

# LEADING K-12 SCHOOLS GUIDE

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ST. MARY'S SCHOOL

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THURSDAY  
OCTOBER 13

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NOVEMBER 3

THURSDAY  
DECEMBER 8

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FOR STUDENTS IN EARLY EDUCATION THROUGH GRADE 8.

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IS JANUARY 6, 2023

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World-sized hearts. World-class minds.

# DECIDEDLY **CHRISTIAN!** DISTINCTIVELY **EXCELLENT!**

*Finally, be strong in the Lord and in the strength of his might. Ephesians 6:10*

## **GREETINGS IN THE NAME OF OUR LORD, JESUS CHRIST!**

It is a joy and my honor to welcome and introduce you to a special ministry in Irvine, Crean Lutheran High School. This year we celebrate God's faithfulness, amazing grace, and the many blessings He has poured into our ministry as we celebrate our 16th academic year. We invite you to come and see what the Lord is doing at Crean Lutheran High School.

**Our MISSION.** While much is changing in this world and on our campus, as we continue to grow and add to our campus and community, one thing hasn't changed: our mission and commitment to *Proclaiming Jesus Christ Through Excellence in Education!*

In support of our mission, our schoolwide learning outcomes revolve around Christian faith, lifelong learning, and serving others. These desired outcomes are simply: I am a Christian; I am a Learner; I am a Servant. In the fulfillment of reaching each of these outcomes, Crean Lutheran seeks to teach and live by God's grace through a guiding Biblical worldview. It is through the nurturing lens of God's word, along with the power of the Holy Spirit, that we pray our students' faith will grow and equip them to understand, view, and engage the culture around them - proclaiming Jesus Christ.

**Our VALUES.** In order to support our mission and achieve our vision, Crean Lutheran High School seeks to live out our five core values daily. We value **FAITHFULNESS** to our Lord and Savior, Jesus Christ. We value **EXCELLENCE** as the Christ-honoring approach to work as unto the Lord (Colossians 3:23-24), using our God-given gifts to the very best that we can. We value **STEWARDSHIP** of our time, talents, treasures, and testimony of faith, recognizing that all that we have belongs to the Lord. We value **SERVICE** because Christ first served us; we embrace service when we actively and joyfully serve God and others. And we value **COMMUNITY**, recognizing that what unites us in Christ as the Saints family is greater than any of our differences.

**Our VISION.** By the grace of God, Crean Lutheran High School strives to continue to be a safe haven and a beacon that shines the light of Jesus Christ in a world of spiritual darkness.

Our Spirit-led and committed faculty and staff continue to embrace and pursue excellence and are committed to providing loving care for our students. They love the Lord, excel at and love what they do, and love our students. Since today's world is increasingly complex and technologically advancing at an incomprehensible pace, our efforts in the classroom are future-oriented and responsive to the rapidly changing demands and needs of our students. Together we partner as students, parents, school, church, and community in pursuit of the best educational practices in a Christ-centered environment, serving our Lord and proclaiming Jesus Christ.

**Our PASSION.** The love of God and of Jesus Christ, the love of our students and their families, and the love of what we do in our daily service compel those who serve at Crean Lutheran High School.

There are no "do-overs" in high school. The Crean Lutheran experience promotes an engaged student body, encouraging students to enrich their Christian faith, engage in lifelong learning, and embrace a life of serving mankind. Students are encouraged to be active participants in activities, the arts, and athletics and to have a robust four-year transformative experience.

Thank you for the time spent in getting to know more about and considering the Crean Lutheran High School community. We hope you're led and compelled to become a member of our blessed Saints family!

In His love,



**Jeffrey Beavers**  
Executive Director | CEO



**CREAN LUTHERAN  
HIGH SCHOOL**



# CREAN LUTHERAN HIGH SCHOOL

*Proclaiming Jesus Christ  
Through Excellence in Education*

**20:1**

AVERAGE CLASS SIZE

#### ACADEMICS

- 24 Advanced Placement Courses
- 25 Dual Credit Courses (up to 74 college units)
- 61 Honors Courses
- 402 Students were involved with our Academic Cohort Programs Business • Engineering • Medical • Law

#### ARTS

- 24% of students are involved in Performing Arts
- Last year, Crean Lutheran Performing Arts performed, *Thus Far*, Celebrating 15 Years of Crean Lutheran High School at the Renée and Henry Segerstrom Concert Hall
- 2 Visual Arts students were 2022 OC Artist of the Year Semi-Finalists

#### ATHLETICS

- 61% of students are involved in athletics
- 65% of student-athletes have a 3.5 GPA or better
- (2021-2022) 23 Varsity sports • 13 teams earned CIF Playoff bids • 5 League titles

#### MISSION & MINISTRY

- Mission Trips to El Salvador & Mexico (2022)
- Campus-Wide Service Day
- Life Groups & Weekly Chapels



CLASS OF 2022

**203**

GRADUATES

**97%**

ATTENDING A COLLEGE OR UNIVERSITY

**\$52k**

AVERAGE SCHOLARSHIP PER STUDENT

**OCT 13**

JOIN US AT  
**OPEN HOUSE!**  
6:30 - 8:00 P.M.

**NOV 8**

LEARN MORE AT [CREANLUTHERAN.ORG/ADMISSIONS](https://creanlutheran.org/admissions).



*Join Us* **AT OUR HIGH SCHOOL PREVIEW PARTY!**  
We will have an informational session, campus tours, refreshments, and fun activities for your middle schoolers!

OCT  
**19**  
WED

**FAIRMONT PREP**  
5:00 PM - 6:30 PM  
2200 W. Sequoia Ave., Anaheim

OCT  
**26**  
WED

**FAIRMONT SJC CAMPUS**  
5:00 PM - 6:30 PM  
26333 Oso Rd., San Juan Capistrano

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EDUCATORS NAMED AMONG  
BEST IN ORANGE COUNTY

**76:1**

HIGH SCHOOL STUDENTS TO  
COLLEGE COUNSELORS

**95%**

CLASS OF 2022 ACCEPTED  
TO ONE OR MORE TOP 100 COLLEGES



**1ST PLACE**  
ENGINEERING WORLD HEALTH  
High School



# Learning WITHOUT LIMITS

Fairmont Schools has a 69-year history of putting students first and the educational outcomes to prove a culture of high expectations creates learners who thrive. Offering P-12 instruction across five Orange County campuses, Fairmont unleashes the genius in each child, whether a “late bloomer” or the highest achiever, empowering them to amplify their strengths and talents to reach their highest potential. ***Our educational community embraces a growth mindset and fosters a culture of excellence. From the arts to athletics, from liberal arts to math and science, a Fairmont education is one that places no limits on what your child can achieve.*** Where will Fairmont Schools take your child?

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AND ENGINEERING FAIR**

Middle School: Plant Biology + Alternative Energy



**IB WORLD SCHOOL**

1 of 2 schools in California  
to offer the complete IB continuum (P-12)



**#1 SCHOOL IN THE NATION**

Middle School  
U.S. Academic Pentathlon



HIGHEST-RANKED  
**STEM**  
PRIVATE SCHOOL  
in ORANGE COUNTY\*

\*As reported by *Newsweek* 2019.



## Sage Hill School's Flexible Tuition Program Offers Need-Based Assistance to Prospective Families

At Sage Hill School, we uphold the ideal that a diverse student body is an integral part of a dynamic and strong school community. Sage Hill continues to be committed to ensuring that its student body reflects the demographics of Southern California.

The School's Flexible Tuition program is designed to adjust tuition based on each individual family's financial picture. The program allows families to qualify for reduced tuition as well as other student fees that may be incurred throughout the school year, including opportunities for bus transportation to campus.

"A Sage Hill School education should be accessible to all families," Director of Admission and Financial Aid Peter Jordan says. "This program is intended to be a sliding scale that is based on what a family can truly afford."

In determining the appropriate tuition for each family, income, expenses, and the number of private school or college tuitions currently being supported in the household are assessed. This information helps determine what adjustment to a student's yearly tuition might look like – helping to make Sage Hill School a more viable education option for all interested families in Orange County.

With the resounding support of the School's Board of Trustees, Sage Hill has already had the opportunity to increase the number of students that participate in the Flexible Tuition Program. On average, Sage Hill School allocates \$3.3 million toward the program and plans to stay committed to increasing both the percentage of students receiving reduced tuition, as well as the funding of the Flexible Tuition program.

"We increased the number of students that participate in the Flexible Tuition program from 11% to 14% this year. We have plans to increase that number to 17% in the next three years with the ultimate goal of hitting 20% of our student population," Jordan says. "We really want to be able to cater to a large population

of families and the best way to find out if you qualify for this opportunity is to apply to Sage Hill."

Families should first begin with applying to Sage Hill School – this is an important first step as Flexible Tuition applications cannot be reviewed unless an admission application has also been completed. Admission applications opened on September 1 with a deadline of January 31, 2023 while the Flexible Tuition application will open on October 17 with a deadline of February 15, 2023. It is also important to note that the admission application and the Flexible Tuition application are separate processes.

Families who are actively seeking a Sage Hill education but are concerned about affordability should consider the Flexible Tuition program as Sage Hill aims to meet each family's demonstrated need.

### School Information

Sage Hill School  
20402 Newport Coast Drive  
Newport Coast, CA 92657  
[www.sagehillschool.org](http://www.sagehillschool.org)

### Call to Action for Applications

Applications Now Open for 2023-2024 School Year!  
Parents with prospective students entering grades 9-12 in Fall 2023 can apply now at [www.sagehillschool.org/apply](http://www.sagehillschool.org/apply).  
Application deadline is January 31, 2023

To learn more about the Flexible Tuition program, visit [www.sagehillschool.org/flexibletuition](http://www.sagehillschool.org/flexibletuition).



Patricia Merz, Head of School

## What Sets Sage Hill Apart?

**College Counseling:** With a 34:1 student-to-counselor ratio, Sage Hill offers a highly personalized, student-centered college application process focused on helping each student find the best college fit based on their academic profile, aspirations, talents and interests.

**Service Learning:** Service Learning provides students opportunities to explore community service opportunities and help create positive change. Through community partnerships, students are encouraged to develop and/or seek out service needs in the local and global communities that match their educational, personal and social interests.

**Spring at Sage:** Students are offered experiential opportunities for leadership, creativity and risk-taking beyond the traditional classroom. After spring final

exams, students spend a week participating in an intensive seminar or a group travel program.

**Sage Hill Internship Program:** Career exploration and assistance with resumes, interviews and job applications prepare students for work opportunities. SHIP offers real-life, hands-on work experience and exposure to potential careers.

**Advisory Program:** The advisory program provides guidance, mentoring and a sense of belonging from the very first day of school. Advisors encourage personal and academic growth of each student by fostering positive relationships and supporting each student throughout their Sage Hill School journey.



SAGE HILL  
SCHOOL

FIND YOUR PATH AT  
**SAGE HILL**

ADMISSION  
OPEN HOUSE

**Save the Date:**

Saturday, October 8, 2022  
10:00 AM to 2:00 PM

RSVP starting September 1  
[sagehillschool.org](https://www.sagehillschool.org)

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## Santa Margarita Catholic High School

### *Together Eagles Achieve More*

With academic tracks tailored to meet the needs of varied learners; more than 85 clubs and activities; competitive, character-building athletics and an award-winning arts program – all in a nurturing, Christ-centered environment – Santa Margarita students are empowered to grow spiritually, intellectually, socially and morally. SMCHS graduates go on to attend universities across the nation and abroad, the majority of students earning scholarships. Under the leadership of the Diocese of Orange, the school's 42-acre campus is nestled against the picturesque Saddleback Valley Mountains in Rancho Santa Margarita. Bus transportation and an active parent carpool group are available for an easy commute to campus.

#### INDIVIDUALIZED LEARNING

- 117 higher level courses, students have the opportunity to earn college credit
- Only Catholic high school in the county to offer the rigorous International Baccalaureate program
- Auxiliary Studies Program supports students with specialized learning needs
- Model United Nations program gives students the opportunity to attend mock meetings of the United Nations catapulting students into a world of diplomacy and negotiation
- Award-winning arts program with 61 visual and performing arts courses and an afterschool conservatory.
- 17 counselors provide academic, college and social-emotional counseling
- 15:1 student-to-faculty ratio
- One of 39 schools in the nation recognized as a Microsoft Showcase School

#### COLLEGE PREPAREDNESS

- 99 percent of graduates in the Class of 2022 attend college; the class received \$53.5 million in scholarship offers with a 100 percent acceptance rate at 199 schools.
- Director of college relations dedicated to building strong partnerships with universities across the nation and a NCAA/athletic college advisor
- Comprehensive college counseling and college relations programs including workshops, seminars and a sophisticated web-based software for college and career planning. Through a personalized approach, counselors work in partnership with families to find a college that best fits each student's strengths, interests and goals.
- Approximately 150 college representative visits annually

#### BUILDING CHAMPIONS FOR LIFE

- 75 CIF championships, 234 league championships and nine state championships
- 32 CIF and club sport teams
- Ten-time recipient of the CIF Commissioners Cup, recognizing the top athletic programs in the 581-member school CIF Southern Section

#### CAMPUS AND FAITH LIFE

- 90 percent of the student body participates in more than 85 campus clubs and activities
- Eagles Edge program builds "real-world" lifelong skills and provides networking opportunities
- Award-winning robotics program has earned an invitation to the world championships three times.
- Retreats, fellowship, school Masses and service learning program
- Through extracurricular activities, honors societies, campus ministry programs, the arts and athletic teams, SMCHS students develop leadership and management skills.
- Culture of compassion centered in the charism of Caritas Christi, the love of Christ, and the school's core principles of compassion, justice, humility and goodness.

For more information about Santa Margarita Catholic High School, please call 949-766-6076 or visit [www.smhs.org](http://www.smhs.org).





# SUPERIOR ACADEMIC EXPERIENCE

## TOP RANKED

RANKED AMONG THE TOP 40 PRIVATE HIGH SCHOOLS IN THE U.S. - Academic Influence

## \$53.5

MILLION  
COMBINED MERIT AND ATHLETIC SCHOLARSHIP OFFERS \*

## 117

HIGHER LEVEL COURSES

## 99%

OF GRADUATES ATTEND COLLEGE \*

## 100%

ACCEPTANCE RATE AT 199 SCHOOLS \*

## 2,148

COLLEGE ACCEPTANCES \*

\*Class of 2022



### ATHLETICS



### ARTS



### FAITH & SERVICE

# OPEN HOUSE

## October 10 • 5:00-7:30p.m.

Tour our campus and learn more about our academics, athletics, arts and faith-based education. Enjoy dinner from Dogzilla and TK Burgers. No reservations are necessary. For more information visit: [www.smhs.org/admissions](http://www.smhs.org/admissions)



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# SANTA MARGARITA CATHOLIC HIGH SCHOOL

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**ST. MARGARET'S**  
 EPISCOPAL SCHOOL

### Academic Excellence, Innovation and Purpose

St. Margaret's Episcopal School is Orange County's premier independent school, educating 1,234 students, preschool – grade 12, not only as college-bound graduates, but also as productive, healthy and happy children today and successful adults tomorrow.

St. Margaret's vigorous liberal arts academic program is research-based, developmentally appropriate and coordinated from early childhood to graduation. The curriculum is strong and balanced, engaging and challenging students from the youngest age to discover and cultivate their unique talents and passions, to pursue their studies at the highest levels and to always seek new growth and learning. The breadth and depth of the academic program provide students choice and cultivate personal meaning, voice and relevance—critical components to lasting learning experiences.



### Culture of Innovation

St. Margaret's continually looks forward to advance and innovate the academic program, paving exciting and rewarding paths for students. Technology-rich modern learning environments, makerspaces and studios are designed for today's students, as well as innovative instructional approaches and curriculum including a wide range of STEAM disciplines. Experiential, hands-on learning and interdisciplinary studies programs put students in real-world settings to apply their learning skills in leadership and service.

St. Margaret's college-preparatory curriculum offers a breadth of student choice through honors and challenging elective courses, including 26 Advanced Placement courses and unique offerings in engineering, entrepreneurial studies, marine science, multivariable calculus, research methods in science, software engineering and web programming.

### Renowned Faculty

More than 137 dedicated educators are renowned for their expertise, passion for education and their care and support of their students. St. Margaret's recruits nationally and engages in a competitive hiring process to select the best faculty who embrace our mission. More than 64 percent hold advanced degrees and 11 hold doctoral degrees. Teachers, advisors, three college counselors, chaplains and coaches provide a solid framework of guidance and support. Through small class sizes, every student is known and loved.

**137**  
FACULTY MEMBERS

**64%**  
HOLD ADVANCED DEGREES

### Opportunities for Exploration

Breadth of programs and opportunities abound for students in preschool through high school. Arts, athletics, experiential learning, retreats and outdoor education, service and leadership programs support student exploration of interests and personal growth.

From gross motor development in Preschool to 25 CIF varsity sports, physical education emphasizes active and healthy living, integrity, teamwork, respect and spirited competition. Tartan Athletics has achieved 34 CIF-SS Championships, and eight State Championships.

Celebration and study of the arts are equally integral to the development of every student. The 45,000-square-foot Performing Arts Center and 6,000-square-foot Visual Arts Center support a vibrant arts curriculum in theater, dance, orchestra, band, choir and visual and media arts, challenging students to be creative thinkers, problem solvers and to find their unique voice. Students participate in more than 20 performing arts productions and six gallery exhibitions of their work each year.

**25**  
CIF VARSITY SPORTS

**34**  
CIF CHAMPIONSHIPS

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**20**  
PERFORMING ARTS PRODUCTIONS AND

**6**  
GALLERY EXHIBITIONS ANNUALLY

### College-Bound

All St. Margaret's graduates are qualified and prepared to matriculate to a four-year college or university. Graduates of the Class of 2022 attend an impressive list of schools, including Barnard College, Baylor University, Dartmouth College, Emory University, UC Berkeley, UCLA, UC San Diego, University of Chicago, Georgetown University, Harvey Mudd College, Johns Hopkins University, University of Michigan, New York University, Northwestern University, University of Pennsylvania, Reed College, University of Southern California, Syracuse University, University of Texas at Austin, Vanderbilt University, Wellesley College, Tulane University and Yale University.

### Transformative Tartan Experience

St. Margaret's Tartans are known for their character, poise and integrity. An inclusive, loving community rooted in shared values and an Episcopal identity is the foundation of student intellectual and spiritual growth. Dedicated adults and motivated peers surround students and foster a deep sense of personal belonging, health and happiness, instill a strong moral compass and inspire responsibility, leadership and service to the world around them. Unique programs in service learning, advisory, and cultural competency skills development, support the transformative St. Margaret's student experience.



*Founded in 1979, St. Margaret's is guided by its mission to educate the hearts and minds of young people for lives of learning, leadership and service.*

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ST. MARGARET'S EPISCOPAL SCHOOL

OUR

# EVERYDAY

LASTS A LIFETIME

Students are able to explore, discover and learn so much and are so well supported here because they have a world of interests, natural talents and exciting paths to pursue. Vigorous academics, expert faculty, boundless opportunities and choices, engaging, vibrant learning environments, leading technology and resources. A spirit of excellence and innovation fuels a transformative experience that nurtures our students' development, well-being and character, and challenges them to their fullest potential.

*Imagine the lifelong impact of what our everyday would mean for your child.*



2023-2024 ADMISSION APPLICATION  
OPENS: SATURDAY, OCTOBER 1

For Fall Open House dates and registration, scan the QR code or visit: [smesopenhouse.org](https://smesopenhouse.org)





## Stratford School Where the Extraordinary Happens!

At Stratford School, high expectations yield extraordinary results. Our advanced yet intentionally balanced curriculum starts as early as Preschool to inspire and nurture the minds and hearts of every student. From the outset, we simplify challenging concepts, then accelerate learning to enable our students to study ahead of grade level, develop a love of learning, and prepare for the future. Our curriculum is created in thoughtful and meaningful ways to ignite curiosity, nurture exploration, and encourage inquiry.

From Preschool through Grade 8, Stratford's curriculum is infused with sequential instruction in science, technology, engineering, arts, and mathematics — "STEAM" — to help students develop a diverse set of problem-solving skills and talents they'll need in today's world. We accomplish this through a unique cross-disciplinary approach that enhances critical thinking, integrates ideas from multiple subjects, and ultimately expands student learning.

### Preschool

Beginning in Preschool, Stratford's curriculum is designed to develop the cognitive, social, emotional, and physical building blocks. Hands-on, multi-sensory activities, including our Imaginative STEAM Play, encourage preschoolers to play and share with others, while developing their self-confidence, so each child discovers the joy and excitement of learning.

### Elementary

In Elementary, our accelerated core curriculum exceeds the National Standardized ERB Results and motivates students to become critical thinkers,



# STRATFORD SCHOOL



innovative problem-solvers, and proficient writers. This balanced approach imparts students with not only a well-rounded education; it fosters the development of strong friendships, effective study skills, and blossoming self-confidence.

### Middle School

Middle School continues the Stratford tradition of excellence. We prepare and mentor students for placement in honors and advanced courses at top-tier private and public high schools. Stratford's intentional approach to educating the whole child results in young adults who are gifted communicators as well as skilled and generous collaborators.

Beyond the classroom, we help students discover and define their passions through a variety of extracurricular pursuits, personal enrichment activities, physical education, and time or free play.

Our caring and passionate teachers cultivate a fun and nurturing classroom environment, where high expectations encourage students to try new things with confidence and enthusiasm.

By harnessing the collective power of students, teachers, and administrators, this carefully designed approach, along with our commitment as educational leaders, helps students to excel. Stratford School prepares students to become the future generation of creative problem-solvers, imaginative innovators, and confident, insightful leaders.

**For more information,  
visit us at [www.stratfordschools.com](http://www.stratfordschools.com).**

# THE WHEN YOU BALANCE LEARNING WITH INQUIRY EXTRAORDINARY HAPPENS

Join us for a  
**TOUR**

Explore Stratford's advanced,  
intentionally designed  
STEAM-based curriculum and  
see firsthand how we foster  
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Preschool  
THROUGH  
Grade 8



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Join us at our TK-12 Admission Open House  
Thursday, **November 17** at 9:30 AM

Learn more at [www.TARBUT.com](http://www.TARBUT.com)



TVT COMMUNITY DAY SCHOOL  
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Founded in Loving Memory of Naomi Gelman Weiss

ACADEMICS ARE IMPORTANT. CHARACTER IS PARAMOUNT.

# A Character-Driven Education: TVT is the Place to Be

**TVT Community Day School** is the #1 K-12 School in Orange County AND the #1 Jewish School in America, as ranked by Niche.com three years in a row. **TVT is the place to be.**

As our world continues to change, our social and cultural frameworks continue to evolve. It is in this context that we reinvent our student's daily experiences to help them find success in navigating their local and global communities. To do this, our dual curriculum balances essential 21st-century content, skills, and competencies alongside a Jewish curriculum rooted in values that have guided and informed the Jewish people for over 4,000 years.

From Transitional Kindergarten through graduation, TVT provides a caring community and a one-of-a-kind experience that nurtures students in preparation for college and beyond. Within our small class sizes, teachers form deep and lasting relationships with students as they progress through the grades. Every child is seen, heard, and looked after at TVT. Our innovative dual curriculum challenges students to think critically, to work collaboratively, and to explore creatively in state-of-the-art classrooms designed with the latest technology and curricula.

As remarkable as the academics are, the TVT experience goes far beyond academics. Immersive and interdisciplinary learning experiences and service-learning projects allow students to engage in high-quality, hands-on experiences, preparing them to become inquisitive learners, compassionate citizens, and courageous leaders in their community and in the world. Character is paramount at TVT, and that character is developed through a deep exploration of our core values, which are integrated into every aspect of the TVT experience.

TVT provides a college preparatory education rooted in the Jewish values of caring for the community, justice, kindness, respect, truth, and repairing the world. We know that joyful learning today leads to meaningful achievements tomorrow. While the future is full of unknown potential, we are certain that going forward, successful people will possess excellent written and verbal communication skills, they will think analytically across disciplines, and they will collaborate effectively in order to innovate. Our students are prepared to do exactly that. They leave TVT as changemakers ready to make the world a better place.

The only independent TK-12 Jewish community day school in Orange County and one of the largest in the nation, TVT was established in 1991 by Irving Gelman, a Holocaust survivor, in loving memory of Naomi Gelman Weiss. TVT is a tribute to the TARBUT schools that flourished in Eastern Europe before the Holocaust.

As an inclusive and pluralistic Jewish school, TVT is committed to ensuring that each family experiences a shared sense of belonging, fostering an appreciation for differing backgrounds and beliefs. TVT believes that our differences make us stronger, and welcomes families of all backgrounds and faiths who embrace TVT's mission and share our values.

**We invite you to learn more about what makes TVT the place to be by visiting [www.TARBUT.com](http://www.TARBUT.com)**

## Lower School

TVT's Lower School (Transitional Kindergarten – 5th grade) incorporates innovative educational techniques into its safe and nurturing environment. We create self-directed learners who are confident and inquisitive. The Lower School's curriculum, filled with robust options for academic acceleration and student support as well as art and music and electives, ensures an individualized approach for each student.

## Middle School

TVT's Middle School (grades 6-8) provides an environment for personal exploration as students begin to define their individual identities and solidify their values and beliefs. TVT provides a challenging curriculum filled with experiential options as well as arts and engineering elective options that support developmental growth and inquiry-based exploration and innovation. Our faculty provide mentorship and guidance counseling to ensure that every student has the advantage of a strong safety net as they navigate adolescence.

## Upper School

TVT's Upper School (grades 9-12) helps students refine their sense of self with the support of an academic program strengthened by a deep catalog of Advanced Placement and honors options as well as strong arts and engineering pathways. TVT's college counseling department partners with students and parents over four years to guide them toward colleges that best fit them. Programs such as our two-week interdisciplinary and experiential Immersion, plentiful community service options, and a junior-year capstone trip to Poland and Israel encourage each student to develop critical thinking skills and life experiences necessary for top-tier college admissions and, more importantly, meaningful lives and fulfilling futures.





# Harbor Day School

**Harbor Day School**  
*Gradatim ad Summum*  
*“Step-by-step to the top”*

Harbor Day School is a private elementary school (K-8) located on a welcoming six-acre hillside in Corona del Mar, California. Established in 1952 and recognized as the first independent school in Orange County, Harbor Day School provides an academically challenging, well-balanced education in a nurturing and inclusive family-centered environment. Our faculty inspires curiosity and a desire to learn, and cultivates in students the confidence, strong moral character, and perseverance to thrive. We celebrate diversity and traditions, value collaboration and innovation, and cherish our community and lifelong relationships.

Harbor Day School has earned a reputation for educational excellence with a comprehensive curriculum focused on encouraging the individual strengths of each student. Graduates become leaders in some of the finest high school and university programs in the country. Our alumni are a diverse and inclusive community thriving in business, law, medicine, entertainment, sports, and the arts to name a few. For them, Harbor Day is a home of lasting memories and lifelong friendships.

During the 2021-22 school year, Harbor Day School opened a brand-new state-of-the-art school building. The new campus at its current location has nearly 100,000 square feet of educational and office spaces. Flexible areas throughout our main building allow for continued program growth, faculty collaboration, and cross-discipline adaptability. A wing dedicated to STEAM programming offers modernized spaces for science, technology, art, woodshop, and design. And in keeping with tradition, the library, with its cozy fireplace and a wealth of literature, is at the heart of our Harbor Day home.

Harbor Day School is accredited by CAIS (California Association of Independent



Schools), WASC (Western Association of Schools and Colleges), and is a member of NAIS (National Association of Independent Schools).

Join us for our Open House on Saturday, December 3, at 9:00 a.m. RSVP online at <https://www.harborday.org/admission/open-house>.



## Harbor Day School

**COMMUNITY OPEN HOUSE**  
**SATURDAY, DECEMBER 3, 2022**  
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**KINDERGARTEN - GRADE EIGHT**

**LEADING K-12 SCHOOLS DIRECTORY**

**Name of School:** Crean Lutheran High School  
**Head of School:** Jeffrey Beavers  
**Address:** 12500 Sand Canyon Avenue, Irvine, CA 92618  
**Website:** www.creanlutheran.org  
**Grade Levels:** 9 - 12  
**Total Enrollment:** 1,040 students  
**Student to Faculty Ratio:** 20:1  
**Average Class Size:** 20:1  
**Application Deadline:** January 12, 2023

**Grade Levels:** 9-12  
**Total Enrollment:** 1,761  
**Student to Faculty Ratio:** 15:1  
**Average Class Size:** 22  
**Application Deadline:** Early application deadline: Nov. 11, 2022, then rolling admissions as space is available until a waitlist is formed.

**Name of School:** Harbor Day School  
**Head of School:** Angi Evans  
**Address:** 3443 Pacific View Drive, Corona del Mar, CA 92625  
**Website:** www.harborday.org  
**Grade Levels:** K-8  
**Total Enrollment:** 413  
**Student to Faculty Ratio:** 22 to 2 (grades K-5); 16 to 1 (grades 6-8)  
**Average Class Size:** 22 (grades K-5) and 16 (grades 6-8)  
**Application Deadline:** January 11, 2023

**Name of School:** Stratford School  
**Head of School:** P.L. de Avila  
**Address:** 24741 Chrisanta Drive, Mission Viejo, CA 92691  
**Website:** www.stratfordmissionviejo.com  
**Telephone:** (949) 458-1776  
**Grade Levels:** Preschool – Grade 8  
**Total Enrollment:** 530 in Southern California  
**Student to Faculty Ratio:** 1:12 Preschool, 1:15 Kindergarten, 1:22 Elementary/Middle School  
**Average Class Size:** Varies depending on location and grade level  
**Application Deadline:** Open enrollment as long as space is available in the desired grade level.

**Name of School:** Fairmont Schools  
**Head of School:** Carolyn Lucia  
**Address:** 1575 W. Mable Street, Anaheim, CA 92802  
 Campuses in Anaheim Hills, North Tustin, Anaheim, San Juan Capistrano  
**Website:** www.fairmontschools.com  
**Grade Levels:** P-12  
**Total Enrollment:** 2,400  
**Student to Faculty Ratio:** 12:1  
**Average Class Size:** 20  
**Application Deadline:** No deadline, rolling admissions

**Name of School:** St. Margaret's Episcopal School  
**Head of School:** William N. Moseley  
**Address:** 31641 La Novia, San Juan Capistrano, CA 92675  
**Website:** www.smes.org  
**Grade Levels:** Preschool - Grade 12  
**Total Enrollment:** 1,234  
**Application Deadline:** February 1, 2023

**Name of School:** Sage Hill School  
**Head of School:** Patricia Merz  
**Address:** 20402 Newport Coast Drive, Newport Coast, CA 92657  
**Website:** www.sagehillsschool.org  
**Grade Levels:** 9-12  
**Total Enrollment:** 559  
**Student to Faculty Ratio:** 6:1  
**Average Class Size:** 14:1  
**Application Deadline:** January 31, 2023

**Name of School:** St. Mary's School  
**Head of School:** Doug Patterson  
**Address:** 7 Pursuit, Aliso Viejo, CA 92656  
**Website:** www.smaa.org  
**Grade Levels:** Early Education through Grade 8  
**Total Enrollment:** 715  
**Student to Faculty Ratio:** Early Education: 1:6-9; Lower School 1:11; Middle School 1:18  
**Application Deadline:** Friday, Jan. 6, 2023 (2023-2024)

**Name of School:** Santa Margarita Catholic High School  
**Head of School:** Andy Sulick, President  
**Address:** 22062 Antonio Parkway, Rancho Santa Margarita, CA 92688  
**Website:** www.smhs.org

**Name of School:** TVT Community Day School  
**Head of School:** Jill Quigley  
**Address:** 5 Federation Way, Irvine, CA 92603  
**Website:** www.tarbut.com  
**Grade Levels:** TK-12  
**Total Enrollment:** 820  
**Student to Faculty Ratio:** 8:1  
**Average Class Size:** 17  
**Application Deadline:** February 1 (Rolling)



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