



# Morris Catholic High School

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## School Profile

### COMMUNITY

Denville is a friendly, suburban town 35 miles west of New York City with a population of approximately 16,000 people located in the center of Morris County.

### SCHOOL

Morris Catholic is a coeducational, parochial, college preparatory school that enrolls approximately 500 students in grades 9-12.

### ACCREDITATION

Middle Atlantic States Association of Secondary Schools, the Diocese of Paterson and one of sixty-five winners granted the Excellence in Education Award granted by The Council for American Private Education.

### STUDENT BODY

Morris Catholic welcomes students from varied social and economic communities. It offers a diverse atmosphere in which to educate young men and women to grow through a knowledge of the love of Christ.

### ADMISSION POLICY

All applicants for 9th grade must take the COOP Entrance Exam, submit middle school transcripts and recommendations and complete an application for admission. The Admission Committee, directed by the Principal, reviews each applicant to determine admission status.

Transfer students must be interviewed by a member of the Admissions Committee who will interpret academic records and counselor recommendations from the sending school. A recommendation is presented to the Principal for admission determination.

### FACULTY

Composed of religious and lay teachers of whom 70% have advanced degrees.

### CURRICULUM

Morris Catholic offers a complete academic college preparatory program. Students are challenged in English, Mathematics, Science, History, World Languages and Computer Science on the Honors and Advanced Placement levels.

### GRADING

AVERAGE	AP	HONORS	REGULAR
95-99	5.0	4.50	4.00
90-94	4.5	4.00	3.50
85-89	4.0	3.50	3.00
80-84	3.5	3.00	2.75
75-79	3.0	2.50	2.25
74-70	2.5	1.75	1.50

Honors can be awarded either as Principal's Honors, First or Second Honors. Minimal grades have been established in all academic areas for all honors consideration.

### SCHOOL TESTING PROGRAM

Grade 9 – Terra Nova Test, PSAT

Grade 10 – Terra Nova Test with Writing Assessment, PSAT

Grade 11 – PSAT

### TEST RESULTS

Mean SAT scores for all college bound seniors:

Critical Reading 520

Math 560

Writing 530

### STATISTICAL INFORMATION

#### CLASS OF 2007

Graduates ..... 116

99% of the Class of 2007 will attend a 2 or 4 year college or university

Post High School Plans:

Four Year College ..... 79%

Two Year College ..... 20%

- Includes 2 NJ STARS Students

Professional School ..... 1%

Employment ..... 0%

Military Service ..... 0%

### STUDENT DISTINCTIONS – CLASS OF 2007

2 National Merit Commended Students

1 National Achievement Scholar

5 Edward J. Bloustein Distinguished Scholars

NJ Governor's School:

- 5 State Semi-Finalists – School of the Arts
- 1 State Semi-Finalist – School of Engineering & Technology
- 1 State Semi-Finalist – School on the Environment
- 1 State Semi-Finalist – School in the Sciences

Total Amount of Scholarships and Aid Awarded Collectively:

**\$8, 035, 854**

- 68% of Class of 2007 received academic and/or athletic scholarships
- 47% of all recipients were awarded scholarships in excess of \$10,000
- 21% of all recipients were awarded partial scholarships valued up to \$10,000

### ADVANCED PLACEMENT RESULTS

Of the students who took one or more Advanced Placement courses, 55% scored a 3 or higher. These scores qualify students to receive college credit. 34% of the senior class challenged themselves through the AP Program.

### ADMINISTRATIVE STAFF

Ms. Judith C. Berg

President

Dr. Jeanne Gradone

Principal

Mrs. Maryjane Hatcher

Director of Guidance

# A Sampling of Colleges and Universities Offering Admission to the Graduates of Morris Catholic High School in 2005, 2006 and 2007



Adelphi University	James Madison University	St. Joseph's University
Albright College	Johns Hopkins University	St. Leo's University
Alfred University	Johnson & Wales University	St. Michael's University
American University	Juniata College	St. Peter's College
Arcadia University	Kean University	St. Thomas Aquinas College
Auburn University	Kings College	State University of NY – Binghamton
Berklee College of Music	Kutztown University	State University of NY – Buffalo
Bloomsburg University	Lafayette College	State University of NY – Stony Brook
Boston College	LaSalle University	Stetson University
Boston University	Lehigh University	Stevens Institute of Technology
Bryant College	LeMoyné College	Stonehill College
Bucknell University	Louisiana State University	Susquehanna University
Caldwell College	Loyola College of Maryland	Syracuse University
Canisius College	Lycoming College	Temple University
Catholic University of America	Lynchburg College	Texas A & M
Centenary College	Manhattan College	Trinity College
Clemson University	Mansfield University	Tufts University
Colgate University	Marist College	Tulane University
College Misericordia	Marquette University	Union College
College of Charleston	Marymount of Manhattan	University of California
College of Mt. St. Vincent	Mary Washington College	University of Connecticut
College of New Jersey	Massachusetts College of Pharmacy & Health Sciences	University of Dayton
College of St. Elizabeth	Merrimack College	University of Hartford
College of the Holy Cross	Monmouth University	University of Delaware
College Misericordia	Montclair State University	University of Maryland
College of William and Mary	Moravian College	University of Massachusetts
Connecticut College	Mount St. Mary University – MD	University of Miami
Cornell University	Mount St. Mary College – NY	University of Michigan
County College of Morris	Muhlenberg College	University of New Hampshire
Dartmouth College	New Jersey Institute of Technology	University of Pennsylvania
DeSales University	New York University	University of Pittsburgh
Dickinson College	Niagara University	University of Rhode Island
Drew University	North Carolina State University	University of Richmond
Drexel University	Northeastern University	University of the Sciences – Philadelphia
Duquesne University	Pace University	University of Scranton
East Stroudsburg University	Peace College	University of South Carolina
Emerson College	Pennsylvania State University	University of Southern California
Fairfield University	Pratt Institute	University of Tampa
Fairleigh Dickinson University	Providence College	University of Tennessee
Fashion Institute of Technology	Purdue University	University of Texas
Felician College	Quinnipiac University	University of Vermont
Flagler University	Ramapo College	University of Virginia
Florida Institute of Technology	Randolph Macon College	University of West Virginia
Florida State University	Richard Stockton State College	Vassar College
Fordham University	Rider University	Villanova University
Franklin & Marshall College	Rowan University	Virginia Polytechnic Institute
Georgian Court University	Rutgers – The State University	Wake Forest University
George Washington University	Sacred Heart University	Washington College
Gettysburg College	Salve Regina University	Washington University
Hamilton College	Seton Hall University	Washington & Lee University
Hampton University	Siena College	West Virginia Wesleyan University
Haverford College	Skidmore College	Westminster Choir College
Hartwick College	Southeastern University	Western New England University
Holy Family University	St. Anselm's College	Widener University
Hofstra University	St. Bonaventure University	William Paterson University
Iona College	St. John's University	Yale University
Ithaca College		York College