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The Association of Catholic Admission Directors (ACAD) is proud to present the 2011-2012 Catholic High School Directory. This Directory is a collaborative effort of the admission directors from the 20 ACAD membership high schools within the Diocese of Cleveland.

Catholic high schools in the Diocese of Cleveland continue to excel. Consider these statistics:

- National Merit Finalists in 2011: 28
- National Merit Semi-Finalists in 2011: 24
- National Merit Commended Scholars in 2011: 61
- Over 98 percent of the Class of 2011 graduates are enrolled in colleges or universities
- Graduates of the Class of 2011 earned over \$193 million in college scholarships

Each Catholic high school provides an outstanding education within the context of the Catholic faith tradition. While similar, each school is different with its unique mission, curriculum, and extra-curricular opportunities. As you consider your options, we recommend your reviewing the grid on pages 6 and 7 for an overview of each school, then directly contacting the schools for more information. We also recommend that you attend open houses and high school nights. The high schools and Catholic elementary schools host these events so that you may learn more about your choices. Mark your calendar now for the upcoming high school nights listed below.

Thank you for allowing us to help you choose a Catholic high school. Our contact information is listed on pages 4 and 5. Please let us know how we can be of further assistance.

School	City	Date	Time	Style
St. Thomas More	Brooklyn	Monday, September 19	7-9 p.m.	Convention
Sts. Joseph and John	Strongsville	Tuesday, September 20	7-8:30 p.m.	Convention
St. Charles Borromeo	Parma	Wednesday, September 21	7-9 p.m.	Presentation
St. Rita	Solon	Thursday, September 22	6:30-8:30 p.m.	Convention
St. Mary of the Falls	Olmsted Falls	Tuesday, September 27	7-9 p.m.	Presentation
St. Ambrose	Brunswick	Wednesday, September 28	6:30-9 p.m.	
St. Bridget of Kildare	Parma	Wednesday, September 28	6:30-8 p.m.	Convention
Sts. Robert and William	Euclid	Wednesday, September 28	6-7:30 p.m.	Convention
Holy Trinity	Avon	Thursday, September 29	7-9 p.m.	Presentation
Our Lady of Mount Carmel	Cleveland	Thursday, September 29	9-11 a.m. 7-9 p.m.	Presentation Convention
Sacred Heart of Jesus Academy	South Euclid	Thursday, September 29	6:30-8 p.m.	Presentation
Gesu School	University Heights	Wednesday, October 5	6:30-8 p.m.	Convention
Julie Billiard School	Lyndhurst	Thursday, October 6	7-9 p.m.	Convention
St. Clare	Lyndhurst	Monday, October 10	7-9 p.m.	Convention
West Park Catholic Academy	Cleveland	Tuesday, October 11	6:30-8 p.m.	Convention
Archbishop Lyke	Garfield Heights	Wednesday, October 12	6:30-7:30 p.m.	Convention
St. Michael	Independence	Thursday, October 13	6:30-8:30 p.m.	Convention
Urban Community School	Cleveland	Tuesday, October 18	6:30-8:30 p.m.	Convention

HIGH SCHOOL is right around the corner...what should I do?

How do I start my high school selection process?

- All students (from Catholic or public schools) take Admissions/Placement/Scholarship test(s) in the fall of eighth grade at Catholic high schools.
- Maintain good grades, good conduct, good attendance. Continue to be involved in school and community events.
- Review class offerings and get to know the basics about the high schools. Examine which tuition assistance programs meet your needs.
- Inquire about the individual high school's admission criteria.
- Students currently receiving Cleveland Scholarship and Tutoring Program vouchers or EdChoice scholarships must verify that the school they are considering participates in the program.
- Remember that some high schools offer programs for students with special needs; however, the number of spaces is limited.
- Begin to narrow your list of high school choices.

What if I am not sure about the high school I want to attend?

- Talk with parents, teachers, clergy, and high school students to get their input on the school that best meets your needs spiritually, academically, and socially.
- Attend Open Houses at the high schools with your parents.
- Attend High School Information Nights at your grade school with your parents.
- Call to spend a day at the high schools you are considering (shadow days).

How do I apply to a Catholic high school?

- You will receive a Diocesan application from your eighth grade teacher during the week of January 9-13, 2012, if you attend a Catholic school.
- List your first-choice Catholic school on the **Diocesan application** and an alternate second choice in case your application is denied at your first choice.
- Please understand that during the **Diocesan "hands-off period,"** which is January 9 through February 9, 2012, Catholic high schools are not permitted to initiate contact with any family whose eighth grader has not applied to that high school.

What if I attend a non-Catholic grade school?

- Request official records from your current school to be sent to the high school to which you have applied. Each high school's requirements for records vary; however, you must include at least the following:

- Complete transcript of 7th and 8th grade records
- Your most recent standardized test scores
- A report card for the first semester of eighth grade

Are scholarships and tuition assistance available?

- Yes. Contact each high school you are interested in for details on how and when to apply for scholarships and financial aid. In general, it is recommended to apply as early as possible for assistance.
- EdChoice and Cleveland Scholarship and Tutoring Program vouchers may not cover the entire cost of tuition. Check with the individual high schools for information on your financial responsibility.

Must I complete a separate tuition assistance application for each Catholic high school?

- All Catholic high schools require a tuition assistance application.
- The Private School Aid Service (PSAS) application is used by many Catholic high schools. You would include all high school codes on one PSAS application.
- In addition, PSAS accepts one tuition assistance application per family (Catholic elementary and Catholic high schools).
- Some Catholic high schools require a different tuition assistance application. Contact that particular high school for information.

How will I know if I am accepted?

- Admissions decisions from the high schools will be mailed to the students on February 9, 2012.

What if I am not accepted at my first-choice school?

- Records are sent to the second-choice school by February 9, 2012, if students are denied admission to the first-choice school.
- Records of students who have been denied admission to a second-choice school are sent to the Diocese and then returned to the grade school, which will assist the family in placing the student in a Catholic high school, if possible.

How do I register after I am accepted?

- You will be notified of registration procedures by the individual high school.
- A deposit or registration fee may be required to reserve a place in the Class of 2016.
- Ask questions about the tuition and any additional fees.

What should I do if I miss any of these deadlines?

- Families must contact the Catholic high school to request information about admission.

OPEN HOUSE AND TESTING DATES

School	Open House Date(s)	Open House Time(s)	Scholarship/Entrance Exams and Parent Information Sessions	Exam/Information Session Times	Fee
Archbishop Hoban High School Katy Karg/Chris Fahey One Holy Cross Boulevard Akron, OH 44306 330.773.6658 kargk@hoban.org/faheyc@hoban.org www.hoban.org	Sunday, October 9, 2011 Thursday, November 17, 2011 Sunday, February 26, 2012 7th Grade Visitation: Monday, March 5, 2012	1-3 p.m. 6-8 p.m. 1-3 p.m.	Saturday, October 15, 2011 Saturday, October 22, 2011 Saturday, November 12, 2011* *Placement only, not scholarship Parent information session on all test dates	8:30 a.m.-noon 8:30 a.m.-noon 8:30 a.m.-noon	\$20 \$20 \$20
Beaumont School Kaitlin Daly '06/Kara Metcalf 3301 North Park Boulevard Cleveland Heights, OH 44118 216-325-1661 admissions@beaumontschool.org www.beaumontschool.org	Sunday, October 9, 2011 Thursday, November 10, 2011 Thursday, April 19, 2012	Noon-2 p.m. 5:30-7 p.m. 5:30-7 p.m.	Friday, October 21, 2011 (Scholarship) Saturday, October 22, 2011 (Scholarship) Saturday, October 29, 2011 (Scholarship) Saturday, November 19, 2011 (Entrance) Saturday, January 7, 2012 (Entrance) Parent information session on all test dates	3:30-6:45 p.m. 9 a.m.-12:15 p.m. 9 a.m.-12:15 p.m. 9 a.m.-12:15 p.m. 9 a.m.-12:15 p.m.	\$25 \$25 \$25 \$25 \$25
Benedictine High School Kieran Patton/Mary Reilly 2900 M.L. King Jr. Drive Cleveland, OH 44104 216-421-2080 ext. 356 or 156 admissions@cbhs.net www.cbhs.net	Sunday, October 16, 2011 Wednesday, October 19, 2011 Tuesday, April 24, 2012	Noon-2:30 p.m. 6-7:30 p.m. 6-7:30 p.m.	Saturday, November 5, 2011 (Scholarship) Wednesday, November 16, 2011 (Scholarship) Saturday, December 3, 2011 (Scholarship) Saturday, January 7, 2012 (Scholarship) Parent information session and tours available at all exams	9 a.m.-noon 6-9 p.m. 9 a.m.-noon 9 a.m.-noon	\$20 \$20 \$20 \$20
Cleveland Central Catholic HS Carmella Reiger 6550 Baxter Avenue Cleveland, OH 44105 216-441-4700 ext. 233 reigercar@centralcatholicchs.org www.centralcatholicchs.org	Saturday, October 1, 2011 (Football Kickoff at 1 p.m.) Sunday, November 6, 2011 Thursday, May 10, 2012 (Spring Preview)	10 a.m.-1 p.m. 1-4 p.m. 5-8 p.m.	Saturday, October 29, 2011 (Scholarship) Saturday, November 19, 2011 (Scholarship) Thursday, March 8, 2011 (Entrance) Parents and Administrators Q&A during test times	8:30 a.m.-12:30 p.m. 8:30 a.m.-12:30 p.m. 4-7 p.m.	\$15 \$15 \$15
Elyria Catholic High School Mike Polevacik 725 Gulf Road Elyria, OH 44305 440-365-1821 ext. 16 polevacik@elyriacatholic.com www.elyriacatholic.com	Sunday, November 6, 2011	11:30 a.m.-2 p.m.	Saturday, November 12, 2011 Saturday, January 7, 2012 Parent information session on both dates	8:30 a.m. 8:30 a.m. 11 a.m.	\$20 \$20
Holy Name High School Ed McIntire '96 6000 Queens Highway Parma Heights, OH 44130 440-886-0300 ext. 100 emcintire@holynamehs.com www.holynamehs.com	Sunday, November 6, 2011 Wednesday, April 18, 2012	1-4 p.m. 6:30-8 p.m.	Saturday, October 29, 2011 (Scholarship/Placement) Saturday, November 19, 2011 (Scholarship/Placement) Saturday, December 3, 2011 (Scholarship/Placement) Parent information session on all test dates	9 a.m.-Noon 9 a.m.-Noon 9 a.m.-Noon 11 a.m.	\$20 \$20 \$20
Lake Catholic High School Mary Jo Elber 6733 Reynolds Road Mentor, OH 44060 440-578-1020 ext. 234 mjelber@lakecatholic.org www.lakecatholic.org	Wednesday, October 19, 2011 Tuesday, November 15, 2011 Wednesday, April 18, 2012	6-8 p.m. 6-8 p.m. 6-8 p.m.	Saturday, October 29, 2011 (Scholarship/Placement) Saturday, November 19, 2011 (Scholarship/Placement) Saturday, January 7, 2012 (Placement) Parent information session on all test dates	8-11 a.m. & Noon-3 p.m. 8-11 a.m. & Noon-3 p.m. 8-11 a.m.	\$20 \$20 \$20
Magnificat High School Heather N. Schwager '05 20770 Hilliard Boulevard Rocky River, OH 44116 440-331-1572 ext. 248 hschwager@magnificaths.org www.magnificaths.org	Sunday, October 23, 2011 Thursday, March 22, 2012	11 a.m.-2:30 p.m. 5-8 p.m.	Saturday, November 12, 2011 (Scholarship/Placement) Saturday, November 19, 2011 (Scholarship/Placement) Parent information session on both dates	8 a.m.-Noon 8 a.m.-Noon 9-10:30 a.m.	\$20 \$20
Notre Dame-Cathedral Latin School Keith Corlew 13000 Auburn Road Chardon, OH 44024 440-279-1088 keith.corlew@ndcl.org www.ndcl.org	Sunday, October 30, 2011 Wednesday, April 18, 2012	11 a.m.-2 p.m. 6-8 p.m.	Saturday, October 22, 2011 (Scholarship/Placement) Saturday, November 5, 2011 (Scholarship/Placement) Saturday, February 25, 2012 (Scholarship/Placement) Parent information session on all test dates	8-11 a.m. & 1-4 p.m. 8-11 a.m. & 1-4 p.m. 8-11 a.m.	\$20 \$20 \$20
Our Lady of the Elms High School Kathleen Norman 1375 West Exchange Street Akron, OH 44313 330-867-0918 knorman@theelms.org www.theelms.org	Girls Night Out: Saturday, September 24, 2011 Open Houses: Sunday, October 9, 2011 Sunday, November 13, 2011 Sunday, April 29, 2012 7th Grade Visitation: Friday, April 27, 2012 RSVP Required	7-9 p.m. Noon-2:30 p.m. Noon-2:30 p.m. Noon-2:30 p.m. 9 a.m.-1 p.m.	Saturday, October 1, 2011 Saturday, October 22, 2011 Wednesday, November 2, 2011 Saturday, November 19, 2011	9 a.m.-Noon 9 a.m.-Noon 6-9 p.m. 9 a.m.-Noon	\$15 \$15 \$15 \$15

Schools may have additional dates for Open Houses and tests. Call for more information.

School	Open House Date(s)	Open House Time(s)	Scholarship/Entrance Exams and Parent Information Sessions	Exam/Information Session Times	Fee
Padua Franciscan High School Lillian Gathers 6740 State Road Parma, OH 44134 440-845-2444 ext. 111 lgathers@paduafranciscan.com www.paduafranciscan.com	Sunday, November 13, 2011 Monday, April 30, 2012 (High School Planning Night)	1-4 p.m. 7-8:30 p.m.	Saturday, November 19, 2011 (Scholarship/Placement) Saturday, December 3, 2011 (Scholarship/Placement) Monday, December 12, 2011 (placement only) Parent information sessions on September 12, October 12 and 26, November 28, and December 12	9 a.m.-Noon 9 a.m.-Noon 5:30-8:30 p.m. 7 p.m.	\$20 \$20 \$20
St. Edward High School KC McKenna '00 13500 Detroit Avenue Lakewood, OH 44107 216-521-2204 kcmckenna@sehs.net www.sehs.net	Sunday, October 16, 2011 Sunday, October 30, 2011 Sunday, April 22, 2012	Noon-2:30 p.m. Noon-2:30 p.m. Noon-2 p.m.	Saturday, October 29, 2011 Wednesday, November 2, 2011 Saturday, November 5, 2011 Parent information sessions on all test dates at exam start time.	9 a.m.-11:30 a.m. 5:30 p.m.-8 p.m. 9 a.m.-11:30 a.m.	\$20 \$20 \$20
St. Ignatius High School Patrick O'Rourke '90 1911 West 30 Street Cleveland, OH 44113 216-651-0222 porourke@ignatius.edu www.ignatius.edu	Thursday, October 6, 2011 Tuesday, December 13, 2011 Spring Open House TBA	5-8 p.m. 6-8 p.m.	Saturday, October 29, 2011 Tuesday, November 8, 2011 Saturday, November 12, 2011 Parent information sessions on all test dates	8:30 a.m.-Noon 4-7:30 p.m. 8:30 a.m.-Noon	\$20 \$20 \$20
Saint Joseph Academy Diane Kanney 3430 Rocky River Drive Cleveland, OH 44111-2999 216-251-4868 dkanney@sja1890.org www.sja1890.org	Sunday, October 23, 2011 Sunday, April 22, 2012	1-4 p.m. Noon-2 p.m.	*Saturday, October 29, 2011 (Scholarship/Placement) *Saturday, November 5, 2011 (Scholarship/Placement) Saturday, January 7, 2012 (Placement) *Parent Forum	9-11:30 a.m. 9-11:30 a.m. 9-11:30 a.m. 9-10:30 a.m.	\$20 \$20 \$20
Saint Martin de Porres High School Monica Lawson 6111 Lausche Avenue Cleveland, OH 44103 216-881-1689 ext. 310 mlawson@stmdphs.org www.saintmartincleveland.org	Saturday, October 15, 2011 Thursday, November 3, 2011 Community Unity Fest Tours Scheduled Program Begins Thursday, November 17, 2011	1-3 p.m. 5:30-6:30 p.m. 6:30 p.m. 5-7 p.m.	Call for more information about personalized process. No exams are administered for admission.	N/A	N/A
St. Peter Chanel High School Scott Gongos '90 480 Avenue of Champions Bedford, OH 44146 440-232-5900 ext. 144 sgongos@stpeterchanel.com www.stpeterchanel.com	Wednesday, October 26, 2011 Sunday, November 13, 2011	6:30-8:30 p.m. Noon-3 p.m.	Saturday, October 22, 2011 (Scholarship) Saturday, November 12, 2011 (Scholarship) Saturday, December 10, 2011 (Scholarship) Saturday, January 7, 2012 (Scholarship)	9 a.m.-Noon 9 a.m.-Noon 9 a.m.-Noon 9 a.m.-Noon	
St. Vincent - St. Mary High School Joanne Wiseman 15 North Maple Street Akron, OH 44303 330-253-9113 ext. 115 jwiseman@stvm.com www.stvm.com	Sunday, October 16, 2011 Thursday, November 3, 2011 Thursday, February 23, 2012 7th Grade Visitation: Wednesday, March 28, 2012	11 a.m.-1 p.m. 6:30-8 p.m. 6:30-8 p.m. 9 a.m.-1:15 p.m.	Saturday, October 15, 2011 (Scholarship/Placement) Saturday, November 5, 2011 (Scholarship/Placement) Saturday, November 19, 2011 (Scholarship/Placement) Parent information session on all test dates	8:30-11:45 a.m. 8:30-11:45 a.m. 8:30-11:45 a.m. 11:15-11:45 a.m.	\$20 \$20 \$20
Trinity High School Patrick Straffen 12425 Granger Road Garfield Heights, OH 44125 216-581-1061/216-581-5757 admissions@ths.org www.ths.org	Sunday, October 30, 2011	10 a.m.-1 p.m.	Saturday, October 22, 2011 Saturday, November 5, 2011 Saturday, November 12, 2011 Saturday, November 19, 2011 Parent information session on all test dates	9 a.m.-12:30 p.m. 9 a.m.-12:30 p.m. 9 a.m.-12:30 p.m. 9 a.m.-12:30 p.m. 9:15-10 a.m.	\$20 \$20 \$20 \$20
Villa Angela-St. Joseph High School Terri Richards 18491 Lake Shore Boulevard Cleveland, OH 44119 216-481-8414 ext. 254 trichards@vasj.com www.vasj.com	Thursday, October 13, 2011 Sunday, November 6, 2011 Wednesday, March 28, 2012	6-8 p.m. Noon-2 p.m. 6-8 p.m.	Saturday October 1, 2011 (Scholarship) Tuesday October 18, 2011 (Scholarship) Saturday November 12, 2011 (Scholarship) Parent information session on all test dates begins 15 minutes after exam start time	8:30 a.m. 4:30 p.m. 8:30 a.m.	\$20 \$20 \$20
Walsh Jesuit High School Rob Eubank 4550 Wyoga Lake Road Cuyahoga Falls, OH 44224 330-929-4205 ext. 103 eubankr@walshjesuit.org www.walshjesuit.org	Sunday, October 23, 2011 Thursday, November 10, 2011 Tuesday, February 28, 2012	Noon-2:30 p.m. (Mass at 11 a.m.) 6-8:30 p.m. 6-8:30 p.m.	Saturday, October 29, 2011 Saturday, November 12, 2011 Saturday, November 19, 2011 Saturday, May 19, 2012 (7th Grade Practice Test) Saturday, June 2, 2012 (7th Grade Practice Test) Parent information session on all test dates	9 a.m. 9 a.m. 9 a.m. 9 a.m. 9 a.m.	\$20 \$20 \$20 \$20 \$20

THE FACTS

An overview of what each school has to offer

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School	College Prep Curriculum	Comprehensive Curriculum	Business	DH Curriculum/Unit	LD Curriculum/Unit	LD Tutoring	Honors/Advanced Placement Curriculum	Post-Secondary Opportunity	Schedule: B=Block • T=Traditional
Archbishop Hoban	▪		▪			▪	X+		T
Beaumont	▪					▪	X+	▪	B
Benedictine	▪		▪				X+	▪	T
Cleveland Central Catholic	▪	▪	▪	▪	▪	▪	X+	▪	T
Elyria Catholic	▪	▪			▪	▪	X+	▪	T
Holy Name	▪	▪	▪		▪	▪	X+	▪	T
Lake Catholic	▪					▪	X+	▪	T
Magnificat	▪					▪	X+		T
Notre Dame-Cathedral Latin	▪					▪	X	▪	B
Our Lady of the Elms	▪						X+	▪	T
Padua Franciscan	▪				▪		X+	▪	T
St. Edward	▪		▪			▪	X+	▪	T
St. Ignatius	▪					▪	X+		T
Saint Joseph Academy	▪		▪				X+	▪	B
Saint Martin de Porres	▪		▪				X	▪	T
St. Peter Chanel	▪					▪	X+	▪	T
St. Vincent - St. Mary	▪			▪	▪	▪	X+	▪	T
Trinity	▪	▪	▪			▪	X+	▪	B
Villa Angela-St. Joseph	▪	▪	▪		▪	▪	X+	▪	T
Walsh Jesuit	▪						X+	▪	T

X+=Weighted Course ▪ B=All Boys ▪ G=All Girls ▪ C=Coeducational
 HSPT=High School Placement Test ▪ HSPT+=High School Placement Test + Science ▪ DAT=Differential Aptitude Test

GENERAL			ADMISSIONS				FINANCE			
Gender	2011-2012 Enrollment	Students to Teacher Ratio	Average Class Size	Work Study Program	Supplemental Materials Required (Contact individual schools for details)	Admissions Interview Required	Exam Type	Percent Receiving Tuition Assistance	Tuition Assistance Filing Deadline	2011-2012 Tuition
C	865	15:1	23	▪	No	No	HSPT	37%	12/01/11	\$8,800
G	415	12:1	20	▪	Yes	No	HSPT	46%	12/01/11	\$11,200
B	350	12:1	22	▪				72%	12/02/11	\$9,100
C	540	12:1	22	▪	No	No	Iowa	95%	03/01/11	\$6,990
C	470	14:1	24	▪	No	No	HSPT	30%	12/03/10	\$6,850
C	700	15:1	23	▪	No	No	HSPT	35%	12/01/11	\$7,900
C	850	14:1	21		No	No	HSPT	60%	11/30/11	\$8,150
G	800	12:1	22			No	HSPT	46%	11/22/11	\$10,900
C	750	14:1	20		No	No	DAT	40%	12/02/11	\$9,800
G	180	10:1	14		No	No	TAP	57%	11/22/11	\$9,650
C	850	16:1	23	▪	No	No	HSPT	45%	11/30/11	\$8,975
B	850	14:1	21		Yes	No	ACT Exp.	48%	12/01/11	\$11,400
B	1,470	15:1	25		No	No	HSPT	50%	11/16/11	\$12,590
G	660	13:1	21	▪				61%	11/23/11	\$9,975
C	490	13:1	25	▪	Yes	Yes	N/A	100%	Open	Varies
C	300	14:1	22		No	No	HSPT	85%	Open	\$8,690
C	698	15:1	23					45%	12/01/11	\$8,350
C	355	14:1	22		No	Yes	HSPT+	100%	N/A	\$8,500
C	300	12:1	18		Yes	Yes	HSPT+	80%	11/30/11	\$7,750
C	970	12:1	21					25%	12/01/11	\$9,550

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