



John Carroll High School

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School Profile

School Community and Demographics:

John Carroll High School is a co-ed Catholic high school serving roughly 400 students in grades 9-12. The school is located in the city of Ft. Pierce, FL and serves students from Indian River, St. Lucie, Martin, and Okeechobee counties. In fact, JCHS is the only Catholic high school within an hour radius of Ft. Pierce. The school originally opened as part of St. Anastasia Catholic School and opened under the name John Carroll High School in 1965 as a Diocesan regional high school. The school is accredited by AdvancEd and holds membership in the National Catholic Education Association. Since John Carroll began accepting the Florida Tax Credit Scholarship through Step Up for Students in 2012, our student body is now more representative and reflective of our community. We embrace our growing diversity and consider our unique cultural pluralism one of our greatest strengths. The student body is roughly 72% Caucasian, 11% African-American, 13% Hispanic, and 1% other ethnic backgrounds. The school accepts the Florida Tax Credit scholarship (StepUp for Students and AAA), the Gardiner Scholarship, and the McKay Scholarship.

Tuition and Fees:

- ❖ Tuition:
 - \$9,060 (Catholic rate)
 - \$10,080 (Non-Catholic rate)
- ❖ Registration fee: \$800
- ❖ 48% of families receive some form of tuition assistance
- ❖ 25% of students receive some form of state scholarship (FTC/SUFS, McKay, Gardiner)

Curriculum:

John Carroll High School's academic program is comprised of seven, 45 minute class periods a day, with the option to add additional fine arts classes during a "zero hour" before school. John Carroll maintains high academic standards and expectations for all students; therefore, the school offers Advanced Placement, dual enrollment, honors, and academic classes. There are strict guidelines and prerequisites that a student must meet in order to participate in an AP classes; the school does this to ensure a high level of academic rigor in these classes and make sure all students are prepared to meet the demands of an AP course. Eight dual enrollment classes are offered on campus through a partnership with Indian River State College, and students can also elect to take additional dual enrollment classes off campus.

The AP classes offered are: Biology, Calculus AB, Calculus BC, Chemistry, English Literature and Composition, English Language and Composition, Environmental Science, Human Geography, Physics, Psychology, Research, Seminar, Spanish, Statistics, US History, US Government, World History.

School-wide Testing Program:

- ❖ Grade 12: SAT/ACT (optional in grades 10/11/12); AP
- ❖ Grade 11: PSAT/NMSQT; AP
- ❖ Grade 10: PSAT; AP
- ❖ Grade 9: PSAT; AP

Grading System and GPA Overview

Grading System/Class Rank:

Class rank is attained by cumulative, weighted GPA over semester periods. A conversion scale for quality points is used (see below).

Grading Scale: A=100-90 B=89-80 C=79-70 D=69-60 F=59-0

Weighted GPA Scale with Quality Points

| Grade | AP/DE | Honors | Non-honors | Grade | AP/DE | Honors | Non-honors |
|-------|-------|--------|------------|-------|-------|--------|------------|
| 100 | 6.5 | 6.0 | 5.0 | 79 | 4.4 | 3.9 | 2.9 |
| 99 | 6.4 | 5.9 | 4.9 | 78 | 4.3 | 3.8 | 2.8 |
| 98 | 6.3 | 5.8 | 4.8 | 77 | 4.2 | 3.7 | 2.7 |
| 97 | 6.2 | 5.7 | 4.7 | 76 | 4.1 | 3.6 | 2.6 |
| 96 | 6.1 | 5.6 | 4.6 | 75 | 4.0 | 3.5 | 2.5 |
| 95 | 6.0 | 5.5 | 4.5 | 74 | 3.9 | 3.4 | 2.4 |
| 94 | 5.9 | 5.4 | 4.4 | 73 | 3.8 | 3.3 | 2.3 |
| 93 | 5.8 | 5.3 | 4.3 | 72 | 3.7 | 3.2 | 2.2 |
| 92 | 5.7 | 5.2 | 4.2 | 71 | 3.6 | 3.1 | 2.1 |
| 91 | 5.6 | 5.1 | 4.1 | 70 | 3.5 | 3.0 | 2.0 |
| 90 | 5.5 | 5.0 | 4.0 | 69 | 3.4 | 2.9 | 1.9 |
| 89 | 5.4 | 4.9 | 3.9 | 68 | 3.3 | 2.8 | 1.8 |
| 88 | 5.3 | 4.8 | 3.8 | 67 | 3.2 | 2.7 | 1.7 |
| 87 | 5.2 | 4.7 | 3.7 | 66 | 3.1 | 2.6 | 1.6 |
| 86 | 5.1 | 4.6 | 3.6 | 65 | 3.0 | 2.5 | 1.5 |
| 85 | 5.0 | 4.5 | 3.5 | 64 | 2.9 | 2.4 | 1.4 |
| 84 | 4.9 | 4.4 | 3.4 | 63 | 2.8 | 2.3 | 1.3 |
| 83 | 4.8 | 4.3 | 3.3 | 62 | 2.7 | 2.2 | 1.2 |
| 82 | 4.7 | 4.2 | 3.2 | 61 | 2.6 | 2.1 | 1.1 |
| 81 | 4.6 | 4.1 | 3.1 | 60 | 2.5 | 2.0 | 1.0 |
| 80 | 4.5 | 4.0 | 3.0 | | | | |

Class of 2019 Weighted GPA Distribution after 6 Semesters

| GPA Range | # of students | Percentage (%) |
|--|---------------|----------------|
| GPA over 5.0 | 23 | 23% |
| GPA from 4.99-4.0 | 36 | 37% |
| GPA from 3.99-3.0 | 33 | 34% |
| GPA Below 2.9 | 6 | 6% |
| Class of 2019 GPAs range from 5.847 - 2.23 after six semesters | | |

Academic Statistics

Graduating Class for 2017-2018:

- ❖ 98% of graduating seniors planned to attend a 4-year college, university, or state college
- ❖ 2% of graduating seniors planned to join the work force, attend vocational school, or join the military

Florida Bright Future Scholarships for Class of 2017-2018:

- ❖ 15% of graduating seniors received the Florida Academic Scholarship (covers 100% of tuition and applicable fees and \$300 for both fall and spring semesters for additional educational expenses)
- ❖ 14% of graduating seniors received the Florida Medallion Scholarship (covers 75% of tuition and applicable fees)

PSAT Results for Class of 2018-2019 - from October 2017

| | Average total score (out of 1520) | Average PSAT Reading Score (out of 760) | Average SAT Math Score (out of 760) |
|----------------------------|-----------------------------------|---|-------------------------------------|
| Top 15% of current seniors | 1280 | 650 | 630 |
| All seniors | 1009 | 525 | 485 |

Average SAT score for Top 15% of the Class of 2018-2019: Composite = 1330; Critical Reading = 670; Math = 660

Academic Accolades:

| School Year | # of AP Scholars | # of AP Scholars with Honors | # of AP Scholars with Distinction | # of National AP Scholars | # of students receiving National Merit Recognition |
|-------------|------------------|------------------------------|-----------------------------------|---------------------------|--|
| 2015-2016 | 14 | 2 | 4 | 1 | 1 Commended |
| 2016-2017 | 14 | 7 | 5 | - | 1 Semifinalist |
| 2017-2018 | 15 | 3 | 11 | 1 | 2 Commended |

Colleges/Universities Acceptances for John Carroll Graduates Over the Last Four Years:

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|----------------------------------|----------------------------------|---------------------------------|
| American University | Guilford College | Towson University |
| Appalachian State University | Huntington University | Trinity University |
| Auburn University | Indian River State College | Troy University |
| Ave Maria University | Jacksonville University | Tulane University |
| Barry University | Johnson & Wales University | University of Alabama |
| Belmont Abbey College | Kansas State University | University of Arizona |
| Boston College | Lafayette University | University of Arkansas |
| Boston University | Lee-McRae University | University of British Columbia |
| Brevard College | Louisiana State University | University of California-Irvine |
| Catholic University of America | Lynn University | University of Central Florida |
| Chowan University | Mercer University | University of Chicago |
| Clemson University | Miami University of Ohio | University of Colorado, Boulder |
| College of the Holy Cross | Michigan State University | University of Dayton |
| Columbia University | Mississippi State University | University of Delaware |
| Cornell College | New York University | University of Florida |
| Cornell University | North Carolina State University | University of Georgia |
| Dartmouth College | North Carolina Wesleyan College | University of Iowa |
| Davis & Elkins College | Northeastern University | University of Kansas |
| Denison University | Northwestern University | University of Maryland |
| Drexel University | Northwood University | University of Miami |
| Duke University | Norwich University | University of Mississippi |
| Duquesne University | Nova Southeastern University | University of Missouri |
| Eckerd College | Ohio State University | University of North Florida |
| Elon University | Palm Beach Atlantic University | University of Notre Dame |
| Embry-Riddle Aero University | Penn State University | University of Rhode Island |
| Emory University | Providence College | University of South Florida |
| Ferris State University | Rollins College | University of Tampa |
| Flagler College | Saint Joseph's University (PA) | University of Tennessee |
| Florida Atlantic University | Saint Leo University | University of Texas |
| Florida Gulf Coast | Saint Louis University | University of West Florida |
| Florida Institute of Technology | Saint Mary's College | University of Wisconsin |
| Florida International University | Saint Michael's University | Villanova University |
| Florida Southern College | Santa Clara University | Virginia State |
| Florida State University | Savannah College of Art & Design | Wake Forest University |
| Fordham University | Seton Hall University | Washington & Lee University |
| Franciscan University | Southeastern University | Washington State University |
| Full Sail University | Southern Illinois University | West Virginia University |
| Furman University | Southern Methodist University | Western Carolina University |
| Georgetown University | Stetson University | Wingate University |
| Georgia Southern University | Stony Brook University | |
| Georgia Technology | Temple University | |