



ST. DOMINIC SAVIO

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2021-2022 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 2021-2022 school year is 400, with 89% Catholic. St. Dominic Savio draws students from over 50 zip codes and 3 countries. The student body reflects the rich ethnic and socio-economic diversity of the Catholic Church and Central Texas area with 48% white, 32% Hispanic, 11% Asian, 7% multi-racial, and, 2% African-American. Financial aid is distributed to 29% 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

Texas Catholic Conference Accreditation Commission and the Southern Association of Colleges and Schools. Special recognitions include memberships in NACAC and TACAC.

Curriculum and Graduation Requirements

Each student is required to take seven subjects each year and 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 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, and honor societies. Our comprehensive competitive groups include; academics, 13 sports teams, Fine Arts program, Robotics & Cybersecurity teams.

Academic Programs

College Preparatory (CP), Honors, 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. Students who wish to exceed this limit must seek special approval from the Assistant Principal for Curriculum and Instruction. All students enrolled in AP courses are required to take the AP exams.

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Honors 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
- Comparative Govt. and Politics
- Computer Science Principles
- English Language
- English Literature
- European History
- Human Geography (added 2020)
- Latin
- Physics C: Electricity & Magnetism
- Physics C: Mechanics
- Psychology
- Spanish Language
- Spanish Literature
- Statistics
- 2D Art and Design
- 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 developed by UT faculty, NASA engineers, and teachers. 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, International Relations, Model U.N., Yearbook, Robotics Programming & Design, Introduction to Computer Science, Foundations of Cybersecurity, Film as Literature, Tim Team, Christian Outreach, and Independent Study.

GPA/ClassRank

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

Test Scores

2021 ACT	SDSCHS Mean	Texas Mean	National Mean
	26.9	20.5	20.7

2021 SAT	SDSCHS Mean	National Mean
Total	1207	1059
ERW	594	531
Math	613	528

2021 Advanced Placement Exams

- 174 students completed 343 AP exams in 21 subjects
- 88% scored a 3 or higher (well above state and national averages)

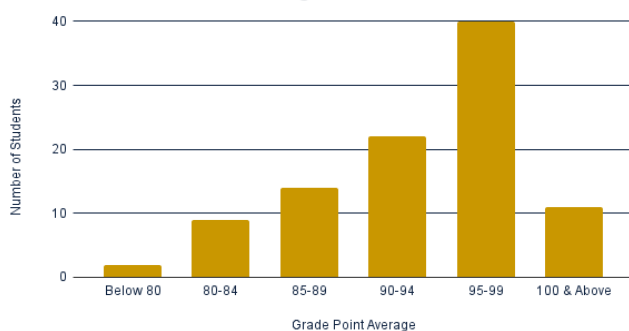
Class of 2021

- 98 graduates attended 42 different colleges & universities
- 100% acceptance to two- and four-year colleges
- 70% attending in-state institutions; 30% out-of-state
- 80% attending public institutions; 20% private
- 95% attending 4-year institutions and 5% attending 2-year
- \$12.1 million in scholarship awards
- 10, 282 hours of community service
- Artists among the class earned 23 regional and 1 national art awards, and 3 English writing awards

Awards and Distinctions Since 2012

- 19 National Merit Scholars
- 42 National Hispanic Scholars
- 60 National Merit Commended Scholars
- 2 Questbridge Finalists, 1 Questbridge Match, and 1 Questbridge Regular Decision
- 1 Coolidge Scholar

Distribution of 2020-2021 Weighted Graduate GPAs



Class of 2021 College Matriculations

American University-1	Tarleton State University-3
Arlington Baptist-2	Texas A&M-18
ATP Flight School-1	Texas A&M Corpus Christi-1
Austin Community College-4	Texas A&M Galveston-1
ACC Chevron Program-1	Texas Christian University-1
Blinn Community College-1	Texas Tech-3
College of the Holy Cross-1	The School of the Art Institute of Chicago-1
Colorado State University-1	University of Alabama-1
Doane University-1	UCLA-1
Georgetown University-1	University of Colorado Boulder-1
German language School Berlin-1	University of Hawaii at Manoa-1
Harvard University-1	University of Illinois Urbana Champagne-1
Houston Baptist University-1	University of Iowa-1
Indiana University at Bloomington-1	University of New Mexico-1
Louisiana State University-1	University of North Texas-2
Loyola University Chicago -1	University of Pittsburgh-1
Loyola University New Orleans-1	University of San Diego-1
Michigan State-2	University of South Carolina-1
MIT-1	University of Texas at Arlington-1
Princeton-1	University of Texas at Austin-8
Rice-1	University of Texas at Dallas-7
St. Edwards-2	University of Texas at San Antonio-2
St. Mary's University-1	University of Texas at Tyler-2
Southwestern University-2	University of the Southwest-1
Stephen F. Austin-1	US Naval Academy-1
	Villanova University-1

Matriculations from 2017-2021

Abilene Christian University-2	Southwestern-4
American University-1	Springhill College-2
Art Center College of Design-1	St. Edward's-6
Baylor-5	St. Mary's-2
Belmont Abbey-1	Stephen F Austin-3
Belmont University-1	Tarleton-7
Benedictine-1	Texas Christian University-3
Boston College-1	Texas A&M- 53
Boston University-1	Texas A&M Corpus Christi-3
Case Western-1	Texas A&M Galveston-5
Catholic University-2	Texas State-14
Colorado School of Mines-1	Texas Tech-19
Colorado State University Fort Collins-3	Texas Women's University-2
Concordia University-3	Trinity University-4
Creighton-1	University of California Berkeley-1
DePaul-1	University of California Davis-1
Earlham College-1	University of California Irvine-1
Emory-1	University of California Riverside-1
Franciscan-2	University of California San Diego-1
Gannon-1	University of California Santa Cruz-2
Gonzaga-1	University of California Los Angeles-2
Hendrix-1	US Air Force/Military/Naval Academies-4
Harvard-2	University of Alabama-1
High Point University-1	University of Arizona-1
Holy Cross at Notre Dame-1	University of Arkansas-2
Howard-1	University of Chicago-1
Incarnate Word-2	University of Dallas-4
Indiana University-3	University of Florida-1
Lehigh University-1	University of Houston-3
Louisiana State University-3	University of Mary in Bismark-2
Loyola Chicago-3	University of Mississippi-2
Loyola New Orleans-2	University of Missouri-1
Marquette-1	University of Oklahoma-1
Mary Hardin Baylor-1	University of Southern California-1
Miami University at Oxford-1	University of St. Thomas-2
Michigan State-2	University of Texas at Austin -39
MIT-4	University of Texas at Dallas-31
New Jersey Institute of Technology-1	University of Texas at Rio Grande Valley-1
Notre Dame-4	University of Texas at San Antonio-16
NYU-2	University of Texas at Tyler-3
Oklahoma State-1	University of Virginia-1
Penn State-1	University of Warwick-1
Presbyterian College-1	University of Washinton-4
Purdue-1	University of Wisconsin Madison-1
Rennselaer Polytechnic Institute-1	University of Wyoming-1
Rice-3	Washington University in St. Louis-1
Rutgers-1	Williams College-2
Sam Houston-2	Xavier-1
Smith College-1	Yale-2
Southern Methodist University-2	