

SCHOOL PROFILE

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their path to excellence.

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Accreditations

- Western Catholic Education Association (WCEA)
- Western Association of Schools and Colleges (WASC)

School History & Lasallian Tradition

La Salle College Preparatory was founded in 1956 at the request of the Archbishop of Los Angeles, who wanted a Catholic boys high school to serve the northern and eastern sections of the San Gabriel Valley. Today, La Salle College Preparatory continues to function as a private Catholic, co-educational high school. It is a Lasallian School - an educational institution that draws its philosophy and inspiration from the life of Saint John Baptist de La Salle (1651-1719), founder of the Brothers of the Christian Schools and the patron saint of all teachers. The Christian Brothers have a reputation for excellence in education which extends back to 1680, and we are a part of a worldwide educational movement with schools throughout the world.

Of particular importance is La Salle's call to carry out the mission established by its founder, Saint La Salle, "to give a human and Christian education to the young, especially the poor, according to the ministry which the Church has entrusted to the Christian Brothers." Together we strive to understand and live by the five Lasallian Core Principles: Faith in the Presence of God, Concern for the Poor and Social Justice, Quality Education, Inclusive Community, and Respect for All Persons.

Today, some 4,400 Christian Brothers and 84,000 lay colleagues worldwide minister to nearly one million students in 1050 educational institutions in 80 countries on six continents. These schools serve nearly every ethnic group and religion around the world. In addition to providing strong academics, each Lasallian School also creates a community of persons deeply conscious of their responsibilities to each other, which is central to their success.

Student Enrollment & Demographics

At La Salle College Preparatory, there are 662 students from the ninth through twelfth grades. To maintain our Catholic identity, approximately two-thirds of our entering freshmen acceptances are of the Roman Catholic faith. In addition, 30% of our students are from low socio-economic families and receive full or partial tuition assistance through the San Miguel and Brother Celestine Scholarship Funds. Average student/teacher ratio is 14:1 and the average class size is 24.

Ethnic Background

• Caucasian	19.8%
• Asian & Pacific Islander	34.4%
• Latino	19.6%
• Other/Multi-Racial/Decline to State	22.7%
• African American	3.5%

School Schedule

Rotational bell schedule of 3 or 4 class meetings per day. Each class meets for 70 minutes.

Curriculum

La Salle's curriculum pursues a rigorous balance between college preparatory courses, religious education, and enrichment opportunities. It is also committed to a values-based preparation for college that flows from a commitment to religious principles. Service-learning is built into the curriculum during each of the four years. By the end of the senior year, students will have completed in excess of 75 hours of Christian service as part of their coursework. Graduation requirements meet or exceed the University of California minimum subject requirements for freshmen admission, with more than 100 courses currently UC certified or approved.

Required Courses

• Religious Studies*	4 years
• English	4 years
• Social Studies	3 years
• Math	Completion through Algebra 2
• Science	3 years of Lab Science
• World Languages	2 years
• Visual & Performing Arts	1 year
• Physical Education/Health	1 year

* Religious Studies courses are academically rigorous and grading is based exclusively on the student's academic achievement.

Graduation Requirements

280 units are required for graduation. Among those, 200 units are of required courses. Students are required to take 7 courses per year.

Advanced Placement & Honors Courses

The La Salle curriculum includes 22 Advanced Placement courses, in addition to honors courses in English, math, science, social studies and World Languages. Enrollment in AP and honors courses is restricted to those who qualify through academic achievement, placement tests, and teacher recommendations. Enrollment in AP science and AP Art & Design courses is restricted to those students who have already taken a one-year prerequisite course. In the spring of 2026, 314 students took 659 AP exams, with 90% of students obtaining a score of 3 or better on at least one of their exams.

Advanced Placement Offerings

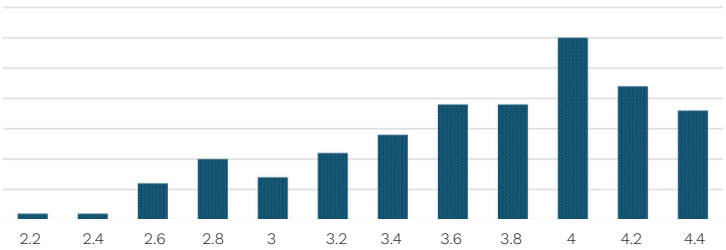
Art-Drawing/2D/3D Art&Design	French Language
Biology	Human Geography
Calculus AB	Government & Politics*
Calculus BC	English Language
Chemistry	English Literature*
Chinese Language & Culture	Macroeconomics*
Computer Science A	Physics C: Mechanics
Computer Science Principles	Physics C: E & M*
European History	Spanish Language
	Statistics
	US History

Honors Course Offerings

Algebra II	English IV
Biology	Geometry
Chemistry	Physics
English I	Precalculus
English II	Spanish II
English III	Spanish III

Grade Point Average & Ranking Policy

There are 162 students in the Class of 2027. The GPAs for the Class of 2027 are cumulative from grades 9 through 11 on a weighted 4.0 scale, and include all academic courses and advanced courses. La Salle does not rank its students.



Test Data

SAT Middle 50%				ACT Middle 50%	
Class	EBRW	Math	% Taken	Composite	% Taken
2027*	555-690	570-700	55%	28-34	14%
2026	560-670	490-690	71%	23-32	20%
2025	580-700	550-730	54%	22-30	23%

*As of July 2026

Grading

The traditional A-F grading system, with plus and minus, is used. There is no A+. Honors and AP courses are weighted with one extra point when calculating GPA.

College Acceptances & Matriculations

In the past four years, over 99% of our graduates entered college upon graduation, with 88% attending four-year universities and 33% attending out-of-state universities. Listed below are the four-year institutions the Class of 2026 is attending.

Aurora University	Concordia University Irvine	Santa Clara University	University of Kentucky
Azusa Pacific University	Emerson College	Sarah Lawrence College	University of Miami
Boston University	Hofstra University	Simpson University	University of Minnesota: Twin Cities
Brown University	Indiana University Bloomington	Texas Christian University	University of Missouri
California Lutheran University	Johns Hopkins University	Tufts University	University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill
California State University System	Linfield University	University College London	University of North Carolina School of the Arts
• Fullerton	Loyola Marymount University	University of Arizona	University of Oregon
• Long Beach	Loyola University Maryland	University of British Columbia	University of San Diego
• Los Angeles	Marquette University	University of California System	University of San Francisco
• Northridge	Mount Saint Mary's University (CA)	• Berkeley	University of Southern California
• Maritime	New York University	• Davis	University of Utah
• Pomona	Northeastern University	• Irvine	University of Washington
• San Luis Obispo	Occidental College	• Los Angeles	University of Wisconsin, Madison
• San Marcos	Oregon State University	• Riverside	University of Wisconsin, Platteville
• San José	Pepperdine University	• San Diego	Westmont College
Carleton College	Pitzer College	• Santa Barbara	
Carnegie Mellon University	Pomona College	• Santa Cruz	
Chapman University	Purdue University	University of Colorado Boulder	
Claremont McKenna College	Reed College	University of Florida	
Colorado State University	Saint Joseph's University	University of Illinois at Urbana Champaign	
	Saint Mary's College of California		