



# 2011 - 2012 PROFILE LAFAYETTE HIGH SCHOOL

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Lafayette High School, located in suburban St. Louis County, Missouri, is part of the Rockwood School District. Rockwood is St. Louis County's largest public school system serving more than 22,000 students. The other high schools of the Rockwood District include Eureka, Marquette, and Rockwood Summit. The Rockwood School District participates in the Voluntary Interdistrict Choice Program with the city of St. Louis. Rockwood also participate in the Missouri A+ program.

## ADMINISTRATION

**John Shaughnessy,**  
Principal

**Nisha Patel,**  
Associate Principal

**Dr. Tim Jones,**  
Assistant Principal

**Matt Dieckhaus,**  
Assistant Principal

**Dr. Kirti Mehrotra,**  
Assistant Principal

**Mandy Lewis,**  
Assistant Principal

**Steve Berry,**  
Activities Director

## GUIDANCE

**Marybeth Desloge**  
Counselor, Dept. Chair

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**Dr. Sharon Sevier**  
Counselor

**Marianne Stuart**  
Counselor

**Lindsay Brockmeier**  
Testing/A+ Coordinator

## COLLEGE CENTER

**Chris Ramsay**  
College Specialist

**Christy Wills**  
College Specialist

**Mary Mueller**  
Director of Test Prep

## ACADEMIC PROGRAM

**Class Schedule:** The school calendar is divided into two semesters. We do use a hybrid block schedule.

**Advanced Placement:** Lafayette offers twenty-four courses through the College Board Advanced Placement program. Students may begin taking AP courses in their sophomore year. Students may choose to sit for AP Exams in subjects for which we do not offer the companion AP course. AP courses and exams offered at Lafayette are listed below:

Art History	Biology	Calculus AB & BC
Chemistry	Computer Science	Economics
English Language	English Literature	Environmental Science
European History	French	German
Government & Politics	Latin	Music Theory
Physics & Adv. Physics	Psychology	Spanish
Statistics	Studio Art I & II	US History
	World History	

**Advanced Credit:** Certain courses offered may be taken for college credit. College credit is awarded through the University of Missouri - St. Louis.

**Dual Enrollment:** Approved students may take courses not available at Lafayette at local universities during the regular school day. These courses may apply toward the students' graduation requirements.

**Flexible Schedule Program:** This accelerated program is for academically motivated, college-bound students. Students are expected to do much of the work outside of the regular classroom and to utilize regular class time to explore topics in further detail. The classes meet once a week as a group, twice a week as small seminar sessions, and twice a week on an individual student basis. These courses are not weighted for grade point calculation.

**Honors and Accelerated Classes:** Certain courses are offered with honors or acceleration.

**Rank and Grade Point Calculation:** Rank and gpa are based on grades earned in years 9-12. Rank and gpa are exact. Rank is weighted. All students, except Phase II students, are included in class rank. All courses for which the student receives a grade are included in rank and gpa. GPA is based on a 4.0 scale with an "A" worth 4 points.

HON = Honors Course  
ADV = Advance or Accelerated Course  
FLEX or FLX = Flexible Schedule Program Course  
WG\* = Weighted Grade Course  
AP\* = Advanced Placement Course  
ALARP\* = Advanced Language Arts Research/Presentation  
Highest Math available = AP Statistics or AP Calculus  
\*Weighted 5.0 scale where grade of "A" = 5 points

## POINTS OF DISTINCTION

U.S. Department of Education Blue Ribbon School of Excellence

Missouri Gold Star School

America's Best High School, Redbook Magazine

Top 1000 School of Distinction, Newsweek Magazine

2007 ACT Missouri Show Me Award recognized Lafayette ACT program as a model program

# 1 Renaissance Program in the U. S.

Only School in Missouri to score in the Top Ten on all five areas of the Missouri Assessment Program tests

Seventy-seven members of the Class of 2011 qualified for the Missouri Academic Scholarship "Bright Flight" program.

More than 85% of our students participate on athletic teams, in academic and interest clubs, and in honor societies.

1800 students involved in MSHAA sponsored activities

Best Missouri Outdoor Education Program (OSEP)

## ACCREDITATION

Rockwood is recognized for Distinction in Performance With High Achievement by the Missouri Department of Elementary & Secondary Education



## OUTCOMES

Enrollment 2011-2012		Grading Scale	Class of 2011 GPA Distribution		Rank Equivalents	
Seniors	496	A = 100 – 90%	GPA Average	% of students	Rank %	GPA
Juniors	517	B = 89 – 80%	A (4.0 +)	13.3%	# 1	4.735
Sophomores	523	C = 79 – 70%	B (3.9 – 3.0)	52.7%	Top 5%	4.208
Freshmen	499	D = 69 – 60%	C (2.9 – 2.0)	29.0%	Top 10%	4.037
		F = 59% or below	D (1.9 – 1.0)	4.8%	Top 25%	3.712
					Top 50%	3.283

Class of 2011 Graduates: 474 graduates	Test Results
College Apps Submitted: 1,663	<b>ACT Composite:</b> 25.5 (students with Core Curriculum)
% Going to 4-Year Colleges and Universities: 83% (as of 8/15/11)	Average ACT: 25.0
% Going to 2-Year Colleges and Universities: 13% (as of 8/15/11)	<b>SAT (Mean Scores):</b> Critical Reading: 630, Writing: 627, Mathematics: 640, Total: 1891
<b>National Merit Recognition</b>	<b>AP Results</b>
6 Finalists	456 students took 871 exams
6 Semi-Finalists	91% scored a 3 or higher, 68% scored a 4 or higher,
14 Commended Students	38% scored a 5
3 Corporate Scholarship Recipients	
5 University Scholarship Recipients	

GRADUATION REQUIREMENTS	Sampling of four-year colleges Lafayette graduates are currently attending:
In accordance with requirements established by Board of Education and/or Rockwood School District.	
Language Arts 4 credits	Arizona State University
Social Studies 3 credits	Auburn University
Mathematics 3 credits	Avila University
Science 3 credits	Ball State University
Fine Art 1 credit	Baylor University
Practical Art 1 credit	Belmont University
Physical Educ. 1 credit	Boston College
Health Education 1/2 credit	Boston University
Electives 7 1/2 credits	Bradley University
Personal Finance Proficiency Exam	Brown University
	Brigham Young University
	Butler University
	Case Western Reserve University
	Central Methodist University
	Chicago Institute of Art
	Clemson University
	College of Charleston
	Colorado State University
	Columbia College (IL)
	Cornell University
	Creighton University
	DePaul University
	DePauw University
	Drake University
	Drury University
	Duke University
	Durham University (England)
	Emory University
	FIDM-Los Angeles
	Fontbonne University
	George Washington University
	Georgia Institute of Technology
	Grinnell College
	Harris-Stowe State University
	Harvard University
	Howard University
	Illinois State University
	Illinois Wesleyan University
	Indiana University
	Iowa State University
	Johns Hopkins University
	Kansas City Art Institute
	Kansas State University
	Lehigh University
	Lindenwood University
	Louisiana State University
	Loyola Marymount University
	Loyola University of Chicago
	Loyola University of New Orleans
	Marymount Manhattan College
	Maryville University
	McGill University
	Michigan State University
	Miami University of Ohio
	Missouri State University
	Missouri University of Science & Technology
	Murray State University
	Northwest Missouri State
	Northeastern University
	Northwestern University
	Ohio University
	Ohio State University
	Oklahoma State University
	Pennsylvania State University
	Princeton University
	Purdue University
	Rhode Island School of Design
	Rhodes College
	Rice University
	Rockhurst University
	Saint Louis College of Pharmacy
	Saint Louis University
	Samford University
	Savannah College of Art & Design
	School of the Art Institute of Chicago
	Scripps College
	Southeast Missouri State
	Southern Methodist University
	Stephens College
	Swarthmore College
	Syracuse University
	Texas A & M University
	Texas Christian University
	Truman State University
	Tulane University
	US Air Force Academy
	US Military Academy West Point
	US Naval Academy
	University of Alabama
	University of Arizona
	University of Arkansas
	University of California, Los Angeles
	University of Central Missouri
	University of Colorado at Boulder
	University of Dayton
	University of Florida
	University of Denver
	University of Dundee (Scotland)
	University of Evansville
	University of Georgia
	University of Illinois, Chicago
	University of Illinois, Urbana/Champaign
	University of Iowa
	University of Kansas
	University of Kentucky
	University of Miami
	University of Michigan
	University of Minnesota
	University of Missouri, Columbia
	University of Missouri, Kansas City
	University of Missouri, St. Louis
	University of Nebraska
	University of North Carolina, Asheville
	University of North Carolina, Chapel Hill
	University of Notre Dame
	University of Oklahoma
	University of Pittsburgh
	University of South Florida
	University of Southern California
	University of Tampa
	University of Tennessee
	University of Texas
	University of Tulsa
	University of Virginia
	University of Wisconsin
	Valparaiso University
	Vanderbilt University
	Villanova University
	Virginia Tech
	Washington & Lee
	Washington University in St. Louis
	Webster University
	Westminster College
	Wheaton College
	William Jewell College
	William Woods University
	Xavier University (OH)
	Yale University