



*Rosary High School* is an all-girls, Catholic high school sponsored by the Dominican Sisters of Springfield, Illinois. Since 1962, Rosary has maintained a reputation for providing a rigorous college preparatory education for young women. Rosary's small size, nurturing spirit, family atmosphere and dedication to excellence make Rosary the right choice for the young women leaders of tomorrow.

Visit Rosary High School at  
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*Rosary*  
**High School**

**Rosary's** rigorous college preparatory curriculum prepares young women for academic, social and spiritual success in college and beyond. Students may choose from 95 courses including 2 Advanced Placement (AP) classes. Rosary students are also offered the opportunity to earn up to 24 semester hours of college credit from Waubensee Community College. These courses are offered on Rosary's campus and enable students to start their college education before graduation from high school!

Rosary students are motivated and successful. The average ACT score for Rosary's Class of 2011 was 25.6. This is significantly higher than the state average of 20.9 and the national average of 21.1. All 125 graduates of the Class of 2011 are college bound and will be attending colleges and universities across the nation. 79% of this class was awarded an impressive \$13.7 million in college scholarships. 26% of this class was declared Illinois State Scholars and 49% were National Honor Society members.

### STUDENT LIFE

Rosary offers a variety of extracurricular clubs and activities. Whether a girl is interested in drama, debate or yearbook, there is something for everyone. Students also enjoy soc-hops, dances and social get-togethers with the young men of Marmion Academy. For a complete list of clubs and activities, please visit Rosary's website.

Campus Ministry is committed to serving the pastoral needs of the Rosary community and partners with families to encourage students to grow as young women of faith. Students are expected to explore the needs of their local communities and to discover ways they can make a difference.

### ATHLETICS

Rosary has a tradition of solid team competition in all sports arenas as well as the opportunity for individual recognition. Teams have won numerous state, sectional, regional, and conference titles.

**Fall Sports:** Cheerleading, Cross Country, Dance Team, Golf, Swimming, Tennis, Volleyball

**Winter Sports:** Basketball, Cheerleading, Dance Team

**Spring Sports:** Soccer, Softball, Track

### FINE ARTS

The Music Department offers Symphony Orchestra, Beginning Chorus, and Advanced Chorus as credit courses. Ensemble is comprised of students who are selected through an audition process.

Every year Rosary's talented students, along with the young men of Marmion Academy, perform two full-length Broadway caliber musicals.

A variety of visual arts courses are also offered for credit. These include Drawing, Painting, Ceramics, Commercial Illustration and Graphic Design. Art students have the opportunity to participate in a number of exhibits and contests throughout the year.

## Visit Rosary

### Shadow Days (October - February)

A Shadow Day is an opportunity for eighth grade girls to get a realistic view of what a typical day at Rosary High School is like. Eighth graders are welcome to visit on Tuesdays, Wednesdays or Thursdays, October through February. Parents should call Mrs. Karen Ramella at 630-896-0831 ext. 12 at least one week in advance to schedule their daughter's Shadow Day.

### Eighth Grade Get-Together (Thursday, October 6, 2011 7:00-8:30 pm)

This is an evening set aside for eighth grade girls to come to Rosary for food, fun and philanthropy. The night will include a pizza dinner, the opportunity to meet current Rosary students and a service-related craft project. This free event will provide an informal atmosphere for interested eighth graders to learn more about Rosary. To register for this event, please visit our website.

### Open House (Sunday, November 13, 2011 12:30-3:30 pm)

The Open House introduces prospective students and their families to the faculty and students of Rosary High School. Tour the school, speak with students, teachers and administrators and learn about all that Rosary has to offer.

### Seventh Grade Event (Tuesday, March 20, 2012 7:00-8:30 pm)

This is a night set aside for seventh graders who are interested in Rosary. The girls will participate in various fun activities, meet some current Rosary students and faculty, and enjoy a delicious dessert buffet. This event is free to any seventh grade girl who would like to attend. Please visit our website to register.

### HOW TO APPLY

Eighth graders seeking admission into Rosary High School must take the HSPT (Scholastic Testing Service High School Placement Test). This standard indicator and the information gathered from parents, teachers and grade school transcripts are used to determine acceptance to Rosary. The Placement Exam is scheduled for **Saturday, January 14, 2012 at 8:00 am.**

To register for the exam, please complete the Application for Admission and the Release of Information form and return them to Rosary with the \$30.00 application fee by **Friday, December 16, 2011.** All necessary documents can be found on Rosary's website at: [rosaryhs.com/pages/aboutus\\_forms.asp](http://rosaryhs.com/pages/aboutus_forms.asp).

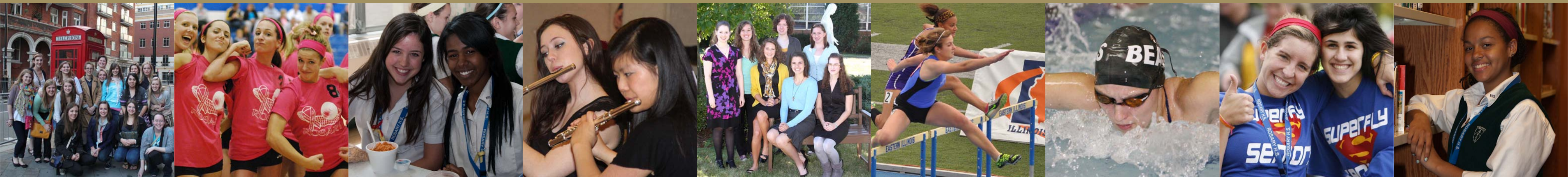
### 2011-2012 TUITION

\$8,100 (all fees are included in this amount with the exception of Kairos and Graduation fees)

### SCHOLARSHIPS & FINANCIAL AID

Rosary is committed to providing an excellent yet affordable education. Each year, a number of scholarships are awarded to incoming freshmen who have tested at and have been accepted to Rosary. Please refer to the Rosary website for a complete list of available scholarships. Families who may be in need of assistance are encouraged to apply for financial aid through [www.factstuitionaid.com](http://www.factstuitionaid.com).

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