



De Smet Jesuit Forms Men for Others Who Are Empowered to Lead and to Serve

DE SMET JESUIT HIGH SCHOOL
 233 N. NEW BALLAS ROAD, ST. LOUIS, MO 63141
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De Smet Jesuit is committed to delivering a high school experience for each student that models and teaches the beliefs and practices of the Catholic faith and Jesuit spiritual tradition, and delivers a college preparatory academic program that inspires students to develop their God-given gifts and talents.

The strongest element of the school is the Jesuit way of educating young men. It is student-centered, deeply thoughtful, challenging but compassionate, rigorous but not inflexible. In the Jesuit classroom, students learn how to think. They master how to reason. They are taught to ask, "Why? How? Whose voice has not yet been heard?" Striving for excellence and seeking to find and serve God in all things, Jesuit education flows out of the 500-year-old vision of St. Ignatius



of Loyola. Spirituality is not a facet or merely an element of what De Smet does, it is the heart of what it does.

De Smet prioritizes care for the whole person. One of De Smet Jesuit's hallmarks is building and maintaining relationships in the context of a dynamic, college-preparatory environment. Students are well-rounded in their interests and abilities and embody the characteristics of men for others through curricular and co-curricular programs infused with experiences that extend beyond the classroom. Contact De Smet Jesuit to learn about personal campus tours, shadow visits, and other opportunities to experience their centrally located Creve Coeur campus.



SUCCESS STORY

Congratulations to the Springfield Robotics Club for winning first place at the regional competition! Their innovative design and teamwork set them apart, and they'll now compete at the state level.

Learning Differently, Teaching Differently

ACADEMY OF ST. LOUIS
 505 ST. JOSEPH LANE, MANCHESTER, MO 63021
 636-534-5099 | ACADSTL.ORG

The Academy of St. Louis is the only K-12 fully accredited Catholic school assisting students with learning disabilities, developmental delays, and Autism Spectrum Disorders. The number one fear of parents of children with learning differences is, "What will my child do after high school?" Statistically, 80 percent of young adults with learning disabilities are unemployed for most of their adult lives. The Academy's transition coach will help each student identify goals and help provide the tools, skills, and confidence needed to live their best adult lives.

Academy of St. Louis provides a personalized and challenging academic curriculum, helping students transition by continuing their education at a post-secondary school or gaining employment. The team has partnered with the University of Missouri-Kansas City to utilize their transition framework—called Charting the LifeCourse—to help organize the student's ideas, vision, and goals, helping them plan for their future. Supporting each student to reach their maximum potential while being a happy, productive adult is the school's number one priority.



RECENT HONORS

Springfield High School recently received the National Blue Ribbon Award, honoring the school's commitment to academic excellence and innovative learning programs that support student achievement.



Student-Centered Learning from Classroom to Community

CONFLUENCE ACADEMIES
 5 SCHOOLS THROUGHOUT THE CITY OF ST. LOUIS
 314-588-8554 | CONFLUENCEACADEMY.ORG

As a collaborative network of unique schools, Confluence Academies provides learning experiences for students pre-K through 12th grade that require critical thinking, creativity, and empathy. Confluence serves nearly 2,500 students across five schools in the City of St. Louis. Grand Center Arts Academy is an arts-focused school for grades 6-12. Confluence Preparatory Academy offers college prep and culinary arts pathways for grades 9-12.



NEW PROGRAM: Confluence implemented a new coding curriculum in partnership with a local tech company, giving students access to real-world skills.



Dedicated to the Education of the Whole Child

COUNTRYSIDE MONTESSORI SCHOOL
 12226 LADUE ROAD, CREVE COEUR, MO 63141
 314-434-2821 | MONTESSORI4CHILDREN.COM

Countryside Montessori School meets each child's need for intellectual, physical, social, and emotional development. The learning environment is designed to cultivate independence, individual responsibility, freedom of choice, concentration, problem-solving abilities, social interaction, and a love of learning. By offering a superb Montessori education in a nurturing environment, Countryside helps children reach their full potential and become independent, lifelong learners.



LATEST INNOVATION: This year, the organization will break ground to add a new gymnasium with regulation-sized court, music suite, performing arts stage, and more.