





We Welcome YOU!

Rated the #1 Catholic Co-Ed Day School in CT in 2024, Immaculate has built a reputation of excellence as a premiere college preparatory school in Fairfield County. With a rich history and commitment to academic excellence, spiritual growth and community service you are empowered to take charge of your future, knowing your dreams are attainable.

We invite you to embark on a transformative journey with us. For over 60 years our students have aimed high and achieved beyond their own expectations. Come find your voice and challenge yourself by engaging with new people, discovering your passions and realizing your goals. You have just four years to figure out who you are and to build the confidence and skills to forge out on your own. Let us help you build a foundation that will bear the weight of your dreams.

Are you ready to get started? We can't wait to meet you!



Seth Bogoslofski, Assistant Director of Admissions Denise Suarez, Director of Enrollment Management





Make Yourself at Home...

With a campus conveniently located off I-84 and Route 7, Immaculate is close to the energy of downtown Danbury, minutes from the NY border and nestled directly across from the beautiful Tarrywile Park. We invest in new facilities to support our mission, including three state-of-the-art science labs, a graphic design and audio production studio, new fitness center and indoor golf simulator, renovated locker rooms, a spacious Learning Commons and a beautifully updated Chapel...because our focus is YOU! Experience vibrancy in spaces that meet the needs of every student. The 2023-2024 school year welcomed back our student-athletes to a newly renovated \$1.3M athletic turf and track in Mustang Valley!

Get ready to fuel your ambitions at our Mustang Cafe!
Offerings range from gluten-free meals to Chick-fil-A and pizza. Arriving early? Grab a breakfast sandwich or bagel, then get ready to choose from our many daily offerings and lunch specials as you join classmates in our modern and spacious Dining Hall or outdoor patio.









...and Cultivate New Interests

No talent lies latent. Become part of a school community that supports your values, your passions and your growth. Immaculate gives new meaning to the word "confidence" by providing hands-on opportunities and individual attention that prepares students for success at every turn.

From field trips to certification programs and extracurricular activities to Career Day, you will have the opportunity to seek purpose and find your passions. In addition to opportunities in athletics and fine arts, Immaculate has approximately 30 different extracurricular clubs to choose from including Mock Trial, Model UN, Cyber Patriots, Brave Engineers, Student Council, International Club and Gardening Club to name a few. You can even participate in a French exchange program!



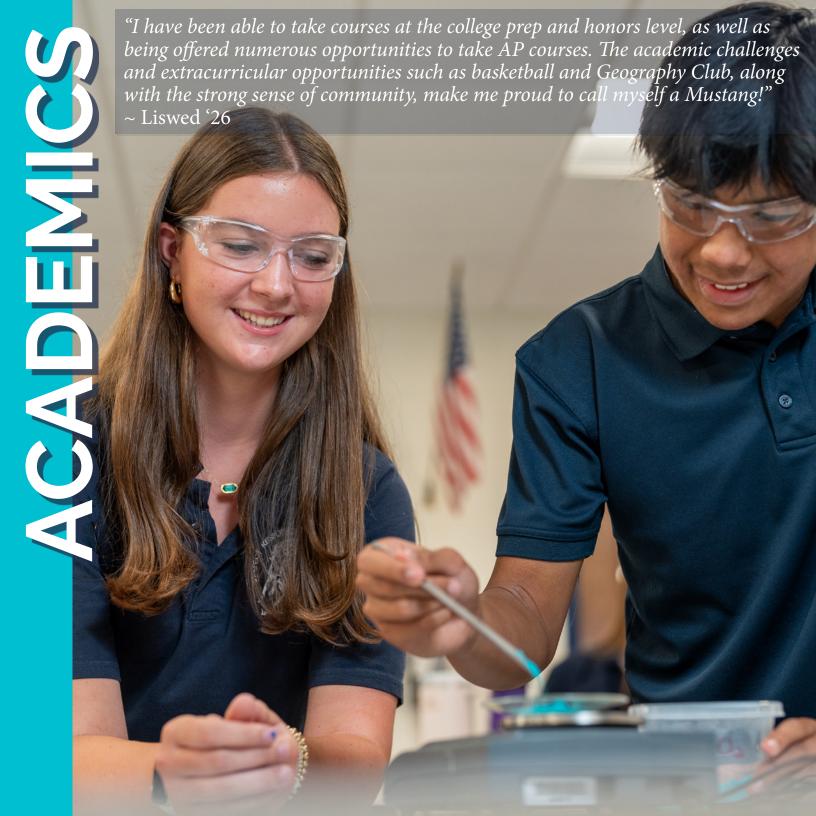
7 Honor Societies

30+

Extracurricular Clubs



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Challenge Yourself...

We want you to pursue excellence in every endeavor—in the classroom, on the field or stage and in the community – so that you can be successful in college and a career, but also shine as forces for good in our world. We seek a special combination of talent and heart and then empower each student to reach his or her full potential.

Don't be afraid to step out of your comfort zone, because that is where the magic happens!

Our students develop the necessary skills to excel in a rapidly changing world. Immaculate offers courses at the college prep, honors and Advanced Placement levels as well as a Leading Scholars Program for academically gifted students. Immaculate is proud to offer our students the opportunity to earn college and high school credits simultaneously through our Dual Enrollment Program. These credits are transferable to most colleges and universities.



130 course offerings

50 honors-level courses

AP level courses

9 dual enrollment courses

*30 AP courses including virtual options





...and Learn from the Best

You will be surrounded by teachers, counselors and coaches who care about you, are accessible and will devote the time needed to help you achieve your goals. We have been blessed to attract dedicated teachers and faith-filled role models for over 60 years many of them with industry experience in their respective fields.

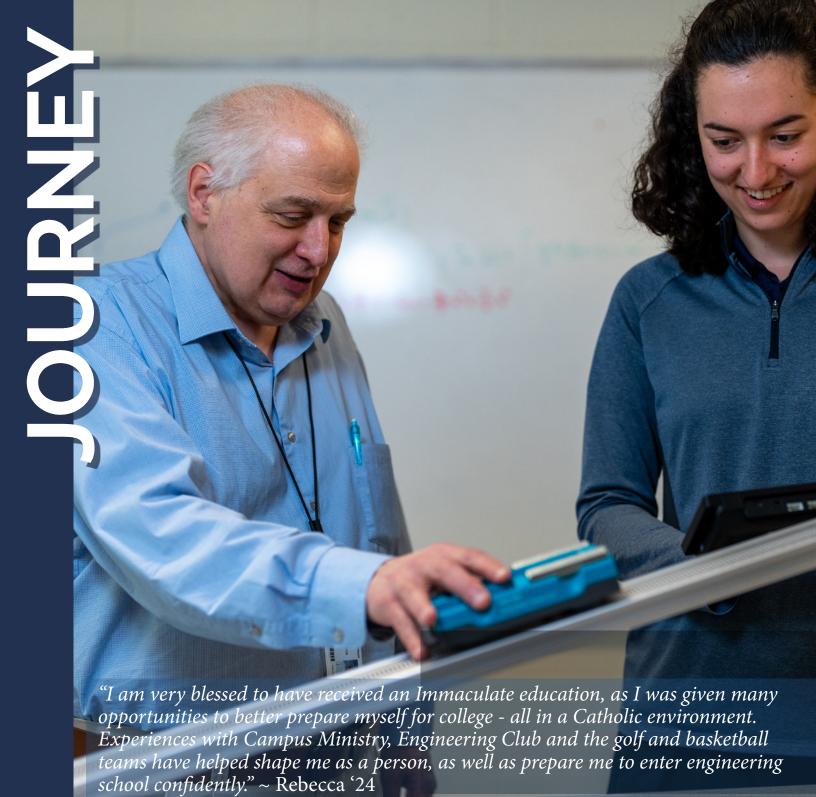
We will challenge and inspire you to set the bar high, while supporting you every step of the way. Our teachers are examples of lifelong learning, as they pursue professional development, certifications and advanced degrees.

Come for a shadow visit and discover the respect and enduring relationships between teachers and students at Immaculate. Many teachers moderate clubs and coach teams – directly involving them in the lives of our students. They can also be found on the sidelines or in the theater cheering you on, and will take the time to write thoughtful college recommendation letters. Many are Immaculate alumni and fondly recall the relationships formed with their own teachers in these same hallways.





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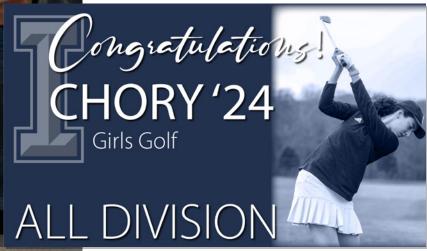




Define Your Path...

Envision your future self knowing the transformative journey that awaits you at Immaculate and ask yourself some questions. Will you be ready to meet the challenges you will face in college? What will sustain you? How will you turn your education into action? What will the world need from you when it's your turn to change it?

The most important thing you can do as you consider these questions is to start by surrounding yourself with goal-oriented peers who work together and strive to be their best. For some students, that means having the courage to try a new sport or sing with the choir at Mass. For others, it means auditioning for the lead role in the fall drama or taking the initiative to start a new club. Still others may explore potential careers by taking a certification or signature program, such as nursing, engineering, information technology or graphic design. Some may even take enough AP and dual enrollment courses to potentially satisfy a semester's worth of college credits! Each experience will help you to define your strengths, passions and purpose.









...in a Thriving Family

What is the first word that comes to mind when we ask our students and alumni what Immaculate means to them? It is a resounding FAMILY! Choosing the best high school fit means surrounding yourself with peers who share your values, embrace differences and celebrate each other's accomplishments. Immaculate is a diverse community of students who value kindness and respect. Whether it's your softball teammates coming to watch you perform opening night in the spring musical, a peer tutor helping you work through a geometry problem or a friend joining you in the Chapel to pray, you will find a sense of belonging and community that is hard to replicate. Education flourishes when students are supported in a loving community. It is the people around you, those you will share countless memories with, that will teach you your greatest lessons and push you to be your best.

Immaculate is known for its long tradition of school spirit and a passionate student body. The Stable, our student fan section, has been awarded the best in the state. We are also known for a loyal alumni base, as our graduates embody the slogan, "Once a Mustang...Always a Mustang." You may leave our building after four years, but Immaculate is forever with you.



Find Support...

What does it take to design the ideal high school experience? The answer is clear: **keep the focus on the students.** You will be taught to take the initiative and to find the support you need to ensure your success and overall well-being. Learning to self advocate is critical for college success and you will find the culture of our school is one where you will develop the courage to ask for help so that you can be your best.

Our teachers are available every day after school to provide extra-help. The student-to-counselor ratio of 95:1 is far lower than the national average of over 400:1. This means that our team will not only help you to navigate the complex college admissions process, but they will be accessible as you navigate all aspects of high school life.

We rise by lifting others which is evident when a senior Field Hockey "Big Sister" welcomes a new member to the team, a peer tutor helps you prepare for your AP Biology exam or friends show up opening night to watch you on stage.

By ensuring the health of your mind, body and spirit, you are more likely to perform at your best. A school nurse, therapist and strength and conditioning coach are all on staff to support your overall health and development.

15
Average
Class Size

111:1
Student/Teacher
Ratio





...and Make New Friends

What if from your first moment on campus, you knew you truly belonged? From our annual Accepted Student Night to Freshman Orientation, we celebrate your acceptance and help get you ready for all that lies ahead. Everyone arrives on their first day, eager to meet new people as each freshman class comes to Immaculate from approximately 28 different towns in CT and NY. If you enroll in our summer enrichment courses or join our captains' fall sport practices, you will meet others before the school year even begins.

The Freshman Transition Program will help you thrive in your new environment, offering a variety of social programs

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And, before you know it, you and your classmates will be enjoying the spirit and festivities of Homecoming Week! At Immaculate, the best seat is the one you never sit in. We want you to embrace all that our school offers, from cheering loud at our epic pep rallies and playing in the student-faculty basketball game during Catholic Schools Week to dancing the night away at the Snowball Dance. Cherished memories formed from shared interests and memorable celebrations will stay with you forever. Our graduates return years later to reunite with friends at class reunions, alumni games and so much more.





Take Center Stage...

Whether you dream of painting a beautiful mural, learning to play piano, hosting a podcast or bowing to thunderous applause on stage, we'll help you get there. Our students are proof that there is no shortage of creativity at Immaculate. We showcase your talents through art exhibitions at local venues, musical performances in the community and holiday band and choral concerts.

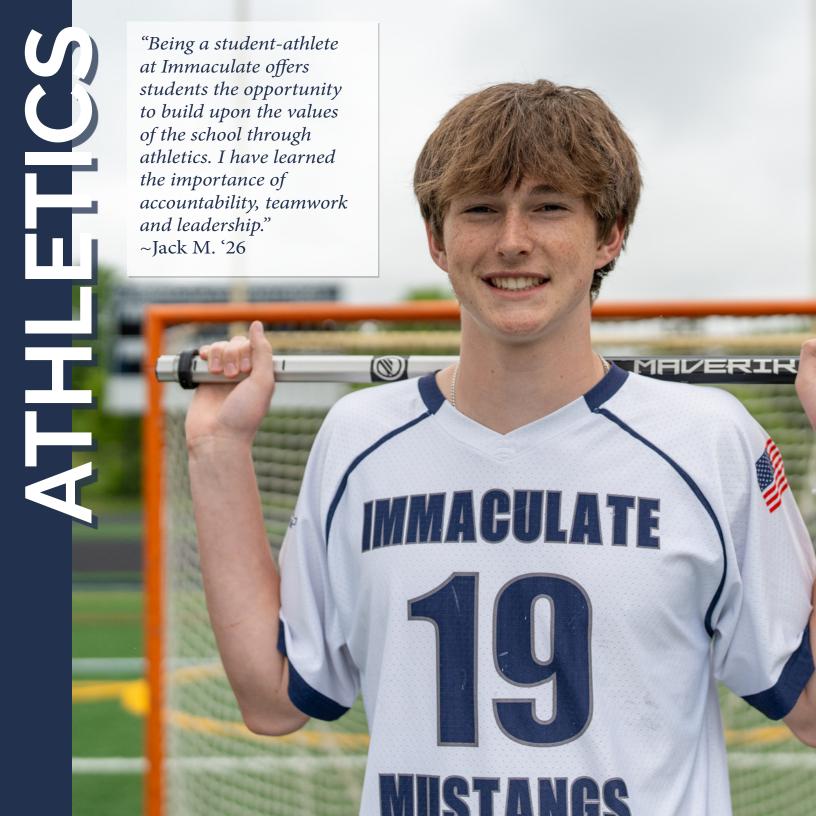
Visual arts students are continually developing their technical skills in four levels of graphic design and art courses ranging from Intro to Art to AP Studio 2D Art and Design.

With over 100 Connecticut HALO nominations in the last seven years, and back-to-back Best Dancing awards, the Theater Department is thriving as it develops the talents of those simply looking to experience the joy of participating as well as those preparing for performing arts in college and beyond. Ask any of our student performers about their experience in Immaculate's productions or anyone in the crowd at last spring's production of The Little Mermaid and we know you'll be ready to hit the stage when you join us!











... at the Home of Champions!

It's pregame butterflies and postgame celebrations. It's bonds formed with teammates and fierce competitions where you leave everything on the field. It's pride in working just as hard in the classroom as you do in your sport. But mostly, it's fun!

Get ready to lace up your soccer cleats, hit the batting cages and put in the miles. Whether you are a freshman trying a new sport for the first time or a seasoned athlete looking to play in college, you will love competing at Immaculate - home to 27 varsity sports, including a new eSports team which made it to the state championship in back-to-back years and was ranked in USA Today in its inaugural year!

Immaculate has a tradition of athletic excellence that includes 49 conference championships and 38 state championships. In 2023-2024, Boys Cross Country repeated as back-to-back state champions, Boys Ice Hockey won a conference championship and many teams made runs in the conference and state tournaments. Mustang pride runs deep!



Varsity Sports

Football **Bovs Soccer** Girls Soccer Field Hockey Boys XC Girls XC **Bovs Golf** Girls Golf eSports Volleyball Boys Swim Girls Swim Boys Basketball Girls Basketball Boys Ice Hockey Girls Ice Hockey **Boys Indoor Track**

Girls Indoor Track Cheerleading Baseball Softball Boys Lacrosse Girls Lacrosse Boys Tennis Girls Tennis Boys Outdoor Track Girls Outdoor Track



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Put Your Faith Into Action...

This is a place where character grows and where you will be asked how you can make a difference. Our Catholic values are central to our mission and woven into everything we do. We welcome students from all faith backgrounds, as each, regardless of his or her individual beliefs, is grounded in an enthusiasm for learning and a desire to help others.

Through a four year theology curriculum, retreat program, Campus Ministry activities, monthly school liturgies, optional morning Masses and lunchtime Adoration, you will have opportunities for spiritual growth as you uncover how to use your God-given talents to ignite change in our world.

NEW for the 2024-2025 academic year, Immaculate will offer the Youth Volunteer Corp (YVC) - a service learning program to develop a lifetime ethic of service in youth. Instilling values that will become critical to who you are and how you live, coupled with the realization that you have the ability to touch the lives of others, will contribute to your overall growth.







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...and Get Ready to Lead!

Now More than ever, our world needs what Immaculate forms...graduates who can think critically and act justly. You will have the opportunity to set yourself apart and to lead. You can find our alumni in high finance on Wall Street or opening their own businesses on Main Street. They are doctors, teachers, performers, scientists and engineers. No matter what their chosen profession, they find ways to put their values into action on the job and in their communities. Colleges and employers notice that our graduates are bold yet respectful, driven and collaborative.

Our family is so grateful for William and Caroline's Immaculate experience. They were beyond prepared for success in college, and each took with them a boatload of college credits from their dual enrollment and AP classes. The community is fantastic, the teachers truly care about their students and the environment is small enough that there is a place where everyone can shine. My family could have left the area to follow a job opportunity out of state, but we stayed for three years just so my youngest could graduate from IHS. It truly is a special place that has been so formative in the lives of both my children.

~ Katherine T. ~ Parent of William '24 (Purdue - Data Science, Honors College) and Caroline '22 (Georgia Tech -Civil Engineering).

Our Focus is You!

Immaculate empowers students with the skills, knowledge and formation to thrive at the college level and beyond. You will work hard over your four years and we will work hard right alongside you. Our mission is to help you achieve your goals and dreams. Whether it's hosting SAT prep sessions or giving you pointers on your college essay, we will look for ways to open doors while empowering you to make the most of these four years. Then, we will celebrate YOU as your college acceptances come in by putting each and every school flag on our bulletin board within 24 hours of your notification.

This past year alone, approximately 120 college representatives visited Immaculate to meet with our upperclassmen during the fall semester and 100% of our Class of 2024 were accepted to a college or university!

Sampling of the schools our graduates are currently attending:



































FastFactsts

- 7,000+ alumni
- 1:1 laptop program
- 27 Varsity Sports
- 15 Average Class Size
- 11:1 Student-to-Faculty Ratio
- 50 honors courses
- 18 AP Courses (30 including virtual options)
- 9 dual-enrollment courses
- 7 honor societies
- 30+ clubs
- 20K hours of community service each year
- \$1M awarded in tuition assistance annually
- \$28M awarded in college scholarships and grants to the Class of 2024































So, What Makes Us Different?

Immaculate is unique in important, fundamental ways which allow for an extraordinary education of the mind and heart.



Sense of Belonging

You enroll in more than a school – you join a community that our students will tell you feels like family. You perform at your best when you feel comfortable, welcomed and included in the life of the school. Get ready for the enthusiastic welcome you will receive on Day One which will set the tone for your four years at Immaculate. Our NEW freshman transition program is intended to provide support for our young Mustangs (hence "FOALS"). With the assistance of the Counseling Department, you will begin mapping out your four years, providing a blueprint for the path to success. The program is designed to establish a seamless transition between middle school and high school, leaving our freshmen well-prepared for the journey ahead of them.



Character Development

Our Catholic identity and school mission to develop the whole student helps us prepare you for success in all areas of life, with the knowledge that strong, caring relationships are the way to get there. We are committed to developing moral and spiritual young people, leaving us after four years as leaders who act justly as forces for good in our world. Marked by compassion, self-discipline and personal responsibility you will be prepared to make informed decisions that will set you on a path for life filled with a sense of purpose and joy.



Personalized Attention

Size matters. Big enough to challenge and small enough to care, Immaculate is *small* where it matters and *big* where it pays off. With approximately 400 students, there are an impressive number of activities, courses and programs to set you up for success at every turn, while the opportunity to actually participate in them is much greater than at a larger school. The average class size is 15 students – small, but not too small. You will receive personalized attention to help you exceed your goals, with the benefits of meeting and engaging with a wide group of peers with diverse backgrounds.

Big enough to have dynamic academic and extracurricular experiences, but small enough where you don't get lost in the crowd.

Extraordinary Outcomes

Immaculate is college prep at its best, with an academic experience that is both rigorous and relevant as it meets the demands and rapid changes of the 21st century. You will rise to the high standards of excellence that our world demands as you prepare to make your mark wherever your path leads.

You won't be asked to choose your path upon entering high school, but rather given the foundation that is needed to excel in whatever major and career you choose. The outcomes will provide tangible and intangible returns on your investment. Innovation, technological advancements and enhancements to course offerings, programs and campus facilities are constant. Yet, the positive, compassionate energy and moral foundation that will define who you are on graduation day have remained unchanged and set our graduates apart.









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In the Roman Catholic tradition, Immaculate High School fosters the development of the whole student by nurturing individual spiritual, moral, intellectual, physical and social growth through an academically rigorous college preparatory curriculum that encourages respect, responsibility, reverence, creativity and leadership.

Stay Connected!



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