

Fontbonne Hall Academy

2019-2020 PROFILE

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OUR MISSION

Fontbonne Hall Academy is a college preparatory school for young women, founded on the teachings of Jesus Christ and inspired by the charism of the Sisters of St. Joseph of Brentwood, New York. Providing challenging educational opportunities, Fontbonne instills in its students the skills and values that will empower them to create their future in an ever-changing world.

GRADING AND RANKING

This school does not rank.

- Numerical grades will be used for all courses, unless otherwise indicated.
- An un-weighted average will be used to determine Honor Roll.
- A FINAL WEIGHTED GPA of all courses is taken at the end of each academic year. The CUMULATIVE WEIGHTED GPA of all courses taken throughout all academic years is also taken at the end of each academic year. Subjects are weighted to reflect both the duration of the course and its level of difficulty. Refer to the table below for courses that are weighted.

THE SCHOOL

Fontbonne Hall Academy is accredited by the Middle States Association of Colleges and Schools, is a member of The College Board, and the National Coalition of Girls' Schools. The school population for grades 9-12 is 440 and the class of 2020 has 123 women.

CURRICULUM

Graduation Requirements

At Fontbonne Hall, 25.5 credits are required to be completed in order to graduate.

English	4 units
Social Studies	4 units
Religion	4 units
Mathematics	3 units
Science	3 units
World Languages	3 units
Physical Education	2 units
Fine Arts	1 unit
Community Service*	1 unit
Health	1/2 unit

* 15 community service hours per year required for graduation

HONOR ROLL

Principal's List	95+ average
First Honors	90-95 average

CLASS OF 2019

There were **106** graduates in the Class of 2019.

Advanced Placement Results

In May 2019, 173 students took AP Exams
A total of 281 Exams were taken
43% of AP students with scores 3+

SAT ® SCORES AFTER MARCH 2016*

EBRW 540 - 640	English 19 - 25
Mathematics 530 - 670	Math 18 - 27
	Reading 19 - 25
	Science 20 - 24

*Middle 50%

AP COURSE OFFERINGS

English

English Language and Composition
English Literature and Composition

Social Studies

World History
United States History
Psychology

Mathematics

Calculus AB/BC
Statistics (online)

Science

Biology
Chemistry
Physics I
Environmental Science (online)

World Languages

Italian
Spanish

AP Capstone™ : Seminar and Research

GRADING

57	earned	90+
38	earned	80 - 90
11	earned	70 - 80

* Based off of weighted GPA

ACT ® SCORES*

FOUR POINTS ADDITIONAL WEIGHT

SIX POINTS ADDITIONAL WEIGHT

English 9H, 10H	AP English Language and Composition
Major Art 1, 2, 3	AP English Literature and Composition
Advanced Music Appreciation	AP Calculus AB
Algebra 1 H	AP Calculus BC
Geometry H	AP Biology
Algebra 2 H	AP Chemistry
PreCalculus H	AP Physics
GATES Honors	AP Environmental Science (online)
Biology Honors	AP World History 1, 2
Physics H	AP United States History
Italian 3H, 4H	AP Psychology
Spanish 3H, 4H	AP Italian
Brown University Pre-College Scholars Program in Engineering	AP Spanish
Engineering Capstone	AP Seminar
Science Research, Intermediate Science Research, Advanced Science Research	AP Statistics (online)

ACADEMIC PARTNERSHIPS

College Advantage Programs — St. Francis College, St. John's University, St. Joseph's College

Fontbonne Hall Academy is affiliated with St. John's University's College Advantage Program, St. Francis College High School Bridge Program, and St. Joseph's College Accelerated Pre-College Program, all designed for 11th and 12th grade students. Eligible students may dual-enroll in college level courses taught by highly qualified FHA faculty during the school day. Both FHA and University credit is awarded.

Brown University Pre-College Scholars Program in Engineering FHA has partnered with Brown University's Pre-College Programs to offer a year-long online course of study taught by faculty from Brown University's School of Engineering. Students choose to participate in this innovative program will explore engineering and its design principles, and work collaboratively on biomedical, materials science, and renewable energy engineering projects.

Science Research FHA has partnered with SUNY Albany to offer students the opportunity to earn up to 12 college credits for conducting investigative and original research under the guidance and supervision of a research scientist at a college or university. It is a three-sequence course that begins in a student's sophomore year.

AP Capstone™ FHA is honored to become the only Catholic High School in NYC or in Long Island that will offer this program beginning in the 2017-2018 school year. AP Capstone™ is an innovative diploma program that allows students to develop the skills that matter most for their future college success: research, collaboration, and communication. The program includes a two-course sequence: AP® Seminar and AP Research. Students are encouraged and eligible to enroll starting their junior year.



SAMPLE OF FONTBONNE HALL ACADEMY GRADUATE ACCEPTANCES

Adelphi University
Albany College of Pharmacy
Albertus Magnus College
Amherst College
American University
Babson College
Bard College
Boston College
Boston University
Brown University
Bryant University
Caldwell College
College of Charleston
College of Saint Rose
Connecticut College
Cornell University
CUNY
Drexel University
Elon University
Fairfield University
Fairleigh Dickenson University

Florida State University
Fordham University
Georgetown University
Gettysburg College
Hartwick College
Hofstra University
Howard University
Iona College
Ithaca College
Johnson & Wales University
Kansas State University
Keystone College
Lafayette College
Lehigh University
LeMoyne College
LIM College
Long Island University
Loyola University Maryland
Marymount
Manhattan College
Manhattanville College

Marist College
Marywood University
MCPHS University
Mercyhurst College
Molloy College
Monmouth University
Morgan State University
Mount Saint Mary College
New England College
New York Institute of Technology
New York University
Northeastern University
Pace University
Palm Beach Atlantic University
Parsons, New School for Design
Penn State University
Philadelphia University
Pratt Institute
Providence College
Quinnipiac University
Rensselaer Polytechnic

Rider University
Rochester Institute of Technology
Roger Williams University
Rutgers University
Sacred Heart University
Saint Joseph's University
School of Visual Arts
Seton Hall University
Siena College
St. Francis College
St. John's University
St. Joseph's College
Stevens Institute of Technology
Stonehill College
SUNY
The Catholic U. of America
The College of New Jersey
The College of New Rochelle
The College of Mt. St. Vincent
The NE School of Art and Design
The University of Alabama

The University of Chicago
The University of North Carolina
The University of San Diego
The University of Scranton
Thomas Jefferson University
Tufts University
University of Connecticut
University of Delaware
University of Massachusetts
University of Notre Dame
University of Richmond
University of Tampa
Villanova University
Wagner College
Wake Forest University
Wesleyan University