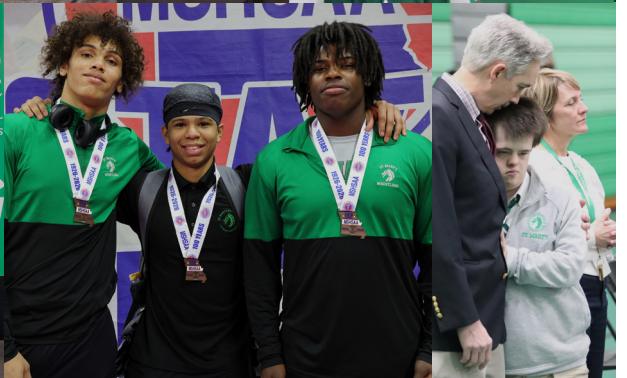




ST. MARY'S
SOUTH SIDE CATHOLIC
HIGH SCHOOL

ST. MARY'S *momentum*

JULY 2025 - JUNE 2026
Impact Report



because of you



Over the past three years, you have helped St. Mary's South Side Catholic High School accomplish something truly extraordinary. Together with supporters like you, we have not only preserved a nearly 100-year-old mission on the South Side of St. Louis — we have strengthened it, expanded it, and positioned it for a bold future.

Today, St. Mary's stands in a position of growing strength. The school has secured ownership of its campus, enrollment continues to rise, innovative college and career pathways are expanding, and transformative partnerships are creating new opportunities for students and families across the region. Through the continued growth of our Pre-Apprenticeship Program, expanded collaboration with the University of Missouri–St. Louis, and investments in student support and opportunity, St. Mary's is helping shape a model that connects education, workforce development, and community impact.

Thank you for believing in our students, our mission, and the future of St. Mary's South Side Catholic High School. Every step forward reflects the belief, generosity, and commitment of people like you.

We are deeply grateful that you are part of this story.

Michael F. England

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President

THE IMPACT OF YOUR SUPPORT



205+
young men
empowered
through a
Marianist education



97%
of students
receive
tuition assistance



100%
graduation rate
for the
Class of 2026



95
new Dragons
joining our
Brotherhood
in the 2026-2027
school year.

more than a school

CONTINUING OUR COMMITMENT TO SERVICE

The St. Mary's Day of Service remains a defining experience for our school community, allowing students to live out the Marianist mission through service across the St. Louis region while learning that true leadership begins with compassion, responsibility, and a commitment to others through our continued partnership with St. Joseph Housing Initiative.

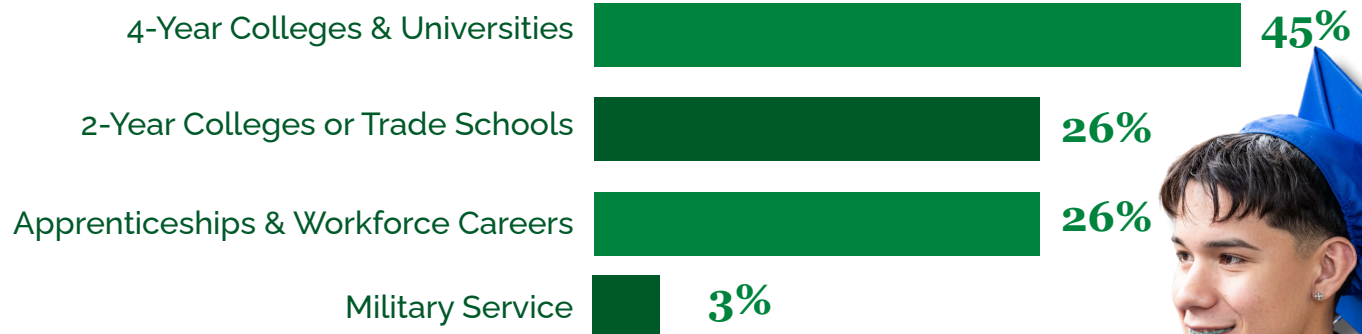


80+
hours of service are
completed before
graduation by each
student



CLASS OF 2026: FUTURES BUILT

At St. Mary's South Side Catholic High School, futures are built through purpose, opportunity, and preparation for life beyond graduation. Whether entering college, the workforce, apprenticeships, or military service, the Class of 2026 leaves the South Side prepared to lead, serve, and make an impact in their communities.



education meets opportunity



EXPANDING PARTNERSHIP WITH UMSL

St. Mary's South Side Catholic High School has entered into an expanded partnership with the University of Missouri–St. Louis, building on an already successful relationship that provides students with access to college-credit opportunities while in high school.

This growing partnership strengthens pathways around:



Expanding Access

Opening more doors to higher education through direct university admission pathways and scholarship opportunities.



Preparing Future Leaders

Equipping students with the skills, knowledge, and experiences to lead with confidence.



Creating Long-Term Success

Building a strong foundation for lifelong achievement and a meaningful impact.



COMPETING WITH PURPOSE



Athletics reflect the brotherhood, discipline, and resilience that define the South Side. Dragon student-athletes continue to compete with purpose on and off the field.

- 52%** of the student body participates in Athletics
- 30%** of student-athletes complete in multiple sports
- 4** District championships in the last five years
- 8** student-athletes annually continue their academic and athletic careers at the collegiate level
- 3.0** department-wide GPA maintained by St. Mary's Athletics over the past two academic years



THIRD YEAR OF ONE CLASSROOM PARTNERSHIP

The continued partnership with One Classroom reflects sustained belief in the mission and impact of St. Mary's South Side Catholic. Investments like these continue to create transformational opportunities for students while strengthening innovation and educational access within our school community.



our permanent home

CAMPUS OWNERSHIP SECURED

In a defining moment for the future of St. Mary's South Side Catholic High School, the school officially purchased its campus property from the Archdiocese of St. Louis on July 14, 2025. This milestone secures the long-term future of Catholic education on the South Side and reflects the strength, resilience, and momentum of our mission.

FAMILIES ARE CHOOSING ST. MARY'S

The Dragon Brotherhood continues to grow. Of the 95 students entering the 2026-2027 school year:



15 Transfer Students

80 Incoming Freshmen

This is a powerful sign that families recognize the value of a St. Mary's education grounded in faith, opportunity, structure, and brotherhood.



GROWING MOMENTUM ON THE SOUTH SIDE

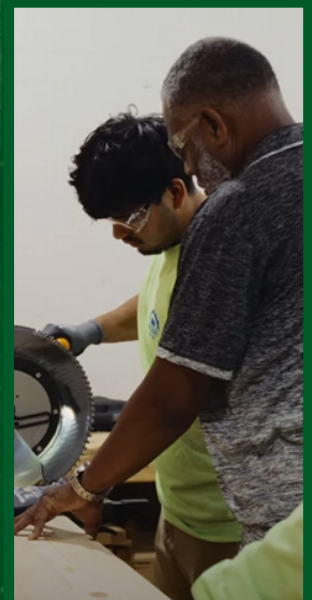
As St. Mary's approaches its 95th year, the school continues to expand opportunities for young men across the St. Louis region through innovative programming, strategic partnerships, and investment in student success rooted in faith, brotherhood, and purpose.

The Pre-Apprenticeship Program continues to create workforce opportunities for students while preparing young men for life beyond graduation. Since launching three years ago, the program has continued to grow.



41 students completed the Pre-Apprenticeship Program and earned their OSHA-10 Safety Training

33 students interested in the Pre-Apprenticeship Program for next year





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