



LEXINGTON CATHOLIC HIGH SCHOOL

Blue Ribbon School of Excellence



MISSION STATEMENT: *We, Lexington Catholic High School, serve as an integral part of the educational mission of the Roman Catholic Diocese of Lexington. We serve Catholic students and students of other faith traditions by providing a high quality secondary education that emphasizes the spiritual ideas and moral values of the Gospel. In this faith community, we form and develop the mind, spirit and body of our students.*

MIND

- ❖ The only high school in Fayette County to be named a *Blue Ribbon School of Excellence*
- ❖ College preparatory curriculum includes an extensive array of AP and Honors classes
- ❖ Small class sizes for optimal educational environment; average class size: 20
- ❖ Accredited by the Southern Association of Colleges and Secondary Schools
- ❖ Annual Tuition Assistance Program available

SPIRIT

- ❖ Full-time Chaplain and Campus Minister maintain faith-based Christian values
- ❖ Yearly retreat program and community service component for all students
- ❖ Students make a yearly integrity pledge and elect an Honor Council
- ❖ Students of many faiths attend Lexington Catholic; 25% of students are non-Catholic

BODY

- ❖ Award-Winning Choral and Band Programs
- ❖ Annual Teacher-Led Study Abroad Opportunities
- ❖ 85% of the student body participates in at least one of 29 extracurricular activities
- ❖ 75% of the student body participates in at least one of 18 athletic programs and intramurals

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Blue Ribbon School

The Blue Ribbon Schools program recognizes public and private schools for academic superiority or dramatic gains in student achievement. **Lexington Catholic scored in the top ten percent in the nation on the ACT standardized test** making the school eligible to apply for the program. LCHS is one of only a few high schools in the state to receive this honor.

College Planning and Guidance

Lexington Catholic's college preparatory curriculum includes **twenty-five Honors Courses and seventeen Advanced Placement (AP) Courses**. LCHS does not segregate students into a specific honors program. Rather, **Honors and AP classes are available to ALL qualified students**. As a result, over half of the entire student population qualified for and enrolled in Honors and/or AP classes.

- ❖ College planning begins freshman year. Students are able to customize their course load by enrolling in their desired number of courses.
 - ❖ No matter what academic path a student chooses, every student is challenged in their curriculum. All LCHS graduates are fully prepared for their freshman year of college.
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Christian Service Program

Christian Service is an integral part of student life at LCHS. Last year alone, students logged over 18,000 hours. **Fulfilling this responsibility directly exemplifies the mission of LCHS**. All students are required to complete 60 hours of service.

Class of 2011 Highlights

The Class of 2011 included SEVEN Governor's Scholars, FOUR National Merit Commended Scholars, and was awarded **Non-Need Based Merit Scholarships worth over \$10,150,000** (excluding KEES). NINETY-NINE percent of the graduates went directly to college.

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