

## SM H.S. - Bergen County, NJ

#### ABOUT THE SCHOOL

SM HIGH SCHOOL is an above average, private, Catholic school located in Rutherford, NJ. It has 225 students in grades 9-12.

Their mission is to provide a safe, nurturing environment where excellent teaching and innovation develop effective communication, independent thinking, and creative problem solving for college and life experiences.

### LOCATION

The school is Located in northern New Jersey, approximately 8 miles (13 km) west of Midtown Manhattan. Students are from various counties in New Jersey as well as surrounding counties in New York State.



#### **ACADEMIC PROGRAMS**

SM High School offers a wide selection of courses in a traditional college preparatory curriculum. Courses are designed as College Prep, Honors or Advanced Placement. The program is designed to prepare each student for future academic pursuits to promote individual responsibility and moral integrity.

AP Courses include: AP Calculus AB. AP Chemistry, AP Biology, and AP Physics.

In addition to the standard curriculum, SMHS also offers elective courses in Accounting, Economics, Psychology, Environment Science, Journalism, Film Study, and Drawing & Painting.

### **QUICK FACTS** CAMPUS SIZE:

GRADES OFFER:

35 Acres

TOTAL STUDENTS:

9-12 Grades

TOTAL CLASSROOM TEACHERS:

STUDENT BODY TYPE:

Single Gender - Boys STUDENT: TEACHER RATIO:

AVERAGE CLASS SIZE:

16:1

21

14

NUMBER OF AP COURSES:

AVERAGE SAT SCORES:

TYPE OF SCHOOL:

1250

Day & Boarding CLOSEST INTERNATIONAL

AIRPORT:

NEWARK LIBERTY INT'L



### **TECHNOLOGY & DIGITAL LITERACY**

SMHS provides its students with access to the latest computer hardware and software. The computer center features professional graphic, audio, and video editing software that teachers incorporate in their class lessons. All classrooms are equipped with permanent high definition projectors that can be utilized for presentations. iPads and other technology devices are used in classes teaching, research, and presentation purposes throughout the year.



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### **EXTRACURRICULAR ACTIVITIES**

25 On Campus Clubs include: Forensics Club, Highlander Newspaper Club, H.O.P.E (Environmental) Club, Math Honor Society, Modeling Club, and Student Ambassadors. History Club, Key Club, International Club, Chess Club, Choir, Drama Club, Mock Trial, and Yearbook.

Christian Service: As a community of learners committed to excellence, SMHS promotes lifelong learning, personal integrity, social responsibility, and good physical and mental health through activities. Based in human kindness, participating in emotionally and culturally difficult and challenging tasks becomes personally rewarding for the students.



### **COLLEGES & UNIVERSITIES – Graduates from the Class of 2017 (Partial)**

Arizona State University Art Institute of New York City Azusa Pacific University **Boston Architectural College Boston College** California State University, LA Purdue University Clemson University **Cornell University Drew University Drexel University** Fashion Institute of Technology Temple University Fordham University

Massachusetts College of Pharmacy New Jersey Institute of Technology

New York Institute of Technology **New York University Northeastern University** Oxford College of Emory University Pennsylvania State University **Rutgers University Sacred Heart University Seton Hall University Svracuse University** University of California, Irvine Villanova University

Virginia Tech

#### **HONORS & AWARDS - 2016 ATHLETIC HALL OF FAME**

Bobbi Jo C. was a dominant four-year pitcher for the Lady Gaels softball team during the 1999-2002 seasons who used a mix of off-speed and well-placed pitches to keep hitters off balance and swinging at air on a consistent basis. A fouryear starter, Bobbi Jo was voted as a 1st Team BCSL National Division pitcher all four years of her impressive high school career.

Bob N. was an accomplished football and track and field star for St. Mary's in the mid-1970's. In recognition of his superlative football play, Bob received First Team All-League and Third Team All-County as a linebacker in his senior campaign. Our inductee also garnered All-League honors as a Junior.

SMHS is a member of the competitive North Jersey Interscholastic Conference. Many of its athletes have received scholarships to major colleges and Fall Sports - Boys: Cross Country, Football, Boys universities over the years Soccer; Girls: Cheerleading, Cross Country, Winter Sports - Boys: Basketball, Bowling; Girls: Soccer, Volleyball Cheerleading, Basketball, Bowling Spring Sports - Boys: Baseball, Track; Girls: Softball, Track



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