



ST. PAUL CATHOLIC HIGH SCHOOL

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2026-2027 SCHOOL PROFILE

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MISSION STATEMENT

Christ is the reason for St. Paul Catholic High School. Upon this foundation, young men and women from diverse backgrounds are challenged to be their personal best in academics, athletics, fine arts, and service to others, as they prepare for the rigors of college and lifelong learning. The St. Paul community is distinguished by the respect, care, and encouragement members give each other to achieve moments of greatness.

CORE VALUES

Faith - Knowing, believing in, and living the teachings of Jesus Christ and the Catholic Church.

Character - Living our Christian values with confidence and conviction.

Community - Fostering a sense of belonging by creating a safe and nurturing environment.

Excellence - Achieving one's personal best and contributing to the success of our community.

Service - Giving of one's self to help and support others.

THE COMMUNITY

St. Paul Catholic High School is a vibrant, faith-based, college preparatory, learning community that fosters a culture of integrity, courage, and character. Since its establishment in 1966 by the Archdiocese of Hartford, St. Paul Catholic High School has educated, nurtured, and prepared nearly 7,100 students to meet the challenges of college and their career options.

The renovated school building sits on 27 acres in northeast Bristol, CT. The facilities include classrooms with state-of-the-art equipment, library/media center; computer and science laboratories, computer-aided design lab; robotics lab, a performing arts program with an auditorium, fine arts room, music room, computer-based piano/guitar instruction lab; and television studio; gymnasium, fitness center, athletic fields; dining hall, school store, chapel, counseling and administrative offices.

FACULTY

Twenty-five full-time faculty members, the majority holding masters, sixth year, or doctoral degrees.

ACCREDITATION

New England Association of Schools and Colleges

CEEB CODE

070-082

ENROLLMENT

350 students from 35 communities in central Connecticut, South Korea, Vietnam, Columbia and Peru call St. Paul home.

ADMISSIONS

Students from Catholic and public schools are encouraged to apply and will receive equal consideration. Applications are available online through FACTS Family Portal. Admission to the ninth grade is based on prior achievement, teacher letters of recommendation. Transfer students are admitted to the upper grades based on current high school academic performance.

FINANCIAL AID

St. Paul Catholic High School offers financial assistance as well as access to independent and organizational scholarships. Applications for financial aid are available online through the FACTS Grant and Aid website.

CLASS OF 2026 SAT SCORES

	EBRW	Math
St. Paul ¹ - Top 10% Mean	697	687
St. Paul ¹ - Top 25% Mean	663	641
St. Paul ¹ - SAT Mean	570	525
2022 Bristol, CT ² Public Mean	482	462
2024 Connecticut ² Public Mean	502	488
2024 National ² Mean	520	508

¹Scores reflect the highest mean scores attained by the Class of 2026.

²Scores reflect mean of the last test taken

CLASS of 2026's ACADEMIC PROFILE

- Thirty members of the Class of 2026 were AP Scholars
- 93% are attending a 4-year college or university and 6% are enrolled in a 2-year college
- 1% are entering the military, the workforce, or other
- 72% took the SAT
- 63% took at least one college-level course prior to graduation
- 78% of the Class of 2026's AP exam scores were greater than or equal to 3

CLASS of 2026's RECENT ACHIEVEMENTS

Graduates from the Class of 2026 were recognized as Archdiocesan Summa Scholars, National Honor Society members, AP Scholars, All-League and All-State athletic award recipients, Hall of Fame honorees, and Youth of the Year.

COLLEGE -LEVEL CURRICULUM

Advanced Placement Courses (Open Enrollment)

Biology	Latin
Calculus AB	Music Theory
Computer Science A	Psychology
Computer Science Principles	Spanish Language & Culture
English Language & Composition	Studio Art: 2-D Design
English Literature & Composition	Studio Art: Drawing
European History	U.S. Government & Politics
French	U.S. History

UConn Early College Experience Course

UConn ECE Physics

PROMOTION AND GRADUATION REQUIREMENTS

The State of Connecticut, the Archdiocese of Hartford, and St. Paul Catholic High School have established the following credit distribution for graduation purposes:

Religion	4 Credits
English	4 Credits
Mathematics	4 Credits
Science (Including Biology)	3 Credits
Social Studies	3 Credits
World Language	2 Credits
Art, Business, Technology	1.5 Credits
Digital Literacy	0.5 Credit
Introduction to Coding	0.5 Credit
Physical Education	1 Credit
Health	0.5 Credit
Electives	3 Credits
Community Service	60 hours (15 hours per year)

To be promoted with his/her class, a student must have acquired the following number of credits:

- 6 Credits required for promotion to sophomore year
- 13 Credits required for promotion to junior year
- 20 Credits required for promotion to senior year
- 27 Credits required for graduation

GRADES

The semester grading system includes four grading periods per year, in addition to mid-term and final exams, with grades recorded at the end of each quarter. Quarter and final grades appear on an official transcript.

GRADING SYSTEM

A	equals	90-100
B	equals	80-89
C	equals	70-79
D	equals	60-69
F	below	60
I	incomplete	
W	withdrawn/passing	
WF	withdrawn/failing	
AUD	audit	

G.P.A. is reported on a 100-point scale.

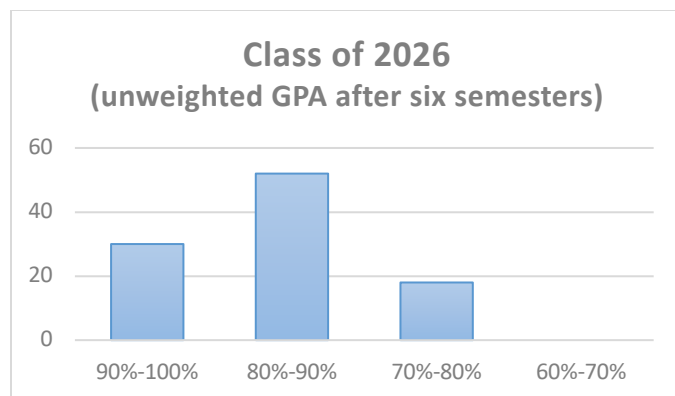
HONOR ROLL

First Honors with Distinction – Average 95, no grade below 87
First Honors - Average 90 or above, no grade below 85
Second Honors - Average 85 or above, no grade below 80

CLASS RANK

A weighted system of grading is used in calculating the class rank. Since courses differ in their level of academic challenge, the weighted class rank provides a more accurate representation of a student's academic achievement. It is used only for class rank purposes. Courses have been assigned one of the following levels:

AP/ECE	Advanced Placement & UConn Early College Experience (factor 1.10) courses involve the highest degree of selectivity and rigor.
HON	Honors (factor 1.05) courses involve a higher degree of selectivity, speed, and difficulty of material.
CP I	The College Preparatory I (factor 1.0) courses have an average level of rigor and selectivity.
CP II	The College Preparatory II (factor 0.95) courses emphasize basic academic skills



ATHLETICS

Boys

Football (Co-op)
Soccer
Cross Country
Basketball
Indoor and Outdoor Track
Swimming & Diving (Co-op)
Wrestling
Baseball
Golf
Lacrosse

Girls

Volleyball
Soccer
Cross Country
Swimming & Diving (Co-op)
Cheerleading
Basketball
Indoor and Outdoor Track
Softball
Golf
Lacrosse
Tennis

Colleges Recently Offering Admission to St. Paul Catholic High School Students

Adelphi University	Dean College	Maine College of Art
Albany College of Pharmacy	DePaul University	Macalester College
Albertus Magnus College	DeSales University	Manhattan College
Allegheny College	Dominican College	Marist University
American Academy of Dramatic Arts	Drexel University	Marquette University
American University	Duquesne University	Marymount Manhattan College
American International University	Eastern Kentucky University	Marymount University
Anna Maria College	Eckerd College	Marywood University
Arcadia University	Elms College	Massachusetts College of Art and Design
Arizona State University	Embry-Riddle Aeronautical University	Mass. College of Health and Pharmacy
Art Institute of Boston	Emerson College	Massachusetts College of Liberal Arts
Assumption University	Emmanuel College	Massachusetts Maritime Academy
Ave Maria University	Emory University	Mercy College
Babson College	Elon University	Merrimack College
Bard College	Endicott College	Miami University, Oxford
Bates College	Fairfield University	Michigan State University
Bay State College	Fairleigh Dickinson University	Middlebury College
Baylor University	Fitchburg State University	Mitchell College
Becker College	Florida Atlantic University	Montclair State University
Benedictine College	Florida Gulf Coast University	Montserrat College of Art
Bentley University	Florida Institute of Technology	Moore College of Art and Design
Berklee College of Music	Florida State University	Monmouth University
Bethany College	Fordham University	Mount Aloysius College
Binghamton University	Framingham State University	Mount Holyoke College
Boston College	Franciscan University	Mount Ida College
Boston Conservatory	Franklin Pierce University	Mount St. Mary, Maryland
Boston University	Furman University	Nazareth College
Brandeis University	Georgia Institute of Technology	Newbury College
Bridgewater State University	George Mason University	New England College
Brown University	Georgetown University	New England Institute of Technology
Bryant University	George Washington University	New Hampshire Institute of Art
Bucknell University	Gettysburg College	New Mexico Military Institute
Butler University	Gonzaga University	New York School of Interior Design
California State University	Gordon College	New York University
Canisius College	Hampden-Sydney College	Niagara University
Carnegie Mellon University	Hampshire College	Nichols College
Castleton State College	Hartwick College	North Carolina Central University
The Catholic University of America	Harvard University	Northeastern University
Cedarville University	Hendrix College	Norwich University
Centenary College	High Point University	Nova Southeastern University
Champlain College	Hobart & William Smith Colleges	Oberlin College
Chapman University	Hofstra University	Oklahoma State University
Charleston Southern University	Howard University	Old Dominion University
Chestnut Hill College	Immaculata University	Pace University
Christendom College	Indiana University at Bloomington	Parsons School of Design
City College of New York	Indiana University of Pennsylvania	The Paul Mitchell School
Clark University	Iona University	Pennsylvania College of Technology
Clark Atlanta University	Ithaca College	Pennsylvania State University at University Park and York
Clarkson University	James Madison University	Pepperdine University
Clemson University	Johns Hopkins University	Philadelphia University
Coastal Carolina University	Johnson & Wales University	Plymouth State University
Colby College	Keene State College	Porter & Chester Institute
Colby-Sawyer College	Kent State University	Post University
College of Saint Rose	Kings College	Pratt Institute
College of the Holy Cross	Lasell College	Princeton University
College of William and Mary	Lawrence University	Providence College
Colorado School of Mines	Lehigh University	
Columbia College, Chicago	LeMoyne College	
Columbia University	Liberty University	
Connecticut College	Lincoln Culinary Institute	
CT Community College System	Long Island University	
CT State University System	Loyola University	
Cornell University	Lynchburg College	
Curry College	Lyndon State College	

Colleges Recently Offering Admission to St. Paul Catholic High School Students

Purchase College, State University of New York	University of Colorado
Purdue University	University of Connecticut
Quinnipiac University	University of Florida
Regis College	University of Georgia
Rensselaer Polytechnic Institute	University of Hartford
Rhode Island College	University of Illinois
Rider University	University of Iowa
Rivier College	University of Louisville
Roanoke College	University of Maine
Rochester Institute of Technology	University of Mary Washington
Roger Williams University	University of Maryland, College Park
Russell Sage College	UMASS, Amherst, Boston, and Lowell
Rutgers University	University of Miami
Sacred Heart University	University of Michigan
Sage College of Albany	University of Mississippi
Salem State University	University of New England
Salve Regina University	University of New Hampshire
Santa Barbara City College	University of New Haven
Seton Hall University	University of North Carolina
Sewanee: University of the South	University of North Dakota
Siena University	University of Notre Dame
Simmons College	University of Oregon
Smith College	University of the Pacific
Southeastern University	University of Pittsburgh
Southern New Hampshire University	University of Rhode Island
Southern Vermont College	University of Rochester
Springfield College	University of San Diego
St. Anselm's College	University of San Francisco
St. Bonaventure University	University of South Carolina
St. John's University	University of South Florida, Tampa
St. Joseph University, Philadelphia	University of Southern Maine
St. Joseph's College of Maine	University of St. Andrews
St. Joseph's College, Brooklyn	University of St. Joseph, West Hartford
St. Lawrence University	University of Tampa
St. Leo University	University of Sciences in Philadelphia
St. Michael's College	University of Utah
Stetson University	University of Virginia
Stevens Institute of Technology	University of Vermont
Stevenson University	University of Washington
Stonehill College	University of Wisconsin
Suffolk University	Utah State University
SUNY Albany, Alfred, Buffalo, Cobleskill, College of	Utica University
Environmental Science and Forestry, Fredonia,	Vermont State University
Maritime, New Paltz, Plattsburgh, Stony Brook	Villanova University
Susquehanna University	Virginia Polytechnic Institute
Syracuse University	Virginia Wesleyan College
Temple University	Wagner College
Texas A&M University	Wake Forest University
Texas Tech University	Washington College
The Ohio State University	Wells College
The University of Scranton	Wentworth Institute of Technology
Thomas College	Wesley College
Trinity College	Wesleyan University
Tufts University	West Virginia University
UC, Davis, Irvine, Los Angeles, and San Diego	Western Michigan State University
Union College	Western New England University
United States Air Force Academy	Western Oregon University
United States Coast Guard Academy	Westfield State College
United States Merchant Marine Academy	Wheaton College (Mass.)
United States Military Academy at West Point	Wheelock College
United States Naval Academy	Worcester Polytechnic Institute
University of Alabama	Xavier University
University of Arizona	York College of PA