



LOURDES HIGH SCHOOL

A Rochester Catholic School

2022-2023 Academic Profile

Curriculum

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Lourdes Facts

- Affiliation: Catholic
- Accreditation: Cognia (formerly AdvanceED)
- Enrollment: 325
- Average class size: 22
- Student/Faculty ratio: 12:1
- Facilities include:
 - Chapel
 - Campus Ministry Center
 - 4 science laboratories
 - Engineering laboratory
 - Fine Arts Wing featuring:
 - band room
 - choir room
 - black box theater
 - auditorium
 - ceramics studio
 - Gymnasium
 - Weight training rooms
 - Student Success Center

Graduation Requirements

English - 4.0 credits
 Religion - 4.0 credits
 Social Studies - 3.5 credits
 Science - 3.0 credits
 Mathematics - 3.0
 Phy Ed - 1.0 credit
 Fine Arts - 1.0 credit
 Health - 0.5 credit
 Language - 2.0 credits
 Electives - 4.0 credits
 Students take 7 to 8 classes each semester. Classes meet in a flexible modular schedule.

Advanced Placement

8 Honors Courses

Art	AP Studio Art
English	AP Language and Composition, AP Literature and Composition
Mathematics	AP Calculus AB, AP Computer Science A, AP Statistics, Honors Geometry, Honors Algebra II, Honors Pre-Calculus and Trigonometry
Music	AP Music Theory
Science	AP Biology, Honors Chemistry, Honors Anatomy and Physiology
Social Studies	AP Human Geography, AP Psychology, AP US History
World Language	AP Spanish, AP French, Honors French IV, Honors Spanish IV

- Post-secondary enrollment is available to juniors and seniors by application at local colleges.
- Program for Advanced College Credit (PACC) is available through St. Mary's University of MN.

Grading Scale

Letter Grade	%	Grade Point
A	93	4.0
A-	90	3.7
B+	87	3.3
B	83	3.0
B-	80	2.7
C+	77	2.3
C	73	2.0
C-	70	1.7
D+	67	1.3
D	63	1.0
D-	60	0.7
F	<60	0.0

- 1.1 multiplier is used for Honors, AP and PACC Courses.
- Students are not assigned a rank in class, an approximate decile is available upon request.

Founded in 1877, Lourdes is a comprehensive four-year college preparatory high school enrolling 342 students in grades 9 through 12. Lourdes offers a challenging curriculum with course offerings representing a wide range of academic abilities and interests. Lourdes High School strives to be a Christian community committed to excellence, supporting and developing responsibility and respect for all.

Rochester is a community of approximately 115,000 located in southeast Minnesota. The culturally rich and diverse city has a high proportion of the population employed in the medical, research, engineering, and technology professions influenced by the largest employer, Mayo Clinic.

Principal:
Mary Spring

Director of Counseling:
Sarah Groven

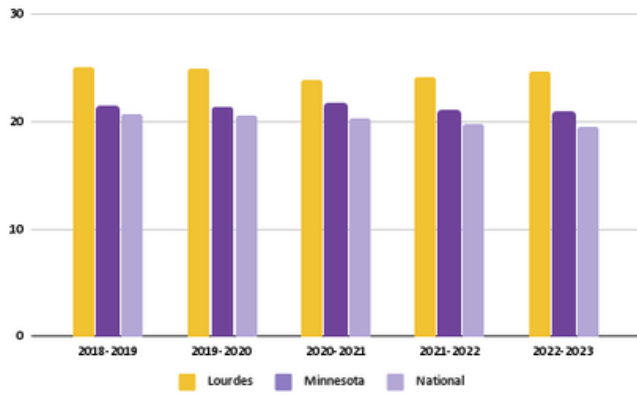
Counselor:
Melissa Reim

Counselor:
Jane Ness

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ACT Composite Comparison



16.5% of LHS students who took the ACT scored a 30 or above.

Special Programs

- Student Retreats/Peer Ministry
- National Honors Society
- Student Ambassadors
- Eagle Readers
- Class Meeting
- Convocation

AP Exams

- 88 students took a total of 119 exams
- 75% of students earned a score of 3+ providing the opportunity to earn college credit
- 9 AP Scholars (3+ on 3 or more exams)
- 5 AP Scholars with Honor (3+ on 4 or exams)
- 11 AP Scholars with Distinction (3+ on 5 or more exams)

National Merit Recipients

In the past five years, 16 seniors have been recognized by the National Merit Foundation, including 10 Commended Scholars and 6 Semi-Finalists. All juniors take the Preliminary Scholastic Aptitude Test (PSAT).

Activities

18 clubs
including yearbook / art club / speech team / math league / student council / chess club / gaming club / cam club / and campus ministry

20 team sports

of participants:
fall sports - 188
winter sports - 98
spring sports - 138



Marching Band - Center Street Singers
Hi - Lighters - Jazz Band - Winter Drumline

COLLEGE ACCEPTANCES - CLASS OF 2023

- Bemidji State University
- Butler University
- Carleton College *
- Case Western Reserve University
- College of Saint Benedict *
- Colorado State University *
- Concordia College Moorhead
- Creighton University *
- Dakota State University *
- DePaul University
- East Carolina University
- Gonzaga University *
- Gustavus Aldophus College *
- International Brotherhood of Electrical Workers
- Iowa State University *
- Loyola University Chicago
- Metropolitan State University
- Minnesota State University, Mankato
- Missouri University of Science and Technology *
- Normandale Community College
- Northwestern College Iowa
- Riverland Community College
- Rochester Community and Technical College
- Saint John's University *
- Saint Mary's University of Minnesota *
- Southern New Hampshire University
- St. Olaf College *

- University of Michigan Ann Arbor
- University of Minnesota Duluth *
- University of Minnesota Rochester
- University of Minnesota Twin Cities *
- University of Notre Dame
- University of North Dakota *
- University of Portland
- University of St. Thomas
- University of Wisconsin Eau Claire *
- University of Wisconsin LaCrosse

- University of Wisconsin Madison
- University of Wisconsin Milwaukee
- University of Wisconsin Platteville
- University of Wisconsin River Falls
- University of Wisconsin Stevens Point *
- University of Wisconsin Stout
- University of Wisconsin Whitewater
- Viterbo University *
- Western Technical College LaCrosse
- Winona State University *

* 2023 Graduate Matriculated

- Four Year College
- Two-Year College
- Trade School
- Military
- Gap Year
- Work

