



MARIST CATHOLIC HIGH SCHOOL
Experience an amazing four years



What will you do at Marist?

YOU WILL GROW IN FAITH

With Catholic Christian faith as the foundation, education is a process that pursues wisdom and truth. Our curriculum and retreats are characterized by a palpable sense of self-discipline, graciousness, charity and hope. A Marist education inspires students to become moral, caring and competent leaders who, with a sense of joy and zeal, place their gifts at the service of the common good and pursue a social order that is attentive to the welfare and rights of others.

YOU WILL LEARN

Our goal is that every Marist graduate knows how to engage intellectually, takes responsibility for their learning, pays attention to detail in work and communication and demonstrates ethical behavior in academics and all aspects of their life. Marist students demonstrate fluency in academic subjects and skills required for graduation and a successful post-high school experience. Upon graduation, our students can contribute to collegial and work environments through actions and language that are positive and productive.

YOU WILL LEAD

Marist students learn to lead while understanding the larger implications of the social teachings of the Roman Catholic Church and pursue justice in light of those teachings. Our school offers a variety of ways in which students can lead, from Student Council to the National Honor Society, to a host of other clubs and sports. We hope that students learn to use their individual gifts and talents to serve family, community and the common good, along with demonstrating good stewardship towards all of God's creation.

YOU WILL BE KNOWN

With a class size averaging 21 students, you will have a close working relationship with your teachers. You will be welcomed and accepted into the Marist family and will have an opportunity to thrive in a safe and supportive environment. With an abundance of service, leadership, activities and sports available, you will find a home here.

Be known. Be a Spartan.



Faith in action

Faith is an important part of Marist. Every school day begins with prayer, a reminder that we are all “in the holy presence of God,” followed by the Pledge of Allegiance. The Mass, which is the central act of worship for Catholics, is celebrated monthly and on special occasions with the entire student body and throughout the year with teams, clubs and on retreats. Approximately 50% of students are non-Catholic, but everyone participates in these Masses. Our Mass is the best way we can live our motto, “We Are One.” (John 17:22)

RETREATS

Building community within each grade level is a goal and our retreats help students focus on identity and self-image, relationships with others and a relationship with God. Our Retreat Team works with the Campus Ministry Department to engage freshmen in an all-night on campus “Lock-In” event, two one-day, off-campus events and one two-night off-campus program for juniors and seniors.

PROCLAIM — LITURGICAL CHOIR

This full-year activity provides music for all Marist Masses and prayer services. Any student with musical talent and vocal or instrumental experience is encouraged to participate.

CHRISTIAN SERVICE EXPERIENCE

All students participate in this four-year education program that guides them through service experiences to deepen their commitment to others and their Christian identity. Our goal is to support students as they implement the principles and beliefs of the Christian lifestyle in their day-to-day lives.

CHRISTIAN LEADERSHIP CLASS

This two-semester junior/senior theology course provides fundamental leadership and peer facilitation skills within a Christian context. CLC participants offer direct service to all other Marist students and the greater Eugene/Springfield community.

In the classroom



*Marist Catholic High School is a Christ-centered, welcoming community committed to **academic excellence** and preparing students to lead and serve others.*

At Marist Catholic High School, our students, faculty and staff work together to foster a community that is committed to academic excellence, Christ-centered, socially responsible as well as healthy and balanced. From freshmen through senior year, Marist students are known to their faculty and each other, supported as they grow in their studies and as individual human beings and challenged to reach their fullest potential both in and out of the classroom.

Our goal is to combine exceptional academics with engaging extra-curricular activities and thoughtful spiritual formation so graduates are prepared for success in college and life.



Beyond the classroom

Student growth and development are not just limited to the classroom at Marist Catholic High School! Together, our student body and the faculty support dozens of clubs, groups and organizations. There is truly something for everyone! Student interest drives clubs and activities. As a result, offerings can change from year to year. Students are often able to choose from many opportunities, sampled below.

STUDENT COUNCIL

Student Council offers many opportunities for the general student body to become involved in the social activities of high school. A variety of social functions and community involvement projects are offered, including new student orientation, freshmen welcome week, homecoming and homegoing week.

NATIONAL HONOR SOCIETY (NHS)

Chapters in over 15,000 high schools nation-wide strive to give practical meaning to NHS' goals of scholarship, leadership, service and character. At Marist, NHS strives to recognize the whole student. Applicants must have a 3.6 GPA or greater to be eligible.

JUSTICE ACTION AT MARIST

The ultimate goal of Justice Action at Marist is to educate the Marist community and open up discussion on prominent issues that marginalized groups face in our communities and seek to establish positive change.

MODEL UNITED NATIONS

Students participate in a mock United Nations conference with other high schools from around Oregon, drafting position papers on assigned countries and topics that lead to solving global problems.

SPARTAN PAGEANT

Comprised of 12 senior boys and 12 senior girls, the Mr. & Ms. Spartan Pageant takes place each Spring as the culmination of a series of fundraising activities all geared to directly support the neonatal intensive care and pediatric units at Sacred Heart Medical Center at RiverBend.

Course Overview

Subject	Freshman	Sophomore	Junior	Senior
Theology 4 years (4 credits) Required	The Revelation of Jesus Christ Christology	Paschal Mystery Ecclesiology	Church History Sacraments Christian Leadership	Ecumenical & Inter-religious Studies Christian Moral Life Christian Leadership
English 4 years (4 credits) Required	English 9 Honors English 9*	English 10 Honors English 10*	American Literature AP English Lang. & Comp*	English 12 AP English Lit. & Comp*
History 3 years (3 credits) Required	World History	Modern World History AP European History* (CN)	US History AP US History* (CN)	Government & Politics: U.S. Economics AP Government & Politics U.S.* Honors Economics*
Mathematics 3 years (3 credits) Required	Algebra I A Algebra I Geometry Honors Adv. Algebra*	Algebra I B Geometry Honors Geometry/Trig*	Geometry Inter. Algebra (CN) Algebra II/Trig Honors Pre-Calculus/College Algebra* (CN)	Inter. Algebra (CN) Algebra II/Trig Honors Pre-Calculus/College Algebra* (CN) AP Statistics* (CN) AP Calculus* AB (CN) Intro to Stat. Reasoning
World Language 2 years (2 credits) Required	French I Spanish I	French II Spanish II	Honors French III* (CN) Honors Spanish III* (CN)	Honors French IV* (CN) Honors Spanish IV, I & II* (CN) AP Spanish V, VI* (CN)
Physical Education/Health 2 years (2 credits) Required	Lifetime Fitness I/II	Health I/II	Elective	Elective
Science 3 years (3 credits) Required	Physical Science Honors Physical Science*	Biology Honors Biology*	Chemistry Honors Chemistry* Anatomy/Phys.* (CN) Astronomy	Chemistry AP Chemistry B* (CN) Astronomy Anatomy/Phys.* (CN) AP Physics B* (CN)
* Honors Credit CN = College Now AP=Advanced Placement				

Fine Arts		Electives	
1 year (1 credit) Required		3 years (4 credits) Required	
Concert/Jazz/Pep Band (after school)	Sculpture	Film Criticism	Newspaper
Rock Band	Visual Arts	AP Intro to Computer	Yearbook
Drawing	Intro to Fine Arts	Science Principles (CN)	Strength & Agility
Photography 1 & 2	Studio Painting	20th Century Pop Culture	Advanced Fitness
		Street Law	

What is College Now?

At Marist, a course designated as College Now (CN) offers a student who successfully completes the requirements, college credit through a special partnership in place with Lane Community College (LCC). Upon graduation, students can request a transcript from Marist and send it to the college or university they will attend for articulation.



Technology at Marist

Marist students are issued a school-owned iPad as their primary learning device, paid for as part of their tuition as a part of our 1:1 Technology Integration, iPads for Learning initiative.

We know that while the tenants of our Catholic faith are timeless, we live in a rapidly changing world. Powerful technology is already a part of the daily lives of our students and is increasingly integrated into our culture's learning and social fabric. Students today must also be able to critically understand and thoughtfully apply an immense amount of information readily available to them through digital media. As a Catholic college preparatory high school, we believe we must prepare and guide students to navigate these changes through our faith's distinctive moral and ethical framework.

Equally important and central to our mission at Marist is the expectation of excellence in preparing students to learn and succeed in the 21st century. That preparation includes integrating the power and potential of technology into our strong academic programs, creating an even more dynamic and effective environment that helps students learn, grow, and thrive. Mobile learning devices will meet those challenges and allow for more flexibility and opportunities for learning. Teachers will have greater abilities to create an active and engaging learning environment.

Marist has explored the most effective ways to implement this necessary change. We have researched various platforms and electronic resources. We have looked at different models of staff training and student roll-out, and have visited several Catholic schools across the country that have already moved to a 1:1 program. Our conclusion — a 1:1 environment provides students with the best tools for learning and preparing them for college and beyond. And, we believe the iPad is the most effective, tested and sound economic option.



The arts at Marist

In education, “the arts” can be viewed as an indulgent addition to a student’s course load, but the Marist Arts Department reminds us that the arts are essential to the development of each person. Whether that is navigating a drawing, writing a script, taking on a character, playing an instrument, composing a photo or building a book — these skills are about discovery, bravery, self-expression and vulnerability. The arts aren’t merely an elective added to an academic experience, but a core step in developing students who are critical thinkers.

FINE ARTS

Electives include sculpture, studio paint, yearbook, newspaper and photography courses, all of which engage the creative psyche in blending together styles, imagery and culture. Our fine arts coursework encourages exploration of art, drama and music in our daily lives.

THEATRE

The theatre department holds open auditions for its fall play, winter Shakespeare performance and spring musical. Actors and technicians alike are welcome and encouraged to participate.

MUSIC

Marist offers three bands, all of which receive instruction and perform at events or concerts throughout the academic year. Whether you get energized with the Pep Band at a football game, the Rock Band’s winter concert or the Concert/Jazz Band’s spring jam session, music students enrich their minds and spirits simultaneously.



Spartans on the field

Marist is fortunate to have a fine athletic history that strengthens the relationships between our student athletes, coaches and the broader campus community as a whole in the present. Although each sport is unique, they all help to shape our ongoing priorities for student growth and development of character, integrity, perseverance and continuous improvement.



52
State
Championships



21
Oregonian Cups
and OACA All Sports
Championships



33
Athletic
Teams

FALL

Cheer (Boys & Girls)
Cross Country (Boys & Girls)
Football (Boys)
Soccer (Boys & Girls)
Volleyball (Girls)
Water Polo (Boys & Girls)

WINTER

Basketball (Boys & Girls)
Cheer (Boys & Girls)
Swimming (Boys & Girls)
Ski (Boys & Girls)

SPRING

Baseball (Boys)
Golf (Boys & Girls)
Lacrosse (Boys & Girls)
Softball (Girls)
Tennis (Boys & Girls)
Track & Field (Boys & Girls)

Student Services

ABOUT STUDENT SERVICES

The Student Services department provides comprehensive programs and services to optimize the academic, social, emotional and physical growth and potential of all students while recognizing each student as an individual. The Student Services team consists of experienced counseling professionals who advocate for and support student success during and beyond high school through solid partnerships with teachers, parents/guardians, leadership, and community organizations. The Student Services department provides a variety of services, including:

*Athletics, Athletic Training Support
Activities
Guidance/College Counseling
Student Conduct/Campus Safety
School Culture & Climate
Attendance
Resource Services & Accommodations*

*Tragedy Response/Care Team
Substance Prevention, Intervention & Assistance
In-School & Off-Site Credit Recovery
Community Partnerships
Health Office
Student Records
Transcripts*

COUNSELING DEPARTMENT

The Marist Counseling Department empowers all students to reach their maximum potential by using a comprehensive system that addresses academic, personal, social and career goals. We promote an environment to encourage personal inquiry and growth, social responsibility and academic excellence. School Counselors believe that every student can succeed through the collaborative efforts of school, home and community, leading to responsible and productive citizenship.

Marist Guidance Counseling goals include:

- Collaborate with students, parents, teachers and community resources
- Create and support a safe and healthy learning environment
- Enhance and promote learning processes for academic, career and social/emotional development
- Support optimal personal growth and promote the development of positive social skills and values
- Inspire goal-setting to help students realize their full potential as productive members of the community

College Counseling works with students to help them:

- Pursue an appropriately challenging curriculum that results in enhanced post-secondary educational options
- Create opportunities for students to identify their interests and abilities and match those with appropriate college and career options
- Successfully navigate the maze of college selection, financial aid and processes required for college application and admission

MENTAL HEALTH

Marist recognizes that mental health is a critical aspect of a teen's transition in high school. We promote various ways students can develop healthy habits to improve mental health, including exercising, eating healthy, getting enough sleep and appropriate and limited use of technology. Students facing challenges related to managing stress, depression, anxiety, suicidal ideation, relationships or other issues that may impact their mental health are encouraged to reach out to their parents, counselor, teacher, administrator or another trusted adult for help. Students facing an immediate crisis may also call the Crisis Intervention Line at (541) 687-4000.

RESOURCES FOR DIVERSE LEARNERS

Marist provides all students access to a rigorous curriculum to maximize their learning potential. We believe that students learn best when they have appropriate opportunities for success in a supportive and inclusive community.

ACCOMMODATIONS IN A COLLEGE PREPARATORY SCHOOL

As a college preparatory high school, Marist offers limited academic accommodations and supports for students diagnosed with disabilities whose needs can be met in the regular education setting. Marist is unable to provide modifications to the curriculum or specially designed instruction. For students who qualify for accommodations, the Director of Student Services will work closely with the counseling department, teachers, students, and their families to create a plan of support that begins upon admission and continues through graduation.

STUDENT SAFETY

Marist is committed to providing a safe learning environment free from harassment or bullying in any form. Harassment of any student by another student, staff member, volunteer, visitor, parent or vendor is prohibited. The school treats allegations of harassment and bullying very seriously and investigates such allegations promptly, taking any necessary corrective action. With a focus on community-building and in support of Catholic Church teachings, we expect all students, staff, parents/guardians, community members and visitors to contribute to Marist's positive school culture by treating each other with respect. Students are encouraged to report any bullying or harassment to a school administrator.

STUDENT CONDUCT

We expect respectful students to contribute actively to our Christ-centered, welcoming community. Marist takes pride in educating our students, encouraging them to contribute positively to the greater community. Assisting students in understanding guidelines to ensure the security, well-being, and education of all students takes a combined effort of the school, students, and families within our community. Marist emphasizes the development of Catholic/Christian values and the ethical behavior necessary to serve as a witness of our faith.



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