

York Catholic High School FACT SHEET 2020-2021

MISSION STATEMENT

York Catholic High School educates students focused on the cultivation of faith, mind, and heart. We, as a Christian family, are guided by a Catholic moral compass as modeled by Jesus Christ. Our students are academically sound, intellectually curious, and ethically prepared to serve the global community with grace.

OVERVIEW

- ◆ Founded 1927
- ◆ Co-educational
- ◆ Diocese of Harrisburg
- ◆ Approved by the Pennsylvania Department of Education
- ◆ Accredited by Middle States Commission on Secondary Schools
- ◆ Serving grades 7-12
- ◆ Students attending from every public school district in York County

TEACHING FACULTY

Religious Faculty	0
Lay Faculty	45
Student/Teacher Ratio	14:1

STUDENT ENROLLMENT 540

2020 SAT AVERAGES

	YCHS	National	State
Critical Reading	563	531	545
Math	546	528	537
Total	1109	1059	1082

97% YCHS Senior Class took the SAT
87% of AP students scored a 3 or higher on AP exams

2020 GRADUATES

Total scholarship aid offered by all schools = \$11 million

71% of the Class of 2020 were awarded scholarships

REVENUE RESOURCES

61%	Student Tuition
18%	Parish Subsidy
12%	Gifts and Bequests
3%	Student Fundraisers
6%	Other

TUITION

Tuition amounts vary for high school and junior high school students. Please see the Tuition page for complete details. Tuition assistance is available to those who qualify. 36% of our current student population received financial assistance.

GRADUATION REQUIREMENTS

Religion	4 credits
English	4 credits
History/Social Studies	3 credits
Mathematics	3 credits
Science	3 credits
Arts/Humanities	2 credits
Health/Physical Education	1 credits
Electives	5 credits
Service Hours	16/year

COMMUNITY SERVICE

Community service is a mandatory element of preparing students for a productive future. Senior high students are required to perform 16 hours of service and junior high students are required to perform 12 hours of service.

SPIRITUAL LIFE

- ◆ School day and classes begin and end with prayer
- ◆ Frequent reception of the sacraments
- ◆ Annual retreats for all students
- ◆ Daily religious instruction part of the curriculum
- ◆ Weekly Mass in Chapel
- ◆ Eucharistic liturgies

ACADEMICS

- ◆ College prep, honors, and advanced placement levels of study
- ◆ Religion
- ◆ English
- ◆ History/Social Studies
- ◆ Mathematics
- ◆ Computer/Business Education
- ◆ Science
- ◆ Music
- ◆ Art
- ◆ Foreign Language: German, Spanish
- ◆ Health/Physical Education
- ◆ Online Virtual High School classes
- ◆ College in the Classroom available with Alvernia University
- ◆ Dual Enrollment with area colleges and universities
- ◆ Weekly ineligibility/failure check
- ◆ Online access to homework and grades
- ◆ Academic Assistance Center
- ◆ Tutoring
- ◆ Math Specialist
- ◆ Reading Specialist

GUIDANCE

Counselors meet with each student at least 3 times during the year individually and in groups. Junior high topics include orientation to junior high academics, social adaptation, career education, and bullying prevention. Senior high topics include orientation to senior high, study skills, learning styles, student assistance, self-awareness, course selection, career education, college research, setting goals.

COMPUTERIZED ACADEMIC RESOURCES

- ◆ Wireless Internet
- ◆ Chromebooks
- ◆ Classroom Laptops
- ◆ World Book Online
- ◆ EBSCOHOST: Academic Search Premiere
- ◆ NetTrekker

ATHLETICS

Baseball, basketball, cheerleading, cross-country, field hockey, football, golf, lacrosse, soccer, softball, tennis, track, volleyball, and wrestling

EXTRA CURRICULAR ACTIVITIES

American Diversity Club; Art Club; Auditorium Assistants; Campus Ministry; Chess Club; Choral & Instrumental Music Groups; Digital Animation Club; Dramatics/Stage Crew; Entrepreneur Club; Envirothon; Extraordinary Ministers; Geography Bee; Homecoming & Prom Committees; Language Clubs; Marching Band/Color Guard; Math Counts; Media Center Aides; Mission Moderators; Mock Trial; National Honor Society; New Student Lunch Group; Ping Pong Club; Science Fair; Ski Club; Stewards of the Earth; Student Ambassadors; Student Council; Varsity Club; Yearbook.

PARENT/FRIEND ORGANIZATIONS

Athletic Booster Club, Music Association

