St. Joseph’s Academy is a private, Catholic high school for girls in St. Louis, Missouri, sponsored by the Sisters of St. Joseph of Carondelet. Our mission is to provide quality Catholic education for young women in an environment that challenges them to grow in faith, knowledge, and respect for self and others. Our community expects these young women to make a profound impact in the world.

**School**
- Roman Catholic
- 502 students, grades 9-12, all girls
- Selective admissions process
- Modified block schedule
- Financial Aid awarded to 20% of student body

**Memberships**
- National Catholic Education Association
- National Association of Independent Schools
- National Coalition of Girls’ Schools
- Association for Supervision and Curriculum Development
- International Society for Technology in Education
- Independent Schools of St. Louis
- College Board

**Faculty**
- 52 faculty
- 75% hold advanced degrees
- Student:Faculty ratio 11:1
- Average class size is 17

**Governance**
- Sisters of St. Joseph of Carondelet
- SJA Board of Directors

**Academic Administration**
- Regina Mooney, Ph.D., President
- Jennifer Sudekum, Principal
- Karen S. Davis, Assistant Principal

**College Counseling Staff**
- Donna Videmschek, Director
- Mary Alice Hennessy, Counselor

**Class of 2017**
- 100% Accepted to College
- Overall ACT Average: 27
- 86% Received Scholarships
- College applications submitted: 630
- College acceptances: 480
- Colleges receiving applications: 174
- Colleges attending: 51

**Points of Interest**
- **Diversity, Equity & Inclusion:** St. Joseph’s Academy values inclusivity and welcomes students, faculty and staff of all ethnic backgrounds, faiths and cultures.
- **Senior Service Learning:** Each student completes a minimum of 152 hours of community engagement during her 4 years at SJA. 68.2% of students go over the required service hours, and 43 students attended alternative spring break trips.
- **Senior Capstone Project:** Students participate in a three-week immersion experience in a community agency at the end of senior year, culminating in a presentation to a faculty committee by each senior.
- **Technology:** SJA is a 1:1 laptop school. All students lease a laptop and have access to technology in every subject, with wide use of SMART boards, Blackboard Learn+ and other technologies. The campus is completely wireless.
- **STEM:** The students’ interest in science, technology, engineering and math is apparent through their selected courses and extracurricular activities with over 98% of students taking STEM electives.

**Core Values**
- We cultivate intellectual distinction.
- We call forth spiritual courage and confidence.
- We believe in a balanced approach to developing the whole woman.
- We encourage leadership & influence through action.
- We foster the desire to serve.
- We expect excellence.

**School Motto**
“NOT I, BUT WE”
**CLASS OF 2017 STATISTICS**

118 graduates
100% accepted to colleges/universities, 99% attending
1 National Merit Finalist
Average GPA: 3.889
ACT average for top 20% of the class: 30

102 graduates received 419 scholarships
  - 101 received 394 academic scholarships
  - 9 received 9 athletic scholarships
  - 1 received a service scholarship
  - 15 received leadership scholarships

**STANDARDIZED TESTS**

ACT: 100% took the ACT

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**HONORS/AP/ACC/ACP COURSES**

**English**
- Honors Introduction to Literature and Composition
- Honors American Literature
- Honors British Literature
- AP/ACC English IV
- Honors Voices of Human Rights

**Theology**
- ACC Intro to Women’s/Gender Studies
- ACC Theological Foundations

**Mathematics**
- AP/ACC Probability and Statistics
- Honors Geometry
- Honors Algebra II
- Honors Pre-Calculus
- AP/ACC Calculus AB
- AP/ACC Calculus BC

**Science**
- Honors Biology
- Honors Chemistry
- AP/ACC Physics
- ACP Human Anatomy & Physiology
- ACC Forensic Science
- AP/ACC Biology

**Social Studies**
- Honors Global Literacy
- AP World History
- AP/ACC European History
- AP American Government & Politics
- Honors Psychology

**Fine Arts**
- ACP Fundamentals of Acting
- Honors Frontenac Voices
- Honors Portfolio
- Honors Art
- ACC Art History
- Honors Independent Art

**World Language**
- AP/ACC French
- ACP French Literature and Composition
- ACC French III
- ACP Spanish III
- Honors Spanish Culture through Literature & Film
- ACC Spanish IV
- AP Spanish Language and Culture IV
- Honors Latin III
- Honors Latin IV
- Honors Mandarin Chinese III
- Honors Mandarin Chinese IV

**CLASS OF 2018 GPA**

GPA DISTRIBUTION

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**GRADING SYSTEM**

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(Ended May, 2016)

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**ST. JOSEPH’S ACADEMY**
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College Acceptances 2014-17

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- Albany College of Pharmacy
- The University of Alabama
- University of Alabama, Tuscaloosa
- AMDA - College and Conservatory of the Performing Arts
- American University
- American University of Paris
- Amherst College
- Arizona State University
- The University of Arizona
- Arkansas State University
- University of Arkansas
- Auburn University
- Augustana College
- Austin College
- Ave Maria University
- Avila University
- Ball State University
- Bard College
- Baylor University
- Bellarmine University
- Belmont University
- Benedictine College
- Birmingham-Southern College
- Boston College
- Boston University
- Bradley University
- Brescia University
- Brown University
- Butler County Community College
- Butler University
- California College of the Arts, San Francisco
- California Polytechnic State University
- University of California, Berkeley
- University of California, Davis
- University of California, Irvine
- University of California, Santa Barbara
- University of California, Santa Cruz
- Carnegie Mellon University
- Carthage College
- Case Western Reserve University
- The Catholic University of America
- University of Central Arkansas
- Central College
- Central Methodist University
- University of Central Missouri
- Central Oklahoma University
- Charleston Southern University
- Colgate University
- College of Charleston
- College of St. Benedict
- College of the Holy Cross
- College of St. Scholastica
- College of Wooster
- Colorado State University
- Concordia University
- University of Cincinnati
- Clemson University
- University of Colorado, Boulder
- University of Colorado, Colorado Springs
- University of Colorado, Denver
- Columbia College Chicago
- Columbia University
- University of Dallas
- Creighton University
- Culver-Stockton College
- CUNY Borough of Manhattan Community College
- Dartmouth College
- University of Dayton
- Denison University
- University of Denver
- DePaul University
- Dominican University
- Drake University
- Drexel University
- Drexel University
- University of Dubuque
- Eastern Illinois University
- Eckerd College
- Elmhurst College
- Emerson College
- Emory University
- University of Evansville
- Fairfield University
- University of Findlay
- Florida Atlantic University
- Florida Gulf Coast University
- Florida Institute of Technology
- Florida International University
- Florida Southern College
- Florida State University
- University of Central Florida
- University of Florida
- Fontbonne University
- Fordham University
- Franciscan University
- Franklin & Marshall College
- Full Sail University
- Furman University
- Gannon University
- George Mason University
- The George Washington University
- Georgetown University
- The University of Georgia
- Gettysburg College
- Gonzaga University
- Grinnell College
- Gustavus Adolphus University
- Hanover College
- Hawaii Pacific University
- University of Hawaii, Manoa
- Hendrix College
- High Point University
- Hollins University
- Howard University
- Illinois College
- University of Illinois, Chicago
- University of Illinois, Urbana-Champaign
- Illinois State University
- Illinois Wesleyan University
- Indiana State University
- Indiana University, Bloomington
- Iowa State University
- Iowa Wesleyan College
- Johns Hopkins University
- The University of Iowa
- Judson University
- Kalamazoo College
- Kansas City Art Institute
- Kansas State University
- University of Kansas
- Kent State University
- University of Kentucky
- Knox College
- Lake Forest College
- Lehigh University
- Lindenwood University
- Lipscomb University
- Louisiana State University
- University of Louisville
- Loyola Marymount University
- Loyola University Chicago
- Loyola University Maryland
- Loyola University New Orleans
- Lynn University
- Manhattan College
- Mariboro College
- Marquette University
- Maryland Institute College of Art
- Maryville University
- McKendree University
- University of Memphis
- Miami University, Oxford
- University of Miami
- University of Michigan
- Michigan State University
- Millikin University
- University of Minnesota, Twin Cities
- University of Mississippi
- Morehouse Baptist University
- Missouri Southern State University
- Missouri State University
- Missouri University of Science and Technology
- Missouri Western State University
- University of Missouri, Columbia
- University of Missouri, Kansas City
- University of Missouri, St. Louis
- Monmouth University
- Murray State University
- New York University
- University of North Carolina, Chapel Hill
- University of North Carolina, Charlotte
- University of North Carolina, Wilmington
- North Central College
- Northeastern University
- Northern Arizona University
- Northwestern University
- University of Notre Dame
- Ohio University
- The Ohio State University
- Ohio Wesleyan University
- Oklahoma City University
- Oklahoma State University
- University of Oklahoma
- University of Oregon
- Pace University, Westchester Campus
- Pacific University
- Pennsylvania State University
- Pepperdine University
- University of Pittsburgh
- Portland State University
- Pratt Institute
- University of Puget Sound
- Purdue University
- Quincy University
- Regis University
- Rhode Island School of Design
- Rhodes College
- Roanoke College
- Rockford College
- Rochester Institute
- Rollins College
- Roosevelt University
- Saint Louis University
- Saint Mary's College
- Saint Xavier University
- University of San Diego
- San Francisco State University
- University of San Francisco
- University of San Francisco
- Santa Clara University
- Sarah Lawrence College
- School of the Art Institute of Chicago
- School of Visual Arts
- Seattle University
- Seton Hall University
- University of South Carolina

Eastern State University
Southeast Missouri State University
Southern Illinois University, Carbondale
Southern Illinois University, Edwardsville
Southern Methodist University
Spelman College
Spring Hill College
St. Ambrose University
St. Anselm
St. Charles Community College
St. Cloud State University
St. Edward's University
St. John Fisher College
St. John's College
St. Joseph's College, Brooklyn Campus
St. Louis College of Pharmacy
St. Louis Community College
St. Mary's University of Minnesota
St. Mary's University of San Antonio
St. Olaf College
St. Xavier University
Stetson University
Syracuse University
The University of Tampa
University of Tennessee, Chattanooga
University of Tennessee, Knoxville
University of Texas, Austin
Texas A&M University
Texas Christian University
Texas Tech University
The George Washington University
Trinity University
Truman State University
Tulane University
University of St. Thomas
University of Tulsa
University of Vermont
University of Washington
Valparaiso University
Vanderbilt University
Vassar College
Villanova University
University of Virginia
Wagner College
Wake Forest College
Warburg College
Washington University
Washington and Lee University
Webster University
Wellesley College
Western Kentucky University
Westminster College
William Jewell College
William Woods University
Winston-Salem State University
University of Wisconsin, Madison
University of Wisconsin, Parkside
Wittenberg University
Worcester Polytechnic Institute
Xavier University
Xavier University of Louisiana

*Green denotes acceptance to honors program.