

OUR SCHOOL PROFILE

at a glance



- Salesian is a Catholic, co-educational college preparatory high school that educates a diverse and vibrant student body.
- Salesian is located on a beautiful secluded campus in Richmond, California that spans 21 acres of scenic views of redwoods and shares Wildcat Creek with the City of San Pablo
- Salesian is accredited by the Western Catholic Education Association (WCEA) and Western Association of Schools and Colleges (WASC).
- Voted “Best Faith-Based High School” in Contra Costa County by Parents’ Press magazine for the last seven years and Voted Best Independent High School for the last two years.

OUR FACULTY

Dedicated to developing the whole student through the oratory model of Home, School, Church and Playground
Small class sizes led by highly trained faculty, the majority with advanced degrees

- Newly renovated state of the art computer and science labs
- 24 AP and Honors courses, concurrent enrollment and independent study options
- 99% of alumni accepted into four-year competitive colleges and universities
- Individualized four-year college counseling program
- Salesian’s college alumni report being better prepared than their peers
- Personalized scheduling based on student academic interests

OUR CURRICULUM

nurturing student success and personal development

We offer a rigorous college preparatory curriculum. The following required courses, combined with electives, equal to a total of 250 semester credits for graduation (and meet the minimum required curriculum for admission to the University of California and California State University systems):

- 4 years of English

3 years of Mathematics

3 years of Social Science

3 years of Science
- 2 years of World Languages

1 year of Visual and Performing Arts

1 year of Physical Education

4 years of Religious Studies

STUDENT LIFE

encouraging a vibrant life beyond the classroom

Approximately 82% of our students participate in co-curricular activities including 34 competitive teams across 13 interscholastic sports, more than 30 co-curricular clubs, a Jazz band, a renowned Story and Song chorale group and a comprehensive visual and performing arts program. Additionally, students participate in a Service Learning Program encompassing four required service projects. Every student creates a Senior Synthesis Portfolio and presentation with a focus on service learning at the end of their senior year.

ADVANCED PLACEMENT AND HONORS COURSES

elevating your student’s education to the next level

We offer 24 Advanced Placement and Honors courses. Additionally, Salesian offers an Honors at Entrance accelerated curriculum for eligible freshmen. Advanced Placement and Honors courses are offered in the following subjects with the grade level noted:

- English I Honors (9)

World History Honors (9)

Spanish II Honors (9, 10)

AP Biology (10)

English II Honors (10)

AP Computer Science (10, 11, 12)

Spanish III Honors (10, 11)

AP Language & Composition (11)

AP U.S. History (11)
- AP Studio Arts (11, 12)

Pre-Calculus Honors (11, 12)

AP Calculus AB (11, 12)

AP Calculus BC (11, 12)

AP Chemistry (11, 12)

AP French (11, 12)

AP Spanish (11, 12)

AP English Literature (12)

AP Art History (12)
- AP Macroeconomics (12)

AP Physics (12)

AP Statistics (12)

Comparative Religions Honors (12)

Economics Honors (12)

U.S. Government Honors (12)

24 AP and Honors Courses

SCHOOL COMMUNITY

a welcoming and diverse community awaits

Salesian is a diverse and welcoming community that develops healthy young people by providing them opportunities to explore and pursue personal, academic, co-curricular and spiritual interests. The Salesian student community represents the multicultural and socioeconomically diverse population of the greater San Francisco Bay Area.

SCHOLARSHIPS

awarding student achievement

Academic and merit-based scholarships are available for 9th grade students who have demonstrated exemplary qualities. Students may apply for academic and merit-based scholarships. Please call the Admissions Office at (510) 234-4433, ext. 1416 for details.

TUITION GRANTS

committed to making Salesian affordable to all

Tuition grants may be offered to those who demonstrate financial need. Grant applications are available online or by calling the Finance Office at (510) 234-4433 ext.1102.

SALESIAN LEADERSHIP

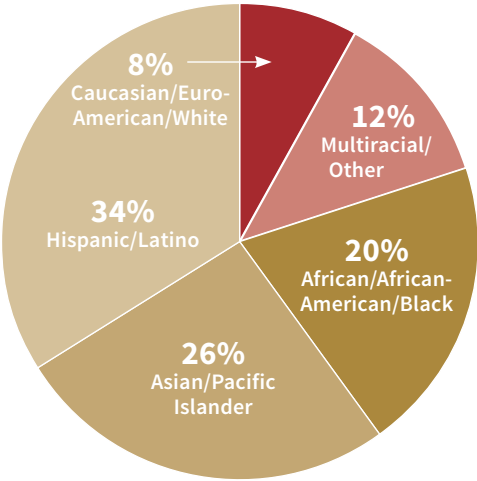
committed to nurturing the whole student

- Fr. John Itzaina, SDB, Director
- Stephen Pezzola ‘74, President
- Marylou Flannery, Principal
- Brian Swanson, Assistant Principal

“Meet our impressive faculty, spend a day with our awesome students, and catch the Salesian spirit and see for yourself what Academics, Faith and Family are really about!”

— Marylou Flannery, Principal

Our Salesian Community

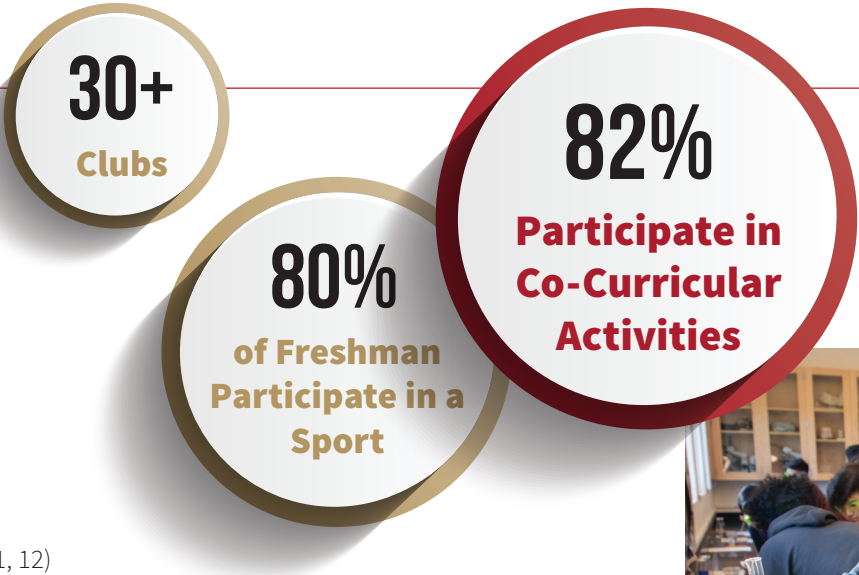


100% Salesian

400 students were enrolled at Salesian College Preparatory during the 2019 - 2020 school year. More than half of these students received tuition assistance totaling \$1.8 million.

400+ Students

\$1.8M in Tuition Assistance



NEW TO SALESIAN! PROJECT LEAD THE WAY



The Biomedical Science pathway is designed for students who excel in mathematics and natural sciences and are interested in the fields of biology or medicine. This program introduces students to a variety of medical ailments throughout the school year. In each scenario, students learn transportable skills including problem solving, critical and creative thinking, collaboration, communication, and ethical reasoning and mindset, which are the hallmarks of all Project Lead The Way pathways.

Award Winning Project Lead the Way Biomedical Science Pathway

College Matriculation

Over the past three years, Salesian graduates were accepted to the following schools:

Academy of Art University
Alabama A&M University
Alabama State University
Arizona State University
Art Institute of Seattle
Ateneo de Manila University
Auburn University
Azusa Pacific
Baruch College of CUNY
Belmont University
Baylor University
Berklee College of Music
Bethune-Cookman University
Boise State University
California Lutheran University
California State Polytechnic University,
Pomona
California State Polytechnic University,
San Luis Obispo
California State University,
Bakersfield
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,
Humboldt
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 Diego

California State University,
San Francisco
California State University, San Jose
California State University, San
Marcos
California State University, Sonoma
California State University,
Stanislaus
Champlain College
Chapman University
Cheyney University of Pennsylvania
Clark Atlanta University
Cogswell Polytechnical College
Colorado School of Mines
Colorado State University
Concordia University - Montreal
Cornell College
Cornish College of the Arts
DePaul University
Dominican University of California
Drake University
Drexel University
Emerson College
Fordham University
Georgetown University
Georgia State University
Grambling University
Hampton University
Hofstra University
Hollins University
Holy Names University
Howard University
Idaho State University
Indiana Institute of Technology
Indiana University at Bloomington
Ithaca College
John Carroll University
Langston University
Lawrence University
Lewis and Clark State College
Lincoln University
Livingstone College
Loyola Marymount University
Massachusetts College
of Liberal Arts

Merrimack College
Miami University, Oxford
Michigan State University
Middle Tennessee State University
Mills College
Montana State University
Morehouse College
Muhlenberg College
New Jersey Institute of Technology
New York Institute of Technology
Manhattan Campus
New York University
North Carolina A&T State University
Northern Arizona University
Notre Dame de Namur University
Oregon Institute of Technology
Oregon State University
Pace University
Pacific University
Parsons School of Design
Pennsylvania State University
Pepperdine University
Philander Smith College
Portland State University
Pratt Institute
Purdue University
Radford University
Rider University
Rhode Island College
Salve Regina University
San Francisco Art Institute
Saint Augustine's University
Santa Clara University
Scripps College
Seattle Pacific University
Seattle University
Shaw University
Southern Connecticut
State University
Southern Oregon University
Spelman College
St. John's University
St. Mary's College of California
Stanford University
Syracuse University
Talladega College
Texas A & M University
Thomas More College of Liberal Arts
Trinity College Dublin
Tuskegee University
University of Alabama

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 Chicago
University of Colorado at Boulder
University of Connecticut
University of Hawaii
University of Idaho
University of Illinois at
Urbana Champaign
University of Kentucky
University of La Verne
University of Louisville
University of Maine
University of Miami
University of Nevada, Las Vegas
University of Nevada, Reno
University of Oklahoma
University of Oregon
University of Pittsburgh
University of Portland
University of Redlands
University of Rhode Island
University of San Diego
University of San Francisco
University of Southern California
University of Texas, Austin
University of Texas, Arlington
University of the Pacific
University of Utah
University of Washington
University of Wisconsin
Vassar College
Virginia State University
Washington State University
Wellesley College
West Virginia University, IT
Western Washington
Whittier College
Whitworth University
Willamette University
Xavier University

COLLEGE ACCEPTANCE RATES

Percentage of students who applied and received acceptance:

82% University of California

88% Private Colleges

92% Colleges Outside of California

95% California State Universities

99% of the Class of 2020 enrolled in college

71% of the Class of 2020 graduated with honors

Salesian College Preparatory

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