



SHRINE CATHOLIC HIGH SCHOOL

School Profile 2016-2017

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MISSION

Rooted in the Catholic tradition, Shrine Catholic High School challenges students to integrate their academic, athletic, and artistic potential as future Christian leaders. For over 75 years, Shrine Catholic High School has provided faith based education to Royal Oak and surrounding communities. Shrine Catholic High School is a four-year, parish, college preparatory, co-educational high school founded in 1941 that educates students from preschool through twelfth grade.

FACILITIES

Shrine Catholic High School resides on a 17-acre campus, across from the renowned William Beaumont Hospital in Royal Oak, Michigan.

FACULTY

The student-to-administrator/professional staff/faculty ratio is 7:1 and the student-to-faculty ratio is 10:1.

ACCREDITATION/ASSOCIATIONS

National Catholic Education Association (NCEA)
State of Michigan
Michigan Association of Non-Public Schools
Member: NACAC, MACAC, MCGC
Michigan High School Athletic Association (MHSAA)
Catholic High School League
Michigan Interscholastic Athletic Association (MIAA)
National Honor Society Chapter
Michigan Interscholastic Press Association (MIPA)

GRADUATION REQUIREMENTS

26 credits are required

Theology	4
English	4
Mathematics	4
Science	3
Social Studies	3
Foreign Language	2
Speech	.5
Physical Education	.5
Health	.5
Fine/Performing Arts	1
Electives	<u>3.5</u>
Total	26

ADMISSION

Approximately 260 students are enrolled in Shrine Catholic High School. A placement exam and transcript/report card review are required for admission as well as a student profile form from previous school. Our student body represents students from diverse backgrounds and dozens of public and private grade/middle schools throughout the metro Detroit area. Our students have enrolled from 25 grade schools and reside in 48 different zip codes. Shrine is also home to a dynamic International student base with students from China, South Korea, Russia and Slovakia.

HONORS AND ADVANCED PLACEMENT COURSES

Shrine Catholic High School offers ten Advanced Placement courses, seven Honors courses as well as dual enrollment opportunities with several universities. Student enrollment in AP or Honors classes is based on academic performance, current GPA, and teacher recommendation.

Advanced Placement courses are offered in:

Biology *
 English Literature
 English Language
 Calculus
 Chemistry *
 Physics I
 World History
 US History
 Microeconomics *
 Macroeconomics *

Honors Courses are offered in:

Biology
 English I
 English II
 Geometry
 Chemistry
 Algebra II
 Precalculus

* offered in alternating years

ADVANCED PLACEMENT RESULTS

Students who enroll in AP courses at Shrine are required to take the national AP exam in May. During May of 2016, 89 students took a total of 140 AP Exams. The score distribution follows:

AP Score	% of students
5	14%
4	25%
3	29%

GRADING SCALE

**Honors and AP course work taken in 2016-2017 or later
 will be graded on the college prep grading scale**

	College Prep (4.0 scale)	Honors (5.0 scale)
A	93-100	95-100
A-	90-92	93-94
B+	87-89	90-92
B	83-86	87-89
B-	80-82	85-86
C+	77-79	83-84
C	73-76	80-82
C-	70-72	78-79
D+	67-69	76-77
D	63-66	72-75
D-	60-62	70-71
E	0-59	0-69

GRADUATION HONORS

Summa Cum Laude	4.0+ cumulative GPA
Magna Cum Laude	3.75-3.99 cumulative GPA
Cum Laude	3.5-3.74 cumulative GPA

CLASS RANK

Shrine Catholic High School does not provide rankings of our students. Due to the rigorous nature of our curriculum and our parish mission of educating all students, we believe that statistical class rank would represent an inaccurate assessment of a student's abilities and potential for collegiate success. We apologize if our policy makes additional work for your professional staff.

Class of 2016

The Class of 2016 is now attending 35 colleges and universities in 10 different states.

100% of the class was accepted to a college or university.

Two students have enlisted in military service.

28% attending private colleges and universities (68% Catholic / 32% non-Catholic)

60% attending public colleges and universities (85% in-state / 15% out-of-state)

9% attending 2-year colleges

TESTING INFORMATION

ACT - Class of 2016	Shrine	State	National
English	25.4	19.9	20.3
Mathematics	23.3	19.9	20.9
Reading	25.4	20.7	21.3
Science Reasoning	23.6	20.5	20.8
Composite	24.5	20.3	21.0

GRADE DISTRIBUTION

GPA	Number	Percentage
4.50-4.0	11	16%
3.99-3.5	20	30%
3.40-3.0	16	24%
2.99-2.5	11	16%
2.49-2.0	5	7%
Below 2.0	5	7%

TRANSCRIPTS

Official Shrine transcripts include only courses taken and grade point averages earned during a student's enrollment at Shrine. Transfer students to Shrine, including international students, will have supplementary transcripts and grade point averages from their previous high school(s).

SERVICE

In keeping with the example of our patroness, Saint Therèse, our students participate in annual service projects as a part of their graduation requirements. A minimum of ten hours per year is required, although most students far surpass this threshold. Further, students are encouraged to participate in annual retreat programs.

EXTRACURRICULAR PARTICIPATION

Shrine offers unparalleled opportunities for student involvement including varsity sports, strong student council, vibrant performing arts groups (including an all-female and all-male singing ensembles and student talent show), class activities, service club sponsored events, homecoming and spirit week activities, art competitions, fall drama and spring musical productions. Students may also live their faith daily by serving as Eucharistic ministers, or through the music ministry group which provides instrumental and vocal music for Masses. A sampling of additional clubs include: National Honors Society (3.5 GPA required for invitation), Gamers Club, Quiz Bowl, S.U.N. (hospitality group for international students) and Knights of the Roundtable (a student/faculty board).

College Acceptances in the Past Five Years



Adrian College
Albion College
Allegheny College
Alma College
Aquinas College
Arizona State University
Ashland University
Ave Maria University
Baldwin Wallace University-
 Conservatory of Music
Ball State University
Bard College
Bellarmine University
Belmont University
Beloit College
Benedictine University
Boston College
Boston Conservatory
Boston University
Bowling Green State Univ.
Brown University
Butler University
California College of the Arts
Calvin College
Carnegie Mellon University
Carroll University
Carthage College
Case Western Reserve
Catholic University
Center for Creative Studies
Central Michigan University
Clark University
Clemson University
Coastal Carolina University
College for Creative Studies
College of Wooster
Colorado School of Mines
Columbia College
Columbus College of Art and
Design
Creighton University
DeAnza College
Defiance College
DePaul University
Dominican University
Drexel University
Duke University
East Carolina University
Eastern Michigan University
Fairleigh Dickinson
Fashion Institute of Tech.
Ferris State University - Kendall
College of Arts
Ferris State University
Florida Gulf Coast University
Florida Institute of Tech.
Fordham University
Furman University
Georgia Military College
Grand Valley State University
Grambling State University
Gonzaga University
Hampton University
Harvard University
Hillsdale College
Hofstra University
Hope College
Howard University
Humboldt State University
Huntington College
Illinois Institute of Art
Illinois Wesleyan University
Indiana State University
Indiana Technological University
Indiana University
 @Bloomington
Ithaca College
Jackson State University
John Carroll University
Johnson & Wales
Kalamazoo College
Kendall College of Art and Design
Kentucky State University
Kettering University
Lake Superior State Univ.
Langston University
Lansing Community College
Lawrence Technological Univ.
Lewis University
Lincoln University
Louisiana State University
Lourdes College
Lourdes University
Loyola University
 @ Chicago
Lycoming University
Madonna University
Marquette University
Marygrove College
Marymount University
Macomb Community College
Manchester College
Memphis School of Art
Mercyhurst University
Miami of Ohio
Michigan State University
Michigan Tech. University
Milliken University
Montana State University
Mount Holyoke College
New York University
New York Institute of Technology
North Carolina A&T State University
Northern Michigan University
Northwestern University
Northwood University
Notre Dame College of Ohio
Nova Southeastern University
Oakland Community College
Oakland University
Ohio Dominican University
Ohio Technical College
Ohio Wesleyan University
Olivet College
Otis College of Art & Design
Otterbein University
Pace University
Parsons School of Design
Penn State University
Philadelphia University
Pitzer College
Point Park University
Pratt Institute
Providence College
Purdue University
Regis University
Rensselaer Polytechnic Institute
Ringling College of Art and Design
Rochester Institute of Technology
Rockford University
Rocky Mountain College
Rutgers University
Saginaw Valley State University
Saint Mary's College
Savannah College of Art & Design
Schoolcraft College
School of the Art Institute of
Chicago
School of Visual Arts
Siena Heights University
Specs Howard School of Broadcast
Arts
Spelman College
St. Joseph College of Indiana
St. Joseph's University
St. Louis University
St. Xavier University
Stonybrook
SUNY at Albany
Syracuse University
Tennessee State University
The College of Holy Cross
The Ohio State University
Tiffin University
Trine University
Tulane University
Universal Technical Institute
Valparaiso College
Vanderbilt University
Villanova University
Virginia Tech University
Wake Forest University
Walsh College
Warren Wilson College
Washington University
Wayne State University
Webster University
Western Michigan University
Wheaton College
Wittenberg University
Worcester Polytechnic University
Wright State University
Xavier University
Xavier University of Louisiana
Yale University
The Universities of:
Akron
Alabama
California
 @ Riverside
 @ Santa Cruz
Chicago
Cincinnati – Conservatory of Music
Colorado
 @ Boulder
Connecticut
Dallas
Dayton
Delaware
Denver
Detroit Mercy
Findlay
Florida
Illinois
 @Chicago
 @Urbana
Kentucky
Massachusetts
 @ Amherst
Miami
Michigan
 @ Ann Arbor
 @ Dearborn
 @ Flint
Northwestern Ohio
Notre Dame
Rochester (NY)
San Diego
Southern California
Southern Florida
St. Thomas
Texas
 @ Austin
Toledo
Vermont
Virginia
Washington
 @ Seattle