

MATER DEI HIGH SCHOOL SCHOOL PROFILE 2018-2019



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MISSION STATEMENT

Mater Dei, as a diocesan Catholic high school, recognizes each student as a gift from God. Working with the parents, who are the primary educators of their children, the school is dedicated to the development of the whole person. Each student is challenged by a college preparatory curriculum and is encouraged to reach his/her full potential through extensive co-curricular and extra-curricular programs. Mater Dei is a semester school on a traditional school year calendar.

Non-Discriminatory Policy: Mater Dei High School admits students of any race, sex, color, or ethnic origin to all the rights, privileges and activities generally accorded or made available to students at the school.

COMMUNITY FACTS

Diocesan Catholic High School – Diocese of Orange, CA

Established in 1950

2018-2019 Senior Enrollment: 535 Students
2018-2019 Total Enrollment: 2,159 Students

Mater Dei High School is accredited by the Western Catholic Educational Association (WCEA) and co-accredited by the Western Association of Schools and Colleges (WASC)

Member of the College Board; National Association for College Admission Counseling (NACAC); Council on Standards for International Educational Travel (CSIET)

Ethnic Composition: A microcosm of Orange County with 41% Caucasian, 28% Hispanic, 15% Asian, 3% African American, and 13% other or undeclared
Male: 46% / Female: 54%

FACULTY

Number of Professional Staff with B.S./B.A.	36
Number of Professional Staff with M.S./M.A.	69
Number of Professional Staff with a Teaching Credential	57
Number of Professional Staff with PhD	1

ADMINISTRATORS

Mr. Patrick Murphy	President
Ms. Frances Clare	Principal
Mrs. Erica Adams	Vice President of Advancement
Mrs. Geri Campeau	Assistant Principal/Academics & Technology
Mr. Lee Gaeta	Assistant Principal/Student Services
Mrs. Audrey Ganey	Assistant Principal/Personnel & Faculty Services
Mr. Dave Taylor	Vice President/Business Services

COUNSELORS

Mr. Arthur Aragon	Mr. Don Nguyen
Mrs. Kellie Bauer	Mrs. Vanessa Peña-Gautier
Ms. Sasha Lo	Mrs. Kelly Troisi
Ms. Mary McElroy	Mrs. Angie Young



DIPLOMA REQUIREMENTS: CLASS OF 2019

SUBJECT	YEARS	CREDITS
Religion*	4	40
English	4	40
Mathematics	3	30
Science	2	20
Social Studies	3	30
World Language	2	20
Visual or Performing Art	1	10
Electives	8	80
Total Credits		270

* RELIGION CLASSES ARE MANDATORY ALL 4 YEARS

GRADING SCALE / WEIGHTED SCALE

School Grades/Grading Scale are on a 4.0 Scale. Plus or minus grades are not issued.	GPA is weighted for Advance Placement and Honors Courses. Weighted scale:
A = 100 - 90%	A = 5.0
B = 89 - 80%	B = 4.0
C = 79 - 70%	C = 3.0
D = 69 - 60%	D = 1.0
F = below 60%	F = 0.0

**** Mater Dei High School does NOT rank students ****

COLLEGE ACCEPTANCES 2018 (GRADUATES)

University of California	243
California State University	287
Independent Universities, California	363
Out-of-State Universities	919

80% Attending a 4-Year University
18% Attending a 2-Year University



HONORS COURSES		
Admission varies among the departments. Some require a placement test, a specific academic grade-point average, summer assignments, participation in science or art fairs, entrance exam scores in specific subjects, or department chairs' approval. Students must maintain B grades to remain in subject. Each course is indicated by HN preceding the course title. Number of Honors classes: 34		
Literary Forms & Composition (English I)	Biology	Chamber Singers
World Literature (English 2)	Chemistry	Advance Theater IV
Algebra 1	Spanish I, II, III	Advanced Theater V
Geometry	Bilingual Spanish	Cultural Geography MUN
Algebra 2/Trigonometry	French II, III	World History MUN
Pre-Calculus	Chinese I, II, III, IV	Newspaper II, III, IV
Anatomy & Physiology	Latin I, II, III'	Yearbook II, III, IV
	Wind Ensemble	

ADVANCED PLACEMENT COURSES		
Advanced Placement Criteria: Students must be recommended for these courses by their Art, English, Foreign Language, Math, Science, or Social Studies teachers. Students must pass the appropriate placement exams and must have the approval of the respective Department Chair persons. Each course is indicated by AP preceding the course title. Number of AP classes: 24		
Art History	English Literature & Comp	Spanish Language
Biology	European History	Spanish Literature
Calculus AB	French Language	Statistics
Calculus BC	Latin	Studio Art: 2-D Design
Capstone Research	Macroeconomics	Studio Art: 3-D
Capstone Seminar	Music Theory	Studio Art: Drawing & Painting
Computer Science	Physics I	U.S. Government & Politics
English Language & Comp	Psychology	U.S. History

SAT SCORES			
CLASS OF 2018	MATER DEI	CALIFORNIA	USA
MATH	569	524	508
ERW	565	531	
TOTAL	1134	1055	

ACT SCORES			
CLASS OF 2018	MATER DEI	CALIFORNIA	USA
ENGLISH	24.5	22.5	20.3
MATH	23.0	22.7	20.7
READING	24.9	23.1	21.4
SCIENCE	23.3	22.2	21.0
COMPOSITE	24.1	22.8	21.0

CHRISTIAN SERVICE PROGRAM UNDER CAMPUS MINISTRY

All four-year students are required to complete 80 hours of Christian Service prior to graduation
Transfer students have their hour requirements adjusted accordingly

EXTRACURRICULAR ACTIVITIES	
	PERCENTAGE OF MD STUDENTS INVOLVED
THREE OR MORE ACTIVITIES	30%
ONE OR TWO ACTIVITIES	65%
NONE	5%

HONOR CLUB MEMBERSHIPS	
	NUMBER OF MD STUDENTS
CALIFORNIA SCHOLARSHIP FEDERATION	550
NATIONAL HONOR SOCIETY	345
NATIONAL ART HONOR SOCIETY	41

UNIVERSITIES WHICH HAVE ACCEPTED MD 2018 GRADUATES*

- Arizona State University
- Berklee College of Music
- Boston College
- Boston University
- Brown University
- Bucknell University
- Cal Poly San Luis Obispo
- Cal State Fullerton
- Chapman University
- Columbia University
- Cornell University
- DePaul University
- Duke University
- Embry Riddle Aeronautical Univ.
- Fordham University
- Georgetown University
- Georgia Institute of Technology
- Gonzaga University
- Harvard University
- Johns Hopkins University
- Loyola Marymount University
- Loyola University of Chicago

- Marquette University
- Michigan State University
- New York University
- Northeastern University
- Northwestern University
- Pepperdine University
- Pitzer College
- Princeton University
- Purdue University
- Rutgers University
- San Diego State University
- Santa Clara University
- Seton Hall University
- Syracuse University
- Southern Methodist University
- Stanford University
- St. Mary's College of California
- Texas Christian University
- The Ohio State University
- UC Berkley
- UC Davis
- UC Irvine

- UC Los Angeles
- UC Riverside
- UC San Diego
- UC Santa Cruz
- UC Santa Barbara
- University of Alabama
- University of Colorado
- University of Illinois
- University of Michigan
- University of North Carolina
- University of Oregon
- University of Pennsylvania
- University of San Diego
- University of San Francisco
- University of Southern California
- University of Texas, Austin
- University of Washington
- University of Wisconsin
- Vanderbilt University
- Villanova University
- Xavier University
- Yale University

*Click here for a complete college placement report