NOTRE DAME HIGH SCHOOL



School Profile: 2023-2024

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Notre Dame High School is accredited by:

WASC – Western Association of Schools and Colleges WCEA – Western Catholic Education Association

HISTORY

Notre Dame High School was founded in 1951 as the girls' division of Palma High School under the direction of the Sisters of Notre Dame de Namur. During the 1964-65 academic year, the girls division was moved to its current location as a separate all girls' institution. Notre Dame is a Catholic High School in the Diocese of Monterey, has 130 students and 23 faculty and staff members.

MISSION STATEMENT

Notre Dame is a college preparatory Catholic high school for young women who seek wisdom, develop as leaders, and model Christ in service to others.

ADMISSIONS

Notre Dame High School admits students without regard to race, creed or national origin. Applicants are considered for admissions based upon their demonstrated desire to attend NDHS; previous academic achievement; and evaluations from the current school;

LOCATION

Notre Dame High School is located in south Salinas and serves the Salinas Valley and Monterey Peninsula, South Monterey as well as Santa Cruz, San Benito and Southern Santa Clara counties.

SCHOOL ACTIVITIES

Fall Sports	Leadership Activities
Volleyball	Student Government
Field Hockey	Campus Ministry
Tennis	Ambassadors
	Athletic Management
Winter Sports	Special Interest Clubs
Basketball	Environmental Stewardship
Soccer	Asian Club
	Book Club
Spring Sports	Crochet Club
Softball	Taylor Swift Fan Club
Swimming & Diving	Spanish Tutoring Club
Track & Field	Game Night Club
Lacrosse	Community Service Club
	Baking Club
Honor Societies	Multicultural Club
CSF	
NHS	Performing/ Media Clubs
	Cinema Club
	Art Club
	Yearbook

TOTAL STUDENT ENROLLMENT: 130

ETHNICITY

Hispanic/Latino 46% Not Hispanic/Latino 54%

RACE

African American/Black
Asian
8%
Two or More Races
10%
Amer Indian/Alaska Native
Native Hawaiian/Pacific Isl
White
51%
Unknown
31%

RELIGIOUS AFFILIATION

Catholic 75% Other Religious Affiliation 25%

GRADUATION REQUIREMENTS (240 Units)

English 40 units Theology 40 units Mathematics 30 units Social Studies 30 units Science 30 units Foreign Language 20 units Visual/Performing Arts 10 units Electives 40 units

HONORS COURSES ADVANCED PLACEMENT COURSES

Algebra II (HP)
Biology (HP)
Chemistry (HP)
English I (HP)
English II (HP)
Ceometry (HP)
Calculus AB (AP)
Environmental Science (AP)
Language and Composition (AP)
Literature and Composition (AP)
US Government and Politics (AP)
Geometry (HP)
US History (AP)

Math Analysis (HP)
World History (AP)
Physics (HP)

GRADING

Statistics (HP)

Teachers use + and – symbols to indicate graduation of achievement. These symbols do not affect the GPA calculation. AP and Honors courses receive 1.0 extra grade point for grades A through C-.

Letter	Percentage	GPA	Description of Achievement
A	90% - 100%	4.0	Outstanding Achievement
В	80% - 89%	3.0	Good Achievement
C	70% - 79%	2.0	Satisfactory Achievement
D	60% - 69%	1.0	Minimum Achievement
F	Below 60%	0	Failure

RANKING

Notre Dame High School does not rank students. Admission is selective and all courses are college-preparatory in rigor. Please refer to the "GPA Distribution" graph to gain an approximate standing for each student.

GPA DISTRIBUTION – CLASS OF 2023-50 students

Cum. GPA	Weighted	Unweighted
4.0+	18	4
3.5 – 3.99	14	22
3.0 - 3.49	14	18
2.5 - 2.99	3	5
2.0 – 2.49	1	1

COLLEGE & UNIVERSITY ACCEPTANCES – CLASSES OF 2020 to 2023

Historically, 99 - 100% of Notre Dame High School graduates will matriculate to four-year academic institutions or two-year community college programs. NDHS graduates from the past four years have been accepted to the following institutions (classes of 2020-2023) matriculations are bold, asterisk symbol indicates more than one student enrolled):

Adams State University Alaska Pacific University American University

Arizona State University (Main Campus)*

Auburn University Ave Maria University Azusa Pacific University **Baylor University**

Bellarmine University Benedictine College **Biola University**

Boise State University Boston College

Boston University Bucknell University Cal Poly Humboldt*

California Lutheran University

California Polytechnic State University (San Luis

California State Polytechnic University (Pomona)

California State University (Bakersfield) California State University (Channel Islands)

California State University (Chico)*

California State University (Dominguez Hills) California State University (East Bay)

California State University (Fresno)* California State University (Fullerton)

California State University (Long Beach)* California State University (Los Angeles)

California State University (Monterey Bay)*

California State University (Northridge)

California State University (Sacramento)* California State University (San Bernardino)

California State University (San Marcos) California State University (Stanislaus)

Carroll College*

Carthage College Catholic University of America

Chaminade University of Honolulu

Chapman University Clark University Clemson University

Cleveland State University Coe College

College of Mount Saint Vincent

Colorado School of Mines

Colorado State University (Fort Collins)

Concordia University (Irvine)

Cornell College **Cornell University** Creighton University Cuesta College*

CUNY John Jay College of Criminal Justice

DeSales University

Dominican University of California

Drexel University Elmira College

Embry-Riddle Aeronautical University (Prescott)

Emerson College Emmanuel College

Fashion Institute of Design & Merchandising*

Fordham University

Franciscan University of Steubenville

Fullerton College George Mason University George Washington University

Gonzaga University Grand Canyon University* Hartnell College*

Hawai'i Pacific University

High Point University

Hiram College

Holy Names University

Hope International University **Iowa State University**

Jessup University

Johns Hopkins University

Johnson & Wales University (Charlotte)

La Sierra University

Linfield University Lipscomb University

Long Island University (Post)

Loyola Marymount University

Loyola University Chicago

Marist College

Marquette University Marywood University

Michigan State University

Minnesota State University (Mankato)

Mississippi State University

Monterey Peninsula College* **Mount Saint Mary's University**

Mount St Mary's University

Niagara University

Northeastern University **Northern Arizona University**

Notre Dame de Namur University

Oglethorpe University

Ohio University (Main Campus)

Ohio Wesleyan University

Oklahoma State University (Main Campus)

Oregon Institute of Technology

Oregon State University

Pace University (New York City)

Pacific University

Penn State University (Behrend)

Penn State University (University Park)

Pepperdine University

Point Loma Nazarene University

Portland State University

Presentation College (CLOSED)

Regis University

Rensselaer Polytechnic Institute

Rochester Institute of Technology

Rockhurst University

Roosevelt University

Saint Louis University

Saint Mary's College of California*

Saint Michael's College

San Diego Mesa College

San Diego State University

San Francisco State University San Jose State University*

Santa Barbara City College

Santa Clara University **Schreiner University**

Seattle University

Seton Hall University

Simpson College

Simpson University

Sonoma State University*

Southern Methodist University

Southwest Baptist University

Southwestern University

St. Andrews University

St. John's University Stanford University*

Syracuse University

Texas A&M University

Texas Christian University

Texas Tech University

The New School

The University of Alabama

The University of Montana

The University of Texas at Austin

The University of Texas at San Antonio

Towson University Trinity University

United States Military Academy at West Point

University of Alabama at Birmingham

University of Arizona*

University of California (Berkeley)*

University of California (Davis)*

University of California (Irvine)

University of California (Los Angeles)*

University of California (Merced)*

University of California (Riverside)

University of California (San Diego)*

University of California (Santa Barbara) University of California (Santa Cruz)*

University of Central Florida

University of Colorado Boulder

University of Colorado Denver

University of Connecticut

University of Denver

University of Georgia

University of Hawaii at Manoa

University of Idaho

University of Indianapolis

University of Mary*

University of Massachusetts (Amherst)

University of Michigan

University of Minnesota (Twin Cities)

University of Mississippi

University of Nevada (Las Vegas)

University of Nevada (Reno)

University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill

University of Northern Iowa

University of Notre Dame

University of Oregon

University of Pennsylvania

University of Portland

University of Redlands

University of San Diego* University of San Francisco*

University of Southern California

University of St Thomas

University of the Pacific

University of Utah University of Vermont

University of Washington (Seattle Campus)

University of Wyoming

Ursinus College

Valencia College

Vanderbilt University

Virginia Military Institute

Walsh University

Washington & Jefferson College

Washington State University

Weber State University

Western Washington University Westmont College

Whittier College

William & Mary