



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 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 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 2026 (104 graduates) attended [49 colleges in 19 states, Washington, D.C., Canada, and the United Kingdom](#), and earned \$29+ million in college scholarships. Additional information is available at www.vmahs.org/counseling or counseling@vmahs.org.

2023-2026 College Admissions and Enrollment

Enrollment by one or more Villa Maria graduates is shown in bold. Data provided by VMA College Counseling 8/2026.

Albright College
Alma College
Alvernia University
American University
Arcadia University
Arizona State University
Assumption University
Auburn University
Ave Maria University
Barry University
Baylor University
Belmont Abbey College
Belmont University
Benedictine College
Boston College
Boston University
Bowie State University
Bucknell University
Cabrini University (CLOSED)
California State University (Long Beach)
Case Western Reserve University
Champlain College
Charleston Southern University
Chatham University
Christopher Newport University
Clemson University
Coastal Carolina University
Colby College
Colgate University
College of Charleston
College of the Holy Cross
Colorado College
Commonwealth University (Bloomsburg)
Dartmouth College
Davidson College

Delaware Valley University
DePaul University
DeSales University
Dickinson College
Dominican University (New York)
Drew University
Drexel University
Duquesne University
East Carolina University
Eastern University
Eckerd College
Elizabethtown College
Elmira College
Elon University
Emory University
Fairfield University
Flagler College
Florida Atlantic University
Florida Gulf Coast University
Florida Institute of Technology
Florida International University
Florida Southern College
Florida State University
Fordham University
Franciscan University of Steubenville
Franklin and Marshall College
Furman University
George Mason University
George Washington University
Georgetown University
Georgia Southern University
Georgia State University
Gettysburg College
Goucher College
Grinnell College

Gwynedd Mercy University
Hampton University
Hawai'i Pacific University
High Point University
Hobart and William Smith Colleges
Hofstra University
Holy Cross College
Holy Family University
Howard University
Immaculata University
Indiana University (Bloomington)
Indiana University of Pennsylvania
Ithaca College
Jacksonville University
James Madison University
Kean University
Keene State College
Kent State University
Kettering University
Keuka College
King's College
Kutztown University
La Salle University
Lafayette College
Lehigh University
Liberty University
Louisiana State University
Loyola Marymount University
Loyola University Chicago
Loyola University Maryland
Lycoming College
Manhattan University
Marist University
Marquette University
Maryland Institute College of Art

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Marywood University
Massachusetts College of Art and Design
McGill University
Mercyhurst University
Merrimack College
Miami Dade College
Miami University
Michigan State University
Millersville University
Mississippi State University
Monmouth University
Montana State University
Montclair State University
Moravian University
Morgan State University
Mount St. Mary's University
Muhlenberg College
Nazareth University
Neumann University
New England College
North Carolina State University
Northeastern University
Northeastern University (New York City)
Northwestern University
Nova Southeastern University
Oklahoma State University
Old Dominion University
Pace University (New York City)
Palm Beach Atlantic University
Penn State University
Penn State University (Altoona)
Penn State University (Berks)
Penn State University (Brandywine)
Penn State University (Harrisburg)
Pepperdine University
Point Park University
Pratt Institute
Princeton University
Providence College
Purdue University
Queen's University
Quinnipiac University
Rensselaer Polytechnic Institute
Rice University
Rider University
Roanoke College
Robert Morris University
Rochester Institute of Technology
Roger Williams University
Rollins College
Roosevelt University
Rosemont College (Closing)
Rowan University
Royal Holloway, University of London
Rutgers University
Rutgers University (Camden)
Rutgers University (Newark)
Sacred Heart University
Saint Anselm College
Saint Francis University

Saint Joseph's University
Saint Leo University
Saint Louis University
Salve Regina University
San Diego State University
Savannah College of Art and Design
School of Visual Arts
Seton Hall University
Shenandoah University
Shippensburg University
Siena University
Slippery Rock University
Southern Methodist University
Spelman College
St. John's University (New York)
St. Mary's College of Maryland
Stetson University
Stevens Institute of Technology
Stonehill College
Stony Brook University
Suffolk University
SUNY Buffalo
SUNY Fashion Institute of Technology
Susquehanna University
Syracuse University
Temple University
Texas A&M University
Texas Christian University
Texas Tech University
The American University of Paris
The Catholic University of America
The Citadel
The Courtauld Institute of Art
The Ohio State University
The University of Edinburgh
Thomas Jefferson University
Towson University
Tufts University
Tulane University
Tuskegee University
University of Alabama
University of Arizona
University of California (Irvine)
University of California (San Diego)
University of California (Santa Barbara)
University of Central Florida
University of Chicago
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 Illinois (Urbana-Champaign)
University of Iowa
University of Kansas
University of Kentucky
University of Louisville

University of Lynchburg
University of Maryland
University of Maryland (Baltimore County)
University of Massachusetts (Amherst)
University of Miami
University of Michigan
University of Minnesota
University of Mississippi
University of Missouri
University of Montana
University of New England
University of New Hampshire
University of New Haven
University of North Carolina (Asheville)
University of North Carolina (Chapel Hill)
University of North Carolina (Wilmington)
University of North Florida
University of Notre Dame
University of Oklahoma
University of Pittsburgh
University of Pittsburgh (Greensburg)
University of Rhode Island
University of Rochester
University of San Diego
University of Scranton
University of South Carolina
University of South Florida
University of Southern California
University of Southern Maine
University of St Andrews
University of Tampa
University of Tennessee
University of Tennessee (Chattanooga)
University of Texas
University of the Arts (CLOSED)
University of the South
University of Toronto
University of Utah
University of Vermont
University of Virginia
University of Wisconsin
University of York
Ursinus College
Vassar College
Villanova University
Virginia Military Institute
Virginia Tech
Wake Forest University
Washington and Lee University
Washington College
West Chester University
West Virginia University
Western Carolina University
Western Connecticut State University
Widener University
William & Mary
Worcester Polytechnic Institute
Xavier University
York College of Pennsylvania