



Fordham Preparatory School

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Mission Statement

Our mission is to form leaders committed to faith, scholarship, and service through a college preparatory education in the Catholic Jesuit tradition.

School Community

Fordham Preparatory School is an independent, private, Jesuit, all-male, Catholic, college preparatory school located on the campus of Fordham University in the Bronx, New York. Commitment to service and the development of personal and communal faith are central to the Fordham experience. The students who attend Fordham Prep come from a wide range of public and private grammar schools located in areas as diverse as the Bronx, Manhattan, Queens, Long Island, Rockland and Westchester counties, as well as from Connecticut and New Jersey. The student body represents a rich diversity of socioeconomic and ethnic backgrounds: Over 38% of the students are ethnicities other than Caucasian. Tuition for the 2019-2020 academic year is \$20,960.

Faculty

There are 83 members of the faculty (23 women and 60 men) including 6 Jesuits at the Prep. This year, 94% of the faculty hold post-graduate degrees including 9 who have earned their doctorates.

Enrollment 2019-2020

270 Freshmen | 236 Sophomores | 234 Juniors | 243 Seniors

Total 983

Student to Faculty Ratio 12:1

Average Class Size 21

Curriculum

At the heart of Jesuit education is the rigorous study of the humanities and the sciences, reflecting the conviction that the study of great ideas is inextricably linked to the formation of character. Our program of studies encompasses more than the acquisition of knowledge; it fosters academic discipline and encourages reflection in the pursuit of excellence.

Advanced Placement Program

Students must have a qualifying grade in a prerequisite class and a teacher recommendation to enroll in AP courses. Students may begin taking AP classes in their sophomore year. Any student wishing to take more than three AP courses a year must receive special approval from the academic assistant principal. *All students enrolled in an AP class are required to take the exam.*

Disciplinary issues are private matters between a student, his family and the school. As long as a student remains a member of our school community, it can be assumed he is in good standing and not subject to any extended interventions.

Fordham University Courses

Qualified seniors may take one course each semester at Fordham University. Students attend class with matriculated undergraduates and are awarded credit from the University.

Christian Service Program

Fordham Prep is committed to instilling in its students the belief that what they have been given and learn is to be put in service of all God's creation, especially people in need. To achieve the goal of making Christian service an integral part of every student's experience, Fordham has a four-year service program for all students.

Distance Learning

Distance learning courses are offered to students through approved organizations. Students may take distance learning courses during the summer for enrichment or high school credit.

Courses

Classical & Modern Languages

(4 credits required)*

French Honors 1, 2, 3,
French 4 Tutorial Honors
German Honors 1, 2, 3, 4
Greek Honors 1, 2, 3, 4
Italian 1, 2, 3
Italian Honors 2, 3, 4
Latin 1, 2, 3, 4
Latin Honors 2, 3
Latin 3 Advanced Honors
Latin Prose & Poetry Honors
AP Latin
Mandarin Chinese Honors
1, 2, 3, 4
AP Chinese Language &
Culture
Spanish 1, 2, 3
Spanish Honors 2, 3
Spanish Heritage Honors
AP Spanish Language &
Culture
AP Spanish Literature &
Culture

English

(4 credits required)

English 1, 2, 3
English Honors 1, 2, 3
English 2 Advanced Honors
The Graphic Novel
The Quest Motif in
Literature Honors
Short Story
Writing for the Media
Writing Seminar Honors
AP English Language
AP English Literature

Mathematics

(3 credits required)

Algebra 1
Algebra 2 Honors
Geometry
Geometry Honors
Geometry Advanced
Honors
Algebra 2/Trig
Algebra 2/Trig Honors
Algebra 2/Trig Advanced
Honors
Precalculus
Precalculus Honors
Calculus
Calculus Honors
AP Calculus AB
Calculus 2 Advanced
Honors
Statistics Honors
AP Statistics
Computer Science Honors
Java Programming

Religious Studies

(4 credits required)

Religious Studies 1
Religious Studies 2
Religious Studies 3
Religious Studies 4:
Christian Quest for
Social Justice
Philosophy of Religion
Psychology and Faith
The Quest for the
Male Soul
Seminar Honors
Theology of Sport
World Religions

Science

(3 credits required)

Biology
Biology Honors
AP Biology
Chemistry
Chemistry Honors
Chemistry Advanced
Honors
AP Chemistry
Physics
Physics Honors
AP Physics 1
Aeronautical Science
Biochemistry Honors
Biological Anthropology
Honors
Engineering Science
Forensic Science

Social Studies

(3 credits required)

Global Studies 1, 2
Global Studies Honors 1, 2
U.S. History
U.S. History Honors
Economics Honors
Pre-Law/Great
Constitutional Issues
AP European History
AP Macroeconomics
AP Psychology
AP U.S. History
AP U.S. Government
& Politics
AP World History

Visual & Performing Arts

(1 credit required)

Architectural Drawing
Studio Art 1, 2
AP 2D Art & Design
Art History Honors
AP Art History
Computer Graphics & Web
Design
Fundamentals of Acting
Theater Arts: Acting
Theater Arts: Stage Crew
Fundamentals of Music
Intro to Western Music
History of Jazz
Music Composition 1, 2
Liturgical Choir
Vocal Music
Band Methods
Jazz Ensemble
Jazz Ensemble Honors
Orchestra
Yearbook

Health/Physical Education

(2.5 credits required)

Health
Physical Education

* All students take Latin or Greek in their first year. Thereafter, they may continue their classical language or begin a modern language or second classical language in sophomore year. In all cases, students finish senior year with the equivalent of four language credits and having completed the third level of a classical or modern language.

Class of 2019 Standardized Testing Results

	Middle 50%	Mean	Students Tested		Middle 50%	Mean	Students Tested
SAT				ACT			
Evidence Based				English	25 - 35	30.1	
Reading & Writing	585 - 680	633		Math	26 - 31	27.7	
Math	570 - 690	631		Reading	26 - 35	30.2	
Total	1160 - 1370	1264	172	Science	25 - 32	28.6	
SAT Subject Tests				Composite	26 - 32	28.8	137
Biology - Ecology	560 - 670	611	8	<hr/>			
Biology - Molecular	630 - 730	682	26	Class of 2020 Advanced Placement			
Chemistry	590 - 730	656	16	Percentage earning scores of 3 or better: 84%			
English Literature	560 - 690	623	20	Number of students tested: 152			
Math Level 1	520 - 660	598	19	Number of tests: 329			
Math Level 2	640 - 750	677	36				
Physics	490 - 690	587	6				
U.S. History	640 - 730	680	50				
World History	580 - 670	644	21				

Grade Point Average

The Fordham Preparatory School transcript lists both an unweighted and a weighted yearly and cumulative GPA. All full credit courses taken at Fordham Preparatory School are included in the grade point average. Only year-end grades are used in the computation. The following numerical equivalents of letter grades are used.

Through June 2018		Unweighted	Honors	Advanced Honors	Advanced Placement
A	90-100	4.00	4.25	4.50	4.75
B+	85-89	3.50	3.75	4.00	4.25
B	80-84	3.00	3.25	3.50	3.75
C+	75-79	2.50	2.75	3.00	3.25
C	70-74	2.00	2.25	2.50	2.75
D	65-69	1.00	1.25	1.50	1.75
F	64 and below	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00

As of September 1, 2018		Unweighted	Honors	Advanced Honors	Advanced Placement
A	93-100	4.00	4.25	4.50	4.75
A-	90-92	3.67	3.92	4.17	4.42
B+	87-89	3.33	3.58	3.83	4.08
B	83-86	3.00	3.25	3.50	3.75
B-	80-82	2.67	2.92	3.17	3.42
C+	77-79	2.33	2.58	2.83	3.08
C	73-76	2.00	2.25	2.50	2.75
C-	70-72	1.67	1.92	2.17	2.42
D	65-69	1.00	1.25	1.50	1.7
F	64 and below	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00

Fordham Prep does not calculate class rank, a decision derived from a philosophy which encourages care of the individual, not necessarily in comparison to others, and also from a recognition that the Prep is a school with a selective student body and a rigorous college preparatory curriculum.

College Matriculation

Classes 2016, 2017, 2018, 2019

Adelphi University	Iona College	Santa Clara University*	University of Chicago
Albany College of Pharmacy and Health Sciences	Ithaca College	Sarah Lawrence College	University of Colorado at Boulder
Alfred University	James Madison University	Seton Hall University	University of Connecticut
Allegheny College	Jefferson (Philadelphia University + Thomas Jefferson University)	Seton Hill University	University of Dayton
American University	John Jay College of Criminal Justice of the CUNY	Siena College	University of Delaware
Arizona State University	Johns Hopkins University	Sophie Davis School of Biomedical Education of the CUNY	University of Denver
Austin College	Johnson & Wales University	Southern Adventist University	University of Florida
Babson College	King's College London	Southern Methodist University	University of Georgia
Bard College	La Salle University	Spring Hill College*	University of Hartford
Baruch College of the CUNY	Lafayette College	Springfield College	University of Maine
Bates College	Le Moyne College*	St. John's University	University of Mary Washington
Bentley University	Lehigh University	St. Mary's College of Maryland	University of Maryland, Baltimore County
Binghamton University	Lehman College of the CUNY	SUNY University of New York at New Paltz	University of Maryland, College Park
Boston College*	Liberty University	Stevens Institute of Technology	University of Massachusetts Dartmouth
Boston University	Long Island University, Brooklyn	Stonehill College	University of Massachusetts, Amherst
Brandeis University	Long Island University, Post	Stony Brook University	University of Massachusetts, Boston
Brooklyn College of the CUNY	Loyola Marymount University*	Suffolk University	University of Miami
Bryant University	Loyola University Chicago*	SUNY Albany	University of Michigan
Bucknell University	Loyola University Maryland*	SUNY Alfred State College	University of Minnesota, Twin Cities
Butler University	Loyola University New Orleans*	SUNY College at Cortland	University of New England
Canisius College*	Macalester College	SUNY College at Geneseo	University of New Hampshire at Durham
Case Western Reserve University	Manhattan College	SUNY College at Oneonta	University of New Haven
City College of New York CUNY	Manhattanville College	SUNY Maritime College	University of Notre Dame
Clark University	Marist College	SUNY Oswego	University of Oregon
Clarkson University	Marquette University*	SUNY Plattsburgh	University of Pennsylvania
Clemson University	Massachusetts College of Pharmacy & Health Sciences	SUNY Polytechnic Institute	University of Pittsburgh
Colgate University	McGill University	Susquehanna University	University of Rhode Island
College of Charleston	Mercy College	Syracuse University	University of Richmond
College of Mount Saint Vincent	Merrimack College	Temple University	University of Rochester
College of the Holy Cross*	Miami University, Oxford	Texas Christian University	University of San Francisco*
College of William & Mary	Michigan State University	The Catholic University of America	University of South Carolina
Colorado School of Mines	Middlebury College	The Citadel, The Military College of South Carolina	University of Southern California
Columbia University	Mount Saint Mary College	The College of New Jersey	University of Tennessee, Knoxville
Concordia College	Muhlenberg College	The College of Saint Rose	University of the Sciences in Philadelphia
Connecticut College	New England College	The Cooper Union for the Advancement of Science & Art	University of Vermont
Cornell University	New Jersey Institute of Technology	The George Washington University	University of Virginia
Denison University	New York Institute of Technology	The Ohio State University	University of Washington
Drew University	New York School of Career & Applied Studies of Touro College	The University of Alabama	University of Wisconsin, Madison
Drexel University	New York University	The University of Arizona	Ursinus College
Duke University	Northeastern University	The University of Scranton*	Utica College
Duquesne University	Northwestern University	The University of Tampa	Vanderbilt University
Dutchess Community College	Old Dominion University	The University of Texas, Austin	Vassar College
Eckerd College	Pace University	Towson University	Vermont Technical College
Elon University	Pennsylvania State University	Trinity College	Villanova University
Embry-Riddle Aeronautical University	Providence College	Trinity College Dublin	Virginia Military Institute
Emerson College	Purchase College	Tufts University	Virginia Tech
Emmanuel College	Purdue University	Union College	Wake Forest University
Emory University	Queens College of the CUNY	United States Military Academy - Army	Wentworth Institute of Technology
Fairfield University*	Quinnipiac University	University at Buffalo The State University of New York	West Virginia University
Fashion Institute of Technology	Rensselaer Polytechnic Institute	University College Dublin	Western Connecticut State University
Flagler College	Rice University	University College London	Wheaton College MA
Florida Gulf Coast University	Rider University	University of Bridgeport	Wilkes University
Fordham University*	Rochester Institute of Technology	University of California, Berkeley	Worcester Polytechnic Institute
Franklin & Marshall College	Roger Williams University	University of California, Irvine	Xavier University*
Georgetown University*	Rollins College	University of California, Los Angeles	
Georgia Institute of Technology	Rose-Hulman Institute of Technology	University of California, San Diego	
Gonzaga University*	Rutgers University-New Brunswick	University of California, Santa Barbara	
Hamilton College	Sacred Heart University	University of Central Florida	
Harvard College	Saint Joseph's University*		
High Point University	Saint Michael's College		
Hobart and William Smith Colleges	Salve Regina University		
Hofstra University			
Howard University			
Hunter College of the CUNY			
Indiana University at Bloomington			

* Indicates a Jesuit college or university