

# St. Vincent de Paul High School

Petaluma, California

[www.svhs-pet.org](http://www.svhs-pet.org)



## CORE VALUES

St. Vincent de Paul High School provides students with a college preparatory education, a spiritual foundation and a small, supportive community. No one slips through the cracks at St. Vincent's. All are encouraged to find their passion, speak their mind, and to make a difference in the world. At SVHS there is an academic culture of high expectations.

- For past 10 years, 99% of graduating class attended college
- 21 AP and Honors Courses offered
- Nationally ranked debate team
- Renowned sports program

## ATHLETICS

**Fall:** Cheerleading (B/G), Cross Country (B/G), Football (B), Soccer (B/G), Volleyball (G)

**Winter:** Basketball (B/G), Cheerleading (B/G)

**Spring:** Baseball (B), Golf (B/G), Softball (G), Swim & Dive (B/G), Track (B/G), Tennis (B/G)

\*May be some restrictions on sports for certain students

## EXTRACURRICULAR ACTIVITIES

Student government, Ambassadors, drama productions, service projects and student interest clubs such as Art Angels, Board Game Club, eSports, Music Club, Garden Club, Chess Club, Philosophy Club and Teens Against Discrimination

## COLLEGE COUNSELING

College guidance program begins in 9<sup>th</sup> grade and culminates in extensive and individual counseling in 12<sup>th</sup> grade.

## QUICK FACTS

Year Founded: 1916

Type of School: Catholic

Grades at School: 9-12

Total Students: 215

% International: 5%

Teacher/Student Ratio: 1:6

ESL Available: Yes

Dress Requirement: Dress code

Airport: Oakland (OAK) or San Francisco (SFO)

## ADMISSIONS

Minimum ELTIS 222 or 690

Skype interview

Entering grades 9-12

## CAMPUS

Classrooms surround grassy courtyard

Computer and science Labs

Renovated athletic facility with gym and

synthetic turf athletic field

Brand new arts center

Library

Senior lounge

## RECENT COLLEGE ACCEPTANCES

Boston College, Cornell University, Duke University, Harvard University, Johns Hopkins University, MIT, Stanford University, Syracuse University, Yale University, USC, University of Washington, University of Michigan, UCLA

## COMMUNITY

Petaluma is a safe, quiet, small city just 40 miles from San Francisco. The riverfront city retains a charming downtown area of historic buildings. Students have access to ample shopping, restaurants and outside recreational opportunities. Near San Francisco, Pacific coast, Sonoma and Napa wine country, Redwood forests, and Silicon Valley.

## ST. VINCENT DE PAUL HIGH SCHOOL ACADEMIC COURSES

Subject	Course	Subject	Course
<b>English</b>	Speech		AP U.S. History
	English 9 Lit and Composition (H)		Economics
	English 10 World Literature (H)		U.S. Government
	English 11 American Literature (H)		Psychology
	English 12 Modern World Literature		Business Management and Ethics
	AP Literature and Composition	<b>Arts</b>	Yearbook-Photojournalism
	Creative Writing		Art Appreciation: 2D Design
	Expository Writing		Ceramics
	Journalism		Sculpture
	Debate 1-4		Advanced Drawing
	English as a Second Language 1-3		Advanced Painting
	<b>Mathematics</b>	Algebra 1	
Geometry			AP Studio Art: 2D Design
Algebra 2 (H)			Independent Art
Precalculus (H)			Drama 1-4
AP Calculus AB			Mixed Media & Photography
AP Calculus BC			Jazz Ensemble
Statistics			Recording Arts
<b>Science</b>	Conceptual Physics		AP Art History
	Biology		History of Music
	Chemistry (H)	<b>World Languages</b>	French 1-3 (H)
	AP Biology		AP French IV
	AP Chemistry		Spanish 1-4 (H)
	Environmental Science		AP Spanish IV
	Physics	<b>Technology</b>	Digital Citizenship
AP Physics	Computer and Information Technologies		
<b>Social Science</b>	World History (H)		AP Computer Science Principles
	U.S. History		Principles of Engineering

Course options are subject to change

### ACCOLADES

- 2019 Mean SAT Score: 1188
- 2019 Avg ACT Score: 26

**“I love how teachers interact with and help students every day here in America.”**

**Benedetta, Italy**

