# **Bethlehem Catholic High School**

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When you enter the doors of Bethlehem Catholic High School today, you can still feel the strong sense of community and tradition that began with its founding in 1926 by the sisters of Saint Joseph's. The school is known for their long-standing tradition of excellence in academics, athletics, student retreat programs and community service. At Bethlehem Catholic High school, our mission is to empower our students to live their faith, embrace learning, serve with compassion and embody integrity.

#### **COMMUNITY**

Bethlehem is a city in eastern Pennsylvania, United States. It lies in Northampton and Lehigh countries. Bethlehem borders with the cities of Allentown and Easton and is part of the greater Lehigh Valley community. Bethlehem is a city of 75,000 people—a city known for its rich colonial and industrial history. Today Bethlehem is experiencing an economic and cultural renaissance promising a future as bright as the city's past.

#### GENERAL INFORMATION

Religion: Catholic Gender: Co-ed Grades: 9-12 Student Body: 730 International Students: 40 Student-Teacher Ratio: 17:1

Year Founded: 1926

Uniforms: Yes

Color(s): Brown and Gold

### **ADMISSION REQUIREMENTS**

- TOEFL 60+/TOEFL Jr./SLEP/other English proficiency test
- **Transcripts**
- Recommendation letters
- Skype interview

#### **TUITION 2019-2020**

\$13,500

Student Fees: \$1,000

Graduation Fee (Seniors only): \$125

\*Tuition and fees are subject to change

#### LOCATION INFORMATION

Nearest Airport: Philadelphia International Air-

Nearest Major Cities: Philadelphia, New York

**Typical Weather:** Humid Continental Climate with hot summer and no dry season

**Attractions Nearby**: Franklin Institute, Liberty Bell, Independence Hall, Philadelphia Museum

of Art, Philadelphia Zoo



#### ACCREDITATION

Bethlehem Catholic High School is supervised by the Allentown Diocese Department of Education and is accredited by the Middle States Association of Colleges and Schools and the Pennsylvania Department of Education.

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#### **ACADEMIC INFORMATION**

School Schedule: 08:00—14:30

English Support: ELL is offered for all first year students

Ave. SAT: 1127 (2017)

Foreign Languages: French, Spanish, German, Latin AP: English Language & Composition, English Literature & Composition, Statistics, Calculus AB, Calculus BC, Biology, Chemistry, US History, Government & Economics, Spanish Language & Culture

Honor Classes: Survey of Literature, American Literature, British Literature, World Literature, Algebra 1, Geometry, Algebra 2 & Trigonometry, Intro to Calculus, Chemistry, Biology, Physics, Environmental Science, Biochemistry & Anatomy/Physiology, American History, American Government, French 3/4/5/6, Spanish 2/3, German 1/2



## **TESTIMONIALS**

"Bethlehem Catholic is a school with great academic programs that help prepare you for college. Each teacher is very involved in your academic success and wants to make sure that you are doing all you can to be the best that you can be".

—— Senior Student



Fall: Cheerleading, Cross Country, Field Hockey, Football, Golf, Soccer (Boys & Girls), Tennis (Girls) and Volleyball (Girls) Winter: Basketball (Boys and Girls), Wrestling and Track Spring: Baseball, Lacrosse, Softball, Tennis (boys), Track and Field, and Volleyball

### **CLUBS & ACTIVITIES**

Debate Team
Chemistry Olympiad
Scholastic Scrimmage
Chess Club
Engineering Team
TSA
Mock Trial
Trig\*Star
Cops 'n' kids
Eco Club
Fact Club

Hawk Ambassadors International Club Key Club Literary Magazine Math Club Mini-Thon Photography Club Sadd Club Squires Circle Squire Roses Student Council

Students for Life

Video Production Club French Club German Club Italian Club Spanish Club

### **COLLEGE MATRICULATION**

Boston College New York University **Boston University** Ohio State University Brown University Penn State—University Park **Bucknell University** Rochester Institute of Technology Carnegie Mellon University Rutgers University Cornell University Syracuse University College of William & Mary Temple University Drexel University University of California LA Fashion Institute of Technology University of California Berkeley University of Delaware Fordham University Georgetown University University of Notre Dame Johns Hopkins University University of Miami Lehigh University University of Pittsburgh Michigan State University Wake Forest University