For the SHS Class of 2024

High School Application Process

October 5, 2023



Similarities and Differences in Applying to...

Seattle Area Catholic High Schools

Archbishop Murphy **Bishop Blanchet** Cristo Rey Jesuit Seattle Eastside Catholic Forest Ridge (girls) Holy Names (girls) Kennedy Catholic O'Dea (boys) Seattle Prep St. Monica Catholic



All Other Private High Schools

Includes: Catholic High Schools Outside of Seattle Area Non-Catholic, Private Schools **Boarding Schools** Etc.



Regardless of your plans...

All 8th graders must complete a High School Selection Form in Power School

- This form is how you communicate to SHS which schools you're applying to
 - and we know where to send your student's records.
- Please complete form by November 1, 2023
- Form can be updated schools added and removed until November 28th, 2023



TRANSCRIPT REQUESTS

Any high school your child applies to (Catholic or Private) will require your student's transcripts (Report cards from grades 6, 7, and 8, and MAP Scores).

FOR SEATTLE **CATHOLIC HIGH SCHOOLS**

Complete ONE Confidential School Report/Transcript Request Link to form on SHS Class of 2024 Webpage

FOR OTHER PRIVATE HIGH SCHOOLS

Each school's form and process is different - send transcript requests to Caroline Johnson by November 28, 2023

FOR PUBLIC HIGH SCHOOLS

Transcript request NOT required until either registration or after 8th grade graduation



TEACHER EVALUATIONS

For Seattle Catholic High Schools

- Please do not email teachers requesting evaluations
- Teachers will do collaborative evaluations in early December - which will be sent with transcripts
- If they ask for a teacher's name, please put Caroline Johnson.

For Other Private High Schools

- Please follow each school's directions for requesting teacher evaluations
- Follow up auto email requests with a personal email to teacher

Seattle Catholic High Schools

How to get to know which is the right fit

- OPEN HOUSES
- VISIT/SHADOW DAYS
- PRESENTATIONS AT SHS

Details and specific offerings of each school can be found on the SHS Class of 2024 Webpage

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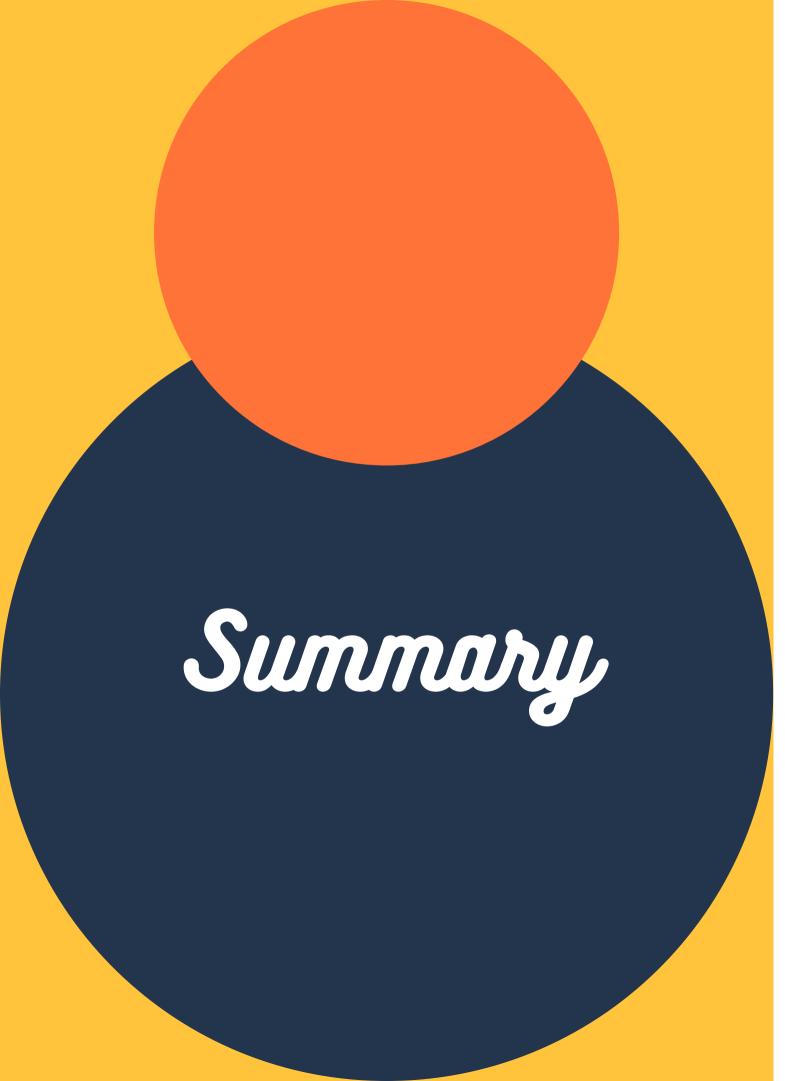
SHS Class of 2024 Web Page

Updated regularly - just for you!

- Go to https://school.sacredheart.org/
- Search "Class of 2024"
- Can be found under "Parents" and "Students" Headers on top of home page

Click Here: <u>SHS Class of 2024 Web Page</u>





Seattle Catholic High Schools What SHS Families Need to Do

- Complete high school selection form (and keep updated!) DUE Nov. 1 - FINAL UPDATES DUE Nov. 28th
- Send ONE signed Confidential School Report/Transcript Request to Caroline Johnson DUE Nov. 1
- Complete an application for each school applying to DUE Jan 4, 2023 universal due date! *Forest Ridge Jan. 12
- Do NOT send requests to teachers to complete evaluations! Teachers will write evaluations collectively for Seattle Catholic High Schools on December 7th
- Register your student for Placement Exam required at all schools EXCEPT Archbishop Murphy, Cristo Rey Jesuit, O'Dea, Kennedy, and St. Monica.

Private High Schools and Catholic Schools outside of Seattle

What Families Need to Do

- Complete high school selection form (and keep updated!) DUE Nov. 1 - FINAL UPDATES DUE Nov. 28
- Send school specific transcript requests to Caroline Johnson, Send Principal Input Forms to David Burroughs DUE Nov 28
- Send evaluation requests directly to teachers DUE Nov 28
- Carefully research each school's placement exam requirements and other deadlines Application Due Dates Vary by School
- Families are responsible for researching each school's requirements and deadlines, and to communicate them to SHS.
 Every school will be different!

