



VILLA MARIA ACADEMY HIGH SCHOOL

College Counseling Philosophy at Villa Maria

The college counselors at Villa Maria Academy High School strive to find the **best fit college for each individual student**. At Villa Maria, we challenge our students to think about the values they hold close and to find a college that fits those values, **not changing their values to fit a college**.

While the college counselors are present for the four years that a student attends Villa, the priority shift comes junior year and students are seen every other day in class from spring junior year through fall senior year. In junior seminar, **we cover the values of college, finding your best fit, the college search, letters of recommendation, essays and more**. In senior seminar, we spend time **applying to college in class**, so we are available in the present to answer questions.

After application season, we discuss **transitions to college, roommates, financial aid, wellness on campus, and utilizing college resources**. Our goal is to allow our students to be their own self-advocates in their process, trust their college search, and feel confident in their college decision.

The Villa Maria Class of 2024 (88 graduates) attended **47 colleges in 22 states and Washington, D.C.**, and earned \$12.5 million in college scholarships. Additional information is available at www.vmahs.org/counseling or counseling@vmahs.org.

2022-2024 College Admissions and Enrollment

Enrollment by one or more Villa Maria graduates is shown in bold. Data provided by VMA College Counseling.

Albright College
Alvernia University
American University
Appalachian State University
Arcadia University
Arizona State University (Tempe)
Auburn University
Ave Maria University
Baylor University
Belmont Abbey College
Belmont University
Benedictine College
Boston College
Boston University
Bowie State University
Brandeis University
Brown University
Bryant University
Bryn Mawr College
Bucknell University
Cabrin University
California Institute of the Arts
California State University (Long Beach)
California State University (Los Angeles)
Carnegie Mellon University
Case Western Reserve University
Catholic University of America
Champlain College
Charleston Southern University
Chatham University
Christopher Newport University
Clark Atlanta University
Clemson University
Coastal Carolina University
Colby College

Colgate University
College of Charleston
College of the Holy Cross
Colorado College
Colorado State University (Fort Collins)
Columbia University
Commonwealth University (Bloomsburg)
Connecticut College
Cornell University
Dartmouth College
Davidson College
DePaul University
DeSales University
Dickinson College
Dominican University of California
Drew University
Drexel University
Duke University
Duquesne University
East Carolina University
Eastern University
Eckerd College
Elizabethtown College
Elmira College
Elon University
Emory University
Fairfield University
Florida Agricultural and Mechanical University
Florida Atlantic University
Florida Gulf Coast University
Florida Institute of Technology
Florida International University
Florida Southern College
Florida State University
Fordham University

Franklin & Marshall College
Furman University
George Mason University
George Washington University
Georgetown University
Georgia Institute of Technology
Georgia State University
Gettysburg College
Goucher College
Gwynedd Mercy University
Hampton University
Harvard University
Hawai'i Pacific University
High Point University
Hobart and William Smith Colleges
Hofstra University
Howard University
Immaculata University
Indiana University (Bloomington)
Indiana University of Pennsylvania (Main Campus)
Ithaca College
James Madison University
Johns Hopkins University
Kent State University
Keuka College
King's College
Kutztown University of Pennsylvania
La Salle University
Lafayette College
Lehigh University
Lincoln University
Louisiana State University
Loyola Marymount University
Loyola University Chicago
Loyola University Maryland

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Lycoming College
Manhattan University
Marist College
Marquette University
Maryland Institute College of Art
Marymount University
Marywood University
Massachusetts College of Art and Design
Massachusetts Institute of Technology
McDaniel College
McGill University
Mercer University
Messiah University
Miami Dade College
Miami University (Oxford)
Michigan State University
Middlebury College
Millersville University of Pennsylvania
Misericordia University
Monmouth University
Montana State University
Montclair State University
Moravian University
Mount St Mary's University
Muhlenberg College
Neumann University
New York University
North Carolina A & T State University
North Carolina State University
Northeastern University
Northwestern University
Nova Southeastern University
Oberlin College
Old Dominion University
Pace University (New York City)
Palm Beach Atlantic University
Penn State University (Altoona)
Penn State University (Berks)
Penn State University (Brandywine)
Penn State University (Harrisburg)
Penn State University (University Park)
Pepperdine University
Philadelphia University
Pratt Institute
Princeton University
Providence College
Purdue University (Main Campus)
Purdue University Northwest
Quinnipiac University
Regis University
Rhode Island School of Design
Rice University
Rochester Institute of Technology
Rockhurst University
Roger Williams University
Rollins College
Rosemont College
Rowan University
Royal Holloway, University of London
Rutgers University (Camden)
Rutgers University (New Brunswick)
Sacred Heart University
Saint Francis University
Saint John Fisher University
Saint Joseph's University
Saint Leo University
Saint Louis University
Saint Peter's University
Salve Regina University
San Diego State University
Savannah College of Art and Design
School of Visual Arts
Seton Hall University
Sewanee: The University of the South
Shippensburg University of Pennsylvania
Slippery Rock University of Pennsylvania
Southern Methodist University
Spelman College
Spring Hill College
St Mary's College of Maryland
St. John's University
Stetson University
Stevens Institute of Technology
Stony Brook University
Susquehanna University
Swarthmore College
Syracuse University
Temple University
Texas Christian University
The Ohio State University
The University of Alabama
The University of Montana
The University of Tampa
The University of Tennessee (Chattanooga)
The University of Tennessee (Knoxville)
The University of Texas at Austin
Thomas Aquinas College
Thomas Jefferson University
Towson University
Trinity College
Tufts University
Tulane University of Louisiana
Tuskegee University
United States Air Force Academy
University of Arizona
University of Arkansas
University of British Columbia
University of California (Berkeley)
University of California (Davis)
University of California (Irvine)
University of California (Los Angeles)
University of California (Merced)
University of California (Riverside)
University of California (San Diego)
University of California (Santa Barbara)
University of California (Santa Cruz)
University of Central Florida
University of Chicago
University of Cincinnati (Main Campus)
University of Colorado (Colorado Springs)
University of Colorado Boulder
University of Connecticut
University of Dayton
University of Delaware
University of Denver
University of Florida
University of Georgia
University of Hartford
University of Hawaii at Manoa
University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign
University of Iowa
University of Kentucky
University of Lynchburg
University of Maryland (Baltimore County)
University of Maryland (College Park)
University of Massachusetts (Amherst)
University of Massachusetts (Boston)
University of Miami
University of Michigan
University of Mississippi
University of Missouri (Columbia)
University of Nevada (Las Vegas)
University of New England
University of New Hampshire (Main Campus)
University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill
University of North Carolina Wilmington
University of Notre Dame
University of Oklahoma
University of Oregon
University of Pennsylvania
University of Pittsburgh (Bradford)
University of Pittsburgh (Greensburg)
University of Pittsburgh (Johnstown)
University of Pittsburgh (Pittsburgh)
University of Rhode Island
University of Richmond
University of Rochester
University of San Diego
University of San Francisco
University of Scranton
University of South Carolina
University of South Florida (Main Campus)
University of Southern California
University of Southern Maine
University of St. Andrews
University of Toronto
University of Utah
University of Vermont
University of Virginia (Main Campus)
University of Washington (Seattle Campus)
University of Wisconsin (Madison)
Ursinus College
Vanderbilt University
Vassar College
Villanova University
Virginia Polytechnic Institute and State University
Wake Forest University
Washington University in St. Louis
Wesleyan University
West Chester University of Pennsylvania
West Virginia University
Western Carolina University
Widener University
William & Mary
Xavier University
Yale University
York College of Pennsylvania