

SCHOOL PROFILE

2018-2019



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ACCREDITATION

Accredited by Association of Independent MD Schools, MD State Department of Education, and Middle States Association of Colleges & Schools. Member of Association of Independent MD Schools, Archdiocesan Association of Secondary and Elementary Schools, National Catholic Education Association, and National Association of Independent Schools.

ENROLLMENT

425 students
Grades 9-12: 349 Students
Class of 2019: 76 Students

FACULTY

53 Faculty and Staff
Student/Faculty Ratio: 9:1

HISTORY

Maryvale Preparatory School was founded in 1945 by the Sisters of Notre Dame de Namur as a boarding and day school for pre-primary through graduation. From 1948 to 1972, Maryvale enrolled girls and boys through Grade 8. Today, Maryvale is a Catholic college preparatory school for young women in Grades 6-12.

CURRICULUM

The school's curricular offering is designed to meet the needs of a diverse student population while preparing students for the rigors, structure and expectations of college. While 100% of students participate in a college-preparatory curriculum, flexibility and student choice are emphasized by offering multiple levels for each class: College Preparatory, Accelerated, Honors and AP. Courses for college credit are available through Anne Arundel Community College and Towson University, and Maryvale partners with The Virtual High School, an online educational resource. Due to small size of the graduating class and proficiency sectioning, **Maryvale Preparatory School does not rank.**

ST. JULIE BILLIART PROGRAM

The St. Julie Billiart (SJB) Program serves bright, college-bound students with diagnosed language-based learning differences. SJB students receive instruction from experienced learning specialists using proven instructional methods, allowing them to successfully navigate Maryvale's college-preparatory curriculum. Students in the program are represented in all levels of academics.

MISSION

Maryvale, a Catholic independent girls' school serving grades six through 12, affiliated with the Sisters of Notre Dame de Namur, provides an environment in which each student can reach her academic, spiritual, physical and civic potential in a loving, supportive and diverse community. Building upon its unique and special heritage, Maryvale's mission is to provide an exceptional education that responds to change and prepares young women for life.

HONOR ROLL

Honor Roll achievement is calculated each quarter and each semester. There are two levels.

First Honors	4.00 or higher in all courses
Second Honors	3.55 or higher in all courses

LEADERSHIP INSTITUTE & CERTIFICATE PROGRAM

The Leadership Institute, inaugurated in 2014, provides a focused approach to support curricular and co-curricular leadership offerings. Students may choose from a range of courses that cover topics like leadership styles, communication tools, strategic planning, resume preparation, interviewing techniques, project development and evaluation business fundamentals and innovation in entrepreneurship. Students in the Leadership Certificate Program, a selective, application-based program, complete four core courses as well as a semester-long Capstone Project.

ACT/SAT SCORES, CLASS OF 2019

Highest ERW	Highest Math	Highest Comp.	Mean Score
760 (99%)	760 (99%)	1490 (99%)	1170 (78%)

Highest ACT	MD State Avg.	Nat. Avg.	Mean Score
32 (98%)	22.7 (65%)	20.8	23 (68%)

NATIONAL MERIT SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM

Commended students in Class of 2019: 1

ADVANCED PLACEMENT 2018

In May 2018, 67 students completed 145 AP exams; 73% scored a 3 or above on one or more of the tests. Maryland state comparative average is 64%.

Students in AP Classes	AP Scholars	AP Scholars w/ Honors	AP Scholars w/ Distinction
67	6	1	12

AP Scholars – Score of 3 or better on 3+ exams; AP Scholars with Honors – 3 or better on 4+ exams; AP Scholars with Distinction – 3 or better on 5+ exams.

AP COURSE OFFERINGS
BIOLOGY
CALCULUS AB
CALCULUS BC
CHEMISTRY
COMPUTER SCIENCE
EUROPEAN HISTORY
MACROECONOMICS
MICROECONOMICS
ENGLISH LANGUAGE & COMPOSITION
ENGLISH LITERATURE & COMPOSITION
FRENCH LANGUAGE
GOVERNMENT & POLITICS
PHYSICS
SPANISH LANGUAGE
STATISTICS
STUDIO ART
UNITED STATES HISTORY
WORLD HISTORY

GRADUATION REQUIREMENTS	
SUBJECT	CREDITS
English	4
Mathematics	4
Science	3
Social Studies	3.5
World Languages	3
Theology	4
Visual & Perf Arts	1
Physical Education	.5
Wellness Issues	.5
Electives	2.5-4.5
Community Service	75 hours

WEIGHTED GRADING SCALE (AS OF FALL 2018)					
LETTER GRADE	NUMERICAL EQUIVALENT	COLLEGE PREP	ACCELERATED	HONORS	AP
A	93-100	4.00	4.125	4.25	4.50
A-	90-92	3.70	3.825	3.95	4.20
B+	87-89	3.30	3.425	3.55	3.80
B	83-86	3.00	3.125	3.25	3.50
B-	80-82	2.70	2.825	2.95	3.20
C+	77-79	2.30	2.425	2.55	2.80
C	73-76	2.00	2.125	2.25	2.50
C-	70-72	1.70	1.825	1.95	2.20
D	65-69	1.00	1.125	1.25	1.50
F	<65	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00

COLLEGES AND UNIVERSITIES THAT WELCOMED MARYVALE'S CLASS OF 2018

67 GRADUATES WERE OFFERED OVER \$9,800,000 IN SCHOLARSHIPS AND GRANTS

Alderson-Broaddus College
 Allegheny College
American University
 Arcadia University
 Auburn University
 Belmont University
 Boston College
 Bryant University
 Bucknell University
 Butler University
 Cabrini University
Christopher Newport University
 Clemson University
 Coastal Carolina University
 Colgate University
 College of Charleston
 College of the Holy Cross
 College of William and Mary
 Delaware Valley University
 DePauw University
Dickinson College
 Drew University
Drexel University *
Duquesne University
East Carolina University
 Eckerd College
Elon University
 Emerson College
 Fairleigh Dickinson University
 Florida Southern College
Fordham University

Franklin & Marshall College
 Frostburg State University
Full Sail University
 Gannon University
 George Mason University
Georgetown University
Gettysburg College
Goucher College *
 High Point University
 Hofstra University
 Howard University
Jacksonville University
James Madison University *
 La Salle University
 Le Moyne College
 Liberty University
Lincoln University
 Louisiana State University
Loyola University Maryland *
 Marietta College
Marist College
 Marquette University
 Marywood University
McDaniel College
 Monmouth University
Mount St. Mary's University *
 Notre Dame of Maryland University
 Old Dominion University
 Pace University, New York City
 Pennsylvania State University
 Providence College

Queens University of Charlotte
Radford University
 Rensselaer Polytechnic Institute
 Roanoke College
Roger Williams University
Saint Francis University
 Saint John's University
 Saint Joseph's University
 Saint Michael's College
Salisbury University
 Salve Regina University
 Seton Hall University
Sewanee: The Univ. of the South
 Shenandoah University
 Southwestern University
 St. Mary's College of Maryland
Stevenson University
 SUNY College at Geneseo
 Susquehanna University
The Catholic Univ. of America
 The College of Wooster
 The George Washington University
 The New School - All Divisions
 The University of Alabama
 The University of Scranton
 The University of Tampa
Towson University *
 Tulane University
 University of Alabama at Birmingham (UAB)
University of Dayton

University of Delaware *
University of Georgia
University of Kentucky
 University of Mary Washington
University of MD, Baltimore County *
University of MD, College Park *
 University of Mississippi
 University of New Hampshire at Durham
 University of New Haven
 University of North Carolina at Wilmington
University of Notre Dame
 University of Rhode Island
University of Richmond
 University of South Carolina
University of Tennessee, Knoxville *
Ursinus College *
 Villanova University
 Virginia Commonwealth University
Virginia Tech
Washington College
 Waynesburg University
West Virginia University *
 Widener University
 Wittenberg University
Wofford College
 Xavier University
York College of Pennsylvania

BOLD – colleges where students enrolled
*** more than one student enrolled in these colleges/universities**

100% of Maryvale Preparatory School graduates continue their education at a college or university.