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HISTORY

Founded in 1923

MISSION STATEMENT O'Dea

is a Catholic high school whose mission is to educate young men and prepare them to be men of character, faith, and service.

PHILOSOPHY

O'Dea High School provides young men with a Catholic, college-preparatory education. In the spirit and tradition of the Essential Elements of an Edmund Rice Christian Brother Education, O'Dea's diverse, single-gender learning environment lays a rich foundation for the academic and social development of our students.

O'DEA HIGH SCHOOL

Class of 2023 Academic Profile

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COMPOSITION OF SCHOOL

ENROLLMENT // 463 STUDENTS

124 Freshmen 115 Sophomores 128 Juniors 96 Seniors

GEOGRAPHICAL

O'Dea is centrally located on First Hill, which overlooks downtown Seattle. This central location allows for a student body drawn from the entire metropolitan area, including young men from 95 zip codes. Students come from 130 different feeder schools.

ETHNICITY

53% White 16% Multi-Racial 16% African American 7% Asian 3% Other 3% Pacific Islander 1% Hispanic 1% Native American

ACCREDITATION

Western Catholic Education Association

RELIGIOUS PREFERENCE

60% of our students are Catholic. Students come from 54 parishes and 33 Catholic grade schools.

MEMBERSHIP

National Catholic Education Association
National Association for Secondary School Principals
National Association for College Admission Counseling
PNW Association for College Admission Counseling
American School Counselor Association
Washington Federation of Independent Schools
Association for Supervision and Curriculum Development
CollegeBoard

ACADEMIC PROGRAM

CURRICULUM

The academic year is divided into two semesters of approximately 20 weeks.

The curriculum is a rigorous, structured, college preparatory program. We are on a Block Schedule.

GRADUATION REQUIREMENTS

56 semester credits are required for graduation. 1 credit = 1 semester course 2 credits = 1 year course

SUBJECT	CREDITS/YEARS
• English	8 / (4 yrs)
Mathematics	8 / (4 yrs)
Social Studies	6 / (3 yrs)
Science	6 / (3 yrs)
• Religion	8 / (4 yrs)
• International Language	4 / (2 yrs of same)
• Fine Arts	2
Physical Education	2 / (1 year)
• Health	2 / (1 year)
• Electives	10

COLLEGE IN HIGH SCHOOL COURSES

O'Dea students have an opportunity to earn up to 15 college credits with an official transcript from Seattle University. These courses are available at the 11-12th grades and taught by O'Dea faculty, with collaboration and oversight from Seattle University faculty. The courses include Poverty in America, English 12 Honors, and AP Calculus.

HONORS COURSES

Placement in the Honors courses is selective and is based on a student's grades, standardized test scores and recommendation by each department. O'Dea has the following Honors courses available:

English 9
English 10
Biology
English 11
Chemistry
English 12
Conceptual Physics
Spanish III
Anatomy & Physiology
Algebra II
Modern World History
Geometry
Poverty in America

ADVANCED PLACEMENT COURSES

Placement in the Advanced Placement courses is selective and is based on a student's grades, standardized test scores and recommendation by each department. For 2022-23 school year, we no longer offer AP English Literature. Honors English 12 is our college-level senior English class taught through Seattle University.

O'Dea has the following Advanced Placement courses available:

• Spanish Language • US Government & Politics

English LanguageUS HistoryBiology

2022 CLASS TESTING PROFILE

Average SAT Score: 1150

COLLEGE PLACEMENT

94% of the students in the class of 2022 are attending a post-secondary school. 90% attend four-year colleges or universities, 8% attend two-year institutions and 4% attend technical institutions. 1 student joined the military and 3 students are taking a Gap Year. The following is a list of colleges and universities to which the class of 2022 graduates were accepted:

Arizona State University - Tempe **Bates College Baylor University Belmont University Bentley University Boise State University Boston College Bryant University Butler University** California Lutheran University California Poly San Luis Obispo California State University - Dominguez Hills California State University - Long Beach California State University - Los Angeles Carroll College Central Washington University Chapman University College of Charleston College of the Holy Cross Citadel Military College of South Carolina Clark University Clemson University Colorado College Colorado Mesa University Colorado School of Mines Colorado State University - Fort Collins Concordia University - Wisconsin Connecticut College Cornish College of the Arts Creighton University **Denison University Depaul University Depauw University** DigiPen Institute of Technology Dominican University of California **Drexel University Eastern Washington University Elmhurst University Elon University Embry-Riddle Aeronautical University** Fairfield University

Fashion Institute of Technology Fordham University Fort Lewis College **Gannon University** George Fox University George Washington University Gonzaga University **Grand Canyon University** Hampton University Hawaii Pacific University **High Point University** Hillsdale College

Holy Family University

Howard University

Iona University Ithaca College **Jackson State University** Kansas State University **Kettering University** Linfield University Lipscomb University Louisiana State University Loyola Marymount University Loyola University Chicago Macalaster College Marquette University Montana State University Morehouse College New Mexico Institute of Mining and Technology **New York University** Niagara University Norfolk State University Northern Arizona University Occidental College Ohio State University **Oregon State University** Pace University Pacific Lutheran University Pepperdine University Portland State University **Purdue University** Rhode Island School of Design Rider University Rochester Institute of Technology Rocky Mountain College **Rutgers University Camden** Saint Joseph's University Saint Martin's University Saint Mary's College of California Saint Michael's College Saint Xavier University San Diego State University Saint Joseph's University Santa Clara University School of Art Institute of Chicago Seattle Pacific University Seattle University Seton Hall University Seton Hill University Shippensburg University of Pennsylvania Xavier University of Louisiana Simon Fraser University Skidmore College Southern Methodist University St. John's University Stonehill College Temple University Texas A & M University **Texas Christian University Trinity University**

United States Coast Guard Academy

University of Alabama

University of Arizona

University of California Irvine University of California San Diego University of Cincinnati University of Colorado Boulder **University of Connecticut** University of Dallas University of Denver University of Florida University of Idaho University of Iowa University of Kansas University of La Verne University of Miami University of Minnesota University of Mississippi University of Montana University of New Mexico University of Notre Dame University of Oklahoma University of Oregon University of the Pacific University of Portland **University of Puget Sound** University of Redlands University of Rhode Island University of San Diego University of San Francisco University of Southern California University of Tampa University of Tennessee University of Vermont University of Victoria University of Washington Bothell University of Washington University of Wyoming Wagner College **Washington State University** West Virginia University Whitman College Whittier College Whitworth University Wofford College **Xavier University**

University of British Columbia

University of California Davis

GRADING

GRADE POINT AVERAGE

The transcript reflects the student's cumulative grade point average which is determined by all of the courses a student has taken, beginning in the ninth grade. O'Dea does weigh Honors and AP classes. We use a 5.000 grading scale for those courses.

The average 6th semester cumulative GPA for the Class of 2023 is 3.544. The highest cumulative GPA for the Class of 2023 is 4.5661 and the lowest is 2.3364.

6TH SEMESTER CUMULATIVE GPA DISTRIBUTION FOR THE CLASS OF 2023

CUMULATIVE GPA	NUMBER OF STUDENTS	% OF CLASS
4.000-5.000	52	42%
3.750-3.999	21	18%
3.500-3.749	12	10%
3.000-3.499	24	20%
2.750-2.999	9	8%
2.500-2.749	2	1%
2.000-2.499	2	1%
1.500 - 1.999	0	0%

4.0 SYSTEM FOR COLLEGE TRACK COURSES

LETTER GRADE	GRADE POINT AVERAGE	PERCENT RANGE
Α	4.000	93-100%
A-	3.700	90-92%
B+	3.300	87-89%
В	3.000	83-86%
B-	2.700	80-82%
C+	2.300	77-79%
C	2.000	73-76%
C-	1.700	70-72%
D+	1.300	67-69%
D	1.000	63-66%
D-	.700	60-62%
F	0	Below 60%

5.0 SYSTEM FOR HONORS AND ADVANCE PLACEMENT COURSES

LETTER GRADE	GRADE POINT AVERAGE	PERCENT RANGE
Α	5.000	93-100%
A-	4.700	90-92%
B+	4.300	87-89%
В	4.000	83-86%
B-	3.700	80-82%
C+	3.300	77-79%
C	3.000	73-76%
C-	2.700	70-72%
D+	2.300	67-69%
D	2.000	63-66%
D-	1.700	60-62%
F	0	Below 60%

CLASS RANK

O'Dea High School does not rank students.