volleyball
- Spring:** Golf, Soccer, Softball, Track

**Extracurricular Activities:** Art, Bowling, Chess, Environmental, Forensics, French National Honor Society, Future Business Leaders of America, Key, Mock Trial, National Honor Society, Peer Tutoring, Ping Pong, Prom Committee, Quiz Bowl, Robotics, Ski, Spanish National Honor Society, Student Ambassadors, Student Council, Theater

**ESL Available/Level:** NO



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# Academic Exchange (F-1) Program

The Educatius Academic Exchange Program on an F-1 visa is perfect for international students looking for a more affordable program with all the academic benefits of our F-1 SELECT High School program. If you can be flexible and let us choose your destination, you can study in the USA at a Private or Public High School at a lower price. This means that Educatius chooses the high school for the student. However, with schools in great locations like Illinois, Michigan, and New York State, students can look forward to an authentic American high school experience. It's truly the best of both worlds!

Students can attend for an Academic Year or a Semester in grades 9-12, and students entering grade 12 can even earn a US High School Diploma. Our Academic Exchange students have been accepted to colleges and universities like University of New Jersey (Rutgers), SUNY, Texas A&M University, Maastricht University in the Netherlands, and Renmin University of China. Whatever your goals and ambitions may be, our Academic Exchange Program is a fantastic place to start!

## Why International Students love this Low-Cost Program

- They are able to earn a US Diploma in grade 12 (and continue to a US university, if desired) or earn academic credit in younger grades
- Our program accepts students ages 14-18
- More flexible than the J-1 Exchange in admission requirements, medical conditions, and deadlines
- Choose a Public or Private High School placement
- Year and Semester enrollments, Fall or January start
- Late applications accepted
- Guaranteed placement for ALL accepted applicants
- Study for more than one year (at a Private Day School) with our 2nd Year Price Guarantee



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Watch Daniel from Brazil make his dreams come true while on our F-1 Academic Exchange Program!  
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## DID YOU KNOW?

Students who have already finished a year on the J-1 Exchange Program can take this program as a low cost option to continue their studies in the USA!

## Compare Academic F-1 Exchange vs Traditional J-1 Exchange

ADVANTAGES:	F-1 ACADEMIC EXCHANGE	J-1 EXCHANGE
Take a full schedule of courses and earn academic credit transferable to your country	✓	✗
Earn a US Diploma if entering grade 12 & continue to US University	✓	✗
Guaranteed Placements if accepted to program	✓	✗
Late applications accepted	✓	✗
Study for multiple years in the USA	✓	✗

## Most control for the best price

### HOW IT WORKS:

**Step 1:** Tell us if you prefer to attend a Public or Private School

**Step 2:** Tell us if you'd like to earn a diploma (if you are entering grade 12)

**Step 3:** Choose your 1st favorite from a list of options including language, sport, art, climate or subject choice.

**Step 4:** We will place you in a school that has your favorite choice:

For instance, French, Spanish, Soccer, American Football, Tennis, Golf, Basketball, Track & Field, Drama/Theatre, Art, Music, Warm all year, Four Seasons, AP Calculus, Generic AP Science.



# Short-Term High School Programs

Unable to take a full semester or year to study abroad? You can still study in the USA! Whether you choose the short term or super-short term option, you will never forget your time studying in the USA. These programs take place during the academic year so students can experience real American high school life!

Choose the program that works best for you!

Short Term High School Program Options		
DURATION	2-4 weeks	10-12 weeks
SCHOOL TYPE	SELECT Boarding Schools	SELECT Public or Private Day Schools
ACCOMMODATION	Live in a friendly Dormitory with great cuisine	Live with a welcoming American Host Family
CREDIT	Students attend but do not participate in class	Can take a full course load and get a certificate of courses taken
LOCATIONS	Inquire for location information	Florida, California, New York, Iowa
ELIGIBILITY	Ages 12-15	Ages 14-18
ENGLISH REQUIREMENT	195 ELTiS	195 ELTiS
START DATES	Late October or Early February	Fall, Winter, Spring





# Other High School Options in the USA



## SELECT Public High School Programs

Studying at an Educatius SELECT high public school lets international students experience the very best of the USA public school system on an F-1 visa! This means they can choose their high school and get academic credit, or even earn a diploma!

Each school in Educatius' portfolio has been chosen because it offers something extraordinary. What's more, the public schools in Educatius' program are some of the highest ranked schools in regions throughout the USA.

### Example Public School:

#### Oak Park High School - Oak Park, California

**Number of Students:** 1,550

**Accepts Students to Grades:** 9-12

**Diploma Year Offered:** No

**Number of AP Courses:** 20

**Foreign Languages:** American Sign Language, Chinese, French, Spanish

**Sports:** Baseball, Basketball, Cross Country, Football, Golf, Lacrosse, Soccer, Softball, Tennis, Track and Field, Volleyball

**Arts:** 3D Design/Ceramics, Acting, Choir, Computer Animation, Computer Graphics, Drawing/Painting, Instrumental Music, Stagecraft, Web Design



View all schools in our  
SELECT Public School Program!

## SELECT Boarding School Programs

On the Educatius SELECT Private Boarding School Program, international high school students attend excellent boarding schools across the United States. Many students choose to attend boarding schools for multiple years in pursuit of a diploma and aspire to attend a top university in the US.

Living on campus with your fellow students and teachers is an experience like none other — it builds camaraderie and enables you to form lifelong friendships. Best yet, no other program can offer a better start to an academic career. We work with schools in major metropolitan areas and some of our schools are located in or within minutes from places like Boston, New York, and Los Angeles.

### Example Boarding School:

#### The Calverton School - Huntingtown, Maryland

**Highlights:** Located in Washington D.C.

**Number of Students:** 230

**Accepts Students to Grades:** 9-11

**Diploma Year Offered:** No

**Number of AP Courses:** 2, offers extensive IB Program

**Foreign Languages:** French, German, Spanish

**Sports:** Basketball, Cheerleading, Cross Country, Field Hockey, Golf, Lacrosse, Soccer, Softball, Tennis

**Arts:** IB Music, IB Visual Arts



View all schools in our  
SELECT Boarding School Program!

# Educatus College and University Services

Educatus College and University Services (ECUS) works with more than 160 institutions in North America. With our guidance, we will help you save money and eliminate all the confusion during the application process. With a number of unique educational opportunities, we cater to all students.

## Programs Include:

- University Scholarship Program
- Study in California Program
- Community College Program

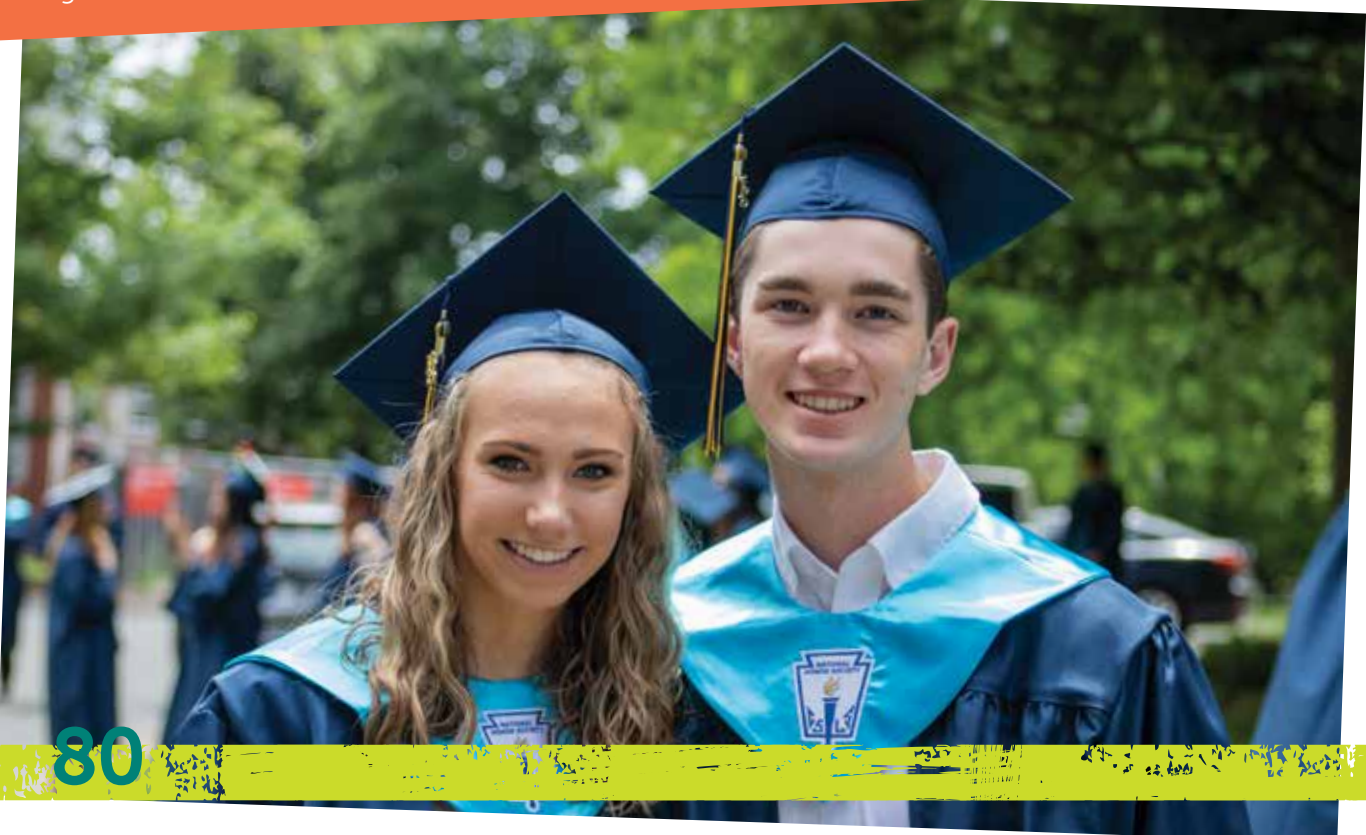
## Our University Partners

Our network of schools include institutions that are highly ranked in areas such as research and technology. We work with schools in 43 states, so you have a variety of options.

## What Students Say About Educatus College and University Services

I really enjoyed my year at the college! I live at the dorms with three native speakers so I can practice my English a lot and get to know about the country. I enjoy living on my own and getting more confident and independent. The Americans are super friendly. Not only the teacher but also your classmates are respectful and also want to know more about your country. I found lots of good friends and I don't want to go back. I will miss not only my wonderful relaxed life but also my American friends. I would recommend everyone to study abroad! Thank you Educatus for letting me experience this wonderful year in the US. – **Kay O. from Germany**

I felt like I was heard and seen by the Educatus staff. I also felt like I got all the help I could ask for throughout the process. – **Camilla S. from Finland**





# Find the Right Fit and Get Scholarships

Scholarships are available to international students applying through our representatives

Educatus Group negotiates significant scholarships on behalf of students at over 125 competitive universities. By applying to our University Scholarship Program, international students can lower their costs by about \$10,000-\$25,000 a year. With Educatus' assistance, students can locate affordable programs and study in prestigious American institutions.

## BENEFITS OF THE SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM:

- Complete ONLY ONE application and receive pre-acceptances to up to 10 institutions
- You get regular updates on your application
- You get personal advice during the process
- Assistance in all areas of college registration and enrollment
- Coordination of housing, meal plans, health insurance, and additional services
- Flexible start dates



## DID YOU KNOW?

- Our students have received scholarships that were up to 60% of their tuition.
- Educatus facilitated over \$1.5 million in university scholarships for our students last year.
- Students can save up to \$100,000 over 4 years.
- There are more than \$3 million in scholarships available for 2019!

## Community College Program

Two-year colleges can help students improve English skills, save money, and adapt to US education. The Community College Program allows for quality education at an affordable cost. Not only are community colleges less expensive than four-year institutions, but they provide the first two years of coursework necessary to transfer to a four-year institution where students can continue to pursue a bachelor's degree at a top ranked university. Our community colleges accept lower English scores and no SAT, making it easier to apply.

## BENEFITS OF THE COMMUNITY COLLEGE PROGRAM:

- Easier admission requirements
- Costs are lower: Tuition at Community Colleges can be as much as 20% to 80% less than at four-year American universities. This is a tremendous cost savings for the first two years of the bachelor's degree
- Small classes, more support
- Opportunity to transfer to a highly ranked university

ENGLISH TRAINING  
(IF NECESSARY)



COMMUNITY COLLEGE  
(2 YEARS)



TRANSFER TO UNIVERSITY  
(2 YEARS)

= BACHELOR'S DEGREE

## DID YOU KNOW?

- Some of our top transfer destinations are: University of California - Berkeley (UC - Berkeley), University of California - Los Angeles (UCLA), San Francisco State University.
- Famous alumni of community colleges include director George Lucas, actor Tom Hanks, author Amy Tan, and former US Surgeon General Richard Carmona.

# How to Apply

## STEP 1

### PLAN YOUR ADVENTURE

Consider your budget.

What kind of experience do you want?  
Where do you want to study?

Decide what you want from your experience — and our international representatives will help you find schools that match what you're looking for.



## STEP 2

### SEND IN YOUR APPLICATION

Get the documents you need — English test scores, school transcripts, teacher recommendations, and personal essay — and submit your application online.

If the school has space, it will almost always accept an application submitted by us! Many students start this process in November or December for the Fall start.



## STEP 4

### HOST FAMILY PROFILE AND FINAL ARRANGEMENTS

During the summer, you'll find out who your host family will be!

We encourage you to contact them before arrival to introduce yourself.

Additionally, once payment is finalized, your local representative will send you an orientation packet.





**STEP 3**

**GET YOUR I-20 FOR YOUR STUDENT VISA**

International students on our F-1 program need an I-20 to apply for a student visa.

Once the school has received your deposit, they'll send you an I-20, which you'll use to schedule a visa interview.

Do this as soon as possible!

**STEP 5**

**ARRIVAL**

Once you arrive, your Local Coordinator will be there to help you adjust to your new home and school.

**STEP 6**

**WHAT COMES NEXT?**

Many students decide they want to stay in the USA for multiple years. Tell us ASAP if you'd like to re-enroll at your school. We will work with your Local Coordinator to finalize it.

Planning to continue on to a USA university? Our University Scholarship program can help!



## CHOOSE A HIGH SCHOOL PROGRAM FROM 17 COUNTRIES:

- Argentina
- Australia
- Canada
- Chile
- Denmark
- Finland
- France
- Germany
- Ireland
- Italy
- Japan
- New Zealand
- Norway
- Spain
- Sweden
- UK
- USA





# Worldwide High School Programs

We are *the* High School Experts!

More than 6,000 international students from 60+ countries studied on one of Educatius Group's high school programs last year and had the experience of their lifetime!

We have three types of high school programs depending on the country.

## JAPAN

**The SELECT program** is a premium high school experience where students can choose exactly the location and the school they'd like to attend. Available in the USA, Canada, UK, Ireland, Australia, New Zealand, France, and Spain.

**The CLASSIC program** is the typical exchange program where students go abroad to have a cultural high school experience and improve their language skills. The CLASSIC program is available in all countries except Canada.

**The Academic Exchange program** is a low-cost way for students to get a great academic experience. Providing the academic credit and pathway to university that Classic programs do not offer, the Academic Exchange program is available in the USA, as well as (for non-EU passport holders only) both the UK and Ireland.

## AUSTRALIA

## NEW ZEALAND

This year by far was the best year of my life. I'll remember all the experiences that I had here forever. My host family was the greatest thing for me; I actually consider them as my family. I really love them. All the friends that I made here I won't be able to forget. Everyone was super nice to me and they were always there to support me when I needed. I really have nothing to complain about this year. – **Gustavo from Brazil**

One of the most amazing experiences I have ever done in my life! I came in a country where I had no idea about anything, people, culture, language...I came completely alone! And "alone" I could learn the "real" of the life and grow up my mind about the world. – **Anna from Taiwan**

This was my first "cold" Christmas. It was the best experience ever. We celebrated with my entire host family and friends. Even my host sister who was in the USA at the time joined in by Skype. I don't regret going to Germany! – **Clara from Mexico**





## What Happens After a Year in Private High School?

Students attending our High School programs in the USA have the best time of their lives, and often want to know if and how it's possible to continue studying in the USA. It's easy, with Educatus Group's help!

### Re-Enroll at a SELECT Private High School

Any international students who have completed Grade 8, 9, 10 or 11 at a Private School can simply let us know that they would like to re-enroll in their same school, and we will take care of all arrangements with the school and host families.

We recommend that students start thinking about re-enrollment in the Fall, and notify Educatus or their local representative as early as possible. Schools have limited space for international students, so we recommend getting in touch with the local representative even if you are just considering this.

#### It's Easy!

**Step 1:** Students let us know they are interested in continuing to study in the USA.

**Step 2:** We work with their local representative to choose the perfect private or boarding school program to continue.

**Step 3:** We use the student's original application package to apply to a private or boarding school for their 2nd year.

### Academic Exchange – 2nd Year Price Guarantee

Students who would like to continue studying on our low cost Academic Exchange Program can take advantage of our 2nd year price guarantee and enjoy the lowest cost program to study for multiple years on an F-1 High School Program. Let Educatus know early to ensure a 2nd year space, as these programs are very popular with all international students!

### Continue to an American University

International students who have successfully earned an American High School diploma in Grade 12 can apply to an American university or college! Our Educatus University and College Services guarantees generous partial scholarships at multiple universities. See pages 80-81 for more details.





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