JESUIT HIGH SCHOOL PROFILE 2025-2026

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MISSION STATEMENT

Jesuit High School,
in its mission as a Catholic, Jesuit, college preparatory school, labors to form men engaged in the world who are dedicated to serving God by being open to growth, intellectually competent, religious, loving, and just.

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SCHOOL COMMUNITY

Established in 1899, Jesuit High School of Tampa is a college preparatory school for male students in grades 9-12. Enrollment is limited to approximately 860 students, all of whom commute to Jesuit from throughout a four-county area of greater Tampa Bay. This year, the student body is comprised of 34% students of color, and almost 30% of our students benefit from $2.5 million in financial aid.

SELECTIVE ADMISSION

Applicants to Jesuit High School endure a highly competitive admissions process. Very few transfer students are accepted, in the interest of cultivating a cohesive four-year experience of formation for our students.

JESUIT FAITH TRADITION

As the Jesuit axiom Ad Majorem Dei Gloriam ("For the Greater Glory of God") indicates, our Catholic faith governs every aspect of a student's formation at Jesuit High School. As such, each Jesuit student is required to study four full years of intensive academic Theology: Introduction to Catholicism, Sacred Scripture, Christian Morality, and Theological Disputations & Christian Discipleship. Additionally, students must make one retreat per academic year.

STUDENT LIFE AT JESUIT

Jesuit students benefit from a vibrant campus life outside the classroom with access to over 40 dynamic student-led organizations. Athletes compete on 12 varsity sports teams that have won 30 State Championships, or cheer on their brothers as members of the Blue Tide student supporters.

Faith: Retreats are planned and led by student members of Peer Ministry who provide their peers guidance for essential personal growth. Altar Servers assist extensively during regular school Mass. Members of the selective Agmen Christi are invited based on qualities of servant leadership, and engage in rigorous weekly formation seminars while also fulfilling extra service expectations under the leadership of the school's President.

Service: Members of Pro-Life Club, Key Club, Students Against Destructive Decisions (SADD), and the Environmental Club are among the many Jesuit clubs that work to serve both the school and the local community through their focus on specific issues related to their respective causes.

Academic Interest and Pre-Professional: Students explore their intellectual passions more deeply through organizations such as the Academic Quiz Bowl, Book Club, Engineering Club, Model United Nations, Mu Alpha Theta (Math), National Honor Society, Robotics, Speech & Debate, and The Company (Business Club).

Performing and Fine Arts: Students engaged in the arts find additional opportunities to pursue their crafts through the Masque drama club, the Jesuit Tiger News Network, The Tiger Newspaper, The Lyre literary magazine, Pep Band, Chamber Orchestra, Chorus, Guitar Ensemble, Don't Feed the Artists art club, and The Tiger Yearbook.

ACCREDITATION RECOGNITION

Jesuit High School is accredited with distinction by Cognia. In its most recent accrediting review, Jesuit earned Cognia's highest honor, ***School of Distinction***. Fewer than 5% of schools worldwide that are accredited by Cognia earn School of Distinction recognition.

In its assessment, Cognia determined that Jesuit's Board of Trustees, administration, and faculty are committed to continuous improvement that yields high levels of engagement regarding the school's purpose, leading to student success academically and personally. These efforts ensure a rigorous curriculum supported by educational resources that surpass the expectations of the 21st-Century learner.

MEMBERSHIPS

Jesuit is a member of the National Catholic Educational Association, the Jesuit Schools Network, the Florida High School Athletic Association, the National Association of College Admission Counseling, the Southern Association of College Admission Counseling, and the Bay Area Association of Independent Schools.

GRADING AND CLASS RANK

Each student transcript at Jesuit High School provides a cumulative weighted GPA. The weighted GPA calculation adds 0.5 to each Honors course, and adds 1.0 to each AP course, provided the semester grade is C or higher. Final semester grades are in the form of a full letter grade, with no +/- added.

Grades are awarded using the following grading system:

Grade	Scale	Quality Points
A	90-100	4.0
B	80-89	3.0
C	70-79	2.0
D	60-69	1.0

Jesuit High School does not rank students, nor is a GPA distribution provided. At graduation each year, a valedictorian and salutatorian are recognized for the sole purpose of honoring academic achievement.

HONORS AND AP COURSES

AP and Honors course placement for each student is made by Jesuit High School after teacher recommendation and consultation with their counselors. Students may self-advocate to be placed into a class at the next-highest level of rigor if they seek a more challenging experience than their initial placement provides, but not all such requests are granted. All students enrolled in an AP class are required to take the corresponding AP exam.

In the Jesuit spirit of cura personalis, or "care for the whole person," students work with their counselors to evaluate their entire schedule beyond just their classes, including extracurricular activities, jobs, family responsibilities, and/or service commitments. Students may be encouraged to adjust the number of AP courses based on the evaluation of the entire schedule and recommendations. Jesuit encourages students to seek challenges and also educates them to recognize that a well-rounded, balanced, and a sustainable schedule is necessary for deep mastery of academic material and long-term success.

Please note: only one AP course is available to eligible freshmen (Human Geography).

For the 2025-26 school year, there are 28 Advanced Placement courses offered:

- Biology
- Calculus AB Calculus BC
- Chemistry
- Comparative Government & Politics
- Computer Science - AVLI
- Computer Science Principles
- English Language & Composition
- English Literature & Composition
- Environmental Science
- European History
- Human Geography
- Microeconomics
- Music Theory
- Physics 1
- Physics C - Mechanics
- Precalculus
- Psychology
- Research
- Seminar
- Spanish Language & Culture
- Spanish Literature & Culture
- Statistics
- Studio Art: 2-D Design
- Studio Art: Drawing
- U.S. Government & Politics
- U.S. History
- World History

For the Class of 2026, there are 2 Post-Advanced Placement course offered:

- Advanced College Latin
- Multivariable Calculus

For the 2025-26 school year, there are 42 Honors courses offered:

- Advanced Practicum in Student Publications
- Algebra I
- Algebra II w/ Trigonometry
- Anatomy & Physiology
- Biology
- Calculus
- Catholicism and Culture
- Chemistry
- College Algebra
- Creative Writing
- Economics
- English I, II, III, IV
- Financial Accounting
- French I
- Geometry
- Geometry/Algebra II
- Introduction to Immunology
- Latin I, II, III
- Marine Science
- Modern World History
- Music (Third-Year Elective)
- Physics
- PLTW: Intro to Engineering Design
- PLTW: Principles of Engineering
- Precalculus
- Print & Digital Media II
- Psychology
- Reading Greek
- Spanish I, II, III, IV
- Stage Craft and Design
- Statistics
- Studio Art II
- U.S. Government & Politics
- U.S. History

ENROLLMENT STATISTICS FOR THE CLASS OF 2025

There were 189 students in the Class of 2025, all of whom were accepted to a combined total of 163 unique colleges and universities across the country and abroad, and will be enrolled at 61 institutions for Fall 2025.

GRADUATION REQUIREMENTS

Service requirement: Community service minimum requirements are as follows. Many students exceed these minimums:

9th grade: 10 hours
10th grade: 20 hours
11th grade: 40 hours
12th grade: 80 hours

Each student must complete the following requirements in order to earn a Jesuit diploma. A unit of 0.5 credits corresponds to one semester's study in any given subject.

English ..... 4.0 credits
Mathematics ..... 4.0 credits
Theology ..... 4.0 credits
Social Studies ..... 4.0 credits
Foreign Language ..... 3.0 credits
Lab Science ..... 3.0 credits
Electives (Senior Year) ..... 2.0 credits
P.E. and Health ..... 1.0 credits
Speech; Art or Music ..... 1.0 credits
Computer Science ..... 0.5 credits
Community Service ..... 0.5 credits

Total ..... 27 credits

ADVANCED PLACEMENT

	2021	2022	2023	2024	2025
Students enrolled	449	475	451	494	518
Exams administered	1090	1169	1169	1207	1246
AP courses offered	27	28	28	29	29
Pass rate	78.5%	78.6%	84.1%	90.1%	88.4%

**All students in every AP class are required to sit for the AP exam.*

AP AWARDS 2025	
AP Scholars with Distinction	127
AP Scholars with Honor	53
AP Scholars	82
AP Capstone Diploma Recipients	4

STANDARDIZED TEST SCORES FOR THE CLASS OF 2025

SAT: Mean and Middle 50% (168 students)		
EBRW	646	590 - 705
Math	634	560 - 705
Total	1281	1140 - 1415

ACT: Mean and Middle 50% (105 students)		
English	27.7	24 - 33
Math	27.1	24 - 30
Reading	28.4	24 - 33
Science	26.8	24 - 30
Composite	27.2	24 - 31

2025 NATIONAL MERIT RECOGNITION

9 National Merit Finalists

14 National Merit Commended Scholars

In the last five years, 41 students have achieved National Merit Semifinalist distinction and 66 have achieved National Merit Commended Scholar distinction. **Students are only counted once per category.*

COLLEGE AND UNIVERSITY ACCEPTANCES: CLASSES OF 2021 – 2025 (INCLUSIVE)

Acadia University
Adrian College
AdventHealth University
Albany State University
Albion College
Alfred University
Allegheny College
Alma College
American University - District of Columbia
Appalachian State University
Aquinas College
Arizona State University
Arkansas State University
Assumption University
Auburn University
Austin Peay State University
Ave Maria University
Babson College
Bard College
Barry University
Baylor University
Bellarmine University
Belmont Abbey College
Belmont University
Benedictine College
Bentley University
Berklee College of Music
Berry College
Bethune-Cookman University
Boston College - Massachusetts
Boston University
Bradley University
Brandeis University
Brown University
Bucknell University
Butler University
Campbell University
Carleton College
Carson-Newman University
Case Western Reserve University
Charleston Southern University
Citadel Military College of South Carolina
Clark Atlanta University
Clark University
Clemson University
Coastal Carolina University
Coe College
Colgate University
College of Central Florida
College of Charleston
College of the Holy Cross
Colorado College
Colorado School of Mines
Colorado State University
Columbia University
Concord University
Concordia College at Moorhead
Concordia University
Concordia University-Wisconsin
Connecticut College
Cornell College
Cornell University
Creighton University
Davidson College
DePaul University
Dean College
Delta State University - Mississippi
Doon University
Drake University
Drew University
Drexel University
Duke University
Duquesne University
East Carolina University
East Tennessee State University
Eastern Michigan University
Eastern Nazarene College
Eastern University - Pennsylvania
Eastern Washington University
Eckerd College
Edward Waters College
Elmhurst University
Elon University
Embry-Riddle Aeronautical University
Emerson College
Emory University
Fairfield University
Fairleigh Dickinson University
Ferrum College
Flagler College
Florida Agricultural and Mechanical University
Florida Atlantic University
Florida Gulf Coast University
Florida Institute of Technology
Florida International University
Florida Memorial University
Florida Polytechnic University
Florida Southern College
Florida State University
Fordham University
Fork Union Military Academy
Franciscan University of Steubenville
Franklin and Marshall College
Full Sail University
Furman University
Gardner-Webb University
George Mason University
George Washington University
Georgetown University
Georgia Institute of Technology
Georgia Southern University
Georgia State University
Gonzaga University
Gordon College - Massachusetts
Goucher College
Grambling State University
Grand View University
Greensboro College
Guilford College
Hampton University
Harding University
Harvard University
Haverford College
Hawaii Pacific University
Heidelberg University - Ohio
High Point University
Hillsborough Community College
Hillsdale College - Michigan
Hofstra University
Holy Cross College
Huntingdon College
Indiana University Indianapolis
Indiana University-Bloomington
Indiana Wesleyan University-Marion
Iona University
Iowa State University
Ithaca College
Jackson State University
Jacksonville University
James Madison University
John Carroll University
Johns Hopkins University
Johnson & Wales University-Charlotte
Kansas State University
Keiser University-Ft Lauderdale
Kent State University at Kent
Kenyon College
Keuka College
Kutztown University of Pennsylvania
LaGrange College
Lafayette College
Lake Erie College
Lake Forest College
Lake-Sumter State College
Lander University
Le Moyne College
Lenoir-Rhyne University
Lewis University
Liberty University
Limestone University
Lipscomb University
Loras College
Louisiana State University
Louisiana Tech University
Loyola University Chicago
Loyola University Maryland
Loyola University New Orleans
Lynn University
Maine Maritime Academy
Manchester University
Marquette University
Marymount University
Maryville College
McDaniel College
McGill University
McPherson College
Mercer University
Merrimack College
Metropolitan State University of Denver
Miami University-Oxford
Michigan State University
Middle Georgia State University
Middle Tennessee State University
Millsaps College
Misericordia University
Mississippi State University
Missouri University of Science and Technology
Monmouth University
Morehouse College
Mount Marty University
Mount St. Mary's University
Muhlenberg College
New College of Florida
New Jersey Institute of Technology
New York University
Norfolk State University
North Carolina Central University
North Carolina State University at Raleigh
North Dakota State University
Northeastern University
Northern Arizona University
Northwestern University
Norwich University
Nova Southeastern University
Oakland University
Oglethorpe University
Ohio Northern University
Ohio State University
Oklahoma City University
Oklahoma State University
Old Dominion University
Oral Roberts University
Oregon State University
Palm Beach Atlantic University
Pasco-Hernando State College
Pepperdine University
Pomona College
Prairie View A & M University
Pratt Institute-Main
Princeton University
Providence College
Purdue University
Queens University of Charlotte
Rensselaer Polytechnic Institute
Rhodes College
Rice University
Ringling College of Art and Design
Rochester Institute of Technology
Rollins College
Roosevelt University
Rose-Hulman Institute of Technology
Rutgers University-New Brunswick
Sacred Heart University
Saint Anselm College
Saint Johns River State College
Saint Joseph's University
Saint Leo University
Saint Louis University
Saint Michael's College
Saint Vincent College
Samford University
Santa Clara University
Santa Fe College
Savannah College of Art and Design
School of the Art Institute of Chicago
Seton Hall University
Seton Hill University
South Carolina State University
Southern Methodist University
Spring Hill College
St Bonaventure University
St Olaf College
St Petersburg College
St. John Vianney College Seminary
St. John's University
St. Thomas Aquinas College
St. Thomas University
State College of Florida
Stetson University
Stony Brook University
Syracuse University
Talladega College
Tallahassee State College
Temple University
Tennessee State University
Texas A & M University
Texas Christian University
The Catholic University of America
The Pennsylvania State University
The University of Alabama
The University of British Columbia
The University of Edinburgh
The University of Montana
The University of Tampa
The University of Tennessee-Chattanooga
The University of Tennessee-Knoxville
The University of Texas Permian Basin
The University of Texas at Austin
The University of Texas at Dallas
The University of West Florida
The University of the South
Thomas Aquinas College
Thomas More University
Trinity College
Trinity University
Troy University
Tufts University
Tulane University of Louisiana
UCL (University College London)
Union College
United States Air Force Academy
United States Coast Guard Academy
United States Military Academy
United States Naval Academy
University of Alabama at Birmingham
University of Arizona
University of Arkansas at Little Rock
University of Arkansas
University of California-Davis
University of California-Los Angeles
University of California-Santa Barbara
University of Central Florida
University of Chicago
University of Cincinnati-Main Campus
University of Colorado Boulder
University of Connecticut
University of Dallas
University of Dayton
University of Denver
University of Detroit Mercy
University of Evansville
University of Florida
University of Florida-Online
University of Georgia
University of Glasgow
University of Houston
University of Idaho
University of Illinois Chicago
University of Illinois Urbana-Champaign
University of Iowa
University of Kansas
University of Kentucky
University of Louisville
University of Mary Washington
University of Maryland-College Park
University of Massachusetts-Amherst
University of Massachusetts-Dartmouth
University of Memphis
University of Miami
University of Michigan-Ann Arbor
University of Minnesota-Twin Cities
University of Mississippi
University of Missouri-Columbia
University of Mount Olive
University of Mount Union
University of Nebraska at Omaha
University of Nebraska-Lincoln
University of New England
University of New Hampshire-Main Campus
University of New Haven
University of New South Wales
University of North Carolina at Asheville
University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill
University of North Carolina at Charlotte
University of North Carolina at Greensboro
University of North Dakota
University of North Florida
University of Northern Iowa
University of Notre Dame
University of Oklahoma-Norman Campus
University of Oregon
University of Pennsylvania
University of Pittsburgh-Pittsburgh Campus
University of Rhode Island
University of Richmond
University of Rochester
University of Scranton
University of South Carolina-Columbia
University of South Florida
University of Southern California
University of St. Thomas
University of Toledo
University of Toronto
University of Tulsa
University of Utah
University of Vermont
University of Victoria
University of Virginia
University of Washington-Seattle Campus
University of Wisconsin-La Crosse
University of Wisconsin-Madison
University of Wyoming
Ursinus College
Utica College
Valdosta State University
Valencia College
Valparaiso University
Vanderbilt University
Villanova University
Virginia Commonwealth University
Virginia Military Institute
Virginia Polytechnic Institute and State University
Wabash College
Wabash Valley College
Wake Forest University
Washington University in St Louis
Washington and Lee University
West Liberty University
West Virginia University
West Virginia Wesleyan College
Western Carolina University
Western Michigan University
Westminster University
Wheeling University
William & Mary
Wingate University
Wisconsin Lutheran College
Wittenberg University
Wofford College
Worcester Polytechnic Institute
Xavier University of Louisiana
Xavier University
Yale University
York University