

# **St. John Paul II Catholic High School** <sup>2</sup> Huntsville, AL

## LOCATION:

- Population: 190,000
- Located 3 Hours and 50 Minutes Northwest of Atlanta
- Weather: Summer/Fall: Hot and Dry Winter/Spring: Cool and Dry

#### **ELIGIBILITY:**

- Enrollment Restrictions: 9-12
- Minimum TOEFL: 50
- Minimum ELTiS: Accepted

### **SCHOOL HIGHLIGHTS:**

- Award-winning Performing and Visual Arts Program
- Championship Sports Program
- Ranked #1 Private Catholic School in Alabama according to Niche.com

## ACADEMICS AND FACTS:

- Grades at School: 9-12
- Total Students in School: 382
  Teacher/Student Ratio: 1:14
- School Uniform Required: YES
- Religious Affiliation: Catholic
- Diploma Year Offered: YES

## SCHOOL PROFILE

Ranked one of the best high schools in Alabama, St. John Paul II Catholic High School offers college preparatory high school curriculum in a safe and supportive environment. With a 100% graduation and college acceptance rate, the school challenges students with many AP Courses, dual credit classes, and extracurricular activities.

#### FACILITIES

A new high school facility was opened in 2010. The new school offers modern classrooms, a 3D printer, and two new sports fields.

#### **SPORTS AND ARTS**

Since 2015, St. John Paul II has competed in 10 State Championships in Cross Country, Swimming and Diving, and Soccer. Students also have graduated and earned NCAA Collegiate Athletic Scholarship - three scholarships were awarded in 2018.

In 2019, eight students qualified for the North Alabama Private School Honor Band and two students were selected to the All State Choir. International students can also join many curricular and extracurricular art and music class.

#### **COMMUNITY INFORMATION**

Huntsville is one of the fastest growing cities, in Alabama. Home to the University of Alabama, international students can enjoy The Botanical Gardens, The Museum of Art, the Burritt Museum and many other historical sites. The city also boasts some of the best scenery and walking trails in the Tennessee Valley.

#### University Acceptance Rate: 100%

Partial List of University Acceptances: Auburn University, Boston College, Clemson University, Emory University, Georgetown University, Lawrence Technological University, Massachusetts Institute of Technology, Missouri University of Science and Technology, Rhodes College, St. Mary's College, Tennessee State, Texas A&M University, The Catholic University of America, Tulane University, US Military Academy at West Point, University of Alabama at Huntsville, University of Alabama, University of Cincinnati, University of Mississippi, University of Montevallo, University of New Orleans, University of Notre Dame, University of Portland, University of South Alabama, Vanderbilt University, Virginia Polytechnic Institute University, Xavier University



HUNTSVILLE Closest Airport: ATL



## **OPTIONS AVAILABLE:**

Foreign Languages: French, German, Latin, Spanish

Advanced Placement Courses: Biology, Calculus AB, Chemistry, Computer Science A, English Language and Composition, English Literature and Composition, European History, Physics 1, US Government and Politics, World History

Arts: Theater, Visual Arts

Athletics:

#### Boys:

Fall: Cheerleading, Cross Country, Football, Swimming and Diving

Winter: Basketball, Cheerleading, Indoor Track, Wrestling

**Spring:** Baseball, Golf, Outdoor Track, Soccer, Tennis

Girls:

Fall: Cheerleading, Cross Country, Dance, Swimming and Diving, Volleyball Winter: Basketball, Cheerleading, Indoor Track

**Spring:** Golf, Outdoor Track, Soccer, Softball, Tennis

Extracurricular Activities: Arts Club, Campus Ministry, Chess Club, Culture Club, Literary Magazine, Fellowship of Christian Athletes, Foreign Language, Future Buisness Leaders of America, Recycling Club, International Thespian Society, Math Honor Society, National Honor Society, Science Olympiad, Student Council

ESL Available/Level: NO

AL