



ST ANDREW'S SCHOOLS

THE PRIORY ♦ THE PREP ♦ THE PRESCHOOL

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Enrollment

Preschool - Grade 12: 366 girls and boys
Grades 9 - 12: 51 girls

The Priory

Class of 2022: 17
Class of 2023: 12
Class of 2024: 8
Class of 2025: 12

The Priory | The Prep

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PROFILE 2024-25



St. Andrew's Schools, an independent college preparatory day school in downtown Honolulu, was founded in 1867 by Queen Emma Kaleleonālanī. Grounded firmly in our Hawaiian and Episcopal heritage, St. Andrew's Schools fosters broad-minded awareness in every arena with a personalized curriculum that brings out the best in each student and empowers them to Kūlia i ka Nu'u – Strive for the Highest.

A transformational thinker and leader, Queen Emma dedicated herself to serving the health, educational, and spiritual needs of her people. Known and loved for her humanitarian efforts throughout the islands, Queen Emma recognized the need for young girls to have access to a high-quality education and in 1867, founded the St. Andrew's Priory School for Girls. Since the founding of The Priory (K-12 girls), St. Andrew's has grown to include a boys school (The Prep, K-6 boys), and a preschool (The Preschool, girls and boys ages 2-5). Our students honor Queen Emma by perpetuating her legacy of leadership and compassion with an ethic of excellence.

We offer Hawai'i's only coordinate K-6 educational program, tailored to meet the developmental needs of boys and girls, free of stereotypes and social pressures. Our all girls upper school delivers a premier college preparatory program that celebrates the unique strengths and talents of girls and provides them with a rich, project-based, and highly participatory curriculum.

We nurture the growth of each student in a challenging yet supportive environment that celebrates friendship, connection, and scholarship. We cultivate their unique talents so they become the best versions of themselves and live a life of purpose.

Accreditation

St. Andrew's Schools is fully accredited by the Western Association of Schools and Colleges (WASC) and the Hawai'i Association of Independent Schools (HAIS). St. Andrew's Schools is also a member of the following associations: National Association of Independent Schools (NAIS), National Association for the Education of Young Children (NAEYC), National Association of Episcopal Schools (NAES), International Coalition of Girls Schools (ICGS), American Camp Association, The Enrollment Management Association (EMA), and the College Board. St. Andrew's Schools is a member of the National Association of College Admission Counseling (NACAC) and complies with the NACAC "Code of Ethics and Professional Practices."

Academic Program Highlights

Global Leadership Program and Distinction in Global Leadership

Through our Global Leadership Program students engage in the world around them by actively investigating global issues that affect humanity. As a result they commit to using their knowledge and skills to take action to create a world that is humane and just.

Global Leadership Learning Outcomes include such competencies as investigating the world; recognizing, articulating, and explaining multiple perspectives; and taking action through networking, collaboration, negotiation, and/or compromise.

Students may earn a Distinction in Global Leadership by fulfilling the general requirements for graduation plus the following:

- Four years of any World Language (or level V/AP);
- At least two years in a service-oriented club, class or student government position;
- Enroll in a self-selected suite of courses among these offerings - Global Girls-Global Action, Model UN and Global Affairs, World Cultures and Religions, Practical Theology, Controversies, Philosophy, AP Environmental Science, AP US Government and Politics, and Design Thinking;
- Completion of the Priory in the City Senior Internship project and an Independent Inquiry project aligned to the Global Leadership Learning Outcomes (GLLOs);
- Exhibitions of learning aligned to GLLOs at annual Academic and Exhibition Fairs.

Priory in the City Program: “Downtown Honolulu Is The New Classroom”

The Priory is footsteps from the seat of government, businesses, nonprofit organizations, arts and cultural centers and healthcare systems. Our Priory in the City Program leverages the school’s downtown Honolulu location to position the next generation of women leaders through networking, mentoring, and internships in the heart of the city. Priory in the City sophomores visit a variety of workplaces, hear from guest speakers, learn from professionals, and begin to consider their career interests. Priory in the City juniors undergo a series of assessments to better understand their strengths and connect their abilities with potential professions and college paths. Priory in the City seniors receive a personally tailored workplace learning experience suited to their interests, talents, and aspirations, with a workplace mentor and a school-based life and career coach. The Priory in the City program provides authentic workplace experience as a tiered extension of the classroom, enabling students to build community relationships, learn from mentors, explore careers, and become better prepared for the challenges and opportunities that await them in college and throughout life.

Science Technology Engineering Art Math (STEAM) Curriculum

St. Andrew’s Schools’ STEAM:Ed Up! program integrates science, technology, engineering, art, and math to challenge students to solve interesting problems and engage in devising solutions to real-life issues in creative and innovative ways. Students use design thinking, engineering design process (EDP), and the scientific method to frame questions, ideate, design, build and test solutions. Students reflect on their progress and use an iterative learning approach to improve their work and build their meta-cognitive skills. Typically, more than half of our graduates choose to major in a STEM field in college.

Independent Inquiry

Independent Inquiry allows students to pursue a sustained line of inquiry on a topic of interest with the guidance of a faculty mentor. Students are engaged in a sustained, iterative process of inquiry, critical thinking, and problem-solving by investigating a student-generated central question. Students present their findings to a wider audience through our annual Academic and Exhibition Fairs.

Arizona State University Prep Global (ASUPG) Partnership

St. Andrew’s Schools is a collaborative partner with ASUPD to offer diverse and rigorous credit-bearing online high school (ASUPD) and collegiate courses (Arizona State University) for students in grades 9-12.

Hawai’i Pacific University Partnership

Our college advancement program allows qualified students to take collegiate classes at Hawai’i Pacific University with no additional tuition cost.

Junior Reserve Officer Training Corps (JROTC)

St. Andrew’s Schools offers this opportunity on St. Louis School’s campus through its JROTC program.

One Schoolhouse Partnership

St. Andrew’s Schools partners with One Schoolhouse to offer diverse and rigorous credit-bearing online courses to qualified students.

About Our High School

St. Andrew's Schools, The Priory

The Priory welcomes young people from all faiths and nationalities to an educational community that encourages students to discover and develop their own talents, interests, and confident voices. In a caring culture of mutual respect and understanding, students are challenged to achieve their personal best.

Through girl-centric social-emotional programs such as mindfulness and Girls Circle, our students learn how to develop their awareness and empathy to self and others, growing into ethical and moral community leaders, locally and globally. They build inner strength to be agile in an ever-changing world, persist in the face of adversity in pursuit of their goals, and serve others with kindness and compassion.

The personalized educational program allows students to uncover their unique strengths, passions, and interests through discovery, deep inquiry, practice, creation, and self-reflection in both disciplinary and interdisciplinary studies. Priory students have the opportunity to achieve a distinction in Global Leadership by completing our Global Leadership Outcomes and to accelerate their learning through our dual credit partnership program with Arizona State University and Hawai'i Pacific University. In addition, each high school student dives further into their chosen area of interest through independent research projects and participation in our innovative Priory in the City internship program. The result is confident, self-directed, productive, compassionate, ethical, civic-minded learners.

Graduation Requirements

English	4
Social Studies	3½
Mathematics	3
Science	3
World Language	3
Physical Education	2
Visual/Performing Arts	2
Priory in the City	1½
Religious Studies	1
Independent Inquiry	½
Other Courses	½

Total minimum credits required for graduation: 24.

Calendar

Two semesters of approximately equal length. Schedules are personalized to augment learning. Students will be learning remotely or face-to-face,

Honors and Advanced Placement Courses

Note: Students are advised not to take more than two Advanced Placement courses simultaneously.

English

English 9 Honors
English 10 Honors
American Literature Honors
British and World Literature Honors
AP English Literature and Composition

World Language

AP Japanese Language and Culture
AP Spanish Language and Culture

Mathematics

Algebra 1 Honors
Geometry Honors
Algebra II with Trigonometry Honors
Pre-Calculus Honors
Calculus Honors
AP Calculus AB
AP Computer Science Principals

Science

Biology Honors
Chemistry Honors
Physics Honors
AP Biology
AP Chemistry
AP Environmental Science

Social Science

AP US History
AP US Government and Politics

Visual Arts

Photography I - II Honors
Photography Portfolio Art I-III Honors
Portfolio Art I-III Honors
Studio Art I, II Honors

Grade Point Average (GPA)

The GPA is computed annually and cumulatively. Physical Education grades are included in the GPA. GPA is based on a traditional 4.0 scale (A = 4.000, A- = 3.667, B+ = 3.333, B = 3.000, B- = 2.667, C+ = 2.333, C = 2.000, C- = 1.667, D+ = 1.333, D = 1.000, D- = .667, F = 0). Advanced Placement, Arizona State University, and Hawai'i Pacific University course are given an additional point value and are weighted on a 5.0 scale. For example, a "B" counts as an "A" and a "C" counts as a "B." Grades lower than a "C" are not weighted.

Standardized Testing Results

Class of 2024

Mean Total Score: 1070

	Evidence-Based Reading and Writing	Math
Mean:	555	513
% of students who scored 600 and higher:	33%	17%

Advanced Placement (AP) Test Results

Class of 2024

# of test taking students:	7
Total # of tests:	20
Mean score:	2.6
% of students with scores >3:	43%



THE PRIORY

The Classes of 2019-2024 College Acceptances

100% of the Class of 2024 were accepted to a four-year college or university. The eight women of the Class of 2024 are attending seven different colleges and universities. The following is a select list of college acceptances over the past six years.

American University
Arizona State University
Barnard College
Baylor University
Boston College
Boston University
Brandeis University
Brigham Young University, Provo
California College of the Arts
California State Maritime Academy
California State Polytechnic University
Catholic University of America
Chaminade University
Chapman University
Claremont McKenna College
Colorado State University, Fort Collins
Connecticut College
Cornell University
Creighton University
DePaul University
DigiPen Institute of Technology
Doshisha University (Japan)
Drexel University
Embry-Riddle Aeronautical University
Florida Institute of Technology
Fordham University
Franklin & Marshall College
George Mason University
George Washington University
Georgetown University
Georgia Institute of Technology
Gettysburg College
Gonzaga University
Grand Canyon University
Grinnell College
Hawai'i Pacific University
Hofstra University
Illinois Institute of Technology
International Christian University (Japan)
Ithaca College
Keio University (Japan)
Lewis & Clark College
Linfield College
Loyola Marymount University
Loyola University, Chicago
Loyola University, New Orleans
Manhattanville College
Marist College
Michigan State University
Middlebury College
Monash University (Australia)
New York Conservatory for Dramatic Arts
New York University
Northwestern University
Occidental College
Ohio Wesleyan University
Oregon Institute of Technology
Oregon State University
Otis College of Art & Design
Pace University
Pacific Lutheran University
Pacific University
Pennsylvania State University
Pomona College
Portland State University
Purdue University
Reed College
Rikkyo University (Japan)
Ritsumeiken University (Japan)
Rochester Institute of Technology
Rutgers University, New Brunswick
Saint Mary's College of California
San Diego State University
San Francisco State University
Santa Clara University
Sarah Lawrence College
Savannah College of Art and Design
School of the Art Institute of Chicago
Scripps College
Seattle Pacific University
Seattle University
Smith College
Sophia University (Japan)
Southern Oregon University
Southwestern University
Swarthmore College
Syracuse University
Temple University (Japan)
Texas Christian University
The New School
The University of Alabama
U.S. Air Force
U.S. Coast Guard Academy
U.S. Military Academy
University of Arizona
University of British Columbia (Canada)
University of California, Berkeley
University of California, Davis
University of California, Irvine
University of California, Los Angeles
University of California, San Diego
University of California, Santa Barbara
University of California, Santa Cruz
University of Colorado, Boulder
University of Denver
University of Hawai'i at Hilo
University of Hawai'i at Mānoa
University of Hawai'i at West O'ahu
University of Illinois, Urbana-Champaign
University of Massachusetts
University of Melbourne (Australia)
University of Miami
University of Michigan
University of Minnesota
University of Mississippi
University of Nevada, Las Vegas
University of Nevada, Reno
University of New Mexico
University of Northern Colorado
University of Oregon
University of the Pacific
University of Pittsburgh
University of Portland
University of Puget Sound
University of Redlands
University of Rochester
University of San Diego
University of San Francisco
University of South Dakota
University of Southern California
University of Toronto (Canada)
University of Utah
University of Vermont
University of Victoria (Canada)
University of Washington
Utah State University
Villanova University
Virginia Polytechnic and State University
Waseda University (Japan)
Washington State University
Washington University in St. Louis
Western Washington University
Whitman College
Whittier College