

# RosaryAcademy

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Rosary Academy was founded in 1965 under the auspices of the Archdiocese of Los Angeles and administered by the Sisters of St. Joseph of Orange. Rosary is a Catholic secondary school for young women located in Fullerton. There are 417 students in grades nine through twelve enrolled. There are 135 students in the class of 2017. The student population is diverse: 38% Caucasian, 36% Hispanic, 13% Asian, 1% African American, 2% Native American, and 10% other. The student body is composed of those who plan to attend college or pursue some other form of higher education. Rosary Academy students come from over 92 partner schools. Rosary Academy is accredited by the Western Catholic Education Association (WCEA) and by the Western Association of Schools and Colleges (WASC), and is a member of the National Catholic Educational Association (NCEA). Applicants are reviewed on the basis of their academic record (grades, test scores, and teacher recommendations), character, and extracurricular interests and talents. Rosary Academy administers the High School Placement Test for purposes of class placement.

## THE CURRICULUM

Rosary Academy offers a college preparatory curriculum. A minimum of 24 units is required for graduation.

.5 credit = 1 semester, 1 credit = 1 year.

### Graduation requirements include:

- 4 years of Religion
- 4 years of English
- 3 years of Social Studies
- 3 years of Mathematics including Algebra I and Geometry
- 2 years of World Language (same)
- 1 year of Life Science
- 1 year of Physical Science
- 1 year of Physical Education
- 1 year of Visual or Performing Arts
- ½ year of Health
- 3½ years of Electives

Service is an integral part of the Rosary educational process. All students participate in service opportunities. **Rosary does not have a service hour requirement.**

### Advanced Placement (AP) courses are offered in:

- Art History
- Biology
- Calculus AB, BC
- Chemistry
- English Language
- English Literature
- European History
- French Language
- Government
- Physics 1
- Psychology
- Spanish Language
- Statistics
- Studio Art 3D
- Studio Drawing
- United States History

### Honors Courses are offered in:

- Algebra I and II
- Biology
- Chemistry
- Economics
- English I and II
- French III
- Geometry
- Physics
- Pre-Calculus
- Spanish III

## RED & GOLD

For 46 years, *Red & Gold* has been one of Rosary's most cherished traditions. This school-wide endeavor presents a unique challenge to students who create, develop, direct, and perform in a musical theatre production led by student captains. To be chosen as a captain, a student must be in good academic/disciplinary standing; must demonstrate an aptitude in one of the categories; and must display leadership potential, personal motivation, an attitude of teamwork, and organizational skills. As a friendly competition, the *Red & Gold* process unifies the school community and profoundly deepens school spirit, loyalty, and pride.

### Rosary Academy

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Asst. Head of School: Ms. Dana Vasquez

Counseling Department

Mrs. Kelly Troisi, Lead Counselor

Mrs. Kristin Crowley, Counselor

## GRADING AND RANKING

Rosary Academy assigns letter grades using a 4.0 system.

Letter grades are assigned AP & Honors courses

as follows: courses are as follows:

A = 90% - 100% A = 5

B = 80% - 89% B = 4

C = 70% - 79% C = 3

D = 60% - 69% D = 1

F = 59% and less.

Rosary does not rank its students, but a junior year grade distribution is provided for colleges.

## COLLEGE ADMISSION TESTING

93% of the class of 2016 took the SAT

Mean score Critical Reading: 538

Students taking both SAT & SAT Subject Tests 611

Mean score Math: 529

Students taking both SAT & SAT Subject Tests: 620

Mean score Writing: 533

Students taking both SAT & SAT Subject Tests: 596

78% of the class of 2016 took the ACT

Mean score Composite: 25

## ADVANCED PLACEMENT

All students enrolled in AP courses are required to take the AP Exam.

Number of AP Exams taken 515

## COLLEGE ATTENDANCE

Class of 2016 (116 students)

97% Accepted to a 4-year College/University

94% Attend 4-year colleges/universities:

10% University of California

23% California State University

42% Private Schools

19% Public Schools outside California

6% Attend 2-year colleges

## COLLEGE ACCEPTANCE HISTORY

Class of 2013, 2014, 2015 college acceptances include:

Abilene Christian University	CSU San Luis Obispo	Marquette University	St. Francis College	University of Notre Dame
Academy of Art University	CSU San Marcos	Marymount California University	St. John's University – Queens	University of Oklahoma
Albion College	CSU Sonoma	Marymount Manhattan College	St. Joseph's University	University of Oregon
American University	CSU Stanislaus	Marywood University	St. Lawrence University	University of Pennsylvania
American University of Paris	DePaul University	Massachusetts Institute of Technology	Stanford University	University of Pittsburgh
Arizona State University	Dominican University	McPherson College	Stony Brook University	University of Portland
Art Center College of Design	Drake University	Merrimack College	Syracuse University	University of Puget Sound
Assumption College	Drew University	Miami University, Oxford	Tabor College	University of Redlands
Auburn University	Drexel University	Michigan State University	Temple University	University of Rochester
Azusa Pacific University	Drury University	Minnesota State University, Moorhead	Temple University - Japan	University of San Diego
Ball State University	Duquesne University	Mississippi State University	Texas A & M University	University of San Francisco
Bard College	Eastern Nazarene College	Montana State University, Bozeman	Texas Christian University	University of Scranton
Baylor University	Eastern Washington University	Monterrey Institute of Technology in	Texas Tech University	University of South Carolina
Belmont University	Elon University of Engineering	Monterrey, Mexico - Av Eugenio Garza	The Catholic University of America	University of South Florida, Tampa
Bennington College	Embry-Riddle Aeronautical University – AZ	Sada	The George Washington University	University of Southern California
Bethany College	Embry-Riddle Aeronautical University – FL	Mount Aloysius College	The Kings College	University of St. Andrews
Bethany College - Kansas	Emerson College	Mount St. Mary's College	The Ohio State University	University of Tennessee, Knoxville
Bethany College West Virginia	Emory University	New York University	The State University of New York at	University of the Pacific
Binghamton University	Eugene Lang College The New School for	Liberal Arts	Buffalo	University of Toledo
Biola University	Fairfield University	North Carolina State University	The University of Alabama	University of Tulsa
Boise State University	Fashion Institute of Design &	Northeastern University	The University of Arizona	University of Utah
Boston College	Merchandising	Northern Arizona University	The University of Iowa	University of Virginia
Boston University	Florida Institute of Technology	Northern Kentucky University	The University of Montana, Missoula	University of Washington
Bradley University	Florida State University	Northwestern University	The University of Montana, Western	University of Wisconsin, Madison
Brandeis University	Fordham University	Notre Dame de Namur University	The University of Scranton	University of Wyoming
Brigham Young University, Idaho	Franciscan University of Steubenville	Notre Dame of Maryland University	The University of Tampa	Ursuline College
Brooks Institute of Photography	Franklin College Switzerland	Occidental College	Tulane University	Utah State University
Bryn Mawr College	Gardner-Webb University	Ohio State University	UC Berkeley	Vanderbilt University
Buffalo State College of SUNY	George Fox University	Oklahoma City University	UC Davis	Vanguard University of SOCA
California Baptist University	George Washington University	Oklahoma State University	UC Irvine	Villanova University
California College of the Arts SF	Georgetown College	Oregon State University	UC Los Angeles	Virginia Wesleyan College
California Lutheran University	Georgetown University	Pace University	UC Merced	Wake Forest University
Canisius College	Gettysburg College	Pacific Lutheran University	UC Riverside	Wartburg College
Carroll College	Gonzaga University	Pacific University	UC San Diego	Washington & Jefferson College
Case Western Reserve Univ.	Goucher College	Pennsylvania State University	UC Santa Barbara	Washington State University
Catholic University of America	Grace College	Pepperdine University	UC Santa Cruz	Washington University in St. Louis
Central Connecticut State University	Grand Canyon University	Pitzer College	Union College	Weber State University
Central Michigan University	Hampshire College	Point Loma Nazarene University	United States Naval Academy	West Virginia University
Centre College	Hartwick College	Portland State University	University Colorado at Boulder	Western Oregon University
Champlain College	Harvard College	Providence College	University of	Western Washington University
Clarkson University	Haverford College	Purdue University	Tennessee, Knoxville	Westmont College
Clemson University	Hawaii Pacific University	Regis University	University of Arkansas	Whittier College
Coe College	High Point University	Rensselaer Polytechnic Institute	University of Chicago	Willamette University
College of Charleston	Hofstra University	Roberts Wesleyan College	University of Colorado at Colorado Springs	Williams College
College of Saint Benedict	Holy Cross College	Rochester Institute of Technology	University of Colorado, Boulder	Woodbury University
College of the Holy Cross	Holy Names University	Rocky Mountain College	University of Colorado, Denver	Worcester Polytechnic Institute
College of William and Mary	Hope International University	Roger Williams University	University of Connecticut	Xavier University
Colorado School of Mines	Huntingdon College	Rose-Hulman Institute of Technology	University of Dallas	
Colorado State University	Idaho State University	Rutgers University	University of Dayton	
Colorado State University Pueblo	Illinois Institute of Technology	Sacred Heart University	University of Denver	
Columbia College Chicago	Immaculata University	Saint Joseph College – IN	University of Florida	
Concordia University - Portland	Indiana State University	Saint Joseph's College – ME	University of Georgia	
Concordia University	Indiana University at Bloomington	Saint Joseph's University – PA	University of Hartford	
Connecticut College	Iowa State University	Saint Louis University	University of Hawaii at Manoa	
Cornell University	James Madison University	Saint Mary's College	University of Idaho	
Creighton University	Joffrey Ballet School - NYC	Saint Mary's College of California	University of Illinois at Chicago	
CSU Bakersfield	Kansas State University	Saint Michael's College	University of Kansas	
CSU Channel Islands	Kent State University	Salve Regina University	University of Kentucky	
CSU Chico	Kenyon College	Samford University	University of La Verne	
CSU Dominguez Hills	Knox College	Santa Clara University	University of Louisville	
CSU East Bay	La Salle University	Santa Fe University of Art and Design	University of Maryland, Baltimore County	
CSU Fresno	La Sierra University	Sarah Lawrence College	University of Maryland, College Park	
CSU Fullerton	Lafayette College	Savannah College of Art and Design	University of Massachusetts, Amherst	
CSU Humboldt	Lamar University	School of the Art Institute of Chicago	University of Massachusetts, Lowell	
CSU Long Beach	Lehigh University	School of Visual Arts	University of Miami	
CSU Los Angeles	Lesley University	Seattle University	University of Michigan	
CSU Monterey Bay	Lewis & Clark College	Seton Hall University	University of Minnesota, Twin Cities	
CSU Northridge	Louisiana State University	Skidmore College	University of Mississippi	
CSU Pomona	Loyola Marymount University	Southern Methodist University	University of Missouri Columbia	
CSU Sacramento	Loyola University Chicago	Southern Oregon University	University of Nebraska at Lincoln	
CSU San Bernardino	Loyola University New Orleans	Spring Hill College	University of Nevada, Las Vegas	
CSU San Diego	Macalester College	St. John's University – Queens	University of Nevada, Reno	
CSU San Francisco	Marist College	St. Catherine University – St. Paul	University of New Mexico	
CSU San Jose		St. Edward's University	University of Northern Colorado	