

SAINT DOMINIC ACADEMY

SCHOOL PROFILE 2024-2025
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267 STUDENTS

Grades 6-12
26 Communities
5 States, 5 Countries
75% Receive Financial Aid

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STUDENT:TEACHER RATIO

15

AVERAGE CLASS SIZE

CLASS OF 2025

36 Seniors

HONOR ROLL

Principal's List	4.25 GPA
First Honors	3.80 GPA
Second Honors	3.25 GPA
Honorable Mention	3.00 GPA

COMMUNITY:

Saint Dominic Academy draws students from a large geographic area, with many families traveling between 30-60 minutes to be part of our community. Our geographic area in Maine is economically stable, yet primarily a working middle-class community. The area has a history of very low diversity, although that is changing with the new immigrants moving into our community.

SCHOOL:

Saint Dominic Academy is a Catholic, co-educational, college preparatory day school under the patronage of the Diocese of Portland for students in grades Pre-K to 12. The Academy consists of two campuses in Lewiston and Auburn. Faculty members are certified by the Maine State Department of Education and are members of the National Catholic Education Association. The high school, founded in 1941, has a long tradition of academic excellence in our community.

MISSION STATEMENT:

Through study, prayer, community, and service, Saint Dominic Academy teaches its students the truth of life so that they may set the world afire.

CURRICULUM:

The academic year is divided into four quarters and two semesters. The academic program is organized on a rotating block schedule, with four blocks of 75 minutes each. All classes are college preparatory, with a wide selection of honors, high honors, AP-level and concurrent classes.

- 10 Advanced Placement (AP) courses: English, Math, Social Studies, Science, and Art.
- 25 Honors/High Honors courses: English, Math Social Studies, Science, World Language, and Art.
- Concurrent enrollment courses with Catholic Virtual (CV), Central Maine Community College (CMCC), Maine ExplorEC (MeEC), and Bates College High School Scholars program (Bates). Courses are noted on the transcript with credit but grades are not included or calculated into GPA.

GRADUATION REQUIREMENTS:

In addition to academic requirements, all students are required to complete off-campus service hours each year.

SUBJECT AREAS

CREDITS

Theology	4
English	4
Mathematics	3
Science	3
Social Studies	3
World Languages	2
Fine Arts	1
Physical Education	1
Health	0.5
Electives	2.5
Total	24



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SERVICE HOURS:

9th Grade	12 hours
10th Grade	16 hours
11th Grade	20 hours
12th Grade	1 month (end of year capstone)

GRADES AND REPORTING

Grade Point Average (GPA) & Calculations:

Saint Dominic Academy uses a WEIGHTED grading system for determining GPA. CP classes begin with 4.3 points, Honors classes are higher by .3, and High Honors/AP classes are higher by .7. Beginning with grade nine, all subjects, whether passed or failed, are included in the computation. GPA is computed in January and June. Grades are expressed as letters with the following numerical and GPA equivalents:

Numerical Grade (%)	Letter Grade	AP/High Honors	Honors	College Prep	Numerical Grade (%)	Letter Grade	AP/High Honors	Honors	College Prep
98-100	A+	5.0	4.6	4.3	82-84	C+	3.0	2.6	2.3
95-97	A	4.7	4.3	4.0	79-81	C	2.7	2.3	2.0
93-94	A-	4.4	4.0	3.7	77-78	C-	2.4	2.0	1.7
90-92	B+	4.0	3.6	3.3	75-76	D+	2.0	1.6	1.3
87-89	B	3.7	3.3	3.0	72-74	D	1.7	1.3	1.0
85-86	B-	3.4	3.0	2.7	70-71	D-	1.4	1.0	0.7
					69-Below	F	0.0	0.0	0.0

Rank:

School Policy eliminated class rank beginning with the class of 2019 and adopted the Latin Honors program.

Transcripts:

Academic transcripts only include work completed at Saint Dominic Academy (grades 9-12). While academic work completed at other schools is used to meet our graduation requirements, it is not factored into the cumulative weighted GPA which is calculated at the end of each semester. Standardized testing is under the student's control and not included on the school transcript.

CO-CURRICULAR ACTIVITIES & ATHLETICS

Students are encouraged to participate in such activities as:

Art Club	Math Team	Student Ambassador
Assistant Chaplain Ministry	Mock Trial	Student Senate
Class Officers	Model UN	Video Club
Bird Watching Club	Music Ministry	World Language Club
Drama Club	National Honor Society	
Key Club	Poetry Out Loud	

Girls' Athletics:

Basketball (JV&V)
 Cheering (V)
 Field Hockey (V)
 Ice Hockey (V)
 Lacrosse (V)
 Soccer (JV&V)
 Softball (JV&V)

Boys' Athletics:

Baseball (JV&V)
 Basketball (JV&V)
 Football (V)
 Golf (JV&V)
 Ice Hockey (JV&V)
 Lacrosse (JV&V)
 Soccer (JV&V)

Co-Ed Athletics:

Cross Country (V), Skiing (V), Swimming (JV&V),
 Tennis (V), Indoor & Outdoor Track & Field (V)

2024 COLLEGE ACCEPTANCES & MATRICULATIONS (*) - 2+ MATRICULATIONS (**)

<p>Albright College American University* Assumption College* Belmont Abbey College Belmont University Binghamton University Bryant University Central Maine Community College** Clarkson University Connecticut College Embry-Riddle Aeronautical University (Prescott) Emmanuel College Endicott College Florida Institute of Technology* Franciscan University of Steubenville Hillsdale College Hofstra University Husson University Jacksonville University Lipscomb University Marymount Manhattan College</p>	<p>McGill University Mercyhurst University Merrimack College Middle Tennessee State University Misericordia University Nichols College** Northeastern University Norwich University Providence College Regis University Rensselaer Polytechnic Institute Rivier University Rochester Institute of Technology Sacred Heart University* Saint Anselm College** Saint Joseph's College of Maine* Saint Michael's College Salem State University* Salve Regina University Seton Hill University Siena College Simmons University</p>	<p>Southern Maine Community College St. Mary's University Stonehill College* Temple University Thomas College* University of Connecticut University of Dallas* University of Maine** University of Maine Augusta University of Maine Farmington University of New England University of New Hampshire** University of New Hampshire (Manchester) University of Rhode Island University of Southern Maine University of Vermont Wentworth Institute of Technology* Wheaton College-MA Worcester Polytechnic Institute*</p>
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