

SAINT PAUL LUTHERAN HIGH SCHOOL

THE SCHOOL

The school was established in 1883 as St. Paul's College and was patterned after the old German "gymnasium" classical educational system (a six-year program). Originally, the school was to prepare young men for the ministry in The Lutheran Church—Missouri Synod. Because of its rigorous course of study and high success rate among its graduates, Saint Paul attracted students with other vocational interests as well as international students from all over the world. Saint Paul's accreditation is through the North Central Association (NCA) and National Lutheran School Association (NLSA). Saint Paul Lutheran High School received "Exemplary Status" recognition for the 2011-2012 academic year through the National Lutheran School Accreditation Commission (NLSA).



Lutheran Schools Tops in the Nation on "The Nation's Report Card" The report is in and the news is great for Lutheran schools. In five of eight categories Lutheran Schools finished in first place among nine other categorizations. In the other three categories we finished second. The groups included the following: public, other religious, nonsectarian, Catholic, Bureau of Indian Affairs, Dept. of Defense, State Department of Education, Lutheran, and Conservative Christian. You can go to the following web address in your browser for additional information:

<http://janieandrich.com/2012/07/06/lutheran-schools-tops-in-the-nation-on-the-nations-report-card/>

MISSION STATEMENT

CHRIST CENTERED
EXPERIENCES IN
LEARNING, FOR LIVING



Why Saint Paul?



School Facts

**Saint Paul Lutheran High School,
Concordia, Missouri – U.S.A.**

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Institution Type

Christian, College Preparatory Boarding High School

Housing Type

Residence Halls

Grades Offered

9-12

Minimum Age

14

School Size

Enrollment runs 200 to 210 students each school year and of these student numbers, 36% to 38% are foreign nationals from 18 to 20 different countries.

Average Class Size

18

Student to Teacher Ratio

11:1

ESL Offered

Yes, per semester

ESL Summer Program

Yes, 9-week Intensive English Program

Percentage of international students attending a university or college

98%

Uniforms

Not required

Academic Terms

Semester based – 1st semester (August-December) 2nd semester (January-May)

Airport

Kansas City International Airport, (MCI)

Location

Rural from Kansas City, 80km / 50mi

Test Preparation

Cambridge SAT/ACT test preparation in the classrooms. Online test preparation available.

Additional school information www.DropBox.com using the username: billlemmons79@gmail.com and the password: peter@15. Click on SPLHS Information to access school information and many pictures.

FACILITIES

Saint Paul Lutheran High School is located on 40 acres of land. There are a total of nine buildings on the collegiate style campus - four are academic buildings. Located on the east side of campus is Laubenstein football field and running track. The soccer, baseball, and softball fields are located on the north side of campus.



HOUSING

Students attending Saint Paul as residential students are required to live in the residence halls with other students and a dorm counselor. Students living in the residence halls enjoy being with their friends 24 hours a day. Along with student rooms, the residence halls have bathrooms, laundry conveniences, recreational areas and a common kitchen on the first floor. Each student's room has an air conditioner and can be fitted with a small refrigerator. Each room in Moeller Hall (girls' residential hall), Brust Hall and Heilman Hall (boys' residential halls) are equipped with Ethernet connections. Students can bring a laptop and a small stereo. No more than two students per room. Individual rooms are available for an additional fee.



ACADEMIC PROGRAM

Saint Paul is committed to the academic success of its students. Continuing with the strong tradition of preparing students for post high school education, Saint Paul offers over 90 college preparatory courses. In addition to and in place of AP courses, Saint Paul provides up to 36 hours of concurrent courses taught by Saint Paul and sponsored by the Concordia University System (Seward, Nebraska). The Concurrent (college and high school) Credit Courses are available for junior and senior students (and provide the same benefits as AP courses). Saint Paul provides a rigorous, college preparatory high school program with 98% of Saint Paul students accepted to four-year colleges and universities. Saint Paul utilizes SAT/ACT test preparation within individual classrooms.

The average SAT score is 1550 and an average ACT score is 24.3. The SAT average test scores are comprised of international student test scores. Saint Paul is an official testing site for the SAT, ACT and the TOEFL. Our goal continues to be "Preparing Leaders to Declare Christ" in a challenging world.

SAT

Average SAT score is 1550

ACT

Averages of all SPLHS students tested 2012-2013

SPLHS Mean

State of Missouri Mean

National Mean

Total # Tested	English	Math	Reading	Science	Composite
35	24.7	23.8	24.5	23.7	24.3
	21.4	21.0	21.9	21.6	21.6
	20.5	21.1	21.3	20.9	21.1

SPLHS Average Composite Score (top ¼) = 30.71

SPLHS Average Composite Score (top ½) = 28.46

The Academic school year is divided into 2 semesters, with each semester consisting of 16 weeks of classes including an assessment period. Many courses are year long and some are semester contained. Students are normally expected to carry 7 to 8 courses each semester. All courses meet five periods a week with the exception of religion courses and physical education courses. Religion courses meet three days a week and physical education courses meet two days a week.

Saint Paul's academic program is based upon the assumption that students are capable of studying independently, responsibly, and with self-direction. As a result, students spend a great amount of time on homework, class assignments, and other out of class projects.

In order to meet the college preparatory diploma requirements, class time and homework together can be expected to require six hours per week per course. A typical student enrolled in seven to eight courses can expect to spend at least 42 to 46 hours each week on academic pursuits. At times, students will spend more time when significant papers are due or when they need to prepare for exams.

SPLHS CURRICULUM, COURSE OF STUDY, AND CONCURRENT COLLEGE/HIGH SCHOOL CREDIT COURSES

Saint Paul's Curriculum, Course of Study, and Concurrent (College/High School) Credit Courses are online at <http://www.splhs.org/Curriculum.html>.

Earn High School and College Credit

Saint Paul Lutheran High School Concurrent Credit Program

Information on the next page

The Concurrent Credit Program is sponsored by Concordia University, Nebraska (CUNE) and brings together professors and classes of Concordia University, Nebraska and Saint Paul Lutheran High School.

With the Concurrent Credit Program at Saint Paul Lutheran High School, successful junior and senior students have an opportunity to get a jump-start on college. The program provides Saint Paul with the information and support that they need to teach college-credit classes at the high school level allowing students to earn college credit at a reduced cost before graduating from high school. The Concurrent Credit Program offers courses found in the General Education requirements of many colleges and universities. Because Concordia University Nebraska is an accredited university, this credit is the same as credit awarded to on-campus students and can be transferred to other colleges in the same way. Students participating in the (CCP) can start their college careers with a number of courses already completed and save money while doing it.

Through the program, university/college level credit is given for selected courses taught in high school by CUNE approved SPLHS teachers.

To enroll and learn about the courses offered through the (CCP) as well as learn about the registration process, check with assistant principal, Mr. John Beerman.

Concurrent Credit Program Tuition Rate

Tuition for the 2013-2014 academic year is set at \$120.00 per credit hour. Students may also be required to purchase necessary books.

Concurrent Credit Program Offerings for 2013 - 2014

- * **Math 122:** Introduction to Statistics (3 credits) \$360
- * **English 102:** Experiences in Writing (3 credits) \$360
- * **CTA 103:** Experiences in Human Communication (3 credits) \$360
- * **Sociology 101:** Introduction to Sociology (3 credits) \$360
- * **English 201:** Introduction to Literature (3 credits) \$360
- * **Religion 121:** History and Literature of the Old Testament (3 credits) \$360
- * **Religion 131:** History and Literature of the New Testament (3 credits) \$360

- Math 184:** Calculus I (4 credits) \$480
- Chemistry 115:** General Chemistry (4 credits) \$480
- Physics 110:** Principles of Physics (4 credits) \$480
- History 115:** American Civilization (3 credits) \$360

* **Semester Credits. All other credits are full year (Two semesters).**



There is a difference between concurrent credit and AP test scores ...

Differences between Concurrent Credit and AP test scores.	SPLHS	AP
	<i>Concurrent Credit</i>	<i>Advanced Placement</i>
Are university letter grades awarded to students and recorded for credit at the university?	Yes	No
Is the classroom instructor required to have at least a Master's degree in the subject being taught?	Yes	No
Do classes provide a broad subject-based curriculum?	Yes	No
Is there direct accountability to national, state and local educational authorities?	Yes	No
Does an educational institution with national academic accreditation manage the program?	Yes	No
Is "credit" for the class awarded to students based on single test scores?	No	Yes
Is the program managed by corporate entities, which have no academic accreditation or standing?	No	Yes

Saint Paul offers over 90 college preparatory courses. In addition to these courses and in place of Advance Placement (AP) courses, Saint Paul provides up to 36 credit hours of concurrent courses taught by Concordia approved Saint Paul teachers.

Concurrent Credit Program differs from AP test scores. Concurrent Credit students take a college course, earn the number of credits assigned to the course, and the grade earned is a weighted grade for the course. The weighted grades give the student an opportunity to increase their overall high school grade point average (GPA) as well as greatly enhancing their college and university applications. Students receive a transcript from the university. Concurrent courses are considered in the college admissions process.

Students enrolled in Advanced Placement courses have the option of taking an AP Exam. Based upon test scores, credits are awarded by the university they attend. If the student's AP test scores do not meet the university's cutoff scores for college credit, the student has the option of re-taking the AP examination to increase their test score or scores. Depending on the university, AP test scores may or may not be used for the college admission process.

By taking concurrent courses beginning your junior year of high school, you have the opportunity to earn from a semester to a year's worth of college credit before entering college. College credits are a fraction of the cost they would be on the actual college or university

campus and you can gain experience in college work and expectations in a Christian high school environment.

SPIRITUAL LIFE

The Christian Faith is a way of life at Saint Paul. It permeates every aspect of our campus life. This includes but is not limited to the following:



Pastor Paul Deterding

- Dedicated Christian teachers and staff.
- Faith-integrated courses of study.
- Required religious course instruction.
- Regular Chapel services
- Weekly Bible studies
- Dorm Devotions
- Christian service projects
- Chapel offerings to support Gospel Ministry



required to take a religion course each school year and attend chapel three days a week.

Subject Area	SPLHS College Preparatory Graduation Requirements
Religion	3 days a week each semester
English	4 Units 2 units must emphasize *Composition or Writing skills. *Speech is considered an English credit.
Mathematics	4 Units Algebra I, Algebra II and above
Science	3 Units Physical Science, Biology, Chemistry, Physics, Anatomy/Physiology - One must include laboratory study.
Social Studies	3.5 Units 1 unit of Geography, 1 unit *American History, 1 unit of World History, .5 unit of *Government w/ U.S. & Missouri Constitutions
Fine Arts	1 Unit choir, band, visual arts or theatre
Practical Arts	1 Unit must include .5 unit of *Personal Finance
Physical Education	1 Unit plus .5 unit of *Health
Foreign Language	2 Units both units must be in the same language - we offer Spanish and German.
Electives and Additional Core Courses	5 Units *Saint Paul Electives to be selected from foreign language, and/or combination from two or more of the following course areas: Communication Arts, Mathematics, Social Studies, Science, or Fine Arts. .1 of a credit in P.E. per quarter of attendance at Saint Paul is required.
	* State of Missouri requirements
Total Credits	25 Units plus religion

SCHOOL YEAR THEME

**HERE I AM, SEND ME
ISAIAH 6:8**



Then I heard the voice of the Lord saying, "Whom shall I send? And who will go for us?" And I said, "Here am I. Send me!"

At Saint Paul, we aim to inspire, enlighten and awaken our students to a love for learning and a quest for wisdom. Wisdom begins in the fear of the Lord, so we make respect for God and His Word foundational to all that we teach and do on our campus.

GRADUATION REQUIREMENTS

Receipt of a diploma at Saint Paul depends on the student's past high school academic record and his/her ability to meet all of Saint Paul's and the state of Missouri's academic requirements. All students are



SPORTS

Athletic teams at Saint Paul include: boys – football, baseball, track and field, cross-country, basketball, soccer, and golf. Teams for girls include: track and field, cross-country, basketball, cheerleading, soccer, golf, softball and volleyball. All students are subject to Missouri State High School Activities Association rules regarding eligibility for athletic participation.



EXTRACURRICULAR OPPORTUNITIES

Saint Paul also provides the following extra-curricular activities: Spanish Club, Academic Team, Math Team, Teens for Life, Competitive Speech, Drama Club, Fall & Spring plays, Student Government, Yearbook, Strings, Singing Saints Choir, Concert Band and National Honor Society. Activities are regularly planned for the residential students. Saint Paul has a student social committee that puts together weekend activities such as shopping trips, rock climbing, movies and dinner, sporting events, Worlds of Fun, Oceans of Fun to name only a few. Activities such as Saint Paul's annual talent show, homecoming, court warming, and school prom are also annually planned.



THE SINGING SAINTS

"The Singing Saints" Concert Choir, under the direction of William Gasau since 1968, has toured extensively throughout the United States and Canada. The 2014 Concert Tour is the 42nd annual tour. The choir has given over 1,000 performances in 30 states and two Canadian provinces. The sixty-five-voice choir has received acclaim as an excellent high school choir singing college level literature. Alumni of the Singing Saints number well over 1,000 students. Since 1975 they have received 27 "1" ratings at the annual Missouri State Music Contest and in 1986, 1989, 1993, and

1997 were selected to perform at the Missouri Music Educators Association Convention. In 1994, 2006, and 2013 the Saint Paul Choir participated in a mass choir performance at Carnegie Hall in New York.



*The Singing Saints
of
Saint Paul Lutheran
High School*

GENERAL INFORMATION

THE STUDENT BODY

1. Approximate number of students: 202
2. Approximate percentage of international students: 39%
3. Percentage of United States and English speaking students: 61%

SPLHS STUDENTS	Day Student	Boarding Student	Total
Boys	30	75	105
Girls	33	64	97
Total	63	139	202

CLASS DISTRIBUTION

Grade 12—55
 Grade 11—76
 Grade 10—40
 Grade 9—31
 Total Enrollment—202

GEOGRAPHICAL DISTRIBUTION OF STUDENTS

Each year, there are 12 to 16 states represented with 87 to 90 Foreign Nationals from over 16 countries.

SAINT PAUL FACULTY AND STAFF

Saint Paul Lutheran High School has dedicated Christian faculty with advanced degrees and an average of 17 years of teaching experience.

Total Teaching Faculty: 20

Male: 50%

Female: 50%

- 100% of Saint Paul's teaching staff have earned Bachelor's Degrees.
- 74% of Saint Paul's teaching staff have earned Advanced Degrees.
- 26% of Saint Paul's teaching staff are working towards their Master's Degrees.
- 14% of Saint Paul staff have earned PhD's.

FORM I-20 DOCUMENT

Saint Paul issues an F-1 I-20 to allow international students to apply for a student visa. Saint Paul has both great success and a long tradition of students from many different countries. Students accepted would receive an acceptance letter along with the I-20 form.

ACT/SAT TEST PREPARATION

Saint Paul has partnered with Cambridge Educational Services to provide ACT and SAT Test Preparation. The next-generation learning program lets you supplement your testing readiness activities with blended classroom instruction. Along with the test preparation and testing readiness activities provided as blended classroom instruction, Cambridge also provides ACT/SAT online preparation courses.

Cambridge Victory Online includes:

- 5 Months of Lessons
- Knowledge Measuring Quizzes
- Timed Warm-Up Tests for Each Subject
- Class Grade Book & Progress Tracking

www.cambridgeed.com

OVERVIEW

Saint Paul is in its 131th academic year as a residential, Lutheran High School. For the past 30 years, Saint Paul Lutheran High School has been known for welcoming international students from all over the world. As a Christian, college preparatory school, students come from local and surrounding communities. They come from many parts of the United States and from many different countries. Each country representing their own unique culture and religion.

International students have many opportunities to live and learn with American classmates and roommates in a safe environment and Christian atmosphere as they prepare for their next step, college or university.

Saint Paul provides a College Preparatory Curriculum enhanced by college courses taught on campus by Saint Paul teachers. The curriculum provides a challenging education taught from a Christian worldview and provides the necessary support for entering a university or college in the United States.

Saint Paul provides an English as a second language (ESL) program to both support English proficiency and immersion into the culture.

ADMISSION REQUIREMENTS AND TUITION

Application deadline for the academic year: Rolling Admissions - If a student is applying for the first semester, please apply no later than the middle of July. If a student applies for the second semester, please apply no later than the middle of November.

Admissions cut off criteria/scores for international students: SLEP 42-45 points TOEFL 45 points IELTS 4.0-4.5 (GPA) 2.6-3.0 on a 4.0 Scale

Telephone/SKYPE interview is required.

Do you require international applicants to take an admissions test during the application process? No

Online Application: Saint Paul utilizes an online application. Go to www.splhs.org and click on admissions. Read the directions for international students. Click on Web Based Enrollment on the left hand side of the screen to access the online international application and international admissions checklist.

Additional admission requirements:

- Paid application fee
- Copy of valid passport
- Bank Statement
- English Proficiency: SLEP, TOEFL Junior, TOEFL – IBT
- Two photographs: one of student and one with family
- Recommendation forms: (language teacher, math teacher, third party)
- Transcript Clarification Form: to clarify grades and grading system
- Transfer Clearance Form: for international students transferring from another U.S. institution to Saint Paul
- Transcript/Records Request Form
- Transcripts from the last year in middle school up to current grade level.

Downloadable admission forms are found within Web Based Enrollment.

Once a student has been accepted:

- Saint Paul will express mail your acceptance packet including your I-20 once the \$250.00 enrollment fee has been paid.
- Schedule Embassy visa interview to obtain student visa. (Prepare appropriate documents for the Embassy interview.)
- Inform school of success in obtaining Visa.
- Email travel plans in accordance with school schedule.
- Complete Registration packet and provide this prior to the student arriving to school or have the student bring the packet with them to school.
 - Medical Forms
 - MSHSAA Sports Form and MSHSAA Concussion Packet
 - Parent/Guardian Permission Form
 - Optional Forms
- Submit tuition payment, including spending money for the student.
- Student Arrival Details: Use Kansas City International Airport (MCI). Saint Paul will transport students to and from the airport for a small fee. Please provide student travel information as soon as it is made.

<u>(2013-2014) Annual Fees:</u>	<u>Amount</u>
Includes tuition, room and board - 20 meals a week, textbooks and health insurance. <i>*(Health insurance costs for 2013-2014 school year- \$750.00)</i>	Contact Mr. Bill Lemmons for international tuition information. See front page.
<u>2013-2014 Second Semester Fees:</u>	<u>Amount</u>
Includes tuition, room and board - 20 meals a week, textbooks and health insurance. <i>*(Health insurance costs for 2013-2014 second semester - \$400.00)</i>	Contact Mr. Bill Lemmons for international tuition information. See front page.
<u>Application Fee</u>	\$100.00
<u>Enrollment Fee once accepted</u>	\$250.00
<u>Holiday vacations:</u> Private Host Family	\$25.00 a day.
<u>Holiday vacations:</u> Dormitory room & boarding fee.	\$50.00 a day
<u>ESL Program at Saint Paul Lutheran High School</u> (provided each semester of each school year)	\$250.00 Per Semester
<u>Saint Paul sponsors a 9 -week - Intensive English Summer Program</u> through the University of Central Missouri during the months of June and July.	\$4,606.00 w/ room & board Estimated food cost: \$700.00



PAYMENT DETAILS

Methods of Tuition Payments (Select option below:)

***Payment by Check** payable to: Saint Paul Lutheran High School
Attn: Rosalie Pennington

Send to: Saint Paul Lutheran High School
205 South Main Street, P.O. Box 719
Concordia, MO 64020 USA
Phone: 660-463-2238 x 313 Fax: 660-463-9406

***Electronic Funds Transfer and Procedure**
When sending an electronic funds transfer to Saint Paul Lutheran High School for your child, please utilize one of the two procedures to transfer funds. There are two different methods available. Select the method that works best with your bank.

Please be certain to indicate your **(Child's Name)** when you are asked to provide the **(Customer Name)**. This is very important to insure that the transfer is made successfully.

Make certain that you give the following information to your bank in the order provided.

#1 Used only if you are transferring money from a (United States Bank within an international country)
MIB Jeff City MO – Address: 910 Weathered Rock Road, Jefferson City, MO 65110
Routing Number: # 0865-0527-3
To benefit: Concordia Bank – Address: 547 Main Street, Concordia, MO 64020
Account Number: # 204853
To further benefit: Customer Name:
SPLHS Account Number: # 100013

#2 Used only if you are transferring money from an (International Bank)
Please use 1st method information and add the following **Swift Code** if transferring from an International Bank. **Swift Code:** MIBBUS44

Please note: Notification of withdrawal for any reason does not relieve the undersigned of the financial responsibility for the entire year tuition and fees. Please fax a copy of the wire transfer to alert us that the wire transfer has been completed. Attention: Bill Lemmons, Director of Admissions Fax: 660.463. 9406



PROGRAMS

ESL Program: Saint Paul offers ESL classes for grades 9-12. New International students are required to complete an ESL evaluation to determine level of English skills for potential placement into an ESL class.

Summer Intensive English Program (IEP): (First of June – End of July) (Ages 15-19)
 Saint Paul sponsors a 9-week summer intensive english program through the University of Central Missouri. UCM is located in Warrensburg, Missouri and is 30 minutes away from Saint Paul.

High School Diploma Program: (Regular School Year: August-May) (Ages: 14-21 years old) (Grades: 9th-12th)
 The High School Diploma program provides a rigorous, college preparatory curriculum for international students, with ESL support as needed. The program is designed to provide a challenging Christian high school education that supports and prepares students for post high school education. 98% of Saint Paul graduates go directly into a university or college after graduation.

One – Year Study Program: (Regular School Year: August-May) (Ages: 15-21 years old) (Grades: 9th – 12th)
 Students are accepted as regular international applicants, but with the knowledge they will be returning home at the end of the school year. Saint Paul will support the family and school in the student's respective country in order to validate grades. In most cases, this means that each student and school will receive a final transcript with the director's signature, grade level, academic school dates, subjects studied with current grades in each subject area, and an Apostille. (The Apostille certificate is used to legalize a document for use in another country and in most cases provided by the Office of the State Secretary of State or his/her counterpart.)

SUMMER INTENSIVE ENGLISH PROGRAM

Saint Paul Lutheran High School has partnered with the University of Central Missouri to provide a 9-week Summer Intensive English program for international high school students starting at the age of 15.



The Intensive English Program (IEP): Ideal for students wishing to attend Saint Paul Lutheran High School and who desires to improve their English skills for academic purposes. The program includes reading, writing, grammar, communication skills, testing skills, vocabulary, pronunciation and American culture. Students also participate in several activities; i.e. shopping trips, a camping and canoeing trip, sporting events, and picnics.

Statement of Purpose: The English Program is to provide a course of intensive English preparation at the University of Central Missouri's English Language Center for International students of high school age (15 years old and above), which can be followed by matriculation into Saint Paul Lutheran High School Concordia, Missouri. According to the English Language Center, this will be considered an individualized short-term program with Saint Paul as the sponsor of the students in this program. For information on the upcoming 2013 Summer (IEP) program, please talk with your agency or Bill Lemmons at Saint Paul.

Cost of Program:

As the sponsor of this ISP, St. Paul's Lutheran High School will pay the student accounts at UCM. UCM will provide an invoice to SPLHS. SPLHS will be responsible to bill students.

Estimate of Itemized Costs* Per Person:

One-time Application Fee	SPLHS
Airport Pick Up and Drop Off:	SPLHS
At UCM:	
Housing: (single)	\$1,200.00
Food estimated:	\$700.00
UCM Health & Accident Insurance:	\$174.00
Tuition (\$420 per credit hour x 6.5 credit hours)	\$2,730.00
Mandatory Fees (includes technology, special projects, other)	\$400.00
Books:	\$300.00
Activity Fee:	\$75.00
Total Program Estimated Cost	\$5,306.00

***Costs subject to change.**

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

Typically, 98 percent of Saint Paul students attend a university/college upon completion of their high school diploma.

In recent years, Saint Paul students were admitted to the following colleges and universities:

William Jewell Liberty, MO	University of Missouri School Of Medicine, Kansas City, MO
Concordia University, Seward, NE	Concordia University, Mequon, WI
San Francisco State Univ., San Francisco, CA	Hawaii University at Maneu, Honolulu, HA
Purdue University, West Lafayette, IN	Concordia Seminary, St. Louis, MO
South Dakota State Univ., Brookings, SD	Santa Barbara City College, Santa Barbara, CA
Iowa State University, Ames, IA	Creighton University, Omaha, NE
University of Missouri, Columbia, MO	Indiana University, Bloomington, IN
University of Arizona, Tucson, AZ	University of Oregon, Eugene, OR
United States Air Force Academy, Colorado, CO	University of South Alabama, Mobile, AL
Georgia Southern Univ., Statesboro, GA	Oregon State University, Corvallis, OR
Southern Illinois Univ., Carbondale, IL	Korea University, Seoul, Korea
Stony Brook University, Albany, NY	State University of New York, Buffalo, NY
University of Central MO. Warrensburg, MO	University of Washington, Seattle, WA
Michigan State Univ., East Lansing, MI	State University of New York, Albany, NY
Baylor University, Waco, TX	Penn State University, PA
University of Illinois, Urbana, IL	University of Wisconsin, Stevens Point, WI
University of Illinois, Chicago, IL	University of Minnesota, Minneapolis, MN
Montana State Univ., Bozeman, MT	Southern Illinois University, Carbondale, IL
University of Texas, Austin, TX	University of Delaware, Newark, NJ
Kansas University, Lawrence, KS	United States Navy

TYPICAL DAY AS A SAINT

7:00 – 7:30	Breakfast
7:25 – 7:40	Faculty Devotions
7:45 – 7:55	Homeroom 5 days a week
8:00 – 8:45	1 st Hour
8:50 – 9:10	Chapel M-W-F
8:50 – 9:10	Meeting Time T-TR
9:15 – 11:40	2 nd Hour through 4 th Hour
11:45 – 12:10	1 st Lunch
11:45 – 12:30	1 st 5 th Hour
12:15 – 1:00	2 nd 5 th Hour
12:35 – 1:00	2 nd Lunch
1:05 – 3:30	6 th Hour through 8 th Hour
2:45 – 4:00	Faculty Office Hours: Students meet with teachers for help with schoolwork.
4:00 – 6:00	Athletic Practice, Free Time, Special Projects, Homework,
5:30 – 6:00	Dinner
6:00 – 7:30	Free time, homework, attend ball games, etc.
7:30 – 9:00	Mandatory study hours
9:00 – 10:00	Free time, “Open Gym” some nights
10:00	Back in the dorm
10:30	Lights out for freshman and sophomores
11:00	Lights out for juniors and seniors

STUDENT BANK ACCOUNT

Students are encouraged to establish a student bank account when they arrive on campus. Students are asked to not leave large amounts of money in their dorm rooms or on themselves and are strongly encouraged to place their money into a student bank account. Saint Paul provides two types of student bank accounts.

1.) **Campus bank account:** Students can set up a banking account on campus through our business office. Parents can deposit money into the account by wire transfer or check. Students can withdraw money from their account during the academic day and it is always recommended that parents set up spending boundaries with their child and the business office. If a student or parent needs to know the balance of the student account, please email Mrs. Wienberg at mwienberg@splhs.org.

2.) **Online bank account:** Students can also set up an online student banking account through our local Concordia Bank. The Concordia Bank has agreed to provide online banking for our Saint Paul students. If a parent or student would like to set up the online bank account when they arrive on campus, please see Mr. Lemmons, SPLHS Principal and Director of Admissions. You can also reach Mr. Lemmons at blemmons@splhs.org.

GRADING & RELATED PROCEDURES

Saint Paul uses an 11-point grading scale.

- A – Excellent, 4 points**
- B – Good, 3 points**
- C – Average, 2 points**
- D – Below Average, 1point**
- F – Failure, 0 points**
- I – Incomplete**
- W- Withdraw**

Class rank is reported to colleges and universities.

A	= 4.00	95-100	A
A-	= 3.67	92-94	A-
B+	= 3.33	89-91	B+
B	= 3.00	86-88	B
B-	= 2.67	83-85	B-
C+	= 2.33	80-82	C+
C	= 2.00	77-79	C
C-	= 1.67	74-76	C-
D+	= 1.33	71-73	D+
D	= 1.00	68-70	D
D-	= .67	65-68	D-
F	= 0	64 -	F

HOLIDAY BREAKS

Holiday Breaks: All international students are asked to secure a place to stay during the different Holiday breaks. Please see below the steps a student is required to take in order to secure a place to stay over the different Holiday breaks.

1st Step: All international students are asked to contact a relative or friend within the U.S to secure a place to stay over the holiday breaks

2nd Step: If a student is not able to fly home or does not have relatives or friends in the U.S., they are asked to talk with their friends at Saint Paul to secure a place to stay during the Holiday breaks

3rd Step: If a student is not able to find a host family, Saint Paul does have host families that often keep students over the different holiday breaks. Saint Paul simply provides the names of student(s) still looking for places to stay over the breaks. Students are placed with as many host families as possible. **(Host families are paid by the student \$25.00 a day.)**

4th Step: If students are not able to find a place to stay, they may stay in the campus dormitories over the breaks. **(Students pay \$50.00 a day for room and board, activities off of campus, and the cost of a dorm counselor)**

Holiday Breaks: Thanksgiving, Christmas, Easter, and Spring Break. On some years, Easter and Spring Break will combine to make one Break.



Thanksgiving Break

Students experience all Seasons and enjoy the changes from very warm days in the Fall, snow in the Winter to cool days in the Spring.

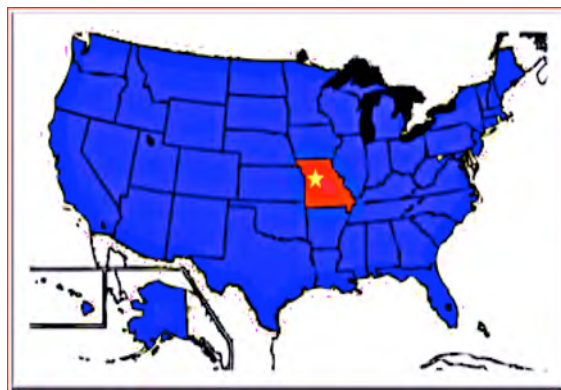


Easter Break



Christmas Break

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CAMPUS VISITS

Saint Paul welcomes students and parents to visit Saint Paul Lutheran High School. Parents and students are welcome to stay on campus in the Biltz conference center during their stay. Students are encouraged to stay in our dormitories overnight and shadow a student the next day. A campus visit is very important prior to making a decision to have your son or daughter attend Saint Paul. You will meet our teachers and students, take a campus tour and visit classrooms. You will have the opportunity to ask questions, talk about a potential class schedule, and simply learn all you can about Saint Paul Lutheran High School. Parents can stay on our campus for free during their visit.



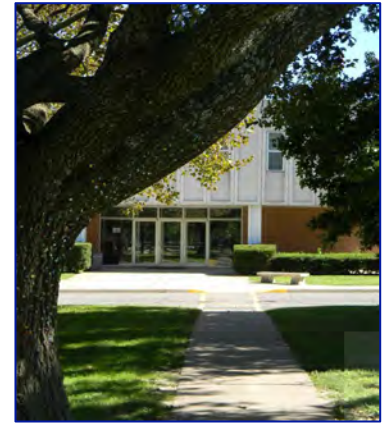
The Importance of a Worldview and why it plays such a pivotal role in Christian Education...

It will be the framework for human thinking. Worldview is all about making decisions about what ideas you will think about, embrace, and apply to your life. A Christian worldview is about discovering the ideas, thoughts, values, and perspectives of Jesus Christ. It is applying these concepts to our lives in such a way that Christ can be woven into the fabric of our lives. Ham, Ken & Dr. Greg Hall. Already Compromised. Green Forest, AZ: Master Books, 2011. Print

The question is, when it comes to our children, what worldview are they embracing?



Entrance to Saint Paul



Fine Arts Building



Biltz Hall



Baepler Hall & Victory Bell



Weis Memorial Gymnasium



Baepler Hall (Education Building)



Moeller Hall (Girls' Dorm)



Kaepfel Hall (Chapel)



Krueger Dining Hall



Students walking from Fine Arts to Baepler Hall



Brust Hall (Boys' Dorm)



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