# Trinity Catholic High School School Profile



2025-2026





# **Diocese of Orlando Mission Statement**

The cornerstone of the Catholic schools in the Diocese of Orlando is their Catholic Identity. Our schools proclaim the Gospel message within an academic environment of excellence that challenges students to be creative and critical thinkers who integrate faith, moral leadership and compassionate service in order to create a more just and humane world.

# **Trinity Catholic High School Mission Statement**

Trinity Catholic High School, a Christ-centered community, provides students an opportunity to deepen their relationship with God, to excel academically, and to commit to a life of service to others.

### **Trinity Catholic High School Vision Statement**

A Trinity Catholic graduate will be a person of integrity and faith who is inspired by a Catholic worldview that fosters a respect for all faith traditions.

A Trinity Catholic graduate will actively bring about the kingdom of God and will use his or her unique talents to spread love to others through good citizenship and service.

A Trinity Catholic graduate will be a critical thinker who is committed to lifelong learning and is academically prepared for the challenges of society.

#### **Faculty**

Trinity Catholic High School has a professional staff of 45 men and women, 64% of which hold advanced degrees. The average teaching experience of the faculty is 15.4 years.

# **Student Body**

Trinity Catholic's student body represents a broad range of economic, ethnic, and religious backgrounds. The school welcomes all levels of academic ability, from average to honors—preparing each graduate to matriculate to an institution of higher education.

#### History

TCHS was established by the Most Reverend Bishop Dorsey in the year 2000. The school is owned and administered by the Diocese of Orlando.

## **Diocese of Orlando Accreditation Policy**

TCHS must provide an excellent academic program with a faith-filled environment. TCHS is accredited by Florida Catholic Conference and Cognia.

#### **TCHS Contact Information**

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# Administration

President	Mr. Lou Pereira
Principal	Mrs. Tammie Vassou
Assistant Principal of Curriculum	Mrs. Colleen Geradine
Assistant Principal of Student Services	Mrs. Paulette Chitty
Dean of Students	Mrs. Malia Kapono-Nelson
Dean of Student Life	Mr. Michael Young

# **Student Activities**

Trinity Catholic students are holistic individuals that participate in several activities outside of the classroom leading to college scholarship opportunities. In addition to a rigorous college preparatory curriculum, many students participate in sports, the arts, and community service.

- 98% of students are involved in at least one of the 40+ extracurricular activities offered
- 13 team/individual State Championships
- 41 Regional Titles
- 119 District Titles

# Class of 2025

Typically 96-98% of Trinity Catholic graduates attend college. In the class of 2024, 131 graduates matriculated as follows:

Entered college: 84% Entered military: 3%

Total Scholarships Reported: \$1,391,790.00 Community Service Hours (4 Year Total): 26,124

ACT Scores	SAT Scores	Academic Honors
Top 10% - 30	Top 10% - 1273	National Honor Society members - 37%
Top 25% - 28	Top 25% - 1185	Summa Cum Laude (4.0 and above) - 33%
Florida - 20.4	Florida - 993	Magna Cum Laude (3.5 - 3.99) - 27%
National - 20.3	National - 1088	Cum Laude (3.0 - 3.49) - 23%

Florida State University

Abraham Baldwin Agricultural College Arizona State University -	Franciscan University of Steubenville Furman University	St. Andrews University St. Francis College
Tempe	·	-
Auburn University	Hawaii Pacific University	St. John's University – New York
Barry University	Jacksonville University	St. Thomas University
Belmont Abbey College	Johnson & Wales University – Charlotte	Stetson University
Belmont University	Keiser University – Flagship Campus, FL	United States Military Academy at West Point
Brewton-Parker College	Louisiana State University	The University of Alabama
Clemson University	Loyola University Chicago	The University of Tampa
College of Central Florida	Loyola University New Orleans	The University of West Florida
College of Charleston	Lynn University	University at Buffalo
College of Charleston Honors	Michigan State University	University of Central Florida
Program Eckerd College	Midway University	University of Florida
Embry-Riddle Aeronautical University – Daytona Beach	Mississippi State University	University of Georgia
Emory & Henry College	North Carolina State University at Raleigh	University of Kentucky
Flagler College	Nova Southeastern University	University of Memphis
Florida Atlantic University	Ohio State University – Main	University of Miami
Florida Atlantic University – Wilkes Honors College	Campus Palm Beach Atlantic University	University of Mississippi
Florida Gulf Coast University	Pennsylvania State University – Penn State Main Campus – Smeal College of Business	University of Mount Saint Vincent
Florida Institute of Technology	Pfeiffer University	University of North Florida
Florida International University	Purdue University – Main Campus	University of South Carolina – Columbia
Florida Polytechnic University	Saint Leo University	University of South Florida – Main Campus
Florida Southern College	Santa Fe College	Webber International
Elonida Stata University	Spalding University	University

**Spalding University** 

# **Curriculum and Graduation Requirements**

Trinity Catholic High School offers an expanded college preparatory curriculum designed to meet the needs of all types of learners. The four levels of courses offered: College Preparatory, Honors, Advanced Placement, and Dual Enrollment are designed to challenge students academically and prepare them for college admission. Twenty-eight credits are required for graduation in the following subject areas:

Subject	Minimum Graduation Requirement Credit/Year	Requirements
English	4 credits	1 per year
Mathematics	4 credits	1 per year
Science	3 credits	
Social Studies	3 credits	
Religion	4 credits	1 per year
Practical/Fine Arts	1 credit	
Physical Education/HOPE	1 credit	
World Language	2 credits	
Electives	6 credits	

#### **Grade Information**

All students take seven courses each year. Cumulative grade point averages are based on semester grades. The semester grade is computed by combining quarter grades with semester exams. Grade point average is weighted. Honors, Advanced Placement, and Dual Enrollment courses receive additional weight.

Trinity Catholic High School transitioned to Alpha Final Semester Grades beginning with the 2022 - 2023 school year. Final grades prior will be reported as a Numeric Final Grade.

Com	putation	Points	Honors	AP/Dual Enrollment
A	90 - 100	4.0	4.5	5.0
В	80 - 89	3.0	3.5	4.0
С	70 - 79	2.0	2.5	3.0
D	60 - 69	1.0	1.0	1.0
F	0 - 59	0.0	0.0	0.0

# **Advanced Placement/Dual Enrollment**

These classes provide an additional challenge to those students who possess a high level of responsibility, are capable of independent work, and exhibit highly-developed thinking skills. Any student taking an advanced placement course must take the AP exam in May. TCHS uses a 0.0 to 5.0 weighted cumulative GPA Scale. The difference in these course offerings is not necessarily content, although some adjustments are made in the reading level of the textbooks used. The primary difference is the pace at which material is presented. Most courses are college preparatory.

Advanced Placement			
AP Biology	AP Computer Science Principles	AP Literature & Composition	AP Spanish Language & Culture
AP Calculus AB	AP Drawing	AP Macroeconomics	AP Studio Art
AP Capstone Research	AP Environmental Science	AP Music Theory	AP United States Government & Politics
AP Capstone Seminar	Capstone Seminar AP Human Geography AP Precalculus		AP United States History
AP Chemistry	AP Language & Composition	AP Statistics	AP World History

Dual Enrollment			
Barry University	College of Central Florida	Embry-Riddle University	
Sacraments	Freshman Composition I & II	Principles of Aeronautical Science	
Comparative Religion	Introduction to Literature	Private Pilot Operations	
	College Algebra	Unmanned Aircraft Systems	
	AA Degree Options	Unmanned Aircraft Systems - System Security	
		Unmanned Aircraft Systems - System Operations	