Steps for Applying to Catholic High Schools

1. Obtain the application packets from all of the Catholic high schools to which you plan to apply. Students may apply to one or up to three Catholic high schools and be assured that each school will receive copies of their test scores.

2. Attend OPEN HOUSES and visit the schools that interest you and meet your needs. Consult this brochure for calendar dates, or call individual schools. Seek information about other opportunities for school visitations. Considering your personal strengths and aptitudes, discuss with your 8th-grade teacher(s), principal and parents the high school programs that best meet your needs.

3. Complete and submit applications on time.

4. Take the High School Placement test on January 12, 2013, at one of the schools to which you have applied. You may take it only once, but on the answer sheet list your school test site as well as the other Catholic high schools to which you have applied, so your test scores can be sent there. The Grade Request and Confidential Recommendation forms are due to the high schools on February 1, 2013.

5. Letters regarding your admission status will be mailed on or after March 15, 2013.

6. Pay registration fees to the school you plan to attend by the deadline.
MISSION STATEMENT: Moreau Catholic High School is dedicated to the legacy and values of the Congregation of Holy Cross and its founder, Blessed Basil Moreau. We are a college-preparatory school and uphold the mission and identity of the Congregation of Holy Cross and the Congregation of Holy Cross and its founder, Blessed Basil Moreau. We are a Catholic, college-preparatory, coeducational institution in a park-like setting in a vibrant learning environment. We strive to develop balanced, academically rigorous students who will become responsible citizens of the global community.

CURRICULUM: Moreau Catholic High School offers a rigorous college preparatory education to the honors and advanced placement courses and offers the first and only honors dance class in California. Our program is geared to meet the needs of students preparing for college. We offer a full athletic program with 42 teams; 75% of our students are involved in varsity athletic competition.

STUDENT ACTIVITIES: Our co-curricular programs enhance the academic and spiritual dimensions of our school by providing a variety of activities that foster community, leadership, creativity, and sportsmanship. Moreau Catholic offers many co-curricular activities in which a student can be involved, including drama, dance, chorus, news, yearbook, radio, yearbook, sports, dance, and band. We also offer an admissions appeal (including Saint and online) for the 2011-12 academic year. Approx. 30% of our students receive some form of aid. The average grant reduces tuition by 45%.

REGISTRATION INFORMATION: Applications are available online or calling the Tuition Assistance Office at (510) 881-4300 or faxing (510) 582-8405. Moreau Catholic High School is a co-educational institution in a park-like setting in a vibrant learning environment. We strive to develop balanced, academically rigorous students who will become responsible citizens of the global community.

ATHLETICS: Seven teams play in the NGL (North Bay League). East Valley, Golf, Cross Country, Basketball, Swimming, Track and Field.

FINANCIAL AID: Several merit-based scholarships and need-based grants are available. For 2012-13, Moreau Catholic High School allocated $1.4 million dollars in tuition assistance to families. Approximately 27% of our students receive some form of aid. The average grant reduces tuition by 45%.

ADMISSIONS INFORMATION: Get to know Moreau Catholic by visiting us at our Campus Open House on Sunday, December 4th at 1:00 PM. We also offer an Admissions Info Night, Parents Breakfast, and Shadow Day Fall. Admissions applications are available online and are due no later than January 6th at noon. For more information on our events or for our online application visit www.salesian.org/admissions.

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prototype of activities for student outreach to the broader community.

MISDEEMSHION: During this one-week period of enrichment education between first and second semesters, students select from a wide range of on-campus classes, on-campus, community, or independent internships, and such internships as creative writing, dance, college tours, and museum tours.

TUITION: $13,540

AVERAGE CLASS SIZE: 27

STUDENT TO TEACHER RATIO: 11:1

TEA AND TOUR: Monthly opportunities are available to tour the campus and hear candid conversations with teachers, administrators, current parents, and students.

FINANCIAL AID: Assistance is available to students whose families demonstrate financial need. Assistance is available on-line or by calling the Admissions Office.

GRADUATES WHO ATTEND COLLEGE: 100% of the graduating class have been admitted to at least one institution. 79% attend four-year institutions. 21% attend community college.

ATHLETICS: Seven teams play in the NCL East (Bay Area League) East Valley, Golf, Cross Country, Basketball, Swimming, Track and Field.
PROFILE: A Catholic college preparatory school offering a quality education to students in grades nine through twelve. Founded in 1921, and celebrating 90 years of success, the school is located in the historic Fruitvale district of Oakland, CA. It prides itself on being a community of "family.

MISSION STATEMENT: Saint Elizabeth High School is a coeducational Catholic Diocesan high school founded and operated by the Sisters of the Ursuline Order in the spirit of Saint Dominic serving a diverse student population from Oakland and surrounding communities. We are committed to fostering self-esteem and preparing students for college; challenging them to live and proclaim the Gospel message, achieve academic success and secure skills necessary for life according to God's plan.

CURRICULUM: Saint Elizabeth High School is a coeducational Catholic Diocesan high school that provides a rigorous college preparatory curriculum, including Honors and Advanced Placement courses. Our electives in the arts and sciences provide opportunities for students to explore personal areas of interest and develop well-rounded persons. We are fully accredited by the Western Association of Schools & Colleges (WASC) and the Western Catholic Education Association (WCEA).

SPECIAL SESSION: Each school year in April, the entire student body, faculty and staff participate in our special spring program, which centers around outside of the classroom learning experiences. Blended with opportunities to explore the local bay area while other travel around the world to places like Costa Rica.

STUDENT ACTIVITIES: Our co-curricular programs complement the academic program and are a part of our student personal and spiritual development. They provide opportunities for students to deepen their faith, develop their individual talents and interests, leadership potential, and social skills. Student activities include such groups as the Student Council, The St. Dominics, Campus Ministry, Service Ambassadors, Cultural clubs and other special interest clubs. Our school is also committed to athletics, the co-curricular, soccer, volleyball, softball, track, basketball, and baseball.

TUITION: $11,200

TUTITION ASSISTANCE: Saint Elizabeth High School is determined to keep the school accessible to any family who wishes their child to receive a Catholic education. In addition we are also committed to making our school accessible to any family who wishes their child to receive a Catholic secondary education for their child. Therefore, Saint Elizabeth High School has adopted a Flexible Tuition Plan. A flexible tuition plan allows families to pay tuition ranging from $3,000 to $10,760 for the 2011-2012.

CURRENT ENROLLMENT: 142

STUDENT TO TEACHER RATIO: 16:1

AVERAGE CLASS SIZE: 20

GRADUATES WHO ATTEND COLLEGE: 98%

ETHNIC MAKE-UP OF STUDENT BODY: 17% African American/Black, 6% Asian Pacific Islander, 5% Native American/Alaskan, 6% Other, 24% White

ADMISSIONS INFORMATION: Open House will be held on Sunday, October 21st, from 9:00 am–10:30 pm. Online applications are available at www.szeliz.edu or under the Admissions link. Priority Application deadline is January 12, 2013.

LOCATION AND TRANSPORTATION: Saint Elizabeth High School is located in the heart of Alameda. There is easy access to the freeway, BART, and the ferry. Many families participate in carpooling through www.h takeover.com, on which SJND is a member.

CURRENT ENROLLMENT: 425

STUDENT TO TEACHER RATIO: 15:1

AVERAGE CLASS SIZE: 25

GRADUATES WHO ATTEND COLLEGE: 85%

ETHNIC MAKE-UP OF STUDENT BODY: Euro-American 31.49%; African American 14.27%; Latinos 19.77%; Asian 8.31%; Multiracial 12.87%; Filipinos 11.95% and Other 1.17%

REGISTRATION INFORMATION: Applications are available online at www.sjnd.org. Contact Inlinea Guevara, Director of Admissions, at jguevara@sjnd.org or (510) 995-9445 with any questions.

Saint Joseph Notre Dame High School

1011 Chestnut Street, Alameda, CA 94501

Principal: Mr. Simon Chiu

President: Brother Edmond, FSC

Curriculum: Dr. Peter Imperial

Web Site: www.sjnd.org

Email: jguevara@sjnd.org

(510) 995-9445 with any questions.

Tuition and Fees: $14,470 Registration Fee: $750

Tuition Assistance: FAPE is available for qualified students. Forms are available at the SJND Open House on October 28, 1:30 to 3:30 p.m., and at www.sjnd.org/admissions/tuitionassistanceinfo.html

Current enrollment: 425

Average Class Size: 25

Grads who attend college: 87%

Ethnic Make-up of student body: 42.5% Euro-American; 13.9% Asian; 11.9% African American; 8.5% Filipino; 17.1% Multiracial

Registration Information: Applications are available online at www.sjnd.org. Contact Lindiana Guerreo, Director of Admissions, at jguevara@sjnd.org or (510) 995-9445 with any questions.

Saint Mary’s College High School

Peralta Park, 1294 Albina Ave., Berkeley, California 94706

Principal: Rev. Matthew T. Proctor, S.J.

President: Brother Edmond, FSC

Curriculum: Dr. Peter Imperial

Web Site: www.saintmaryschs.org

Email: buoccer@stmaryschs.org

(510) 559-6240 • Fax (510) 559-6277

Tuition: $12,700

Tuition Assistance: St. Mary’s offers competitive athletic programs in eighteen interscholastic sports as a member of the Tri-City Athletic League (T.C.A.L) and the North Coast Section. The school has many national and section titles within the last five years. St. Mary’s offers a host of clubs and organizations that encourage faculty, community building, and a fun time for students and their moderators.

TUITION AND FEES: $12,700 Capital Improvement Fee: $500.00

FINANCIAL AID: Financial aid is available to families who demonstrate need. Details are available at www.saintmarys.org.

CURRENT ENROLLMENT: 425

STUDENT TO TEACHER RATIO: 17:1

AVERAGE CLASS SIZE: 26

GRADUATES WHO ATTEND COLLEGE: 89%

ADMISSIONS INFORMATION: Our online application is available at www.saintmarys.org. For the fall of 2013, the application deadline is April 15. The applications, please go to our website under the Admissions tab, click "Join Email List," and complete the information required. Remember that the most up-to- date information about St. Mary’s and our Open House (Sunday, November 18 at 1:30 P.M) is on our website at www.saintmarys.org.

September 17, 2012