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**National Blue Ribbon School**

**BROTHER RICE**

High School Code

230329

# BROTHER RICE HIGH SCHOOL

## School Profile 2023-2024

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### Mission of Brother Rice

Brother Rice High School is a Catholic, college preparatory school for young men. In the spirit of Blessed Edmund Ignatius Rice, the founder of the Congregation of Christian Brothers, the school fosters the spiritual, intellectual, cultural and physical development of its students. The Brother Rice Community promotes excellence through an environment conducive to life-long personal growth, responsible moral choices and critical thinking.

### School Description

Brother Rice High School is a private, fully accredited, four-year Catholic college preparatory school. Owned and operated by the Congregation of Christian Brothers, it was founded in 1960. The average enrollment is approximately 550 students in grades 9-12. Brother Rice High School runs on an eight (8) period day, with all classes meeting each day. Brother Rice is based on a two-semester school year with grades reported quarterly. Our official transcripts reflect Semester Grades. Brother Rice requires students to complete 20 hours of Christian service work each year.

### Faculty

Brother Rice High School is administered and staffed by the Congregation of Christian Brothers with the assistance of both religious and lay faculty members dedicated to educating students in the values of Catholic education. 70% of the teaching staff have Master's Degrees and 16% of faculty are alumni.

### Brother Rice is a college preparatory high school ...

dedicated to providing our students with academic, athletic, extracurricular, and service experiences that will enhance their lives and prepare them for their future goals in college and beyond. With a noted history of 99 percent four-year college placement, our graduates enroll in colleges and universities from coast to coast and internationally. While our admission rates to the most competitive colleges are significantly above the state and national averages, our pride is in the successful matching of each student to colleges that meet their unique goals, needs, and criteria.

### Graduation Requirements for 2023-2024

Total Credits Required to Graduate: 24

Amer. Government	.5 credit
U.S. History	1 credit
World History	1 credit
English (4 years)	4 credits
World Language (same language)	2 credits
Health	.5 credit
Mathematics (4 years)	4 credits
Physical Education	.5 credit
Science (Biology, chemistry & physics)	3 credits
Speech	.5 credit
Theology	4 credits
Economics	.5 credit
Visual Performance Arts	1.0 credit
Electives	1.5 credits

\*All students are required to complete 20 hours of Christian service work.

### Academic Electives

- Engineering & Drafting Department
  - Architectural Drawing I
  - Introduction to Engineering Design
  - Advanced Engineering Technologies
- Social Studies & History Department
  - World in the 20th Century
  - World Geography
  - Psychology
  - European History
  - Human Geography
- Language Department
  - German
  - Latin
  - Spanish
- Mathematics Department
  - Accounting
  - Business & Personal Finance
  - Introduction to Marketing
- Additional Academic Electives
  - Broadcast Journalism
  - Business Law
  - Journalism/Newspaper/Yearbook
  - Mythology
  - Sports Marketing

## College Preparatory Curriculum Highlights

Placement in Honors and AP Courses requires successful completion of rigorous pre-requisite courses and may be limited due to scheduling constraints.

### 18 Honors Level Courses:

#### English

English I, II

#### Mathematics

Algebra I, II

Geometry w/Trigonometry

Pre-Calculus

#### Science

Anatomy & Physiology

Biology

Chemistry

Organic Chemistry

#### Social Studies

World History

#### Language

Latin: I, II, III, IV

Spanish: I, II, III

### 23 Advanced Placement Courses:

2D Art & Design

American Government

Biology

Chemistry

Calculus AB

Calculus BC

Comparative Government & Politics

Computer Science Principles

Computer Science A

Drawing

English Language & Composition

English Literature & Composition

European History

Human Geography

Macroeconomics

Music Theory

Physics 1

Physics 2

Pre-Calculus

Psychology

Spanish

Statistics

US History

US Government & Politics

## Class of 2023

Graduates: 125 National Merit: 2

### Standardized Test Score 2022 Statistics ACT Test Averages

SUBJECT AREA	BRHS	NATIONAL
English	22.7	19.0
Mathematics	21.9	19.3
Reading	23.2	20.4
Science	22.8	19.9
Composite	22.7	19.8

### Standardized Test Score 2022 Statistics SAT Test Averages

SUBJECT AREA	BRHS	State	National
Evidence-Based Reading/Writing	623	506	529
Mathematics	661	495	521
Composite	1283	1000	1050

### Brother Rice High School Grading Scale

Grade	Percentage	GPA	Honors/AP GPA
A+	100-98	4.0	4.5
A	97-93	4.0	4.5
A-	92-90	4.0	4.5
B+	89-88	3.0	3.5
B	87-83	3.0	3.5
B-	82-80	3.0	3.5
C+	79-78	2.0	2.5
C	77-73	2.0	2.5
C-	72-70	2.0	2.5
D+	69-68	1.0	1.0
D	67-63	1.0	1.0
D-	62-60	1.0	1.0

### The Brother Rice Transcript

**Weighted Grades:** Honors and Advanced Placement courses are weighted.

**Rank in Class:** Brother Rice High School does not rank its students.

**GPA:** A student's cumulative grade point is inclusive of semester grades earned in all classes. 0 hr. Band may be excluded from GPA calculation.

**Disciplinary Reporting Policy:** Brother Rice does not report disciplinary incidents to post-secondary institutions. Please note: serious incidents result in dismissal.

#### Brother Rice Standardized Tests:

Pre-ACT/PSAT 8/9: Freshman Year  
Pre-ACT / PSAT 10: Sophomore Year  
ACT/PSAT/NMJQT: Junior Year

#### Transcript Abbreviations:

H = Honors  
AP = Advanced Placement  
P = Pass