

## 2021-2022 CURRICULUM

### BUSINESS EDUCATION

Keyboarding  
Computer Applications  
Introduction to Business\*  
Financial Planning  
Introduction to Desktop Publishing  
Advanced Desktop Publishing  
Multimedia/Yearbook

### ENGLISH

Freshman Comp/World Literature  
Honors Freshman Comp/World Lit  
Sophomore Comp/American Lit  
Honors Soph Comp/American Lit  
College & Workplace Writing  
Science Fiction & Fantasy Lit  
Medieval Literature  
Journalism  
Young Adult Literature  
Public Speaking and Discourse  
AP English Literature & Comp  
AP English Language & Comp  
CE150 Intro to Literature \*\*  
EN213 African American Lit \*\*

### PERFORMING ARTS

Concert Band  
Concert Choir  
Theater Arts

### FINE ARTS

Art Foundations  
Studio Drawing / Painting I & II  
Photo & Media Arts I & II  
Painting and Printmaking  
Studio Sculpture / Ceramics  
AP Studio Art

### MATHEMATICS

Algebra A  
Algebra B  
Algebra I  
Geometry  
Honors Geometry  
Advanced Math Skills  
Algebra II  
Algebra II / Trigonometry  
Trigonometry / Statistics  
Pre-Calculus  
AP Calculus AB

### MODERN LANGUAGES

German I, II  
Spanish I, II, III, IV  
Spanish for Heritage  
Speakers I, II

### PHYSICAL EDUCATION

Physical Education I  
Physical Education II  
Health  
Personal Fitness  
Advanced PE  
Sports Officiating & Coaching

### RELIGIOUS STUDIES

Introduction to Theology  
Hebrew Scriptures  
New Testament  
Justice & Peace  
Personal Morality  
World Religions  
Preaching Practicum  
Christian Ministry/Vocations

## 2021-2022 CURRICULUM (continued)

### SOCIAL STUDIES

World History  
Government  
World Geography  
US History  
Psychology  
Sociology  
Ethnic Studies  
AP US History  
AP Human Geography  
AP Microeconomics  
AP Macroeconomics

### STEM

Intro to Engineering Design  
Intro to Computer  
Programming  
Principles of Engineering  
Digital Electronics  
Principles of Biomedical  
Science  
Human Body Systems  
Engineering Design &  
Development  
AP Computer Science A

Full Course Selection Guide available at  
[www.saintcats.org/guidance-department](http://www.saintcats.org/guidance-department)

### SCIENCE

Biology  
Physical Science  
Chemistry  
Physics  
Geology/Astronomy  
Zoology  
Environmental Science  
Advanced Physical Science  
AP Biology

### ENRICHMENT

Teacher Assistant  
Peer Tutor

### GATEWAY ACADEMIES\*

Offering courses in:

- SMART Manufacturing
- Nursing
- General Studies
- Welding
- IT Data Analytics
- Criminal Justice



# St. Catherine's High School

ASIENA CATHOLIC SCHOOL

**2021-2022**

## *Saint Catherine's High School Profile*

*Saint Catherine's High School educates students in the Catholic faith, fostering an environment of academic and behavioral excellence to create lifelong learners and globally responsible citizens.*

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\* Transcribed course offered through Gateway Technical College  
\*\* Concurrent Enrollment Courses offered through Cardinal Stritch University

## LOCATION

Celebrating more than 150 years, St. Catherine’s High School is located in the city of Racine, Wisconsin which has a population of 78,860 (US Census 2010). Set in an urban, residential district just a few blocks from the shores of Lake Michigan, St. Catherine’s High School has opened its doors to the socio-economically and culturally diverse youth of the city. It is the only Catholic High School in the city of Racine.

## ACCREDITATION

AdvancEd (formerly North Central Association)  
Accredited Grade 6-12 School

## MEMBERSHIPS

Dominican Association of Secondary School; College Board, National Catholic Education Association; AdvancEd, Association of Supervision and Curriculum Development; Archdiocese of Milwaukee Secondary Schools; Wisconsin Religious and Independent Schools; Metro Classic Conference; Wisconsin Interscholastic Athletic Association

## STUDENT ENROLLMENT<sup>1</sup>

2021-2022..... 464

## STUDENT BODY<sup>1</sup>

74% from Catholic schools  
20% from Racine public schools  
6% from other schools  
53% Catholic population  
30% Other faiths

## ATTENDANCE

94% daily attendance rate

## ENROLLMENT SUMMARY<sup>1</sup>

<u>Ethnicity</u>	<u>Total</u>	<u>%</u>
Asian	1	0.2
American Indian or Alaska Native	0	0.0
Black or African American	110	23.7
Caucasian	106	22.8
Hispanic or Latino	211	45.5
Native Hawaiian or Pacific Islander	0	0.0
Multi-Racial	36	7.8

## GRADUATION CREDIT REQUIREMENTS

Business Education.....	0.5
Religious Studies .....	4.0
Fine Arts .....	0.5
English .....	4.0
Mathematics .....	3.0
Modern Language .....	2.0
PhyEd/Health .....	2.0
Science .....	3.0
Social Studies.....	3.0
<u>Electives .....</u>	<u>5.0</u>
<b>Required for Graduation .....</b>	<b>27.0</b>

## MARKING SYSTEM

<u>Letter</u>	<u>% Equivalent</u>	<u>Grade Point</u>
A	93-100	4.00
A-	90-92	3.67
B+	87-89	3.33
B	83-86	3.00
B-	80-82	2.67
C+	77-79	2.33
C	73-76	2.00
C-	70-72	1.67
D+	67-69	1.33
D	63-66	1.00
D-	60-62	0.67
F	≤ 60	0.00

Grades are not weighted.

A student may also have one of the following marks on the transcript:

<b>P</b>	Indicates a passing mark with credit earned but the grade is not included in the grade point average.
<b>AUD</b>	The course is taken with no grade or credit earned.

## CLASS RANK

St. Catherine’s High School does not rank its students. Emphasis is placed on grade point average and a strong academic program (the average cumulative GPA for the Class of 2022, after six semesters, is 2.8<sup>1</sup>).

## TESTING PROGRAM/COLLEGE ENTRANCE EXAMS

### (Offered on-site)

All Incoming Freshman	<b>STAR 360</b> (Placement)
All Freshmen	<b>ASPIRE</b> (9 <sup>th</sup> Grade Norms)
All Sophomores	<b>ASPIRE</b> (10 <sup>th</sup> Grade Norms)
Junior	<b>PSAT / ACT</b>
Seniors	<b>ACT</b>

**Advanced Placement Testing** is administered by request and on-site for all subjects offered through the *College Board*.

## Testing Statistics for the Class of 2021:

- Using the student’s highest ACT composite score, the average was 17.3
- Using the last ACT test taken, the composite score average was 18.0
- The national average composite score for 2020-2021 was 20.6
- The State of Wisconsin average composite score for 2020-2021 was 20.1
- Students in the top 50% of the Class of 2021 had an ACT composite score average of 21.0

## POST HIGH SCHOOL STATISTICS

The percentage of graduates (Class of 2021) continuing their education is as follows:

67%	Four-year college/university
11%	Two-year college or technical school
3%	Apprenticeship training/full-time employment/military enlistment

These graduates were offered \$3.4 million in scholarship awards. Of the scholarships offered, the Class of 2021 accepted \$2.3 million in awards for post-secondary study.

## SERVICE REQUIREMENT

In keeping with the Catholic, Dominican mission of Saint Catherine’s, all students are required to complete service work outside of school hours. Service is at the core of what the Racine Dominicans represent to this community, and is instilled in the school through the four pillars of Community, Service, Prayer, and Study:

- Freshmen and Sophomores..... 8 hours/semester
- Juniors..... 10 hours/semester
- Seniors ..... 12 hours/semester

<sup>1</sup> As of September 17, 2021..