



St Thomas High School

A Transformative *Classical* Catholic Education.

Celebrating over 150 years of life-changing Catholic Education.

“The fear of the Lord is the
beginning of wisdom”
– Proverbs 9:10



Mission

St. Thomas the Apostle Catholic School exists to form disciples of Jesus Christ. Educating students in the Eucharistic culture and classical intellectual tradition of the Catholic Church, they are led to encounters with the transcendental Good, True, and Beautiful. In wonder, confidence, and virtue, students are prepared to engage our broken world for the glory of God, the good of others, and for their own sanctification.

“Christian education should be
an initiation into a universal
spiritual society – the
community of the *civitas Dei*”
– Christopher Dawson



Vision

As a *Catholic* school, we pursue an education integrated by the Catholic Faith as it has been handed on and lived in Christ's Church, pointing the students to love and wisdom.

As a *classical* school, we are rooted in the sources of the Western Tradition and pursuing a vision of transcendent reality by way of the 7 Liberal Arts.

With an *integrated* approach, we are united by a shared vision, much as the soul unites the human body. Our teachers form a community of friendship, supporting each other in the work of passing on the worship, ideas, and habits of a Catholic culture.

“In pursuit of the horizons – the horizontal things – have you failed to raise your eyes and mind and heart up to the stars, to the reasons for things, and beyond, as Dante says at the top of the tower of his poem: “To the love which moves the sun / And all the other stars?””

- *John Senior*

Curriculum Overview

A rigorous four-year curriculum taught through the lens of the Catholic Faith.

	9th	10th	11th	12th
Literature	Ancient Literature	Medieval Literature	Early Modern Literature	Literature of Catholic Culture
History	Foundations of Western Culture	Formation and Height of Christendom	Dividing of Christendom	Secularization of Christendom
Rhetoric	Grammar & Composition	Logic	Classical Rhetoric	Intro to Philosophy
Theology	Intro to the Creed and Faith	Old Testament	New Testament	Sacraments and the Church
Language	Latin I	Latin II	Latin III or Greek I	Latin IV or Greek I/II
Mathematics	Algebra/Geometry	Geometry/Algebra II	Algebra II/Pre-Calculus	Pre-Calculus /Calculus/ Advanced Math
Nature Studies	Physical Science /Astronomy	Biology	Chemistry	Physics
Fine Arts	Schola/Studio Arts /Performing Arts	Schola/Studio Arts /Performing Arts	Schola/Studio Arts /Performing Arts	Schola/Studio Arts /Performing Arts
Physical Education	Mandatory Household Sport Participation	Mandatory Household Sport Participation	Mandatory Household Sport Participation	Mandatory Household Sport Participation
Immersive Missions	Household Missions	Household Missions	Household Missions	Household Missions

Nascantur in Admirazione

“Let Them Be Born in Wonder.”

The Mass is Our Heart

Four days a week, students participate in the Holy Sacrifice of the Mass, the source and summit of everything that we do at school. No greater worship and opportunity for the formation of the students' hearts can be found than in the Christ's Perfect Sacrifice and Holy Communion with His Body, Blood, Soul, and Divinity.

The Three Pillars of Our Work

Veritas – pursuing the Truth
with love and rigor.

Pax – ordering the day in the peace of God,
forming students in the habits of
contemplative silence and prayer.

Bonum – loving what is true and excellent
in an incarnational way, a way of living the
Faith, a culture.



Hallmarks of St Thomas the Apostle High School

- Daily Mass and monthly confession
- Daily prayer grounded in Ignatian Spirituality
- Integrated Catholic liberal arts curriculum
- Small class sizes facilitating discussion
- Immersive missions – formation through meaningful work during the school day
- Boys' and Girls' Household formation, sport, and fellowship
- Intersection of the arts and spirituality – Iconography, Schola



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St Thomas the Apostle School expanding to Tenth Grade Fall 2023

For enrollment inquiries please contact the school office:

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