

ABOUT

Bishop John J. Snyder High School, founded in 2002, is a 4-year co-educational, college preparatory Catholic high school operating in the Diocese of St. Augustine. Our student body is comprised of 445 young men and women.

ACCREDITATION AND MEMBERSHIP

Bishop John J. Snyder High School is fully accredited by the Florida Catholic Conference and AdvancED (SACS/CASI). The school holds membership in the National Catholic Education Association, the Florida Catholic Conference and the Florida High School Athletic Association.

MISSION

The mission of Bishop John J. Snyder High School , a college preparatory school, is to assist in the formation of young men and women of competence, conscience and compassion; faithful to the Gospel and the teachings of the Catholic Church

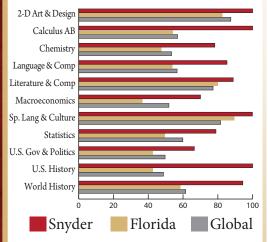
STUDENT LIFE

Bishop Snyder's student body represents a broad range of economic, ethnic, racial, and religious backgrounds. The school welcomes all levels of academic ability, from standard college preparatory coursework to honors and Advanced Placement. Students are encouraged to succeed at their highest capabilities. The curriculum and instruction prepare each graduate to matriculate to an institution of higher education.

FACULTY

There are 34 teaching professionals at Bishop John J. Snyder High School. Post-baccalaureate degrees are held by 60% of our faculty.

2022 AP EXAM PASS RATES



CURRICULUM AND GRADUATION REQUIREMENTS

Bishop John J. Snyder High School offers an expanded college preparatory curriculum. Twenty-eight credits are required for graduation in the following subject areas: English 4 credits Math 4 credits Religion 4 credits Social Studies 3 credits Science 3 credits 2 credits World Language Physical Education 1 credit Practical/Performing Art 1 credit Electives 6 credits Total 28 credits Christian Service 25 hours per year **GPA Requirement** 2.0

ADVANCED PLACEMENT COURSES

2-D Art and Design Biology Calculus AB Chemistry English Language and Composition English Literature and Composition Human Geography Macroeconomics Spanish Language and Culture Statistics U.S. Government and Politics United States History World History

HONORS COURSES

- English I, II, III and IV
- Science (Biology, Biology II, Chemistry, Chemistry II, Anatomy/Physiology and Physics)
- Social Studies (World History, United States History, United States Government and Economics)
- Mathematics (Geometry, Algebra II, Pre-Calculus and Statistics)
- Foreign Language (French III, IV; Spanish III, IV)
- Art III, Art IV

GRADE AND RANK INFORMATION

All students take seven credits each year. The cumulative grade point average (GPA) is updated at the end of each semester. Honors and AP courses receive additional weight. A comparison of the cumulative weighted GPA's of all students in each grade level determines class rank.

GRADING SCALE

Number Grade	Points	Honors	AP
90-100	4.0	4.5	5.0
80-89	3.0	3.5	4.0
70-79	2.0	2.5	3.0
60-69	1.0	1.0	1.0
59 and below	0	0	0

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- ADMISSIONS PROCEDURES -

TOURS

Tours for families and individuals interested in Bishop Snyder High School are available during the school day and after school. Contact the Admissions Office at (904) 908-8978 to set up a tour or for our *"Cardinal for a Day"* shadow program.

HIGH SCHOOL PLACEMENT TEST

All eighth-graders must take the High School Placement Test which contains five multiple-choice sections: Verbal, Quantitative Skills, Reading, Mathematics and Language Skills. Pre-registration for the HSPT is \$25. The walk-up fee is \$45. To register, simply mail the registration form with payment to Bishop Snyder High School or visit www.bishopsnyder.org/admissions.

TRANSFER AND INTERNATIONAL STUDENTS

If you would like to transfer to Snyder from another high school, call the Office of Admissions. International students are welcome to join our community and families or agents should also contact the Office of Admissions at (904) 908-8978. Learn more at www.bishopsnyder.org/admissions.

TUITION ASSISTANCE

Bishop John J. Snyder High School accepts the following state scholarships: Family Empowerment, Gardiner, Hope, McKay, AAA and Step Up for Students.

FOUNDATIONS

The FOUNDATIONS program at Snyder provides assistance to students who demonstrate average ability to perform academic tasks and are unable to express their potential due to specific learning difficulties. Criteria for acceptance depends upon the ability of the student to perform to his or her academic ability with special provisions and support. To learn more visit our website at www.bishopsnyder.org/ academics/foundations.

Mark Your Calendar!

November 10, 2022 Snyder 101 9:00 a.m.

January 21, 2023 High School Placement Test 8:30 a.m

January 21, 2023 Open House 12:00 p.m. – 2:00 p.m.

February 10, 2023 Snyder 101 10:00 a.m.

February 21, 2023 New Student Enrollment Opens

– APPLY & ENROLL –

DIOCESE OF ST. AUGUSTINE STUDENTS

Eighth-grade Catholic School students in the Diocese of St. Augustine may begin enrollment on February 21, 2023. Detailed online enrollment instructions will be sent to your home after the HSPT test.

NEW STUDENTS

Students from non-Diocesan private or public schools must complete the online application found on e main page of our website. There is a \$25 processing fee to apply. In addition to the completed application, we require the following documents:

- Copies of the student's 7th and 8th grade report cards
- Copy of current standardized test scores
- Florida Certificate of Immunization (form DH 680)
- Florida School Entry Health Form (form 3040)
- Recommendations from previous school
- Copy of the student's birth certificate
- Copy of the baptismal certificate (if Catholic)
- Current psychological documentation if applying to FOUNDATIONS

Student interviews will be scheduled after all items have been received by the Admissions Office. You may upload these documents via the online application.

ADMINISTRATION

Principal: Deacon David YazdiyaDean of Academics: Kelly BrownDean of Students: Rusty KellumCampus Minister: Joy GallagherAthletic Director: Zach OsbeckDirector of School Counselingand College Planning: Drew Schmehl

Director of Admissions: Shelley Gudzak

Assistant to the Principal: Mary Anne Briggs