



NAZARETH ACADEMY HIGH SCHOOL

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School Profile 2022-2023

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Mission Statement

Nazareth Academy High School is a Catholic, private, fully accredited college preparatory school for young women sponsored by the Sisters of the Holy Family of Nazareth. Embracing faith, family, and education, we challenge each student to attain her full potential academically, spiritually, and personally. While focusing on service to God and community, NAHS provides a rigorous academic curriculum and varied extra-curricular activities that inspire each student to achieve academic excellence and become a life-long learner in a global society.

Nazareth Community

Located in northeast Philadelphia, PA, Nazareth draws students from the greater Philadelphia area, New Jersey, and Bucks, Montgomery, and Delaware Counties. Varied cultural and socio-economic backgrounds of the students foster a balance of values and attitude within the school community. The student population for the Class of 2023 is: Asian - 5, African American - 1, Caucasian - 67, Hispanic - 4, Other - 2, Chose not to Respond - 21.

Academic Program: [Course Catalog](#)

Sharing in the 94-year-old educational tradition of academic excellence and concern for the individual, inspired by Blessed Frances Siedliska, Nazareth offers a four-year, eight-semester college preparatory program. All courses are offered on college preparatory, honors, or advanced placement levels. For graduation, students are required to take a minimum of 27 units: Theology (4), English (4), Fine Arts (.6), Health/PE (1), Mathematics (3), Science (3), Social Studies (3), World Languages (2), and Electives (6.4).

Block scheduling, course times and frequency vary depending on chosen courses, allows students to earn six to eight credits over two semesters. With semester classes and exams, this schedule provides a college-like atmosphere. A 35-minute daily activity period also provides additional flexibility for students.

Special programs include participation in the Diocesan Scholars Program (scholarship for 12 college credits during senior year by which selected students receive dual credit); Dual Enrollment at Holy Family University; a diversified fine arts program in which students may opt to major/minor in music or major/minor in art; Partnership with The Arrupe Virtual Learning Institute (these courses do not factor into a student's GPA); and an Academic Enrichment program used to serve students with academic difficulties.

AP® Courses:

Biology	French	Psychology
Calculus (AB, BC)	Italian	Spanish
Chemistry	Latin	Statistics
English Language and Composition	Music Theory	U.S. Government and Politics
English Literature and Composition	Physics	United States History

Honors Courses:

Algebra 2	Computer Science A	Music (3, 5)
Portfolio Art (5)	English (1, 2)	Physics
Biology	French (3, 4)	Spanish (3, 4)
Calculus	Geometry	Trig/Pre-Calculus
Chemistry	Italian (3, 4)	United States History
Computer Science Principles	Latin (3, 4)	World Civilizations

Embracing Faith, Family and Education

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Nazareth Academy High School’s discipline policy prevents the school and its employees to disclose academic or behavioral misconduct. Nazareth Academy will not release any written discipline records of a graduate, current student, or a non-enrolled student.

Class of 2023 Cumulative Junior Year GPA Distribution:

It is important to note that a transfer student’s Nazareth Academy cumulative GPA does not include their previous school’s grades. A combined GPA, calculated by Nazareth’s Registrar, will be reported in a separate document.

4.4+:	4
4.0 – 4.39:	28
3.5 – 3.99:	30
3.0 – 3.49:	27
2.5 – 2.99:	9
Below 2.5:	2
Total number of students:	100

Weighted Grading System: (GPA is calculated using a three-tiered weighting system.)

-----Quality Points-----

	Numerical Equivalency	College Prep	Honors	AP
A	96-100	4.00	4.50	5.00
A-	93-95	3.67	4.17	4.67
B+	90-92	3.33	3.83	4.33
B	87-89	3.00	3.50	4.00
B-	84-86	2.67	3.17	3.67
C+	81-83	2.33	2.83	3.33
C	78-80	2.00	2.50	3.00
C-	75-77	1.67	2.17	2.67
D+	72-74	1.33	1.83	2.33
D	70-71	1.00	1.50	2.00
F	-69	0.0	0.0	0.0

Nazareth Academy does not rank its students because of a selective admissions process and a rigorous college preparatory curriculum. The administration believes that each student’s particular strengths and talents are to be recognized, respected and nurtured.

College Acceptances: Class of 2022

100% of Nazareth’s 101 graduates were accepted to an institution of higher learning. All but one student will matriculate to a 4-year institution while the other will matriculate to a 2-year institution. 71 students will attend college in state while 30 students will attend college out of state. The Class of 2022 accrued \$47,425,935.00 in scholarships and grants.

Institutions Attended by the Classes of 2020-2022

Albright College	Georgian Court University	Rider University	The University of Delaware
Alvernia University	Gettysburg College	Rowan University	The University of Hawaii at Manoa
Arcadia University	Holy Cross College	Rutgers University	The University of Maryland
Arizona State University	Holy Family University	Saint Joseph’s University	The University of Miami
Belmont University	Hofstra University	Saint Leo University	The University of Mississippi
Bluefield State College	Immaculata University	Sarah Lawrence College	The University of Pennsylvania
Bloomsburg University	Indiana University of Pennsylvania	Savannah College of Art & Design	The University of Pittsburgh
Bucknell University	Johns Hopkins University	School of the Art Institute of Chicago	The University of Rhode Island
Bryn Athyn College	Kutztown University	Shippensburg University	The University of the Sciences
Bucks County Community College	La Salle University	Slippery Rock University	The University of Scranton
Cabrini University	LIM College	Stevens Institute of Technology	The University of South Carolina
California State University – Long Beach	Loyola University of Maryland	Stevenson University	The University of South Florida
Chestnut Hill College	Marywood University	Stockton University	The University of Tampa
Delaware Valley University	Misericordia University	St. John’s University	Thomas Jefferson University
DeSales University	Monmouth University	Syracuse University	Ursinus College
Drexel University	Morgan State University	Temple University	Villanova University
Duquesne University	Neumann University	The Catholic University of America	Washington College
Eckerd College	Neumont College of Computer Science	The College of New Jersey	West Chester University
Emory University	New York Institute of Technology	The College of William & Mary	West Virginia University
Florida Atlantic University	Ohio State University	The Community College of Philadelphia	West Virginia Wesleyan College
Florida Institute of Technology	Pace University	The University of Central Florida	Widener University
Franklin & Marshall College	Pennsylvania State University	The University of Cincinnati	Xavier University
Gannon University	Rensselaer Polytechnic Institute		
George Mason University			

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