

Diocese of Oakland Catholic High School Information Guide



1 Bishop O'Dowd High School

Dragon Mornings:
October 5, 13, 26 &
December 1, 9:00-11:00 a.m.
Open House: November 5,
12:30-3:30 p.m.
Nuts & Bolts (parents only):
October 11, 7-9 p.m. and
December 9, 8:45-10 a.m.
For more information:
bishopodowd.org/admissions

2 Carondelet High School

Open House: November 5,
2:00-4:00 p.m.
Shadow Visits: Sign up at
carondeletHS.org/Admissions

3 Cristo Rey De La Salle East Bay High School

Open House Dates: October 1,
11:00 a.m.-2:00 p.m.
Information Nights:
November 8, December 5,
5:30-7:30 p.m.

4 De La Salle

Open House: November 5,
10:00 a.m.-Noon
(Register for Open House
at dlshs.org)
Financial Aid Workshops:
January 27, 2018-9:00 a.m.
January 31, 2018-7:00 p.m.

5 Holy Names

Open House: November 19,
12:00-2:00 p.m.
Shadow Visits: Every Monday
(by appointment)
hnhsoakland.org/shadow

6 Moreau Catholic

Open House: November 4,
9:30 a.m.-12:30 p.m.
**Shadow Visits and Family
Admissions Tours:** Sign up at
www.moreaucatholic.org/visit

7 Saint Joseph Notre Dame

Information Night: September 20,
6:30-8:00 p.m.
Open House: October 22,
3:00-5:00 p.m.
Shadow Visits: Tuesdays &
Fridays (call Shelia Milroy
510-995-9462 for appt.)

8 Saint Mary's College High School

Admissions Morning Coffee:
visit website:
www.saintmaryschs.org
Open House: November 19,
1:00-2:30 p.m.

9 Salesian College Preparatory

**Admissions 8th Grade Parent
Info Night:** September 29,
7:00-9:00 p.m.
Open House: October 22,
1:00-3:00 p.m.
Shadow Visits:
www.salesian.com/admissions



Steps for Applying to Catholic High Schools 2018-2019

1. Obtain the application information online at all of the Catholic high school websites to which you plan to apply. Students may apply to one or up to three Catholic high schools.
2. Attend OPEN HOUSES and visit the schools that interest you and meet your needs. Consult this brochure for calendar dates. Considering your personal strengths and aptitudes, discuss with your 8th-grade teacher(s), principal and parents the high school programs that best meet your needs.
3. Complete and submit the online application with fees on time. Each school's deadline will vary, check their websites.
4. Families must register their student for the High School Placement test in advance online at

5. Notice regarding your admission status will be available and/or mailed so that you are informed on **March 16, 2018**.
6. Register and pay the registration fees to your chosen high school on time.

<http://Oakland.stsusers.com> and choose your testing location at one of the high schools to which you have applied and indicate the high schools where your test scores should be sent. Online registration closes **January 10, 2018**. Take the High School Placement Test on **January 20, 2018** at one of the schools to which you have applied. You may take it only once. Submission of transcripts and recommendation forms are due to the high schools on **February 2, 2018**.



Bishop O'Dowd High School

9500 Stearns Avenue, Oakland, CA 94605-4799

Office of Admissions: 510-553-8631

President: Stephen Phelps, Ed.D
Principal: James Childs, M.A., M.Ed.

Web Site: www.bishopodowd.org
Email: admissions@bishopodowd.org

MISSION STATEMENT AND VALUES: Bishop O'Dowd High School is a Catholic college-preparatory community, guided by the teachings of Jesus Christ, that educates its diverse student body to build a more just, joyful and sustainable world.

O'DOWD EDUCATION: Delivered experientially and through classroom learning, deep and broad curriculum emphasizes academic excellence, critical thinking, and personal and spiritual growth. Exceptional experiences in arts, athletics and service to community round out the experience.

Our educational mission is rooted in our Catholic heritage. Our success is built on the partnership of students, staff, parents, the community, and the Diocese of Oakland. Our academic, spiritual, and co-curricular programs develop exceptional graduates who communicate Christ to others and enrich society through Gospel values and the way in which they live their lives.

A "charism" is a gift of the Holy Spirit and a set of spiritually inspired core values. At O'Dowd, our inclusive charism, "Finding God in all things" calls us to: community in diversity; strength of character; academic excellence; kinship with creation; social justice and joy.

Each year, school and student leadership strives to achieve this vision of an O'Dowd community enlivened, challenged and animated by the spirituality and values of our charism. While giving preference to Catholics, we welcome students of all faiths who embrace our mission and contribute to it.



ATHLETICS: With 57 teams at the freshman, JV and varsity level in 16 sports, over 700 student-athletes participate each year. In fact, 70% of freshman take a turn on the field, track or in the pool. And each year between 25 and 30 O'Dowd seniors are awarded college athletic scholarships.

DIVERSE: Our families identify as: Euro-American 43%; African American 22%; Asian/Pacific Islander 12%; Hispanic/Latino 9%; Other 14%. International students further enrich the diversity of O'Dowd.

COLLEGE STATS: 98% of our students who apply to 4-year colleges are accepted with 40% attending private colleges and universities and 23% choosing a UC school.

CURRENT ENROLLMENT: 1,200

AVERAGE CLASS SIZE: 25

STUDENT-TO-TEACHER RATIO: 13:1

TUITION: (typical costs based on 2017-18) \$17,740 plus non-refundable \$1,100 registration deposit



Carondelet High School

1133 Winton Drive, Concord, CA 94518-3598

925-686-5353

CARONDELET
HIGH SCHOOL

President: Bonnie Cotter
Principal: Kevin Cushing

Director of Enrollment: Jessica Mix '99 **Web Site:** www.CarondeletHS.org
Email: admissions@carondeleths.org

PROFILE: Carondelet is more than a gateway to college and a successful career. It is a place where girls' lives are transformed, where character is built and where lifetime friendships are forged with 800 fellow students who share the bond of sisterhood. A Catholic, college-preparatory school located in the heart of the East Bay, Carondelet is the school where every young woman finds the empowering freedom to be herself, to discover her life's passions and to pursue those passions with pride and focus.

TUITION & FEES: \$17,692 (17-18 school year) includes a \$400 non-refundable deposit Books, iPad and apps extra.

Tuition assistance is available for students who qualify. Approximately 25% of students currently receive financial aid.

SCHOLARSHIP AVAILABILITY: Merit- and mission-based scholarships are awarded.

MISSION: Carondelet High School inspires excellence by preparing young women to live with heart, faith and courage in the Catholic tradition and spirit of the Sisters of St. Joseph.

CURRENT ENROLLMENT: Approximately 800

CURRICULUM: Carondelet's curriculum has expanded beyond the traditional course offerings to include studies in forensics, robotics, computer science, marine biology, biotechnology, criminal justice, African American literature and more. Courses are highly relevant to the real-world challenges of college and beyond, and the school offers an early college credit program. The individualized college and career counseling is uniquely tailored to ensure that each young woman not only gets into college – she gets into the college that's right for her.



STUDENT TEACHER RATIO: 15:1

AVERAGE CLASS SIZE: 24

ATHLETICS: 500+ student-athletes; 29 Teams; 14 Sports

PERCENTAGE OF GRADUATES WHO ATTEND COLLEGE: 99.5% (Class of 2017)

ETHNIC MAKEUP:

European American/White 55%

Latina 16%

Multiracial 11%

Filipina 6%

Asian/Pacific Islander 4%

African American/Black 4%

Other 4%

STUDENT ACTIVITIES: Every incoming freshman is paired with a senior peer counselor who helps to ease the transition to high school. While students enjoy all the advantages of an environment that is designed for young women, Carondelet also has a cooperative partnership with De La Salle, the adjacent Catholic boys' high school, offering combined course offerings and co-educational social experiences. Student have the opportunity to get involved in the 40+ clubs and co-curricular offerings, including honor societies, student government, yearbook and special interest groups like Girls in Tech, Model United Nations and Film Club.



Cristo Rey | De La Salle East Bay High School

1530 34th Avenue, Oakland, CA 94601

646.519.0362

President: Michael Anderer
Principal: Ana M. Hernández

Director of Admissions: Damien McDuffie **Web Site:** cristoreydelasalle.org
Email: dmcduffie@cristoreydelasalle.org

PROFILE: Cristo Rey De La Salle East Bay High School will open as a Roman Catholic, co-educational, secondary school in the summer of 2018 on the campus formerly home to Saint Elizabeth High School in the Fruitvale district of Oakland. The school is sponsored by the De La Salle Christian Brothers, District of San Francisco New Orleans. We are currently recruiting families of 8th graders for our founding class of students.

Cristo Rey De La Salle's unique educational model has a powerful formational impact on students. The model helps students demystify the world outside their neighborhoods, develops critical cognitive and noncognitive skills, introduces students to inspirational role models and supportive mentors, and builds competent, confident, and aspirational students inside the classroom and at the workplace.

OUR MISSION: Cristo Rey De La Salle East Bay High School, St. Elizabeth Campus, is a diverse, Lasallian Catholic learning community that educates young people of limited economic means to become men and women of faith, purpose, and service. A rigorous and personalized college preparatory curriculum integrated with a corporate work study experience prepares students to succeed in college and in life.

SPIRITUAL FORMATION: Cristo Rey De La Salle East Bay students receive a Catholic value-based education. The school is committed to academic excellence and education of the whole person. Students work hard, form close relationships, and give back to their community by adhering to the five core Lasallian Principles:

1. Faith in the Presence of God
2. Respect for All Persons
3. Quality Education
4. Inclusivity
5. Concern for the poor, and social justice

OUR CORPORATE WORK STUDY MODEL: Cristo Rey De La Salle East Bay High School joins 32 successful Cristo Rey Network schools operating across the country. The Corporate Work Study Program empowers students to contribute to the cost of their education. Working five days per month, four students share one full-time entry-level position at a business, nonprofit, or government agency. Cristo Rey De La Salle integrates this innovative Corporate Work Study Program with a rigorous, personalized college preparatory academic offering.

IMPORTANT INFORMATION:

Founding class target enrollment limited to: 130

Adjusted annual household income: ≤ 75% of Area Median Income (~\$75,000 for family of 4)

Target ethnic make-up inclusive of Oakland's rich diversity

2017 CRISTO REY NETWORK SNAPSHOT:

32 Cristo Rey Schools; 11,600 Students; 97% of color; \$35,000 average family income; 13,400 graduates; \$67mm earned by students; 2,525 Corporate Partners

TUITION AND FEES:

Total Tuition: \$18,000

Family Annual Contribution: \$500 to \$2500 (sliding scale depending on family income)

Student Contribution Earned Through Corporate Work Study Program: \$9000

Fundraising Contribution by school partners: \$6500-\$8500 (depending on family contribution)

Our Instructional Approach: Our Personalized Learning Instructional Model allows students to forge their own path and take an active role in their education. Our innovative approach will empower teachers by leveraging technology to:

- Develop strong relationships between teacher and student
- Identify and cultivate their passion
- Meet student's individual needs

ADMISSIONS CONTACT: If you are interested in more information about eligibility and applications, please contact Mr. Damien McDuffie at dmcduffie@cristoreydelasalle.org or call/text 646.519.0362.



De La Salle High School

1130 Winton Drive, Concord, CA 94518-3528

925-288-8102 • Fax 925-686-3474

President: Mark DeMarco '78
Vice President for Academic Life: Dr. Heather Alumbaugh

Web Site: www.dlshs.org
Email: Director of Admissions Joe Grantham, granthamj@dlshs.org

PROFILE: De La Salle is a private Catholic high school founded in 1965 by the Christian Brothers. The campus includes: new STREAM Innovation Center; a new student center/dining hall, a 400-seat theatre, library and media center, gymnasium, pool, athletic field complex, computer center, art studios, and a music/band facility. A new 4,000 square foot Learning Center has been added to provide academic support. It is open 8:00 a.m. – 6:00 p.m. Monday-Thursday. The faculty/administration includes 27 DLS graduates. There are also nine counselors, two of whom are the College Counselors and one of whom is the Special Needs Coordinator and one is the Learning Center Coordinator. De La Salle is fully accredited by the Western Association of Schools and Colleges.

MISSION STATEMENT: De La Salle High School is a Roman Catholic educational community where students are loved, instructed, and guided according to the traditions of the Brothers of the Christian Schools and the charism of Saint John Baptist de La Salle, Founder of the Brothers and Patron of Teachers. De La Salle provides a Catholic, Lasallian education rooted in a liberal arts tradition, which prepares young people for college and life. The school seeks to educate students spiritually, academically, physically, and socially through the promotion of a vital faith life, sponsorship of strong academic programs, a wide range of student activities, and the witness of a concerned and dedicated faculty, administration, and staff. De La Salle High School recognizes and promotes the dignity and respect of each student by providing an environment that is moral, caring, and joyful. Within such a setting, the school seeks to challenge its students to serve others, especially the poor and the marginalized, and to deepen a sense of responsibility for humanity's future. De La Salle High School seeks to serve qualified students with varied academic needs and diverse social, cultural, and economic backgrounds and does so in partnership with parents and all those who are committed to living the Lasallian heritage.

CURRICULUM: De La Salle offers a college preparatory curriculum, including 30 advanced placement and honors courses in most disciplines. All major departments offer a full academic program and sequence of courses. There are a number of elective courses, as well as the ordinary prerequisite

courses for college entrance. De La Salle's curriculum provides a thorough education while meeting the individual needs of each student.

STUDENT ACTIVITIES: De La Salle offers 14 interscholastic sports, 2 club sports: rugby and ice hockey, an intramural program, and 30 co-curricular activities, including National Honor Society, California Scholarship Federation, drama, band, student government, robotics, and yearbook. Campus Ministry provides a number of opportunities for students to integrate growth and understanding in Christian living through retreats and immersion programs.

TUITION AND FEES: Tuition: \$18, 200. Book Fee: \$350

FINANCIAL AID: Over 2 million dollars available for students whose families demonstrate financial need. Typically 33% of our students benefit from tuition assistance. This program keeps alive the Christian Brothers' commitment to serve students in financial need.

CURRENT ENROLLMENT: 9th grade, 281; 10th grade, 263; 11th grade, 254; 12th grade, 247

STUDENT TO TEACHER RATIO: 14:1

AVERAGE CLASS SIZE: 30

GRADUATES FROM CLASS OF 2017 ATTENDING COLLEGE: 84% to 4 year; 14% to 2 year

ETHNIC MAKE-UP OF STUDENT BODY: African American 4%; American Indian 1%; Asian 4%; Caucasian 56%; Filipino 5%; Hispanic/ Latino 15%; Multi-Racial 12%; Pacific Islander 1%; Other 2%.

APPLICATION INFORMATION: Open House: Sunday, November 5, 2017 (10:00 a.m.– Noon)

Applications for 9th grade due by Friday, December 1, 2017. Apply online at dlshs.org.

FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE WORKSHOPS: Saturday, January 27, 2018, 9 a.m.; Wednesday, January 31, 2018, 7 p.m.



Holy Names High School

4660 Harbord Drive, Oakland, CA 94618

510-450-1110 • Fax 510-547-3111

Principal: Kendra Carr

Admissions Coordinator: Petra Rocha **Email:** admissions@hnhsoakland.org **Phone:** 510-450-1110 x117

Web Site: www.hnhsoakland.org



MISSION STATEMENT: Holy Names High School, a small Catholic school for young women, provides an academically challenging college preparatory education in a vibrant learning environment. Our diverse community nurtures spirituality, encourages artistic expression, and promotes justice, preparing the next generation for leadership and service.

CURRICULUM: Students take seven courses each semester. Competitive Honors and Advanced Placement classes are offered as well as a variety of enrichment classes. Achievement in the rigorous academic program is ensured through small class sizes and a highly accomplished faculty. The focus of each faculty member is to refine students' academic talents while identifying areas for growth.

The Project Lead the Way program gives students access to real-world, applied learning experiences that empower them to gain the skills they need to thrive in college, career, and beyond. Holy Names is a Google Academy School.



Each student receives her own Chromebook to use throughout the school year.

CURRENT ENROLLMENT: 138

AVERAGE CLASS SIZE: 15

STUDENT-TO-TEACHER RATIO: 4.5 - 1

ETHNIC MAKE-UP OF STUDENT BODY: 8.7% Asian/Pacific Islander; 26.8% Black or African-American; 10.1% Euro-American/Caucasian; 6.5% Multi-racial; 45.7% Hispanic/Latina; 2.2% Declined to State.

PERCENTAGE OF GRADUATES WHO ATTEND COLLEGE: 100%

STUDENT ACTIVITIES AND/OR ATHLETICS: Many student run clubs are developed throughout the year. Sports include Volleyball (Freshman, JV, Varsity), Basketball (JV, Varsity), Cross Country, Golf, Track & Field, Softball, Soccer (Varsity)

TUITION AND FEES: \$17,040 tuition & \$800 registration

Moreau Catholic High School

27170 Mission Boulevard, Hayward, CA 94544

510-881-4300 • Fax 510-582-8405

President: Terry Lee
Principal: Lisa Tortorich

Web Site: www.moreaucatholic.org
Email: admissions@moreaucatholic.org



PROFILE: Moreau Catholic High School is a compassionate community of caring, dedicated and visionary academic leaders tirelessly committed to transforming our students into game changers. Our inclusive, innovative and personalized approach encourages our students to find their voice and prepares them to confidently take on college and the world.

Founded in 1965, Moreau Catholic High School in Hayward is an independent, Catholic college-preparatory coeducational institution sponsored by the Congregation of Holy Cross and fully accredited by the Western Catholic Educational Association (WCEA) and the Western Association of Schools and Colleges (WASC).

MISSION STATEMENT: Moreau Catholic is dedicated to the legacy and values of the Congregation of Holy Cross and its founder Blessed Basil Moreau. We are a college-preparatory school committed to outstanding achievement. As a community of faith, we prepare our students through academic, social and spiritual learning experiences that form and transform them as they become responsible citizens of our global community.

Moreau Catholic High School enters into a partnership with the family and provides opportunities and means by which students are guided to higher levels of spiritual, social, and academic development. We believe this partnership is given meaning through the legacy and values established by Blessed Basil Moreau. A Moreau Catholic High School education focuses on the development of our four Holy Cross themes including: Being Family, Building Respect, Educating Hearts and Minds, and Bringing Hope.

CURRICULUM: Moreau Catholic has developed innovative strategies for instruction by teaching each student in the way he or she learns. As the leader in bioprinting curriculum integration, Moreau Catholic has developed inventive educational applications for biotechnology, bioengineering and green engineering. Our Science Innovation Lab offers zSpace technology featuring virtual holographic technology in a student-centered learning environment and in our Design Studio students apply scientific principles in an environment that promotes risk-taking and invention. Students design their Holy Cross Social Justice Senior Capstone projects in our new Incubator Space by identifying needs in the world they are passionate about, exploring the tools for transformation, and inventing new solutions reflective of their transformational high school experience. This new space is an extension of our television, film, and sound studios and includes on-site technology and social justice experts as well as

“start-up” tools such as 360 degree cameras for producing original virtual reality films. Seniors develop, practice, and deliver TEDx Talks as their culminating high school project.

We have more than 40 Honors and Advanced Placement courses, including an Honors dance class. In partnership with Summit Learning and the Chan-Zuckerberg Initiative, we have implemented accelerated personalized learning programs to support the unique learning styles and skills of our students.

STUDENT ACTIVITIES: Our co-curricular programs enhance the academic and spiritual dimensions of our school by providing formative activities that foster community, leadership, creativity, and sportsmanship. Moreau Catholic offers an extensive list of co-curricular activities as well as a full athletic program with 47 teams and 21 sports.

GRADUATES WHO ATTEND COLLEGE: 99%
 85% - 4-year college; 14% - 2-year college

TUITION AND FEES: \$17,930

Tuition includes an individual MacBook Air, electronic textbooks, course management and productivity software, retreat fees, and yearbook.

FINANCIAL AID: Several merit-based scholarships and need-based grants are available. For 2017-2018, Moreau Catholic High School allocated \$2.2 million dollars in tuition assistance to families. Approximately 35% of our students receive some form of aid. The average grant reduces tuition by 37%.

CURRENT ENROLLMENT: 945

STUDENT TO TEACHER RATIO: 15:1

AVERAGE CLASS SIZE: 25

STUDENT BODY: 9.1% African-American; 40.1% Asian/Filipino; 12% European-American; 21.1% Hispanic/Latino; 0.2% Native American, 2.8% Native Hawaiian/Pacific Islander, 13.5% Multiracial, 1.3% Declined to State

ADMISSIONS INFORMATION: We invite you to get to know Moreau Catholic by visiting us at our Mariner Open House on Saturday, November 4, 9:30 am to 12:30 pm. We also offer Family Admissions Tours and Shadow Days.

Applications for the Class of 2022 are due January 10, 2018 and registration for admitted students will take place in March. For more information on events and to apply online, visit moreaucatholic.org/admissions.





Saint Joseph Notre Dame High School

1011 Chestnut Street, Alameda, CA 94501

510-523-1526

Principal: Ken Jennings

Web Site: www.sjnd.org
Email: admissions@sjnd.org

MISSION STATEMENT: Saint Joseph Notre Dame, a Catholic parish high school, provides a dynamic and rigorous college preparatory education. Our faith-filled, diverse, and welcoming community embraces the teachings of Jesus Christ. We develop confident, open-minded, and effective leaders who are ready to live joyful lives of faith, scholarship, and service.

CURRICULUM: With new course additions including AP Chemistry, AP Computer Science A and AP Psychology, our academic program continues to grow to meet the 21st century needs of our talented student body. The prestigious SJND Biomedical Sciences program, unique in the East Bay, will reach its fifth year offering an innovative, project-based approach that cultivates academic excellence, creativity and problem-solving. Our LOTE department will be introducing French I, and we continue to invest in our award-winning arts programs offering a wide array of art, music, and theater electives, including AP options.

CURRENT ENROLLMENT: 440

AVERAGE CLASS SIZE: 22

STUDENT-TO-TEACHER RATIO: 16:1

ETHNIC MAKE-UP OF STUDENT BODY: African-American 12%, Asian 9%, Euro-American 24%, Filipino 10%,

Latino 21%, Native American 1%, Multiracial/Other 23%

PERCENTAGE OF GRADUATES WHO ATTEND COLLEGE: 99%



STUDENT ACTIVITIES AND ATHLETICS: More than 75% of students participate in athletics, which include lacrosse, basketball, swimming, cross country, volleyball and more. The basketball, cross country and track programs earned state championship titles in 2016. The men's baseball team captured the NCS title in 2017. There are numerous clubs, most created and led by students, to allow you to pursue your interests. Participate either on stage or backstage during the annual musical theater productions, and travel to performance festivals. Contribute to the school's award winning arts magazine Prisms, or hone your talents in a variety of visual arts courses with the opportunity to exhibit your work at a local art gallery and in regional exhibitions. Participate and serve as a leader through retreats, liturgies and services. A nationally-recognized form of student government, CLT, strengthens collaboration, project management, teambuilding, and other life and leadership skills.

TUITION AND FEES: \$17,960



Saint Mary's College High School

Peralta Park, 1294 Albina Ave., Berkeley, California 94706

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President: Brother Edmond, FSC
Principal: Dr. Peter ImperialWeb Site: www.saintmaryschs.org
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PROFILE: Saint Mary's is a Lasallian Catholic college preparatory high school located on a beautiful 13-acre site in North Berkeley. 2017 marks the anniversary of Saint Mary's making its home on the North Berkeley campus for 90 years, and 154 years of educating young adults in the Bay Area. The Western Association of Schools and Colleges and the Western Catholic Education Association accredited the school through 2022. Saint Mary's educates its students through its comprehensive academic and co-curricular programs that support and encourage spiritual, intellectual, physical, and emotional growth. The school purposely cultivates an inclusive community representing various social, ethnic, religious, and economic backgrounds.

PHILOSOPHY: Saint Mary's Mission embodies the tradition and heritage of the De La Salle Christian Brothers and their founder, Saint John Baptist de La Salle, to ensure a quality education for all students with an emphasis on the poor and the working class. The hallmarks of a Lasallian education are: Faith in the Presence of God, Quality Education, Respect, Inclusive Community, and Concern for the Poor and Social Justice. Saint Mary's believes that we must teach and prepare our students to learn about and participate in the world which they will enter when they graduate.

We also know that our students must be able to adapt and evolve to be part of a world that is rapidly changing. The traditional educational model, developed almost a century ago, needs to be adapted and altered to meet the future needs of a global society. Saint Mary's programs prepare students to be lifelong learners emphasizing the importance of faith, values, service to others, and a strong sense of tradition and community.

CURRICULUM: Saint Mary's teaches students to become agents of their own learning by introducing them to researched supported learning strategies with an emphasis on the ability to read, think, analyze, and write critically. Students are encouraged to explore their world by engaging in intellectual and moral inquiry. Saint Mary's offers a comprehensive college preparatory curriculum that exceeds University of California and State requirements. The academic program includes a full offering of Visual and Performing Arts courses, Honors and Advanced

Placement (AP) courses, and a variety of electives. We also complement our academic program with the following co-curricular programs that are inspired by the Lasallian Mission. These programs include: Freshman Experience, Enrichment Week, Lasallian Days (Alumni and teacher directed), and Social and Emotional Learning Groups (SEL).

CO-CURRICULAR: Saint Mary's offers competitive athletic programs in eighteen interscholastic sports as a member of the Tri-County Athletic League (T.C.A.L.) and the North Coast Section. The school has won numerous league and section titles within the last five years. Saint Mary's offers a host of clubs and organizations that encourage leadership, community building, and a fun time for students and their moderators.

TUITION AND FEES: Tuition: \$17,920; Capital Improvement Fee: \$500.00; Registration Fee: \$750.00

TUITION ASSISTANCE: Saint Mary's tuition assistance program is based solely on need and families must reapply every year. Details are available at www.saintmaryschs.org.

CURRENT ENROLLMENT: 630 Students

STUDENT TO TEACHER RATIO: 19:1

AVERAGE CLASS SIZE: 26 to 28

GRADUATES WHO ATTEND COLLEGE: 99%

ADMISSIONS INFORMATION: Our online application is available at "Apply to Saint Mary's" on our website, www.saintmaryschs.org. The application is due by January 10, 2018. Remember that the most up-to-date information about Saint Mary's and our Open House (Sunday, November 19 at 1:00 to 2:30 PM) is on our website at www.saintmaryschs.org.

ETHNIC MAKE UP OF STUDENT BODY: European American/White 36%, African American/Black 21%, Multiracial/Other 19%, Hispanic/Latino 13%, Filipino 4%, Indian 1%, Asian 2%, Asian/Pacific Islander 1%, 3% Other.



ACADEMICS. FAITH. FAMILY.

Salesian College Preparatory

2851 Salesian Avenue, Richmond, CA 94804

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Director: Fr. Mel Trinidad, SDB
Principal: Marylou FlanneryWeb Site: www.salesian.com
Email: Director of Admissions Christina Karabinis, ckarabinis@salesian.com

PROFILE: Salesian College Preparatory is a fully accredited, coeducational college preparatory high school in the Catholic tradition with an extensive Honors and Advanced Placement program. Voted the "Best Faith-Based High School" in Contra Costa County by Parents' Press magazine readers, Salesian features a tranquil, gated-campus spanning 21 acres.

MISSION STATEMENT: Salesian College Preparatory educates young men and women to develop into good citizens for the betterment of society and the glory of God. Through its mission, Salesian is a diverse and welcoming community that develops healthy young people by providing them opportunities to explore and pursue personal, academic, co-curricular and spiritual interests. Teachings are in line with our founder, St. John Bosco's educational philosophy of reason, religion and loving kindness.

CURRICULUM: Student success and personal development are core values of Salesian College Preparatory. We offer a rigorous college preparatory curriculum including 18 Advanced Placement and Honors Courses. Students are positioned for acceptance to the colleges of their choice. Salesian offers a wide array of 18 electives, including Sports Medicine, Instrumental Music, Dance, Photography and Drama. Our academic counselors offer individualized support and guidance, to help students plan for and navigate the college application process. All Salesian students are involved in a service learning program that focuses on developing Christian leadership, moral integrity and community involvement.

IPAD PROGRAM: Salesian supports a 1-to-1 iPad Program where each student uses an Apple iPad in the classroom and at home. Students and faculty can access interactive research resources via our secure campus wireless network. iPad technology allows for better student engagement and improved learning.

HONORS AT ENTRANCE: Salesian College Preparatory is one of the few high schools in Northern California to offer an Honors track for incoming freshmen. Our Honors at Entrance program is an accelerated track for incoming freshmen. Students are selected based on a series of criteria including grades, HSPT score and letters of recommendation.

GLOBAL CITIZENS: Salesian offers on-campus Spanish and French language courses. In addition, this year there are five international trips planned for students. International enrichment

opportunities provide a window into the world students will enter once they leave high school, including tackling the challenges of college and the modern workplace.

CURRENT ENROLLMENT: 430

AVERAGE CLASS SIZE: 21

STUDENT TO TEACHER RATIO: 15:1

ETHNIC MAKE-UP OF STUDENT BODY: 25% African-American, 9% Asian/Pacific Islander, 8% Euro-American, 12% Filipino, 29% Latino, 13% Multi-Ethnic, 4% Other

GRADUATES WHO ATTEND COLLEGE: 100% of Salesians are accepted to college.

STUDENT ACTIVITIES: Our multi-dimensional students participate in a variety of activities including band, renowned Story and Song chorale group and comprehensive performing arts program. Additionally, students participate in a Service Learning Program encompassing three required service projects. Every 12th grader must complete a Senior Synthesis Portfolio and Presentation with a focus on service learning. Synthesis Portfolio and Presentation with a focus on service learning at the end of their senior year.

ATHLETICS: Approximately 70% of students participate in 13 interscholastic sports. Since 2000, the Salesian athletic program has earned 34 league championships and two state basketball titles. The campus features a number of new athletic facilities, including a track, football field and tennis courts.

TUITION AND FEES: Current tuition is \$16,000. The registration fee is \$650.

SCHOLARSHIPS AND TUITION GRANTS: Academic and merit-based scholarships are available for students who have demonstrated exemplary qualities. Tuition grants may be offered to those who demonstrate financial need. Grant applications are available online at www.salesian.com or by calling the Finance Office at (510) 234-4433, ext. 1204.

