

Upper School Profile 2011-12



CASCIA HALL
A Catholic College Preparatory School



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School Code 373-595

SCHOOL INFO 2011-12 Academic Year

Type: Private, Catholic, College Preparatory, Established in 1926 by the Order of St. Augustine

Grades:

Middle School 6–8
 Upper School 9–12

Enrollment:

Upper School 407
 2012 Senior Class 93

Calendar: 4-1-4 (Includes a January Minimester, or winter term, during which juniors and seniors can be off campus for community service or career exploration)

Accreditation: North Central Association, State of Oklahoma, Augustinian Secondary Education Association

Faculty Size (Grades 6–12) 60
Degrees: Doctorates-1; Masters-34; Bachelors-25

Student/Faculty Ratio 12/1

Average Class Size 18

CURRICULUM

English: Grammar and Composition, Composition, Pre-AP Literary Analysis, The American Experience, AP Language & Composition, AP Literature & Composition, World Masterpieces

Math: Algebra I, Geometry, Algebra II, Algebra II/Trig, Trig/Pre-Calculus, AP Calculus AB, AP Calculus BC, Trigonometry/Statistics, AP Statistics

Science: Biology, Pre-AP Biology, AP Biology, Chemistry, Pre-AP Chemistry, AP Chemistry, Physics, AP Physics, Human Anatomy & Physiology, Environmental Studies

Social Studies: U.S. History & Government I & II, U.S. History & Government III & IV, Oklahoma History, World History, AP European History, AP U.S. Government & Politics, Psychology, History of Japan: Historical Survey, Cultural Anthropology: An Introduction

Theology: Introduction to Old Testament, Introduction to New Testament, Teachings of the Catholic Church, Church History, Applied Ethics, Christology, World Religions, Confessions of St. Augustine, Introduction to Philosophy, Christian Relationships & Marriage, Synoptic Gospels, Apologetics, Social Teachings of the Catholic Church

Foreign Language: Chinese I, II, III, IV, V; French I, II, III, IV, V; German I, II, Survey of German Lit., German Contemporary Lit; Latin I, II, Vergil, Cicero; Spanish I, II, III, IV, Pre-AP Spanish, AP Spanish

Fine Arts: Art I, II, III, Studio Art, AP Art, General Chorus, Performance Ensemble, Beginning Photography, Advanced Photography, Competitive Acting, Musical Theatre, Technical Theatre, Intermediate Guitar

General Electives - SAT/ACT Prep, Creative Writing, Journalism, Study Hall, Speech, Beginning Debate, Advanced Debate, Yearbook

AP Courses - English (2), Calculus (2), Statistics, Biology, Chemistry, European History, Government, Physics, Spanish, Art

The school recommends that students take no more than two AP classes each semester; three or more are allowed with special permission.

Cascia Hall does not designate any courses on the transcript as "Honors." With limited enrollment, competitive admission standards and a competitive grading scale, all courses other than AP courses are considered "Honors."

GRADUATION REQUIREMENTS

English	4
Math	4
Science	4
Social Studies	4
Foreign Language	2
Theology	3.5
Fine Arts	1
Career Exploration	.5
College Application Seminar (pass/fail)	.25
Other/Electives	5.5

Minimum Credits for Graduation: 28.5 - Every student takes a course in English, Math, Science, Social Studies, and Theology each term. Students are required to actively participate in the Caritas Project to provide Christian service to the poor and vulnerable.

GRADING SCALE

A = 90–100%; B = 80–89%; C = 70–79%; D = 60–69%; F = 0–59%. By school policy, grades are computed on a 4.0 scale, with *AP courses weighted*. A student's average reflects only grades earned at Cascia Hall. **CASCIA HALL DOES NOT RANK.**

COLLEGE MATRICULATION

Class of 2011: 100% of the 94 graduates matriculated to a college or university. See the list of college acceptances and choices on the reverse side.

Cascia Hall welcomes and encourages visits from colleges nationwide. Colleges typically visit with students on M/W/Th/F at 9:50 am., or during lunch at 12:40 pm on M/W/Th/F or 12:50 pm on Tuesdays.

CLASS OF 2011 COLLEGE ACCEPTANCES

Alabama	Colorado School of Mines	Manhattan College	St. Mary's at Notre Dame
American	Mines	Marymount Univ.	St. Mary's of California
Arkansas	Colorado State	Miami, Univ. of	St. Olaf
Arizona	Cornell College	Mississippi, Univ. of	School of the Art Inst. of Chicago
Arizona State	Creighton	Missouri State	School of Visual Arts – NY
Auburn	Dallas, Univ. of	Missouri, Univ. of	Sewanee, Univ. of the South
Barry	Denver, Univ. of	Newman Univ.	Smith
Baylor	DePaul	New York Univ.	South Carolina, Univ. of
Belmont	DePauw	Northeastern State – OK	Southern Cal, Univ. of
Beloit	Drury	Northeastern A&M – OK	Southern Methodist Univ.
Benedictine	Embry-Riddle	Notre Dame, Univ. of	SUNY: Albany
Bethel	Fordham	Okla. Baptist Univ.	Stony Brook Univ.
Biola	Ft. Lewis College	Okla. City Univ.	Syracuse
Boston College	Georgetown	Oklahoma State Univ.	Tennessee, Univ. of
Boston Univ.	Georgia, Univ. of	Oklahoma Univ.	Texas A&M
Butler	Gonzaga	Parsons School of Design – NY	Texas Christian Univ.
U. Cal: Berkeley	Hamilton	Pratt Institute - NY	Texas, Univ. of at Austin
U. Cal: Los Angeles	Harvard	Pepperdine	Transylvania
U. Cal: Santa Barbara	Hawaii, Univ. of	Providence College	Trinity College – CT.
U. Cal: San Diego	Hendrix	Purdue	Tulane Univ.
Cal Poly	Houston, Univ. of	Regis in Denver	Tulsa Community College
Carnegie Mellon	Illinois, Univ. of	Rhodes	Tulsa Univ.
Case Western	Ithaca College	Rochester, Univ. of	Ursinus
Central Oklahoma	Kansas Univ.	Rockhurst	Vanderbilt
Centre College	Kentucky, Univ. of	Rose-Hulman Inst. of Tech.	Vassar
Chapman	Lake Forest	San Diego, Univ. of	Villanova
Chicago, Univ. of	Lawrence Univ.	Santa Clara	Wake Forest
Clemson	Lipscomb	Santa Fe Univ. of Art & Design	Wash. Univ. in St. Louis
Coker College	Lehigh	St. Gregory's	Westminster in Missouri
Colgate	Louisiana State	St. Joseph's Univ.	Westmont College
College of Charleston	Loyola: Chicago	St. Louis Univ.	William Jewell
Colorado: Boulder	Lyon College		

CLASS OF 2011 COLLEGE CHOICES

American	Northeastern OK A&M
Arizona State	Northeastern Ok. State
Arkansas, Univ. of	Oklahoma State Univ.
Auburn Univ.	Oklahoma Univ.
Baylor Univ.	Parsons School of Design
Belmont Univ.	Purdue Univ.
Benedictine College	Regis in Denver
Boston College	Rhodes College
Boston Univ.	Rochester, Univ. of
California, Univ. of at Berkeley	Rockhurst Univ.
California, Univ. of at Los Angeles	St. Louis Univ.
Chicago, Univ. of	St. Mary's of California
DePauw	Southern Cal, Univ. of
Embry-Riddle	Southern Methodist Univ.
Harvard	Texas, Univ. of at Austin
Kansas Univ.	Texas Christian Univ.
Kentucky, Univ. of	Tulane Univ.
Louisiana State	Tulsa Community College
Mississippi, Univ. of	Tulsa Univ.
Missouri State	Vanderbilt Univ.
New York Univ.	Villanova Univ.
Newman Univ.	

STANDARDIZED TESTING

PSAT/NMSQT COLLEGE BOUND JUNIORS - CLASS OF 2010-11

	Critical Reading	Math	Writing
75-80	2	0	3
70-74	5	6	4
65-69	5	12	4
60-64	13	18	15
55-59	18	13	12
50-54	23	23	21
45-49	16	13	19
40-44	8	5	9
35-39	1	2	4
30-34	2	1	2
25-29	0	0	0
20-24	0	0	0
Avg Score	54.5	56.3	53.6

2010-11 National Merit
Finalists-3 Commended-4

STANDARDIZED TESTING

SAT CLASS OF 2010-11

	Critical Reading	Math	Writing
700 - 800	8	9	7
600 - 690	33	33	32
500 - 590	33	35	37
400 - 490	16	10	12
300 - 390	0	3	2
200 - 290	0	0	0
Avg Score	583	584	584
Middle 50%	520-620	530-630	530-650

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GPA DISTRIBUTION BY PERCENTAGE - Grades 9-12

4.0	22%
3.5-3.9	33%
3.0-3.49	26%
2.5-2.99	11%
2.0-2.49	6%
0.0-1.99	2%

2010-11 AVERAGE ACT SCORES

English	Math	Reading	Science Reasoning	Composite
26.9	25.4	26.6	25.3	26.2