

Academic Excellence In A Christian Environment



LUTHERAN HIGH SCHOOL

“Training Christian Leaders”

OUR MISSION: “Empowered by God, Lutheran High School builds a Christ-centered family to equip students spiritually, intellectually, and physically for service to God and society.”

OVERVIEW: Lutheran High School is a college preparatory school, owned and operated by seven Lutheran churches in the greater Springfield area. The school is recognized by the Illinois State Board of Education. Lutheran High is also accredited through the National Lutheran School Accreditation process. LuHi is home to a diverse student body pursuing academic excellence in a Christian setting. In addition to a complete academic program, we offer numerous co-curricular sports, clubs and activities. The total enrollment for the 2017-2018 school year is 145 students.

Recognition - Class of 2017

- 44 graduates
- 6 Illinois State Scholars
- 4 Susan Cook House Students of the Week
- 6 4.0 Tassel Award Recipients
- 17 President's Education Award Recipients
- 1 VFW "Voice of Democracy" Essay Contest Regional Winner
- 1 state winner of the Illinois Lutherans For Life essay contest
- 14 Members of the National Honor Society
- 12 Members of the Sociedad Honoraria Hispanica
- **96% College bound**
- **4% Military bound**

Lutheran High School

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Kim O'Connell

Athletic Director

Katie McCulley

CURRICULUM

Lutheran High School has a strong academic program including Honors, AP, and Dual (College) Credit classes.

All incoming freshman are required to take a standardized placement test and are placed into courses based on their test results, grades, and teacher recommendations. Lutheran High School offers a flexible schedule allowing students the opportunity to take college classes for credit without ever leaving our campus. In addition to our 4-year Spanish program, students also have the opportunity to enroll in numerous foreign language courses online through Rosetta Stone.

CO-CURRICULAR ACTIVITIES

Audio Visual Team, [Baseball](#), [Basketball](#), [Bass Fishing](#), Choir, [Cheerleading](#), Chess Club, [Cross Country](#), Drama, Leadership Group, Spanish Honor Society, [Golf](#), Madrigals, Mayor's Youth Council, National Honor Society, Pep Band, Indoor Rock Climbing Club, SADD, [Scholastic Bowl](#), [Soccer](#), Softball, [Speech](#), Poetry Out Loud, Spiritual Life, Student Council, [Track](#), [Volleyball](#) (Blue denotes IHSA sanctioned activity)

Average ACT Scores Over the Past Five Years

Years	English		Mathematics		Reading		Science		Composite	
	LuHi	State	LuHi	State	LuHi	State	LuHi	State	LuHi	State
2013-2017	23.8	20.4	22.6	20.8	24.4	20.8	22.5	20.8	23.6	20.8

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GRADUATION REQUIREMENTS

A four-year student of LuHi (Class of 2018) will graduate with 26.5 credits (22.5 in academic areas and 4 in Religion) and at least 60 hours of community service. One unit of credit is generally given for a year-long class. Religion counts for .5 units per semester of attendance.

Class of 2018 (26.5 Credits)

4.0 Credits – Religion	2.0 Credits - Social Science	1.0 Credit – Foreign Language
4.0 Credits – English	1.0 Credit – Fine Arts	0.5 Credits – Consumer Ed.
3.0 Credits – Mathematics	0.25 Credits – Health	7.0 Credits – Electives
3.0 Credits – Science	0.75 Credits – Physical Education	

Class of 2019 (27 Units)

4.0 Credits – Religion	3.0 Credits – Social Science	2.0 Credits – Foreign Language
4.0 Credits – English	1.0 Credit – Fine Arts	0.5 Credits – Consumer Ed.
3.0 Credits – Mathematics	0.25 Credits – Health	5.5 Credits – Electives
3.0 Credits – Science	0.75 Credits – Physical Education	

Beginning with the Class of 2020, all students will be required to have at least one on-line course appear on their transcript.

Class of 2020 (27.5 Units)

4.0 Credits – Religion	3.0 Credits – Social Science	2.0 Credits – Foreign Language
4.0 Credits – English	1.5 Credits – Fine Arts	0.5 Credits – Consumer Ed.
3.0 Credits – Mathematics	0.25 Credits – Health	0.5 Credits - Computer
3.0 Credits – Science	1.0 Credit – Physical Education	4.75 Credits - Electives

Class of 2021 (28 Units)

4.0 Credits – Religion	3.0 Credits – Social Science	2.0 Credits – Foreign Language
4.0 Credits – English	1.5 Credits – Fine Arts	0.5 Credits – Consumer Ed.
3.0 or 4.0 Credits – Mathematics	0.25 Credits – Health	0.5 Credits – Computer
3.0 or 4.0 Credits – Science	1.0 Credit – Physical Education	3.75 Credits – Electives

GRADING

Lutheran High School utilizes a 4.0 grading scale with an 'A' being a 4.0. The conversion for an 'A+' is 4.3. Honors classes are graded using the same grading system, however the weight of the grade is raised 2/3 of a grade (a 'B' would be equivalent to an 'A-' grade).

HONORS CLASSES

- Freshmen Honors English
- Sophomore Honors English
- Elements of Writing
- Calculus
- History
- Psychology
- Physics

DUAL CREDIT CLASSES

- Statistics
 - Calculus
- (College credit awarded through Lincoln Land Community College.)

Advanced Placement Classes

- US History
- Physics
- English

Recent College Choices for Lutheran High Graduates

Augustana College
 Blackburn College
 Bradley University
 Carthage College
 Central College
 Concordia University – Chicago
 Concordia University – Nebraska
 Concordia University – St. Paul
 Concordia University – Wisconsin
 Culver-Stockton College
 DePaul University
 Drake University
 Eastern Illinois University
 Franklin College
 Greenville College
 Illinois College
 Illinois State University
 Illinois Wesleyan University
 Lewis University
 Lincoln College
 Lincoln Land Community College

Louisiana State University
 Marquette University
 Maryville University
 MacMurray College
 McKendree College
 Michigan State University
 Millikin University
 Missouri State University
 North Park University
 Northern Illinois University
 Northwestern University
 Olive Nazarene University
 Purdue University
 Quincy University
 Robert Morris University
 Saint Louis University
 Saint Louis College of Pharmacy
 Southern Illinois Univ.- Carbondale
 Southern Illinois Univ.-Edwardsville
 SIU School of Medicine
 Southeast Missouri State

Texas Christian University
 Truman State University
 University of Evansville
 University of Illinois – Chicago
 University of Illinois – Springfield
 University of Illinois-Urbana/Champaign
 University of Iowa
 University of Michigan
 University of Mississippi
 University of Missouri – Columbia
 Missouri S&T
 University of Missouri – St. Louis
 University of New Orleans
 University of Oklahoma
 University of Pittsburgh
 University of Southern Indiana
 University of Tampa
 Valparaiso University
 Webster University
 Western Illinois University
 William Woods University