

ST. DOMINIC SAVIO

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2020-2021 Academic Profile

School Mission and Community

St. Dominic Savio Catholic High School, founded in 2009 by the Diocese of Austin, is a co-educational college preparatory school intended to prepare young men and women to become faith-filled, visionary, and inspirational leaders in service to the Church and the world. Total enrollment for the 2020-2021 school year is 401, with 87% Catholic. St. Dominic Savio draws students from over 50 zip codes and 5 countries. The student body reflects the rich ethnic and socio-economic diversity of the Catholic Church and Central Texas area with 46% white, 34% Hispanic, 11% Asian, 8% multi-racial, and, 2% African-American. Financial aid is distributed to 32% of the student body. St. Dominic Savio has 34 teaching faculty members, a librarian, a Director of Formation and Ministry, Director of Counseling and a College Advisor. Over 75% of faculty and staff have received Post-Baccalaureate education.

Accreditations and Affiliations

We are accredited by the Texas Catholic Conference Accreditation Commission and the Southern Association of Colleges and Schools.

Curriculum and Graduation Requirements

Each student is required to take seven subjects each year. Students are required to complete a minimum of 30 credits to graduate. The following is a breakdown of the required credits: Theology (4), English (4), Mathematics (4), Natural Sciences (4), Social Sciences (4), World Languages (3 credits of the same language), Fine Arts (1), Physical Education (1), Elective Credits (4), Servant Leader Seminar (1), and 60 hours of community service (15 hours per year). All graduates receive Distinguished Diplomas, with at least one of the four endorsements: Multidisciplinary Studies, Arts and Humanities, STEM, or Business and Industry.

Extracurricular Opportunities

St. Dominic Savio students develop leadership through participation in over 40 clubs, organizations, honor societies and competitive groups. In addition, our 13 sports teams have had several district finishes and state championships in 2017 for boys and girls swimming, 2018 girls swimming, 2016 and 2017 for girls track, and in 2012 for softball. Off the field successes include TAPPS academic state championships in 2017 and 2018, 4 state championships in instrumental music, and internationally-ranked robotics teams.

Academic Programs

College Preparatory (CP), Pre-Advanced Placement (Pre-AP) and Advanced Placement (AP) course levels are offered in the core subject areas. Students are placed into specific course levels based on teacher recommendations, previous grades, and department pre-requisites. Students are permitted to take a maximum of four AP courses and exams per school year.

Pre-AP Course Offerings

- English I & II
- Geometry
- Pre-Calculus
- Latin I, II & III
- Biology
- Algebra I
- Algebra II
- Spanish I, II, & III
- Chinese I, II, III, & IV
- Chemistry

AP Course Offerings

- Biology
- Calculus AB
- Calculus BC
- Chemistry
- Computer Science A
- Computer Science Principles
- English Language
- English Literature
- Latin

Physics C: Electricity & Magnetism

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Guidance:

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Principal

- Physics C: Mechanics
- Psychology
- Spanish Language
- Spanish Literature
- Statistics
- Studio Art
- US Government
- US History
- World History

Additional Academic Programs and Classes

St. Dominic Savio offers extensive classes in the STEM field as well as rigorous Computer Science and Engineering programs in partnership with the University of Texas Engineer Your World Program.

Other elective classes include: High School Research Initiative, Art I, II, III, IV; Photography I, II, III, IV; Jewelry Design, Beginning Guitar, Classical Guitar, Wind Ensemble, String Orchestra, Concert Choir, Chamber Choir, Theater I & II, Mentor Program, Teaching Assistant, Anatomy & Physiology, Creative Writing, Genocide & Human Rights, Personal Finance Introduction to Psychology, AP Psychology, AP European History, Yearbook, Robotics Programming & Design, Introduction to Computer Science, Foundations of Cybersecurity, and Independent Study.

GPA/Class Rank

St. Dominic Savio does not rank students. GPA is based upon the 100 point scale. Pre-AP and AP courses are enhanced by an additional 8 points.

Test Scores*

	2019 ACT	SDCHS Mean	Texas Mean	National Mean
		25.2	20.5	20.7

2019 SAT	SDCHS Mean	National Mean
Total	1207	1059
ERW	594	531
Math	613	528

^{*}Class of 2020 students were registered to take the March 2020 SAT and April 2020 ACT. However, due to test cancellations as a result of COVID-19, many students did not have the opportunity to take either test.

2020 Advanced Placement Exams

- 151 students completed 312 AP exams in 18 subjects
- 88% scored a 3 or higher (well above state and national averages)

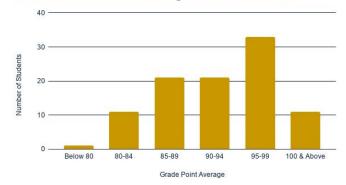
Class of 2020

- 98 graduates
- 100% acceptance to two- and four-year colleges
- 75% attending in-state institutions; 25% out-of-state
- 80% attending public institutions; 20% private
- \$12.1 million in scholarship awards
- 9,900 hours of community service
- Artists among the Class of 2020 earned 13 regional and national awards.

Awards and Distinctions Since 2012

- 15 National Merit Scholars
- 25 National Hispanic Scholars
- 53 National Merit Commended Scholars

Distribution of 2019-2020 Weighted Graduate GPAs



Class of 2020 College Matriculations

American University-1 Baylor University-2 Belmont Abbey-1 Bendictine-1 Boston College-1 Creighton University-1 Emory University-1 Franciscan University-1 Gannon University-1 Howard University-1 Indiana University-1

MIT-1

Sam Houston-1 Springhill College-1 St. Edwards-1 Stanford-1

Tarleton State University-3

Texas A&M-10

Texas Christian University-1

Texas State University-3

Texas Tech-6 Trinity Univerrsity-2 UC San Diego-1 University of Chicago-1 University of Dallas-1 University of Florida-1 University of Incarnate Word-1 University of Oklahoma-1 University of Virginia-1 University of Washington-1 University of Wyoming-1

University of Southern California-1 University of Texas Rio Grande Valley-1 University of Texas San Antonio-3 University of Texas Austin -10 University of Texas Dallas-5

Walsh University-1 Williams College-1

Xavier-1

Matriculations from 2017-2020

Abilene Christian University-2 American University-1

Art Center College of Design-1

Baylor-5

Belmont Abbey-1 Belmont University-1

Benedictine-1 Boston College-1 Boston University-1

Case Western-1 Catholic University-2 Colorado School of Mines-1

Colorado State University-2 Colorado State University-2

Concordia University-3

Creighton-1 Dallas Baptist-1 DePaul-1

Earlham College-1

Emory-1 Franciscan-2 Gannon-1 Gonzaga-1 Hendrix-1 Harvard-1

High Point University-1

Holy Cross at Notre Dame-1 Howard-1 Incarnate Word-2

Indiana University-3 Lehigh University-1 Louisiana State University-2

Loyola Chicago-2 Loyola New Orleans-1

Marguette-1

Mary Hardin Baylor-1 Miami University at Oxford-1

Michigan State-1

MIT-3

New Jersey Institute of Technology-1

Notre Dame-4

NYU-2

Oklahoma State-1 Penn State-1 Presbyterian College-1

Purdue-1

Rennselaer Polytechnic Institute-1

Rice-1 Rutgers-1 Sam Houston-2 Smith College-1

Southern Methodist University-2

Southwestern-4 Springhill College-2 St. Edward's-4 St. Mary's-2 Stephen F Austin-1 Tarleton-4

Texas Christian University-2

Texas A&M-36

Texas A&M Corpus Christi-2 Texas A&M Galveston-4

Texas State-14 Texas Tech-16

Texas Women's University-2

Trinity University-4

University of California Berkeley-1 University of California Davis-1 University of California Irvine-1 University of California Riverside-1 University of California San Diego-1 University of California Santa Cruz-2 University of California Los Angeles-1 United States Air Force Academy (1 in 2014)

United States Military Academy (1 in 2016) United States Naval Academy-1 University of Alabama-1 University of Arizona-1 University of Arkansas-2

University of Chicago-1 University of Dallas-4 University of Florida-1 University of Houston-3 University of Mary in Bismark-2 University of Mississippi-2 University of Missouri-1 University of Oklahoma-1

University of Pennsylvania (1 in 2013) University of Southern California-1

University of St. Thomas-2 University of Texas at Austin -31 University of Texas at Dallas-25

University of Texas at Rio Grande Valley-1 National University of Ireland Galway-1 University of Texas at San Antonio-14

University of Texas at Tyler-2 University of Virginia-1 University of Warwick-1 University of Washinton-4

University of Wisconsin Madison-1 University of Wyoming-1

Washington University in St. Louis-1

Williams College-2 Xavier-1

Yale-2