Over 300 years ago, Saint John Baptist de La Salle began his quest to redefine learning. Together with a worldwide network of millions of Lasallian students and educators, we are proud to bring his spirit of love, care, service, and excellence to students of the 21st century.

La Salle College Preparatory was founded in 1956 as a Catholic school for boys and transitioned to a co-ed school during the 1991-1992 school year. Today, we serve the greater San Gabriel Valley area as the only co-educational and Catholic high school in Pasadena.

Each and every day, we work to offer our community of curious and capable students opportunities that develop and nurture personal growth through exploration and discovery.

Either engaging in a future-forward S.T.E.A.M. program or exploring a classic literary world for the first time, growing as a teammate on our championship-caliber athletic teams, volunteering for a meaningful day of service, or participating in our award-winning visual and performing arts programs, La Salle College Preparatory's students receive the powerful mentorship and instruction that informs wonder into excellence.

Perched atop our foundation of an incredible 300 years in the making, we look to the future, inspiring and preparing our next generation of lifelong learners to leave a lasting, positive impact on their communities and on the world around them.

La Salle provides all students the opportunity to grow in faith, engage in service, and take active roles in the community. We offer more than 50 different student-run organizations and faculty-sponsored co-curriculars including Robotics, Speech and Debate, Academic Decathlon, Improvisation, and S.T.E.A.M. labs.

Our Student Life team develops engaging activities, retreats and service opportunities for students to engage with, in addition to planning spiritual liturgies and services.

La Salle maintains its Catholic distinctiveness with approximately two-thirds of La Salle's entering freshman class acceptances being of the Catholic faith. Additionally, 30% of our students are from low-income families and receive full or part-tuition assistance through the San Miguel and Brother Celestine Scholarship funds.
La Salle’s Speech and Debate team had a successful year of competition with lots of promise in the younger members of the team. A student advanced at the California State level and 2 students advanced at the National level.

The Lancer Academic Decathlon team earned over 100 medals at the Southern California Private School academic decathlon and took home two division titles. Overall, the top team finished third of all private schools that competed. This past year, La Salle sent 9 students to compete at the Global Round of the World Scholar’s Cup in Prague. Each of the three teams placed in the Top 10, earning them all a spot at the Tournament of Champions at Yale last November. One student scored the highest overall and ended up placing first in the entire competition.

**CURRICULUM / GRADUATION REQUIREMENTS**

- Over 85 UC Certified/Approved courses offered.
- Students are required to take 7 courses per year.
- Traditional A-F grading system with plus/minus. There is no A+ grade.
- GPAs are cumulative from grades 9-12 and weighted on a 4.0 scale.
- 220 units in core subjects + 55 elective units required
- 24 AP and 13 Honors courses (80% AP Exam pass rate) with weighted GPA.
- Honors and AP courses are weighted with one extra point when calculating GPA.

**REQUIRED COURSES**

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*Completion of up to Algebra 2 required, 3-4 years recommended.

La Salle’s graduation requirements are aligned with CSU/UC admission requirements. Students have the flexibility to build their four-year plan that is a fit with their postsecondary goals.

**ADVANCED PLACEMENT COURSES**

- Algebra II
- Biology
- Chemistry
- English I
- English II
- English III
- Geometry
- Physics
- Pre-Calculus
- Spanish II
- Spanish III
- Government & Politics
- Human Geography
- Language & Composition
- Literature & Composition
- Macroeconomics
- Microeconomics
- Physics C: Mechanics
- Physics C: Electricity & Magnetism
- Spanish Language & Culture
- Spanish Literature & Culture
- Statistics
- U.S. History

**AP & Honors Courses**

- 24 Advanced Placement Courses
- 310 students
- 663 AP tests
- 82% of AP testers scored a 3 or higher

**COSTS & FINANCIAL AID**

**Tuition and fees for the 2023-2024 academic year:**

- Tuition: $27,954
- Registration & Student Services Fee: $600
- Program & Campus Development Fee: $100
- Technology Fee: $100
- Emergency Supplyn Fee (New Students): $50
- Graduation Fee (Seniors): $350

*Over $3 million in financial aid and merit-based scholarships were awarded last school year.

**ADMISSIONS DATES**

- November 5, 2023: Open House 2023
- January 12, 2024: Priority, Financial Aid, and Scholarship Applications Due
- January 13, 2024: Course Advancement Test Date
- January 20, 2024: Course Advancement Test Date
- January 2024: Student & Parent Interviews
- February 5, 2024: Transcripts, Personal Statement, & Recommendations Due
- March 1, 2024: Admissions Notifications Sent
- March 9, 2024: Registration Day

Please contact the Admissions Office for more information!

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