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WELCOME TO MARQUETTE CATHOLIC HIGH SCHOOL!

Young people become more here. The Marquette Catholic High School educational experience is exceptional; our uniquely supportive learning environment cultivates faith and character development, along with intellectual growth. Students engage in the learning process with teachers who are as passionate about their students' welfare as they are about their subject matter. Students are known by name among their peers and their teachers. Students from fifteen different grade schools become friends with each other.

We partner with families to help nurture our students' spiritual growth, the heart of Catholic education. And jointly, we guide our students toward living the Gospel values which will make a difference in their world.



Our mission is what drives us. Our beliefs incite us to challenge the traditional way of educating our students. With the addition of our global finance lab, our early university program, our diverse global partners and programs, our focus on college readiness and success and dual credit programs, the growing partnerships with colleges and universities all over the world are all opportunities designed and created to inspire our students to change the world.

The size of our school is ideal for students to have the opportunity to take part in any number of activities, including competing on an athletic team, joining a club, or earning a part in the musical. Our graduates take with them more than a diploma from MQTT. They head off to college as well-rounded, socially responsible young adults, with the confidence to meet life's challenges.

As you discover more about the MQTT experience, you will see that MQTT truly is a very special place.

Sincerely,

James G. White, M.Ed.
President / CEO

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a dozen reasons

to choose Catholic Schools





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WHY MARQUETTE?

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FAITH IN EDUCATION SINCE 1886

VALUES FOR LIFE

Marquette Catholic High School students have the opportunity to develop spiritually. Whether through Theology courses, School masses, Service Experiences and Kairos, or just stopping in our Chapel for a quick prayer; Marquette offers students four years of opportunity to further their relationship with God while learning values they will carry throughout their lifetime.

SECOND TO NONE ACADEMICS

Marquette Catholic High School graduates go on to attend some of the finest universities in the country. With SAT and ACT scores ranked in the top 15% nationally, academic teams who annually place higher than most teams in the region and AP scores above the national average - Marquette's academic opportunities are second to none.

1:1 TECHNOLOGY

The most powerful tools for learning are the ones students love to use and at MQTT an Apple iPad has been put into the hands of every student. No more paper, no more books - everything is at your fingertips.

EARLY UNIVERSITY PROGRAM

MQTT-U supports all students in developing a personal relationship with Jesus Christ and working for the Common Good. MQTT-U ensures success, not simply acceptance, into post-secondary education. MQTT-U affords all students an honors curriculum which provides knowledge and understanding of our global world and 21st Century learning and skills through experiential, integrated, and relevant learning strategies. The program includes job shadow experience, project based learning, one-to-one technology platform (iPad), study abroad and global travel experiences and service opportunities. Students who successfully complete this program will graduate from MQTT with an academic honors diploma and an associate's degree.

A GLOBAL COMMUNITY

So you have been with the same classmates for the last eight years and are ready to make some new friends? With students from 15 different schools throughout Northwest Indiana and 12 different countries, Marquette offers you a great opportunity to retain current friends and meet new ones - all on a campus where everyone knows your name.

A PREMIER ATHLETIC PROGRAM

MQTT takes great pride in our winning athletic tradition. Our student athletes often play against the best competition in the area and still advance deep into the IHSAA tournament, creating memories that will last a lifetime. We have won State Championships, have multiple State Finals appearances and have Regional and Sectional Championships too numerous to count. Every year many of our graduating student athletes receive athletic scholarships to universities throughout the country.

TRAVEL & STUDY ABROAD

A reality of life in the 21st Century is we are now connected, almost on a daily basis, with people from all over the world. MQTT encourages students to gain a heightened awareness and understanding of diverse languages, cultures and new developments related to globalization. Study abroad for a semester, participate in a cultural immersion or take part in a Global Summit - from any of the opportunities, you will have an experience of a lifetime.

WE WILL FIND A WAY

MQTT takes pride in finding a way to make sure any student who wants to attend Marquette, can. We make every effort to make a Catholic education affordable to students by allocating funds for need-based tuition assistance.

MONEY FOR COLLEGE

A Marquette education pays for itself, more than three times over. On average, our graduating seniors earn more than \$100,000 per student in college scholarships. That's more than triple the full cost of four years of Marquette tuition.

DISCOVER YOUR ARTISTIC SIDE

Whether you are drawn to the visual arts or performing arts (or both), MQTT has something for everyone. Design that special artistic piece for the student art exhibition gallery; or take the lead in one of the school's musical performances or plays; learn the techniques of the behind the scene importance of sound, lighting, make-up or scenery; or sing in the MQTT Chorus. Many Marquette students have gone on to pursue their passion for the arts at some of the finest art schools in the country. At MQTT - there is something for everyone; there is something especially for you!

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Faith in Education Since 1886

TO FIND FAITH, DISCOVER GOD AND WORK FOR THE COMMON GOOD

Faith formation – in community and as individuals – plays a vital role in the morals and values that are taught to MQTT students each day. MQTT is rooted in the beliefs and teachings of the Catholic Church, with opportunities for participation given to all students, faculty, staff, parents, and alumni who bring to us a variety of faith journeys and religious backgrounds. All are invited to explore, first-hand, the Catholic Christian teachings that are at the heart of the Marquette Catholic High School experience.

Service Experience

Students participate in a service experience with their classmates, during school hours, with organizations like **Reins of Life, Sharing Meadows, and The Sandcastle Shelter** among others. They visit and feed the homeless of the City of Chicago while convening at MQTT's retreat center on the north side of the city - St. Mary of the Lake.

Retreat Experience

Students take in the Holocaust Museum and reflect together, as a group, on the feelings that exhibit conjured. The visit **The Shrine of Christ's Passion** and work at the **Food Bank of Northern Indiana**.

A Kairos **Kairos (καιρός)** retreat is a multi-day spiritual awakening activity. The purpose of the retreat is to help the participants contemplate their relationship with God, discover their own identity and build stronger bonds with their peers. #livethefourth

THEOLOGY CURRICULUM

INTRODUCTION TO CATHOLICISM

LIFE IN JESUS CHRIST

JESUS CHRIST'S MISSION CONTINUES IN THE CHURCH

THE MISSION OF JESUS CHRIST

THE REVELATION OF JESUS CHRIST IN SCRIPTURE

THE SACRAMENTS AS ENCOUNTERS WITH JESUS CHRIST

WHO IS JESUS CHRIST?



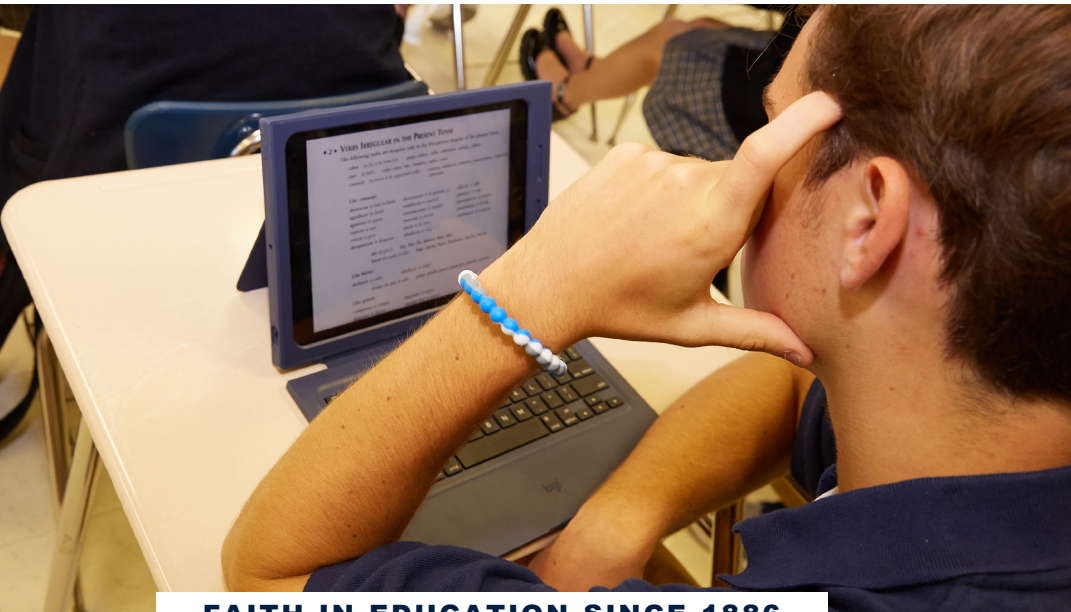


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The most powerful tools for learning are the ones students love to use.

Since Apple launched iPad in 2010, millions have made their way into education. They continue to show significant promise in teaching and learning often with impressive results. Improvements in academic performance, increases in engagement and motivation, rise in cost savings and resource efficiency and integrated focus on content quality and design are four of the most significant expectations of the one to one program.

Learning with iPad.

iPad changes the way teachers teach and students learn. It is thin and light, so your students can take learning way beyond the classroom. There are thousands of education apps, books, and courses, so lessons come to life like never before. And iPad has software designed exclusively for educators, so you can manage your classroom and collaborate with students in all-new ways.

Research shows that, in addition to boosting grades, it was also found that students who engaged in learning through 1:1 technology were more enthusiastic and engaged with their studies, built better student-teacher relationships and were gaining tech and problem solving skills to help usher them through the 21st century.

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EARLY UNIVERSITY @ MQTT

Early College blends high school and college in a rigorous yet supportive program, compressing the time it takes to complete a high school diploma and the first two years of college.

Early College begins with 9th-grade students to prepare them for the rigors of college. Dual credit courses may be offered beginning in 9th or 10th grade.

Early College goes beyond the state minimum requirement to offer enough dual credit courses that students can complete up to an associate's degree or the first two years toward a bachelor's degree while in high school.

Early College schools generally absorb the majority of college course costs rather than transferring those expenses to students or their families. Tuition costs are often substantially reduced in Early College programs.

Early College offers up to two years of dual credit coursework toward specific post-secondary degrees. Another option is a pathway to completing the general education core of courses required in most Indiana colleges and universities.

Early College establishes partnerships with one or more post-secondary institutions to enable students to accumulate credits toward a degree from the partner institution(s) or transfer them to another college.

Early College blends the high school and college curricula into one academic program using multiple courses leading to specific degree pathways. The model creates a college-going culture by integrating student's high school and college experiences intellectually and socially.

Early College provides students with a structured system of enhanced support to accompany the increased rigor of college classes.



COURSE PATHWAY

Business Technical Certificate

Introduction to Business	Introduction to Microcomputers
Business Law & Ethics	Integrated MS Office Applications
Principles of Marketing	Entrepreneurship & Enterprise
Business Ethics & Social Responsibility	English Composition
Student Success in Business	Introduction to Economics
Principles of Management	Consumer Behavior

Associates Degree in Business

Student Success University Transfer	College Algebra
Introduction to Computers	Introduction to Ethics
Introduction to Business	Introduction to Internships
Integration of MS Office Applications	Business Statistics
Principles of Management	Financial Accounting
Introduction to Communication	Introduction to Chemistry
Introduction to Psychology	Principles of Microeconomics
English Composition	Business Communications
Principles of Marketing	Managerial Accounting
Business Law	Principles of Macro Economics
Introduction to Biology	Evaluation / Professional Development



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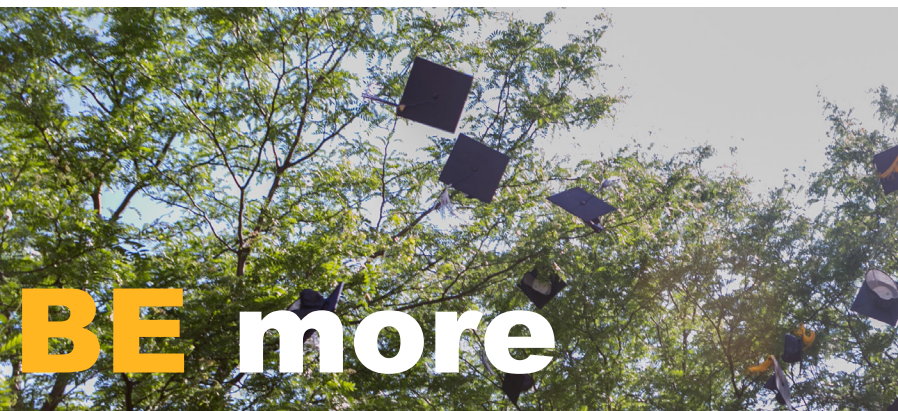
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DUAL CREDIT

By enrolling in dual credit courses at MQTT, students have the opportunity to earn college credit and to stand out in the college admission process. Through these course offerings, students are provided an opportunity to begin college work while in high school.

The rich course material, classroom discussions and demanding assignments will help students develop the content mastery and critical thinking skills expected of college students and feel confident in their abilities. They are designed for students with a solid academic foundation and a serious commitment to completing the course successfully.

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DUAL CREDIT @ MQTT

Improved Opportunities

Students who take dual / concurrent credit increase their eligibility for scholarships.

Financial Advantages

Taking college credit courses in high school saves money and time at the college level.

Satisfies Requirements

Dual / Concurrent credit courses satisfy most academic honors diploma requirements.

Graduate Early

Dual / Concurrent credit provides the opportunity to graduate from college early.

University and College Partnership

MQTT partners with Indiana University, Purdue University and Ivy Tech Community College in order to offer 60 college credits.

Academic Schedule

Indiana's Advance College Project and Purdue's Concurrent Enrollment Program are excellent opportunities for students to receive college credit through a university by taking courses offered at MQTT, during the regular school day and taught by qualified high school teachers.

Academic Honors

The college courses offered can be used toward the dual credit options of the Core 40 Diploma with Academic Honors.



COURSES AVAILABLE

60

CREDITS OFFERED

Art

Art History AP

Business

Honors Business Law
Honors Intro to Business
Honors Business Ethics & Social Responsibility
Principles of Marketing

Career & Technical Education

Honors Medical Terminology

English

Honors Elementary Composition I
Honors Elementary Composition II
Honors Public Speaking

Mathematics

Honors Calculus AB AP
Honors Concepts in Math
Honors College Math

Science

Honors Biology AP
Honors Chemistry II

Social Science

Honors U.S. History I
Honors U.S. History II
U.S. History AP
Honors Intro to American Politics
Honors Intro to Psychology
Honors Economics



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FRESHMAN COURSE SELECTION WITH HONORS (SAMPLE)

HONORS MATH
Algebra I, II or Geometry

HONORS ENGLISH

AP BIOLOGY

AP ART HISTORY

WORLD LANGUAGE

SPEECH / DEBATE

THEOLOGY

WORLD GEOGRAPHY & CULTURES

STUDENT SERVICES



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Honors English 9*

Honors English 9, is a course based on Indiana's Academic Standards for English/Language Arts and emphasizing the High School Literature Standards. This class is designed to introduce students to an array of classical and modern works of great literary merit in order to prepare them for 10th Grade Honors and subsequent honors level English courses. This course will assist students in developing their analytical and critical thinking skills through close readings of a variety of texts. Students will also conduct and participate in in-depth discussions of those texts, as well as compose well-written analytical responses to fiction and nonfiction selections. • Recommended Grade Level: Grade 9 • Recommended Prerequisites: Minimum 236 RIT Score on MAP testing • Credits: 2 credits, a two-semester course with 1 credit per semester • Fulfills an English/Language Arts requirement for the Core 40 and Core 40 with Academic Honors diplomas • Honors Course

Honors Algebra I*

Algebra 1 provides a formal development of the algebraic skills and concepts necessary for students to succeed in advanced courses. In particular, the instructional program in this course provides for the use of algebraic skills in a wide range of problem-solving situations. The concept of function is emphasized throughout the course. Topics include: (1) operations with real numbers, (2) linear equations and inequalities, (3) relations and functions, (4) polynomials, (5) algebraic fractions, and (6) nonlinear equations. Credits: 2 credits, a two-semester course with 1 credit per semester. Fulfills the Algebra I/Integrated Mathematics I requirement for the Core 40 and Core 40 with Academic Honors diplomas. College Preparatory Course GEOMETRY 2532 Geometry utilizes a variety of investigative strategies to examine the properties of two- and three-dimensional objects. Relationships and constructions of geometric objects include: 1) points, lines, angles, and planes; 2) polygons, with a special focus on quadrilaterals, triangles, and right triangles; 3) circles; 4) three-dimensional solids. The use of graphing calculators and other technologies is encouraged. Credits: 2 credits, a two-semester course with 1 credit per semester. Fulfills the Geometry/Integrated Mathematics II requirement for the Core 40 and Core 40 with Academic Honors diplomas. College Preparatory Course

Honors Algebra II*

HONORS ALGEBRA II 2522H Honors Algebra II extends and elaborates upon concepts introduced in Algebra I. This course develops students' critical thinking skills and introduces techniques and technologies commonly utilized in higher-level mathematics. Topics explored in Honors Algebra II include: 1) Manipulating algebraic expressions with emphasis on advanced factoring techniques 2) Operations with polynomials and algebraic fractions 3) Solving systems of equations and inequalities 4) Relations and functions 5) Graphical analysis 6) Sequences and series 7) Counting principles and probability • Recommended Grade Level: Grade 9 • Credits: 2 semester course; 1 credit each semester • College Preparatory Course • Fulfills the Algebra II/Integrated Mathematics III requirement for the Core 40 and Core 40 with Academic Honors diplomas. • Honors Course HONORS CALCULUS AB, ADV



Honors Geometry*

Honors Geometry utilizes abstract thought, deductive/inductive reasoning, and logical analysis to examine the properties of two- and three-dimensional objects. Relationships and constructions of geometric objects include: 1) points, lines, angles, and planes; 2) polygons, with a special focus on quadrilaterals, triangles, and right triangles; 3) basic trigonometric ratios; 4) circles and special lines in a circle; 5) polyhedra and other three-dimensional solids. Formal written proofs will be emphasized throughout the course. The use of graphing calculators and other technologies is encouraged. • Credits: 2 credits, a two-semester course with 1 credit per semester • Fulfills the Geometry/Integrated Mathematics II requirement for the Core 40 and Core 40 with Academic Honors diplomas • Honors Course

Honors Biology AP*

AP Biology is equivalent to two semester introductory college course that serves as a foundation in Biology for students wishing to enter into life science study in college. The course is focused on intensive studies of cellular structure, cellular communication, genetics and information transfer, evolution and the interactions of biological systems. A laboratory component reinforces concepts with a hands-on experience. Students are expected to be independent learners and have a mastery of biological and chemical background knowledge through previous courses. Students who take an AP Biology course will also develop advanced inquiry and reasoning skills, such as designing a plan for collecting data, analyzing data, applying mathematical routines, and connecting concepts in and across domains. Summer work is required for this class. Upon completion of the AP course, students are required to take the nationally administered examination in May. Prerequisites: 1) B final average or higher in Honors Biology or A final average or higher in Biology. 2) B final average or higher in Honors Chemistry or A final average or higher in Chemistry I.

- Recommended Grade Level: Grades 11, 12.
- Recommended Prerequisite: Biology I and Chemistry
- Credits: 2 credits, a two-semester course with 1 credit per semester
- Counts as a science course for the Core 40 and Core 40 with Academic Honors diplomas.
- Qualifies as a quantitative reasoning course Honors Course

AP Art History*

AP Art History is a course based on the content established and copyrighted by the College Board. The course is not intended to be used as a dual credit course. The AP Art History course is equivalent to a two-semester introductory college course that explores topics such as the nature of art, art making, and responses to art. By investigating a specific image set of 250 works of art characterized by diverse artistic traditions from prehistory to the present, the course fosters in-depth, holistic understanding of the history of art from a global perspective. Students become active participants in the global art world, engaging with its forms and content, as they experience, research, discuss, read, and write about art, artists, art making, and responses to and interpretations of art. All students will need to be able to identify about 250 images. They will need to know the form, function, content, and context of artworks. They will need to be able to compare and contrast artworks from different cultures and time periods.

- Recommended Grade Level: 9, 10, 11, 12
- Recommended Prerequisite: none
- Credits: 2 semester course, 1 credit per semester
- Counts as a Directed Elective or Elective for all diplomas
- Fulfills a Fine Arts requirement for the Core 40 Academic Honors diploma





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GLOBAL STUDIES



Marquette Catholic High School's Global Studies Program provides a global educational and service experience, open to all students, helping them travel from the classroom to the real world.

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MAKE THE WORLD YOUR CLASSROOM



TO BE GLOBAL, TO BE PASSIONATE, TO BE CONNECTED

In his best selling book *The World is Flat*, Thomas Friedman argues that globalization has changed the way in which we view the world. A reality of life in the 21st Century is we are now connected, almost on a daily basis, with people from all over the world.

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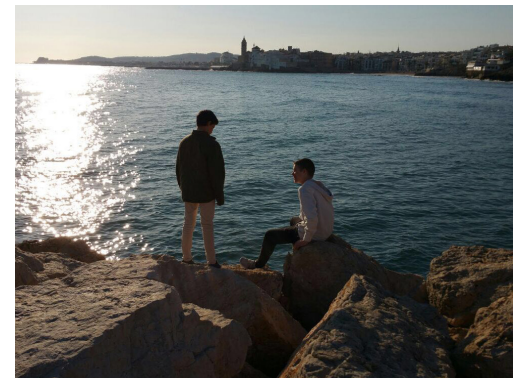
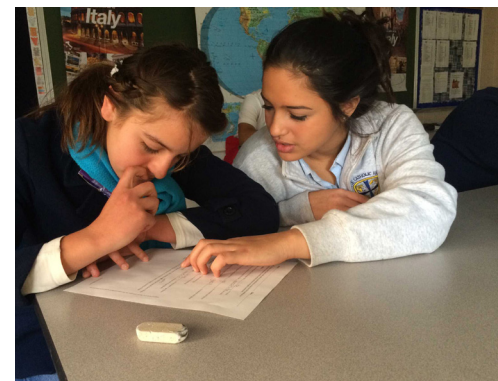
Study Abroad

In partnership with **The Oak House School**, MQTT offers a semester-long study abroad program. Students can spend three months studying in Spain and receive between eight and ten credits. This opportunity is extremely beneficial for those students looking to take their language and globalization skills to the next level. Students will study abroad from January to Easter Break.

The Oak House School is located in **Barcelona, Spain**. It is a combined primary, middle and high school. Students receive an entirely British education at Oak House. They follow the National Curriculum and classes are taught in English by teachers who are native-speakers of the language. In Year 2, pupils start learning Spanish, followed by Catalan in Year 3.

In partnership with **Saint-Denis International School**, MQTT offers a semester-long study abroad program. Students can spend three months studying in France and receive between eight and ten credits. This opportunity is extremely beneficial for those students looking to take their language and globalization skills to the next level. They will live on campus during the week and with host families on the weekends.

Saint-Denis is located in **Loches, France** - just two hours from Paris. Loches is a medieval town situated in the Heart of the Loire Valley, in a quiet and safe environment. It is the ideal learning destination. Saint-Denis is a combined primary, middle and high school.

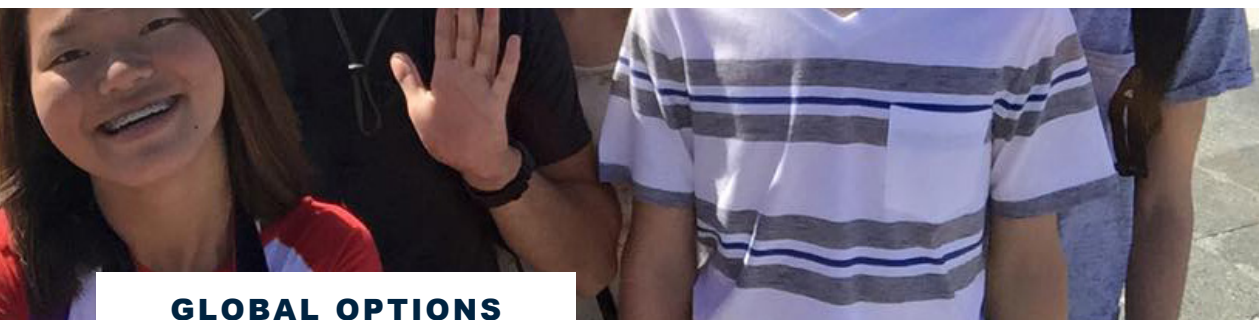




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GLOBAL OPTIONS

Cultural Immersion

In partnership with **St. Paul's School in Barcelona, Spain**, MQTT offers a month-long cultural immersion program. Students can spend one month studying in Spain and experience the culture and education of this country. Students participate in this experience typically in the spring semester. Participants will live with host families who are selected based on age and interests.

St. Paul's started out in 1968 in a small building in Calle Martorell y Peña in Barcelona. The move to Avenida Pearson 39 began in 1974 and was completed in 1989.

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Additional immersion experiences are available in **China and Guatemala**.

Educational Travel

Global travel awakens the senses—and mind—to different cultures and experiences. From climbing the worn steps of the Colosseum to practicing tai chi with Shanghai locals, unforgettable memories become priceless souvenirs. Experience a life-changing journey in just a few simple steps.

Travel to Berlin for a Global Summit, China for a cultural experience or take in Ireland - you choose.

Students return home inspired, confident and more connected to the world around them. But this is not the end of their journey—it is the beginning. The memories, experiences and discoveries they make abroad will continue to shape their perspective, as well as their future.



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Marquette Catholic High School, an urban school in the Diocese of Gary, is known globally for academic excellence and Catholic faith formation. Our students and teachers have a thirst for knowledge and learning. They live for the Common Good.

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GLOBAL MARKETS PORTFOLIO SIMULATION

Interactive investment learning tool featuring real data from over 50 global exchanges.

REAL TIME TRADING

All US Stocks, ETFs, Options, Futures, Spots, and Future Options trade at real-time bid/ask prices for the most realistic simulation possible.

GLOBAL EXCHANGES

Over 50 global exchanges, so students can trade securities and commodities from all over the world in the same portfolio, with real-time FX rates.

STREAMING RANKINGS

Compare portfolio returns over the past week, month, or the entire competition. You can also compare your risk-adjusted returns in any contest.

PROFESSIONAL RESEARCH

Get news, quotes, analyst ratings, historical prices, and option chains for every US security, plus much more industry and market research.

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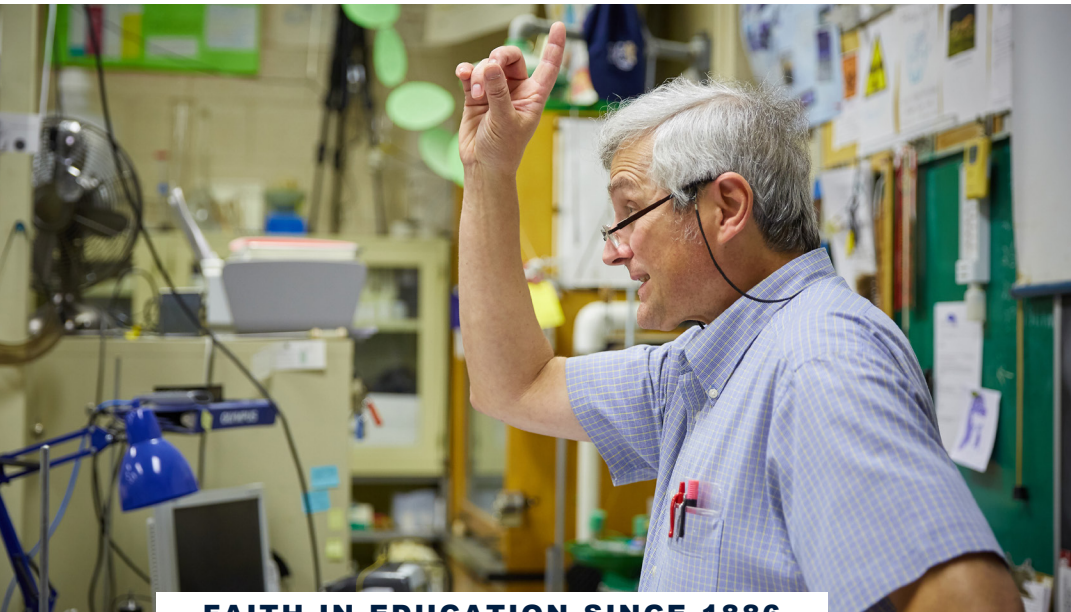


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Technology is simply a tool.

In terms of motivating and involving the students, the teacher is most important.

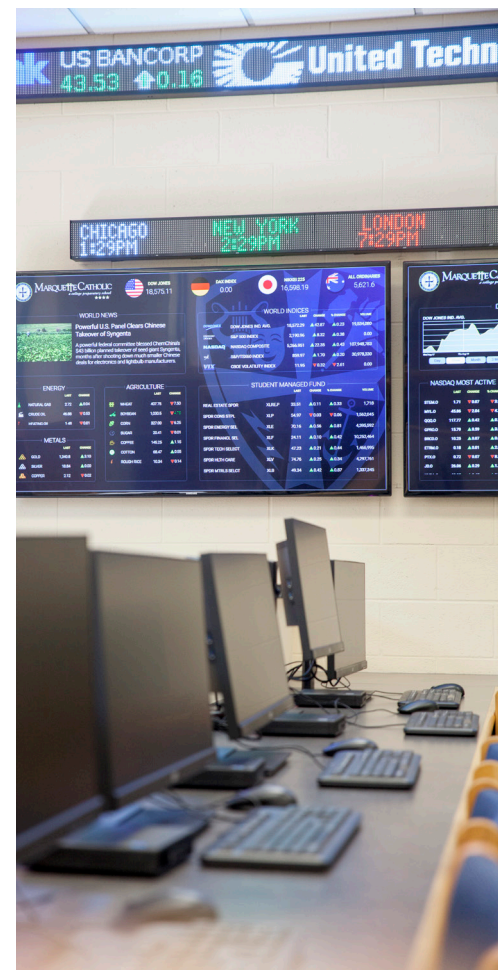
Marquette Catholic High School is committed to providing our students with high-quality faculty and staff whose knowledge, attitude, and beliefs are compatible with the MQTT mission and values. MQTT currently has 22 teaching faculty and 18 non-teaching staff. 55% of MQTT faculty and staff hold an advanced degree in their content area, and 23% of our faculty and staff are MQTT alumni.

MQTT teachers create intimate learning environments where our students can learn and grow. The use of technology and resources excites, involves and engages our students allowing a more comprehensive understanding of concepts and coursework.

As MQTT continues to advance in the preparation of our students for college and university success, the practice of hiring teachers with advanced degrees in their content area remains. University partnerships require those who teach their dual credit and AP courses to hold such degrees.

Marquette Catholic High School's teaching staff continues to be some of the most dedicated, involved and motivated educators in the area. Their focus is their students - on their learning and formation of their faith.

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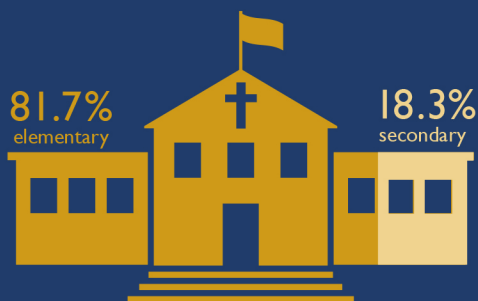
Catholic Schools Offer Academic Excellence and Faith-Filled Education

Catholic schools offer academic excellence and faith-filled education for students nationwide. National test scores, high school graduation rates, college attendance and other data show that Catholic schools frequently outperform schools in both the public and private sectors. While some Catholic schools are challenged by declining enrollments and school closures, the good news is that there is a strong demand and enthusiasm for Catholic schools – many have waiting lists for admission and new schools are opening. For more information, visit www.ncea.org.



Number of Catholic Schools in the U.S.

TOTAL SCHOOLS	6568
ELEMENTARY	5368
SECONDARY	1200



Source: U.S. Catholic Elementary and Secondary 2014-2015:
The Annual Statistical Report on Schools Enrollment and Staffing (NCEA)

Staffing Ratios

The average pupil/teacher ratio in Catholic Schools, determined by the full time equivalent teaching staff, was approximately 13:1.



NATIONAL AVERAGE 13:1



ELEMENTARY 14:1



SECONDARY 11:1

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College Attendance Comparison*

CATHOLIC	85.7%
OTHER RELIGIOUS	62.1%
NON-SECTARIAN	56.1%
PUBLIC	39.5%**

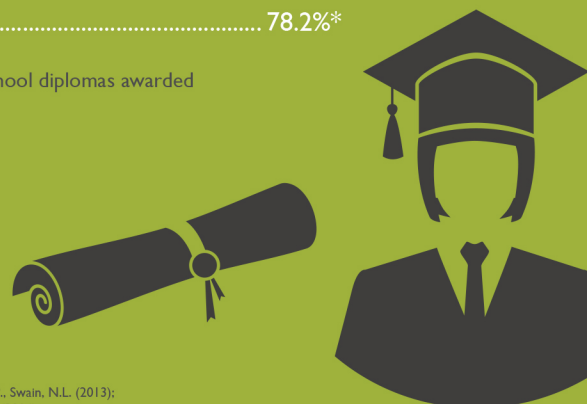
*data not available for community colleges,
technical schools or enlistment in the military

Source: Broughman, S.P., Swain, N.L. (2013); Stillwell, R., and Sable, J. (2014)

National Secondary School Graduation Rates

CATHOLIC	99.0%
OTHER RELIGIOUS	97.8%
NON-SECTARIAN	95.2%
PUBLIC	78.2%*

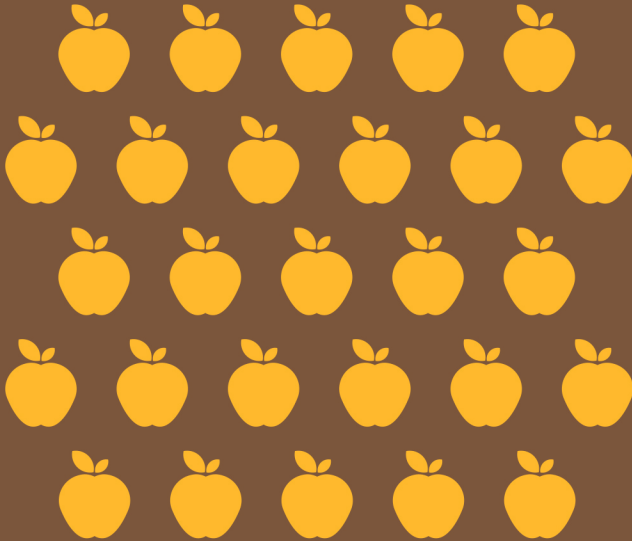
*actual high school diplomas awarded



Source: Broughman, S.P., Swain, N.L. (2013);
Stillwell, R., and Sable, J. (2014)

New Schools

In the 2014-2015 academic school year, **27** new Catholic schools opened across the country.



Source: U.S. Catholic Elementary and Secondary 2014-2015:
The Annual Statistical Report on Schools Enrollment and Staffing (NCEA)

A Gift to the Nation

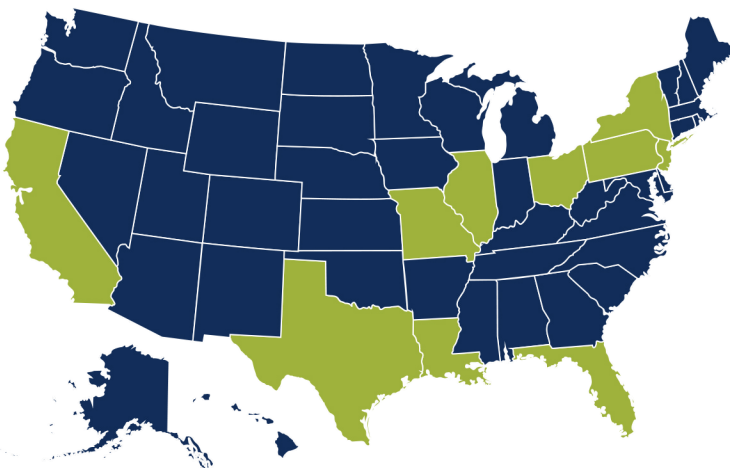
Based on the average public school per pupil cost of \$12,054, Catholic schools provide **\$24 billion** in savings each year for the nation.



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Top Ten States with Highest Catholic School Enrollment

CALIFORNIA
NEW YORK
ILLINOIS
PENNSYLVANIA
OHIO
NEW JERSEY
FLORIDA
LOUISIANA
TEXAS
MISSOURI



Source: U.S. Catholic Elementary and Secondary 2014-2015:
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Schools With Waiting Lists

Across the country, 2,044 schools (31%) have a waiting list for admission.

	NUMBER OF SCHOOLS	% IN REGION
NEW ENGLAND	134	32.8%
MIDEAST	465	32.3%
GREAT LAKES	334	21.2%
PLAINS	175	21.7%
SOUTHEAST	394	42.1%
WEST/FAR WEST	542	38.6%
TOTAL	2,044	31.1% of all schools

Source: U.S. Catholic Elementary and Secondary 2014-2015:
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TUITION ASSISTANCE

Since its founding in 1886, Marquette Catholic High School has supported its students and their families with assistance. Integral to the mission of the school since its earliest days, has been a commitment to provide a high quality Catholic, secondary education for young men and women from across Northwest Indiana. The school attempts to make it possible for all qualified students, regardless of family income, to attend Marquette Catholic High School. MQTT makes every effort to provide an affordable Catholic education to students by allocating funds for need-based tuition assistance.

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While we understand that it is a sacrifice for any family to send their children to a Catholic high school, all Marquette families are expected to make a serious financial commitment to pay their child's tuition.

There is no standard formula for determining the amount of tuition assistance awarded to a family. Each case is considered individually, assessing various factors. The tuition assistance application becomes available in mid-January online at marquette-hs.org. This application must be filled out by the parents or guardians of the student.

Several factors are taken into consideration when looking at each application - the level of participation in your home parish, children's

tuition, extraordinary family expenses and family situations. Once FACTS completes their evaluation, the results are sent to the school and are reviewed by the Tuition Assistance Committee. All information is held in the strictest of confidence. Assistance packages come in the form of grants and are applied directly to the family's tuition.

Marquette Catholic High School admits students of any gender, race or ethnic origin to all the rights, privileges, programs and activities made available at the school. We do not discriminate on the basis of gender, race or ethnic origin in the administration of our educational policies or policies related to scholarship opportunities, tuition assistance, athletics, and other school-administered programs.



FORMS OF ASSISTANCE

\$300,000
assistance awarded
in 2017 - 2018

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MQTT also participates in the Indiana School Choice Program. For more information about School Choice visit doe.in.gov/choice.

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