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## MISSION STATEMENT

Oldenburg Academy of the Immaculate Conception is a Franciscan Catholic co-educational college preparatory high school committed to academic excellence, social responsibility, leadership, and personal and spiritual growth for our students who will excel in our ever-changing world.

## GUIDING PRINCIPLES

- *Incorporating Franciscan values of prayer, Gospel living, and service to support the growth of each student's mind, body, and spirit*
- *Provide a well-qualified faculty that continuously improves curricula and methodologies*
- *Offer a wide range of co-curricular activities that complement strong religious and academic programs*
- *Ensure that a quality Catholic education is affordable*
- *Create and sustain an environment where students from all backgrounds are welcomed and respected*
- *Commit to long-term financial viability*

## SPONSORSHIP VALUES

Prayer, Care of Creation, Peace and Justice, Dignity of Person, and Reconciliation

## ENROLLMENT

The enrollment for 2019-20 is 229, with approximately 52% male and 48% female. Students come from over 16 different schools in five counties in southeastern Indiana and southwestern Ohio. Approximately 80% of students are Catholic and 20% are of other denominations or faiths.

## FACULTY & ADMINISTRATION

Of the 22 OA faculty and administrators, 68% hold advanced degrees. A student to teacher ratio of 12:1 and average class size of 15 provide a highly personalized approach to learning.

## COLLEGE SCHOLARSHIPS

- The Class of 2019 earned over \$6 million in college scholarships and graduates are pursuing post-secondary education in 23 different universities in 7 states.
- The class included 2 Lilly Endowment Finalists, 1 STAMPS scholar, and 1 Next Generation Hoosier Educator.

## HONORS DIPLOMA

In the Class of 2019, 43 of the 56 graduates (77%) earned Indiana Academic Honors Diplomas.

## AVERAGE SAT/ACT SCORES

SAT English: 567  
SAT Math: 551  
ACT Composite: 25

## CLASS SCHEDULE

OA operates on a two-semester schedule. Each day includes eight classes and a 30-minute period focused on college to career readiness. The day begins at 8:00 AM and ends at 3:05 PM.

## AP RECOGNITION

OA received the Advanced Placement Award from the Indiana Department of Education for students earning a score of 3 or higher on AP exams.

## DRESS CODE

Khaki or navy tailored pants, embroidered navy or white OA polo or white oxford shirts, and OA spirit wear sweatshirts are worn daily. A formal uniform includes navy pants, white oxford shirt with navy tie and OA vest or navy blazer for men and plaid skirt, white oxford shirt and OA vest or navy blazer for women.

## SERVICE

A total of 60 hours of service and volunteer activities are expected of all students during their four years at OA. Fulfillment of service and volunteer hours are noted on the high school transcript. Students who reach 100 service hours will be recognized with a Centennial Service Award, and students who reach 500 service hours will be recognized with the Franciscan Service Award.

## ACCREDITATION

AdvancED Accreditation

## PROFESSIONAL ASSOCIATIONS

INPEA (Indiana Non-Public Educational Association)

NCEA (National Catholic Educational Association)

## CEEB SCHOOL CODE

152680

## SPONSORSHIP

Sponsored by the Sisters of St. Francis, Oldenburg

## LOCATION

The Academy is located in picturesque Oldenburg, Indiana, and features a beautiful, campus-like setting.

## QUICK FACTS

- Average class size of 15
- 100% graduation rate
- Students come from 13 to 16 middle schools each year
- OA is known for its exemplary fine arts department
- Only school in SE Indiana with a full orchestra
- OA offers 12 Advanced Placement (AP) courses and 19 dual credits
- Over 90% of students participate in athletics and co-curricular activities
- 20 athletic programs are offered
- Host foreign national students
- Scholarship and tuition assistance is available
- Participate in the Indiana Choice Program (vouchers)

## COURSES OFFERED FOR THE 2019-2020 SCHOOL YEAR

Digital Design/Visual Communications  
 Drawing/Painting  
 AP Art (Drawing Portfolio)  
 AP Art (2-D Design Portfolio)  
 Intro to Business  
 Personal Financial Responsibility  
 English as a New Language  
 English 9  
 English 10  
 American Literature/Ivty ENGL 111  
 AP English Language & Composition  
 English Literature/Ivty ENGL 206  
 AP English Literature & Composition  
 Spanish I  
 Spanish II  
 Spanish III/Ivty SPAN 101/102  
 AP Spanish  
 German I  
 German II  
 German III - Honors  
 Finite Math/Ivty Math 135  
 Geometry  
 Algebra I  
 Algebra II  
 Pre-Calculus/Ivty MATH 136/137  
 AP Calculus/Ivty MATH 211  
 Advanced Chorus (Academy Singers)  
 Orchestra  
 Advanced Fine Arts/Ivty HUMA 118  
 Private Voice & Instrumental Lessons  
 Electronic Music  
 Music Theory AP Music Theory  
 Physical Education 1/2  
 Health  
 Elective Physical Education  
 Christology – 9  
 Church History – 10  
 Franciscan Humanism – Honors 11  
 Social Justice and Faith in Action – Honors 12  
 World Religions – Honors 12  
 Biology I - Honors  
 Advanced Biology II/Ivty BIOL 101  
 AP Biology/Ivty BIOL 105  
 AP Environmental Science/Ivty BIOL 120  
 Anatomy & Physiology/Ivty APHY 101 & 102  
 Earth & Space Science  
 Physics - Honors  
 Chemistry I  
 Chemistry II/Ivty CHEM 101  
 AP Chemistry  
 Government - Honors  
 US History  
 AP US History  
 World History & Civilization  
 Psychology  
 Sociology  
 Entrepreneurship & New Ventures - Honors  
 Principles of Marketing/Ivty MKG 101  
 Economics - Honors  
 Student Media  
 Computer Science: Special Topics – Honors  
 AP Computer Science Principles  
 AP Computer Science Applications  
 Advanced Speech/Ivty COMM 101  
 Introduction to Interpersonal Communications/Ivty COMM 102  
 Career Exploration Internship

## ADVANCED PLACEMENT COURSES

Oldenburg Academy offers 12 Advanced Placement courses. AP courses are more heavily weighted in terms of GPA due to the advanced nature of the information covered. These courses offer students the opportunity to do college level work while they are still in high school. Students earn college credit hours based on their scores on the National Advanced Placement Exams taken in May each year. AP courses are listed in bold on the course list (left).

## DUAL CREDIT COURSES

Oldenburg Academy offers 19 dual credit courses in partnership with Ivy Tech Community College. Dual Credit is an option for high school students to simultaneously take college classes while in high school, to receive college credit, and to fulfill high school requirements. In the Class of 2019, 34% of graduates achieved the Statewide Transfer General Education Core (STGEC) through Ivy Tech Community College.

## COLLEGE TO CAREER READINESS PROGRAM

Each senior participates in a community-partner internship or capstone project to culminate their high school experience and become familiar with real-world applications of their intended college major. As part of the College to Career Readiness Program, all students will have a 30-minute period designated each day for REACH (Removal of stumbling blocks, Exploration of possibilities, Academic support, Career to college readiness, High achievement).

## TYPICAL FRESHMAN SCHEDULE

Religion 9  
 English 9  
 Algebra I or Geometry  
 REACH  
 PE  
 Biology 1 or Biology 2  
 Foreign Language  
 Two Electives

## GRADING SCALE

LETTER GRADE	GRADING SCALE	REGULAR CLASSES	AP CLASSES
A	100 – 95	4.0	5.0
A-	94 – 93	3.667	4.667
B+	92 – 91	3.333	4.333
B	90 – 88	3.0	4.0
B-	87 – 86	2.667	3.667
C+	85 – 84	2.333	3.333
C	83 – 80	2.0	3.0
C-	79 – 78	1.667	2.667
D+	77 – 76	1.333	2.333
D	75 – 72	1.0	2.0
D-	71 – 70	0.667	1.667
F	below 70	0.0	0.0

## ABBREVIATED LIST OF COLLEGE & UNIVERSITY ACCEPTANCE OF RECENT GRADUATES

Arizona State University  
 Ball State University  
 Bellarmine University  
 Belmont University  
 Bethel University  
 Butler University  
 Cincinnati State University  
 College for Creative Studies  
 College of Mount St. Joseph  
 Columbus College of Art and Design  
 Cornell College  
 DePaul University  
 DePauw University  
 Drexel University  
 Fordham University  
 Franklin College  
 Hanover College  
 Hocking College  
 Indiana State University  
 Indiana University  
 Indiana University Purdue University  
 Indianapolis  
 Kenyon College  
 Lewis University  
 Loyola University (Chicago)  
 Manchester College  
 Marian University  
 Marquette University  
 Miami University  
 Michigan State University  
 New York University  
 Northern Kentucky University  
 Northwestern University  
 Oberlin College  
 Ohio State University  
 Ohio University  
 Purdue University  
 Rose-Hulman Institute of Technology  
 Savannah College of Art & Design  
 St. Louis University  
 Texas A & M  
 Thomas More College  
 Tulane University  
 United States Air Force Academy  
 United States Army  
 United States Military Academy West Point  
 United States Navy  
 University of Alaska  
 University of Cincinnati  
 University of Colorado  
 University of Dayton  
 University of Evansville  
 University of Findlay  
 University of Indianapolis  
 University of Kentucky  
 University of Michigan  
 University of Notre Dame  
 University of South Carolina  
 University of South Florida  
 University of Southern Indiana  
 University of St. Francis  
 United States Coast Guard  
 Valparaiso University  
 Vincennes University  
 Wabash College  
 Xavier University