

PREP

SEATTLE'S JESUIT COLLEGE
PREPARATORY SCHOOL

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MISSION STATEMENT

Seattle Prep is a Catholic, Jesuit college preparatory school. We embrace the Ignatian ideals that God may be found in all things, that each person is sacred and that we are created to serve others in community. Our mission is to form discerning, transformational leaders who are intellectually competent, spiritually alive, open to growth, loving and committed to justice.

Founded in 1891, Seattle Prep is a Catholic, Jesuit college preparatory school, one of 18 schools in the Jesuits West Province and 68 nationwide in the Jesuit Schools Network.

SEATTLE PREPARATORY SCHOOL

School Profile 2021 - 2022

SCHOOL DURING PANDEMIC

Seattle Prep returned to in-person classes in a hybrid mode during January of 2021. As of August 2021, we have resumed all classes on campus and are fully in-person.

MEMBERSHIP

- National Association for College Admission Counseling
- Jesuit Schools Network
- Jesuit High School College Counselor Association
- Western Catholic Educational Association

WEIGHT OF GRADES AND CLASS RANK

- The school transcript reflects the cumulative Grade Point Average.
- Honors classes are not given additional weight.
- Advanced placement classes are given weighting of .5.
- GPA calculation is recalculated at the end of first semester of senior year.
- Seattle Prep does not assign class rank.
- To assist College Admissions staffs in evaluating performance and course selection, please refer to the Grade Distribution Chart included on the next page.

GRADUATION REQUIREMENTS

Students must complete a minimum of 75 credits during grades 9 through 12, including in the following departmental requirements:

- English, 4 years
- Mathematics, 3 years
- Science, 3 years
- International Language, 2 years (*3 recommended*) • Health/Exercise Science, 2 years
- Social Studies, 3 years
- Theology, 4 years
- Fine Arts, 2 years

ADVANCED PLACEMENT

Seattle Prep has an integrated humanities curriculum freshman through junior year. AP courses in the humanities are offered senior year only. AP courses are offered beginning in junior year to students in the advanced math and science curriculum.

AP courses 2021-22: Biology, Chemistry, Environmental Science, Physics, English Literature, Calculus AB, Calculus BC, Statistics, Computer Science, European History, Government and Politics, Macro Economics, Micro Economics, Drawing, Studio Art 2-D. In May of 2021, a total of 268 students completed 690 Advanced Placement Examinations. In summary, 73% of students achieved a score of 3 or higher, with 48% achieving scores of 4 or 5.

AP Results (average)

Biology	3.1	European History	3.8
Calculus AB.....	4.6	French Language & Culture...	3.0
Calculus BC	4.2	Government and Politics...	3.1
Chemistry	3.3	Macro Economics	3.1
Computer Science	2.3	Micro Economics	3.1
Drawing	3.5	Physics C: Mechanics.....	3.3
2D Art & Design.....	3.9	Spanish Language & Culture.	5.0
English Lit.....	3.8	Statistics.....	2.0
Environmental Science	2.7	United States History	2.8

**GRADE
DISTRIBUTION FOR
CLASS OF 2021**

	GPA Range	N0. of students	Grading Scale
Senior Class Size ...		183	
Mean GPA	4.00.....	6	A 4.0
Middle 50% GPA....	3.80 - 3.99	72	A- 3.7
	3.60 - 3.79	40	B+ 3.3
	3.40 - 3.59	24	B 3.0
	3.20 - 3.39	21	B- 2.7
	2.40 - 3.19.....	23	C+ 2.3
			C 2.0
			C- 1.7
			D+ 1.3
			D 1.0
			NC ... No Credit

**TESTING
INFORMATION**

Most students were not able to test due to test center closures during the pandemic.

**COLLEGE
PLACEMENT
RECORD**

Since 1891, Seattle Preparatory School has instilled in young hearts and minds the values inherent in the Jesuit educational tradition. Prep has graduated over 10,680 young men and women who have applied Jesuit values to achieve thoughtful and compassionate leadership. For the Class of 2020, 99% of the students gained acceptance at four-year schools.

**MAGIS CHRISTIAN
SERVICE PROGRAM**

A distinguishing characteristic of Jesuit education is to help students realize that talents are to be developed, not for self-satisfaction, but for the whole of the community. Students are encouraged to use their gifts in the service of others. In keeping with these goals, students must complete the following grade level based requirements.

Freshman Year: 10 Hours (*Service to Faith Community or Family Community*)

Sophomore Year: 18 Hours (*Service to Seattle Prep and the Wider Community*)

Junior Year: 30 Hours (*Service to the Marginalized*)

Senior Year: Project Based Service through Advocacy and Justice Leadership

Many additional opportunities for service are available throughout the year including service immersion programs in the Dominican Republic, Vietnam and New Orleans. Students can participate in our Global Justice Coalition and as leaders in our retreat programs.

**SPECIAL
CURRICULUM
FEATURES**

Seattle Prep offers a rigorous college prep curriculum in the Jesuit tradition. We are unique among the Jesuit high schools in that all students are enrolled in a common curriculum during their first three years of high school. The hallmark of this common curriculum is an interdisciplinary humanities course called Collegio, which incorporates English, history and theological themes. The class is team taught by history and English teachers and appears as two separate English and history courses on the student transcript. Honors courses are available only in math, science and Spanish. We are committed to using technology to enhance our educational programs and have fully implemented a one-to-one technology program for the entire student body.

ADMISSION

Admission to Seattle Prep is selective and is open to students of any gender, sexual orientation, race, ethnic origin or religion. We admit students from approximately 100 public, Catholic and private independent middle schools who reside in over 75 zip codes in the greater Seattle area.

FINANCIAL AID

Seattle Prep has a long tradition of providing substantial tuition assistance for those students with demonstrated need. For the 2021-22 school year, 228 students were awarded full or partial tuition financial aid grants. Twenty-nine percent of the student body benefit from \$3,295,000 in grant aid.

COUNSELOR CASE LOAD

Each counselor works with 91 seniors and 101 juniors

ENROLLMENT

Currently, there are a total of 785 students enrolled from grades 9 through 12

ETHNICITY

African American 5%; Asian/Pacific Islander 9%; Caucasian/White 61%; Latino 5%; Multi Racial 18%

CALENDAR

Seattle Prep runs on a two-semester calendar. Grades and comments are available online and are used to determine semester grades. Only semester and final grades are listed on students' final transcripts.

INSTITUTIONS OF HIGHER LEARNING AT WHICH STUDENTS HAVE BEEN ACCEPTED, 2020-2021:

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|---------------------------------|----------------------------------|-------------------------------------|--------------------------------|
| American University of Paris | Howard University | California | University of Missouri |
| American University | Idaho State University | Saint Mary's University – | University of Montana |
| Arizona State University | Illinois Institute of Technology | Minnesota | University of New Hampshire |
| Babson College | Indiana University | Sam Houston State University | University of Notre Dame |
| Baldwin Wallace University | Iowa State University | San Diego State University | University of Oklahoma |
| Baylor University | Kenyon College | San Francisco State University | University of Oregon |
| Bellevue College | La Sierra University | Santa Clara University | University of Pittsburgh |
| Boise State University | Lafayette College | Sarah Lawrence College | University of Portland |
| Boston College | Lawrence University | Scripps College | University of Puget Sound |
| Boston University | Lehigh University | Seattle Pacific University | University of Redlands |
| Brown University | Lewis & Clark College | Seattle University | University of Rochester |
| Butler University | Linfield University | Seton Hall University | University of San Diego |
| California Lutheran University | Loyola Marymount University | Simon Fraser University – Canada | University of San Francisco |
| California Polytechnic State | Loyola University Chicago | Southern Methodist University | University of Southern |
| University-San Luis Obispo | Macalester College | St John's University-New York | California |
| California State Polytechnic | Marquette University | St Olaf College | University of St Andrews – |
| University-Pomona | McGill University – Canada | Stanford University | Scotland |
| California State University – | Miami University-Oxford | Stevens Institute of Technology | University of Tennessee |
| Fresno | Michigan State University | Swarthmore College | University of Texas |
| California State University- | Middlebury College | Syracuse University | University of the Pacific |
| Chico | Montana State University | Temple University | University of Utah |
| California State University- | Montana Technical University | Texas A & M University | University of Vermont |
| Sacramento | Mount Holyoke College | Texas Christian University | University of Virginia |
| Carleton College | New York University | Trinity College | University of Washington |
| Carroll College | Newcastle University | Tulane University | University of Washington- |
| Case Western Reserve | Northeastern University | United States Air Force Academy | Bothell |
| University | Northern Arizona University | United States Naval Academy | University of Washington- |
| Central Washington University | Northwestern University | University of Alabama | Tacoma |
| Chapman University | Occidental College | University of Arizona | University of Wisconsin |
| Clarkson University | Oklahoma State University | University of Auckland - New | University of Wyoming |
| Clemson University | Oregon State University | Zealand | Vancouver Film School – |
| Colgate University | Pace University | University of British Columbia – | Canada |
| College of Idaho | Pacific Lutheran University | Canada | Vanderbilt University |
| College of the Holy Cross | Pennsylvania State University | University of California-Berkeley | Vassar College |
| Colorado College | Pepperdine University | University of California-Davis | Villanova University |
| Colorado School of Mines | Pitzer College | University of California-Irvine | Virginia Polytechnic Institute |
| Colorado State University | Point Loma Nazarene | University of California-Los | and State University |
| Columbia University | University | Angeles | Walla Walla Community |
| Connecticut College | Portland State University | University of California-San Diego | College |
| Creighton University | Providence College | University of California-Santa | Washington State University |
| Davidson College | Purdue University | Barbara | Washington University in St |
| Denison University | Reed College | University of California-Santa Cruz | Louis |
| DePaul University | Regis University | University of Colorado | Western State Colorado |
| Dickinson College | Rensselaer Polytechnic | University of Dayton | University |
| DigiPen Institute of Technology | Institute | University of Dayton | Western Washington |
| Dominican University of | Rice University | University of Delaware | University |
| California | Richmond, The American | University of Denver | Westmont College |
| Elon University | International University in | University of Georgia | Whitman College |
| Embry-Riddle Aeronautical | London | University of Glasgow – Scotland | Whittier College |
| University- | Rochester Institute of | University of Hawaii | Whitworth University |
| Fairfield University | Technology | University of Idaho | Willamette University |
| Fordham University | Rose-Hulman Institute of | University of Illinois | Worcester Polytechnic |
| George Washington University | Technology | University of Indianapolis | Institute |
| Georgetown University | Rutgers University | University of Kentucky | Xavier University |
| Gonzaga University | Saint Anselm College | University of Maryland | Yakima Valley College |
| Hawaii Pacific University | Saint Louis University | University of Massachusetts | Yale University |
| Hobart William Smith Colleges | Saint Martin's University | University of Miami | |
| Hollins University | Saint Mary's College of | University of Michigan | |

