



ESTABLISHED  
**1818**

GRADES TAUGHT  
**9-12**

SENIORS IN  
CLASS OF 2024  
**261**

ACT SCORE  
5-YEAR AVERAGE  
**29**

YOUNG MEN  
ATTENDING SLUH  
**1000**

CLASS OF 2023  
ACCEPTED AT  
**184**

UNIQUE COLLEGES  
& UNIVERSITIES

MASCOT



JR. BILLIKEN

## OUR MISSION

St. Louis University High is a Catholic, Jesuit, college preparatory school for young men, committed to its presence in the city of St. Louis and dedicated to building Christ's kingdom of truth, justice, love and peace. We serve young men based on their ability to succeed, rather than their economic circumstances.

Through a rigorous academic program, we help our students develop critical minds and a lifelong devotion to learning that informs moral choices and transforms lives.

In addition to assisting in the intellectual, aesthetic, social and physical formation of our students, we help them develop compassionate hearts by fostering habits of personal prayer, reflection and service for the Greater Glory of God.

**SCHOOL CODE**      **263065**

### ACCREDITATION

- **National:** Jesuit Schools Network (1 of 61 Jesuit high schools in the United States)
- **Global:** Cognia

### NOTEABLES

- National Blue Ribbon School
- National Green Ribbon School
- 2020 Top STEM High School (*Newsweek*)
- 2013-2022 Top Workplaces in St. Louis (*St. Louis Post Dispatch*)
- Oldest high school west of Mississippi River

### OUR FACULTY

- 90 Teaching Faculty
- 5 Administrators
- 79 Master's Degrees, 4 PhDs
- 8 Counselors (4 School, 4 College)
- 2 Librarians
- 4 Learning Consultants / Tutors
- 5 Jesuit Priests / Regents

### OUR COMMUNITY

- Located in the urban heart of the city, near Washington University, St. Louis Science Center, Planetarium, Forest Park, St. Louis Zoo, History Museum and Art Museum
- Students and faculty from the Greater St. Louis area, as well as surrounding counties in Missouri and Illinois
- More than 40 international students from partner schools around the globe, both full-time and exchange
- Students from 89 zip codes and 173 different grade schools

### ADMISSIONS AT SLUH

- Need-blind admission based on standardized test scores, grade school records, leadership potential, commitment to faith-based education and family interview
- Over 45% of students receive financial assistance based on need
- Year-round work grant program
- Test scores of admitted students in recent years have averaged in the **90th percentile**

### DIVERSITY, EQUITY & INCLUSION

- Two (2) directors for equity and inclusion programs, support and recruiting
- Faculty committee for DEI efforts
- Designated Board committee tasked with oversight of diversity goals

### PRINCIPAL & COLLEGE COUNSELING

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## ATHLETICS

Participation in all 20 sports is **highly selective**. Our students participate at the most competitive level and in the largest class for all varsity and club sports: **baseball, basketball, cross country, eSports, football, golf, ice hockey, inline hockey, lacrosse, racquetball, rifle, rugby, soccer, swimming and diving, tennis, track and field, ultimate frisbee, volleyball, water polo and wrestling.**

## FAITH FORMATION

- Robust retreat program all four years
- Opportunities for daily Mass and prayer
- Quarterly class Mass and prayer service

## GLOBAL EDUCATION & LEADERSHIP

Partnerships with Nanjing Foreign Language School (**China**), Pavlovskaya Gimnaziya (**Russia**), St. Aloysius Technical School (**Taiwan**), Colegio San Ignacio El Bosque (**Chile**), Colegio San Pedro Claver (**Colombia**), Colegio Irabia-Izaga (**Spain**), Institution Notre Dame (**France**), Holy Family School (**Egypt**), Kostka High & St. Stanislaus (**Poland**), Coláiste Iognáid (**Ireland**)

### 5-YEAR ACT AVERAGE: 29

## 5-YEAR ACT PERFORMANCE

	2023	2022	2021	2020	2019
<b>Middle 50%</b>	25-31	26-32	26-32	28-33	28-33

## 2023 ACT PERFORMANCE

- **Perfect ACT Score (36)** = 5 students
- **Near Perfect ACT Score (35)** = 5 students
- **ACT Score of 32 or Higher** = 46 students
- **Missouri Bright Flight Eligible** = 58 students

## ADVANCED PLACEMENT PROGRAM

In May 2023, SLUH administered 1,075 Advanced Placement examinations to 538 students. Roughly **85% scored a three (3) or higher.**

- **AP Scholar:** 78 students
- **AP Scholar w/ Honors:** 39 students
- **AP Scholar w/ Distinction:** 81 students

Though most students took AP exams in conjunction with their AP courses at SLUH, our students also took exams for the following subject not offered at the school: **Physics C**

## NATIONAL MERIT SCHOLARS

	2023	2022	2021	2020
<b>Commended</b>	4	11	11	15
<b>Semi-Finalists</b>	10	12	8	11
<b>Finalists</b>	9	12	7	11
<b>MO Selection Index</b>	213	214	214	217

## RANK, GPA & TRANSCRIPTS

SLUH **does not assign rank** to students

Official standardized **test scores do not appear on the transcript**

**Grades are weighted** for the Class of 2024 to accurately depict student rigor (see chart)

**Only courses taken at SLUH are calculated** in the GPA

## GRADING POLICY

<b>A+</b>	4.5	Superlative achievement of objectives
<b>A</b>	4.0	Greatly exceeds basic objectives
<b>B+</b>	3.5	Exceeds basic objectives
<b>B</b>	3.0	Achieves level of mastery and performance of basic course objectives in view of college preparation
<b>C+</b>	2.5	Nearly meets course objectives
<b>C</b>	2.0	Performance below expectations of course objectives
<b>D</b>	1.0	Performance seriously below course objectives

## DISCIPLINE REPORTING

At SLUH, disciplinary issues are deemed a private matter between a student, his family and the school. As long as the student remains a member of our school community, it can be assumed that he is in good standing.

## COLLEGE PLACEMENT PROFILE BY PERCENTAGES

	2023	2022	2021	2020
<b>Attending College</b>	99%	99%	100%	100%
<b>4-Year</b>	98	98	99	99
<b>2-Year</b>	1	1	1	1
<b>Private</b>	55	52	51	47
<b>Public</b>	44	47	49	53
<b>In-State</b>	41	35	40	35
<b>Out-of-State</b>	58	64	60	65
<b>Catholic</b>	37	36	32	29

## DID YOU KNOW...

Every sophomore meets with a faculty or staff member for an hour to reflect and set goals for their final two years at SLUH. Inspired by the Jesuit Schools Network (JSN), these goals challenge our students to be:

**Intellectually Competent, Religious, Committed to Justice, Loving and Open to Growth**

# SLUH CURRICULUM FOR THE CLASS OF 2024

0.5 UNIT = 1 SEMESTER

	FRESHMAN [9TH]	SOPHOMORE [10TH]	JUNIOR [11TH]	SENIOR [12TH]
<b>ENGLISH</b> 4 UNITS REQUIRED	English I	English II	English III <b>AP English</b>	Senior Elective: <b>African American Voices, Alienated Hero, American Literature, Dante &amp; The Modern World, Fantasy &amp; Realism, Shakespeare</b>  <i>All students must take one semester of <b>Senior English Capstone</b> and one elective taught at the college level—all of which are eligible for college credit (1818 Program).</i>
<b>MATH</b> 3 UNITS REQUIRED	Algebra I ACC Algebra I Honors Algebra II	Geometry <b>Adv Geometry</b>	Algebra II/Trigonometry <b>Honors Pre Calculus</b> <b>AP Stats w/ Pre Calc</b>	Pre Calculus I Pre Calculus II Probability & Statistics Mathematics & Data Science <b>AP Statistics</b> <b>AP Calculus AB</b> <b>AP Calculus BC</b>
<b>SCIENCE</b> 3 UNITS REQUIRED	Biology	Chemistry <b>ACC Chemistry</b>	Physics <b>AP Physics I</b>	Astrophysics Environmental STEM Foundations of Engineering <b>Honors Anatomy &amp; Physiology I &amp; II</b> <b>AP Environmental Science</b> <b>AP Chemistry</b> <b>AP Biology</b> <b>AP Physics II</b>
<b>SOCIAL STUDIES</b> 2.6 UNITS REQUIRED	Human Geography	World History <b>AP World History</b>	U.S. History Microeconomics Macroeconomics Psychology I & II <b>AP U.S. History</b>	Microeconomics Macroeconomics Modern African History Psychology I & II <b>AP U.S. Government &amp; Politics</b> <b>AP Modern European History</b> <b>AP Comparative Government</b> <b>AP Microeconomics</b> <b>AP Macroeconomics</b> <b>AP Psychology</b>
<b>LANGUAGE</b> 2 UNITS REQUIRED	<u>Chinese</u> I, II, III, <b>IV</b> • <u>French</u> I, II, III, <b>IV</b> , <b>AP French</b> • <u>Latin</u> I, II, III, <b>IV</b> , <b>AP Latin</b> • <u>Russian</u> I, II, III, <b>IV</b> , <b>V</b> • Summer Russian Immersion • <u>Spanish</u> I, II, III, <b>IV</b> , <b>AP Spanish</b> • Summer Spanish Immersion • Classical <u>Greek</u> • <u>Arabic</u> I, II, III, <b>IV</b> , <b>V</b>			
<b>THEOLOGY</b> 4 UNITS REQUIRED	Theology I	Theology II	Theology III	Senior Elective: Christian Life Choices, Spirituality & Prayer, Church & Ministry, World Religions, Humanities
<b>COMPUTER</b> 0.5 UNIT REQUIRED	Computer Fundamentals	Intro to C++, <b>AP Computer Science</b> , Programming in JAVA, Programmable Electronics & Robotics, Advanced Computer Science Topics, Artificial Intelligence, Computer Game Programming, Computer Security, STEM Innovative Product Development		
<b>FINE ARTS</b> 1 UNIT REQUIRED	Survey of Performing Arts Survey of Fine Arts, Band	<b>Art:</b> Painting, Printmaking, 2-D Design, 3-D Design, Drawing I & II, Band, Ceramics I-III <b>Drama:</b> Acting Improv, Acting Scenes, Dance I-III, Oral Communication, Oral Interpretation <b>Music:</b> Music Theory, Chamber Orchestra, <b>Band:</b> Concert, Jazz I & II, Symphonic, Lab, Fundamentals I & II, Combo, <b>Chorus:</b> Concert, Varsity		
<b>DID YOU KNOW...</b>  All students are expected to maintain a minimum of six (6) courses in each semester of attendance.	<b>OTHER</b> Engineering Graphics, Foundations of Engineering, Intro to Woodworking, Personal Finance, Business & Entrepreneurship			
<b>PE &amp; HEALTH</b> 4 UNITS REQUIRED	Physical Education, Weights, Yoga, Bicycling, Strength & Conditioning, Dance I & II, Health			

## COLLEGE ACCEPTANCES

\* = MATRICULATIONS

Alabama A&M University	Elon University*	Miami University, Oxford*	St. Francis College*	Univ. of Miami*
Allegheny College	Embry-Riddle Daytona Beach	Michigan State University*	St. Louis Community College*	Univ. of Michigan-Ann Arbor*
American International College	Embry-Riddle Prescott	Mid-America Nazarene	St. Mary's University	Univ. of Minnesota-Twin Cities
American University*	Emerson College	Middle Tennessee State	Stanford University*	Univ. of Mississippi*
Amherst College	Emory University*	Millikin University*	State Tech of Missouri*	Univ. of Missouri-Columbia*
Appalachian State	Fairfield University*	Milwaukee Institute of	Stetson University	Univ. of Missouri-Kansas City*
Arizona State University*	Flagler College	Art & Design	Stevens Institute of Tech*	Univ. of Missouri-St. Louis*
Arkansas State University	Florida Institute of Tech*	Milwaukee School of	SUNY at Purchase College	Univ. of Mount Union*
Auburn University*	Florida Southern College	Engineering	SUNY - Environmental	Univ. of Nebraska-Omaha*
Augustana College*	Florida State University*	Mississippi State*	Science and Forestry	Univ. of Nebraska-Lincoln*
Aurora University*	Florida State University*	Missouri Baptist University	Syracuse University*	Univ. of New Hampshire
Babson College*	Fontbonne University*	Missouri State University	Temple University	Univ. of New Haven
Ball State University	Fordham University*	Missouri S&T*	Tennessee Tech University	Univ. of New Mexico
Bates College*	Fordham University*	Missouri Western State*	Texas A&M University*	Univ. of New Orleans
Baylor University*	Franciscan University of	Monmouth College*	Texas Christian University*	Univ. of North Dakota
Bellarmino University	Steuersville*	Morehouse College*	Texas Tech University*	Univ. of Northern Colorado
Belmont University*	Friends University	Murray State University*	The Catholic University	Univ. of Notre Dame*
Beloit College	George Mason University	New York University	of America*	Univ. of Oklahoma*
Benedictine College*	Georgetown University*	North Carolina A&T	The College of Wooster	Univ. of Oregon*
Benedictine University	George Washington	North Carolina State	The Culinary Institute	Univ. of Pennsylvania*
Bentley University	University*	North Central College*	of America	Univ. of Pittsburgh*
Berklee College of Music*	Georgia Institute of Tech*	Northeastern University*	The New School*	Univ. of Portland
Boston College*	Georgia State University	Northern Illinois University	The Univ. of Alabama*	Univ. of Rhode Island
Boston University*	Gonzaga University*	Northwest Missouri State*	The Univ. of North Carolina	Univ. of Richmond*
Bowdoin College	Grand Canyon University*	Northwestern University*	at Chapel Hill*	Univ. of Rochester
Bradley University*	Grinnell College	Nova Southeastern University	The Univ. of Tampa	Univ. of San Diego
Brandeis University	Hampton University	Occidental College*	The Univ. of TN-Knoxville*	Univ. of San Francisco
Briar Cliff University	Hawaii Pacific University	Ohio Northern University*	The Univ. of TN-Martin	Univ. of South Carolina*
Butler University*	Henderson State*	Ohio State University*	The Univ. of Texas-Austin	Univ. of South Florida
California Institute of the Arts	Hendrix College	Ohio University	The Univ. of Texas-Dallas*	Univ. of Southern California*
Canisius College	High Point University	Ohio Wesleyan University	The Univ. of the South*	Univ. of Southern Indiana
Carleton College	Hillsdale College*	Oklahoma City University	Trinity University	Univ. of St. Andrews*
Carleton University*	Hobart William Smith*	Oklahoma State University*	Truman State University*	Univ. of St. Thomas (MN)
Carnegie Mellon*	Holy Cross College*	Otis College of Art and Design	Tulane University*	Univ. of the Pacific
Carroll University	Hope College	Ouachita Baptist University	Union University	Univ. of Toronto
Carthage College*	Howard University*	Palm Beach Atlantic University	US Air Force Academy*	Univ. of Tulsa*
Case Western Reserve	Illinois College	Penn State*	US Military Academy*	Univ. of Utah*
Central Methodist*	Illinois Institute of Tech	Pepperdine University	US Naval Academy*	Univ. of Vermont
Central Michigan	Illinois State University*	Point Loma Nazarene	Univ. of Alabama-Birmingham	Univ. of Virginia*
Centre College*	Illinois Wesleyan*	Pomona College*	Univ. of Alabama-Huntsville	Univ. of Washington*
Chapman University	Indiana State University	Pratt Institute	Univ. of Arizona*	Univ. of Wisconsin-Madison*
Citadel Military College of	IU-Bloomington*	Princeton University*	Univ. of Arkansas*	Univ. of Wisconsin-Milwaukee
South Carolina*	IUPUI*	Providence College	UC-Berkeley*	Univ. of Wyoming*
Clark Atlanta University*	Iowa State University*	Purdue University*	UC-Davis	Utah State University
Clemson University*	Iowa Wesleyan	Queens University of Charlotte*	UC-Irvine	Valparaiso University
Coe College	John Carroll University	Quincy University*	UC-Los Angeles*	Vanderbilt University*
Colgate University	Johns Hopkins University*	Regis University*	UC-San Diego*	Villanova University
College of Charleston	Johnson & Wales University	Rensselaer Polytechnic	UC-Santa Barbara	Virginia Tech
College of the Holy Cross*	Kansas City Art Institute	Rhodes College*	UC-Santa Cruz	Wake Forest University*
Colorado College*	Kansas State University*	Rice University*	Univ. of Central Arkansas*	Walsh University
Colorado School of Mines	Kean University	Ringling College of	Univ. of Central Florida*	Wartburg College
Colorado State-Fort Collins*	Kenrick Glennon Seminary*	Art and Design	Univ. of Central Missouri*	Washington State
Colorado State-Pueblo	Kettering University	Rochester Institute of Tech*	Univ. of Chicago*	Washington University
Columbia College Chicago	Knox College*	Rockford University	Univ. of Cincinnati	in St. Louis*
Columbia College (MO)	KU Leuven (Belgium)*	Rockhurst University*	Univ. of Colorado Boulder*	Webster University*
Columbia University (NY)	Kutztown University	Rocky Mountain College*	Univ. of Colorado-	Wesleyan University
Concordia University Texas	La Salle University	Rollins College	Colorado Springs	Western Illinois University*
Concordia University-Chicago	Lawrence University	Rose-Hulman Institute of Tech*	Univ. of Colorado Denver-	Western Kentucky*
Cornell College	Liberty University	Saint Joseph's University*	Univ. of Dallas	Western Michigan University
Cornell University*	Lincoln University*	Saint Louis University*	Univ. of Dayton*	Westminster College
Creighton University*	Lindenwood University*	SLU-Madrid*	Univ. of Denver*	Wichita State University*
CUNY Bernard M Baruch	Long Island University*	Saint Xavier University	Univ. of Detroit Mercy	William & Mary
Dakota State University	LA Recording Workshop*	Salisbury University	Univ. of Evansville*	William Jewell College*
Dartmouth College*	Louisiana State University*	Santa Clara University*	Univ. of Florida	William Woods University
Denison University	Loyola Marymount*	Savannah College of	Univ. of Georgia	Wittenberg University*
DePaul University*	Loyola Chicago*	Art & Design (SCAD)	Univ. of Health Sciences &	Xavier University*
DePauw University*	Loyola Maryland*	School of the Art Institute	Pharmacy in St. Louis*	Xavier University of Louisiana
Drake University	Loyola New Orleans*	of Chicago*	Univ. of Houston	Yale University*
Drexel University	Macalester College*	Seattle Pacific University	Univ. of Illinois-Springfield	
Drury University*	Manhattan College*	Seattle University*	Univ. of Illinois-	
Eastern Florida State*	Marian University*	Seton Hall University	Urbana-Champaign*	
Eastern Illinois University	Marquette University*	Simpson College	Univ. of Illinois-Chicago	
Eckerd College	Marymount Manhattan	Southeast Missouri State*	Univ. of Indianapolis	
Elmhurst University	Maryville University*	SIU-Carbondale*	Univ. of Iowa*	
	McKendree University*	SIU-Edwardsville*	Univ. of Kansas*	
	Mercyhurst University*	Southern Methodist*	Univ. of Kentucky*	
		Southern Utah University	Univ. of Louisville	
		Southwest Baptist*	Univ. of Maine	
		Southwestern Illinois*	Univ. of Mary*	
		Spring Hill College*	Univ. of Maryland	
		St. Bonaventure University	Univ. of Massachusetts	
		St. Olaf College*	Univ. of Memphis*	