



ASSUMPTION HIGH SCHOOL

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American School
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(ASCA) Model Program

A United States
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1955
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School Profile 2025-2026

Assumption High School is a **college preparatory school** for young women in grades 9-12. We are located southeast of downtown Louisville, a mid-sized metropolitan city. Assumption was named a **2022 School of Distinction for excellence in education by Cognia**, the global nonprofit school improvement organization, who serves as our accrediting agency. In 2024, Assumption was awarded **Best Catholic High School in Kentucky by Niche**.

Our mission and values are the foundation of our identity as a Catholic school and guide our decisions and actions as an institution. We are the community of Assumption where **faith guides, compassion inspires, integrity matters, and excellence empowers**.

930	10:1 Student to Teacher Ratio	Average Class Size	16 Athletic Programs
Total Enrollment	65 Clubs & Organizations	18	120+ Courses Offered

Curriculum is designed to meet the abilities, talents, aptitudes, and interests of all students. Students follow an alternating eight-block schedule with four 80-minute classes each day. For core academic subjects (math, English, science, social studies, world language), students are initially grouped according to ability based on placement test scores and eighth-grade teachers' recommendations. Varying **academic levels** are available to students to allow for an individual course of studies.

Advanced Placement (AP): College Board-approved course; students prepare to take AP exams.

Dual Credit (DC): College-level course; credit may be earned through Jefferson Community & Technical College, Western Kentucky University, or University of Louisville.

Advanced (ADV): The most advanced high school level course available to students; accelerated college preparatory course which requires students to independently analyze and synthesize curriculum.

Honors 1 (H1): College preparatory course requiring in-depth consideration of concepts, independent study, analysis, and research; material is presented at an accelerated rate.

Honors (H): College preparatory course based on standard high school curriculum which requires in-depth consideration of concepts, independent study, and research.

Academic (A): College preparatory course for freshman and sophomore students requiring greater emphasis on basic skills.

Students must earn **28.25 credits to graduate**. The normal yearly course load is seven credits, although students may earn eight credits with special permission.

Theology	4 credits	Health & P.E.	1 credit
English	4 credits	Fine Arts	1 credit
Mathematics	4 credits	Public Speaking	.5 credit
Science (lab)	3 credits	Electives	5.5 credits
Social Studies	3 credits	Applied Digital Skills	.25 credit
World Language	2 credits	TOTAL CREDITS	28.25 credits

Advanced Placement (AP) Courses

Art History
Biology
Calculus AB
Calculus BC
Chemistry
Computer Science A
Computer Science
Principles
English Language
English Literature
Environmental Science
French Language
Government & Politics
Human Geography
Music Theory
Physics
Psychology
Research
Seminar
Spanish Language
Statistics
Studio Art: 3-D Design
Studio Art: 2-D Design
Studio Art: Drawing
U.S. History
World History

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Advanced
Placement &
Dual Credit
**COURSES
OFFERED**

Grade-Point Average/Grade Scale

	Grade Scale	GPA
A+	98-100	4.00
A	94-97	4.00
A-	90-93	4.00
B+	88-89	3.67
B	85-87	3.33
B-	83-84	3.00
C+	81-82	2.67
C	78-80	2.33
C-	76-77	2.00
D+	74-75	1.67
D	72-73	1.33
D-	70-71	1.00
F	below 70	0.00

Weighted Grade-Point Average

	AP/Dual Credit (DC)	Advanced (ADV)	College Prep (H1, H, AC)
A	5.0	4.5	4.0
B	4.0	3.5	3.0
C	3.0	2.5	2.0
D	2.0	1.5	1.0
F	1.0	0.5	0.00

*Assumption reports an unweighted and a **weighted GPA** on the transcript according to these scales. A weighted GPA is not to be used for any other purposes including honor roll, principal's list, National Honor Society, etc.

Assumption offers the prestigious **AP Capstone Diploma Program** comprised of two yearlong AP courses: **AP Seminar and AP Research**. AP Capstone complements and enhances the discipline-specific study in other AP courses while providing unique research opportunities. The AP Capstone Program expands access to AP courses by encouraging students to master argument-based writing skills.

Students who earn a score of 3 or above in both of the AP Capstone courses and on four additional AP exams of their choosing will earn the **AP Capstone Diploma**.

CLASS OF 2025 ACHIEVEMENTS

- **204** Graduates
- **Nearly \$31 Million** in Scholarships Earned
- **4,193** College Credits Earned by **95%** of the Class.
- **25,973** Community Service Hours Provided Over Four Years
- **1** National Merit Program Finalist
- **17** AP Capstone Diploma Candidates
- **3** AP Capstone Certificate Candidates
- **39** Advanced Placement Scholars
- **20** National AP Scholars, **7** with Honors, **12** with Distinction
- **12** Kentucky Governor's Scholars
- **5** Kentucky Governor's School for the Arts Alumnae
- **6** Kentucky Regional Scholastic Art Award Winners
- **14** Published Writers
- **41** President's Education Award Recipients
- **22** Committed College Athletes
- **1** Girl Scout Gold Award Recipient

The **Class of 2025** was accepted to **140** different colleges in **34** states, the District of Columbia, and two foreign countries.