

ST. THOMAS AQUINAS HIGH SCHOOL

COURSE OFFERINGS

ENGLISH

- Composition
- Composition & Literature
- English I, II, III, IV
- English Language & Composition
- English Literature & Composition
- Mass Communication: Creative Writing
- Yearbook Journalism I, II, III, IV
- General Paper AS

FINE ARTS

- Acting I, II, III, IV Honors
- Secondary Band I, II, III, IV
- Aquinas Chamber Singers I, II, III, IV
- Art: 2D and 3D
- Band Corps I, II, III, IV
- Classical Guitar I, II, III, IV
- Dance Choreography I, II, III, IV
- Dance Techniques I, II, III, IV
- Digital Photography Imaging I, II
- Film Studies I, II, III, IV
- Forensics I, II, III, IV
- Jazz Ensemble I, II, III, IV
- Marching Band I, II, III, IV
- Music Theory
- Musical Theatre I, II, III
- Percussion Ensemble I, II, III, IV
- Portfolio Development 2D & 3D
- Pottery
- Public Speaking I, II
- Art & Design: 2D, 3D, Drawing
- Technical Theatre I, II, III, IV
- Theatre Appreciation I, II, III, IV

TECHNOLOGY

- Artificial Intelligence
- Computer Graphic Arts I, II
- Computer Science
- Film Production I, II
- Graphic Design/Newspaper I, II, III

PHYSICAL EDUCATION

- Dance Fitness
- Health
- Personal Fitness

MATHEMATICS

- Algebra I
- Algebra II
- Calculus
- Calculus AB
- Calculus BC
- Calculus III
- College Algebra
- Geometry
- Math for College Readiness
- Ordinary Differential Equations
- Pre-Calculus
- Pre-Calculus: Trigonometry and Analytical Geometry
- Statistics

SCIENCE

- Anatomy and Physiology
- Biology I
- Chemistry
- Criminalistics & Medical Forensics
- Ecology
- Environmental Science
- Genetics
- Independent Research I, II, III, IV
- Marine Biology
- Physics
- Physics I
- Physics C: Electricity and Magnetism
- Physics C: Mechanics
- Pre-Med I, II
- Robotics I, II, III, IV
- Zoology
- Biology AS
- Chemistry AS
- Marine Biology AS

AP CAPSTONE DIPLOMA

- Seminar
- Research

CAREER ELECTIVES

- Emergency Medical Technician (EMT)
- Introduction to Business

SOCIAL SCIENCE

- American Government
- American History
- Comparative Government and Politics
- Economics
- Human Geography
- Leadership 9, 10, 11, 12
- Macroeconomics
- Pre-Law I, II
- Psychology
- U.S. Government and Politics
- United States History
- World Cultural Geography
- World History
- International History AS

THEOLOGY

- Ethics
- Ethics Ministry
- Global Studies I, II
- Multicultural Studies
- Multicultural Studies Ministry
- Philosophy I, II
- Philosophy II Ministry
- Sociology
- World Religions
- World Religions Ministry

WORLD LANGUAGES

- French I, II, III
- French Language & Culture
- Italian I, II, III
- Spanish I, II, III, IV
- Spanish for Speakers I, II, III
- Spanish Language & Culture
- Spanish Literature & Culture

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| <input type="checkbox"/> | Honors Courses |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | Advanced Placement Courses |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | Dual Enrollment Courses |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | Cambridge / AICE Courses |

STA offers 29 AP courses, 20 Dual Enrollment courses, and 5 AICE courses.

All students enrolled in Advanced Placement courses must take Advanced Placement exams.*
Cambridge courses are available beginning with the Class of 2028.



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CLASS OF 2025 BY THE NUMBERS

Total Enrollment: 525 Students
 Scholarships Earned: \$64 Million Dollars
 855 Students sat for 2,273 Advanced Placement Exams

Scholars with Distinction- 118
 Scholars with Honors- 62
 Scholars- 171
 AP Capstone Diploma- 14
 AP Seminar and Research Certificates- 2

NATIONAL HONORS

National Merit Finalists: 14
 National Merit Semifinalists: 16
 National Merit Commended: 15

SILVER KNIGHTS

WINNERS
 Athletics, Music & Dance, Science

HONORABLE MENTION

Art, English, Mathematics, Speech & Debate, Digital & Interactive Media

GRADUATION ACADEMIC HONORS

At the end of the third marking period of the senior year, the students with the highest GPA and the next highest GPA are respectively named valedictorian and salutatorian. The following criteria will determine these awards:

- Completion of all credit requirements
- For the Class of 2026 and 2027, middle school courses with appropriate FLDOE course numbers count toward GPA
- For the Class of 2028 and later, middle school courses with appropriate FLDOE course numbers will appear on the transcript but will not count toward GPA
- Enrichment courses, Early Bird courses, and administratively approved Cava Virtual courses

The distinction of Summa cum Laude will be bestowed on students with a weighted GPA of 5.0 or higher, at the end of the third quarter grading period of the Senior year (7.5 semesters). GPA includes all courses taken at STA, Cava Virtual School, and FLVS. For students in the Class of 2026 and 2027, middle school courses with appropriate FLDOE numbers count toward GPA. For the Class of 2028 and after middle school courses with appropriate FLDOE numbers will appear on the STA transcript but will not factor into the STA GPA.

GPA SCALE

A=90-100 B=80-89 C=70-79 D=60-69
 St. Thomas Aquinas High School does not rank students.

GRADUATION REQUIREMENTS

Minimum Requirements for Graduation 24.5 credits
 (for students at STA for 4 years):

English 4 Credits	Science 3 Credits	Fitness .5 Credits	Fine Arts 1 Credit
Social Studies 3 Credits	Math 4 Credits	Theology 4 Credits	World Language 2 Credits
Health .5 Credits	Elective 2 Credits	Online Course .5 Credits	Service Hours 100 Hours

A list of the school's entire curriculum is available at: www.aquinas-sta.org

SAT TESTING PROFILE

The Class of 2025 achieved the following mean SAT scores as reflected by the highest attained score of each student.

English 595	Math 570	Composite 1165
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National Averages: English 532 • Math 511 • Composite 1043

ACT TESTING PROFILE

The Class of 2025 achieved the following mean ACT scores as reflected by the highest attained score of each student.

English 23.3	Science 20.7	Math 21.2	Reading 22.2	Composite 21.6
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National Averages: English 20 • Science 21 • Math 20.5 • Reading 21 • Composite 19.4

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