

## **Regis High School**

### **Ivy League MIT Stanford placement**

Regis High School: 19 %

Top 30 Private Day Schools: 26 %

Top 50 High Schools: 25 %

### **HYPMS placement**

Regis High School: 9 %

Top 30 Private Day Schools: 12 %

Top 50 High Schools: 12 %

### **Average SAT**

Regis High School: 2,120

Top 30 Private Day Schools: 1,511

Top 50 High Schools: 1,569

### **Endowment per student**

Regis High School: \$ 0.13 million (US)

Top 30 Private Day Schools: \$ 0.06 million (US)

Top 50 High Schools: \$ 0.16 million (US)

### **Endowment**

Regis High School: \$ 70 million (US)

Top 30 Private Day Schools: \$ 44 million (US)

Top 50 High Schools: \$ 110 million (US)

### **AP courses**

Regis High School -- Insufficient Data --

Top 30 Private Day Schools: 11 (courses)

Top 50 High Schools: 12 (courses)

### **Students receiving aid**

Regis High School: 100 %

Top 30 Private Day Schools: 20 %

Top 50 High Schools: 22 %

### **Average class size**

Regis High School: 14 (students)

Top 30 Private Day Schools: 14 (students)

Top 50 High Schools: 14 (students)

### **Advanced degree faculty**

Regis High School: 83 %

Top 30 Private Day Schools: 61 %

Top 50 High Schools: 64 %

### **Day Tuition**

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Top 30 Private Day Schools: \$ 32,284 (USD)

Top 50 High Schools: \$ 32,349 (USD)

## Info

- School type: Day students only
  - Day student only grade:9th to 12th
  - School focus: College Preparatory
  - AP and or IB: AP
  - Number of AP courses offered: 0
  - Average SAT: 2120 (Mean)
  - ESL offered:
  - Academic calendar: Trimesters
  - Summer program:
  - Setting: Urban
  - Founded:1914
  - Total school faculty: 62
  - Advanced degree faculty: 83 %
  - Teacher : Student ratio: 1 : 15
  - Religious affiliation: Roman Catholic (Jesuit)
  - Website: <http://www.regis-nyc.org>
  - Address: 55 East 84th Street New York NY 10028 United States
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## Enrollment

- Day student only grade:9th to 12th
  - Enrollment gender: Boys only
  - Average class size: 14
  - Dress code\*:No
  - Total student enrolled:535
  - International student:
  - \*Dress code, Yes=Formal or Uniform, No=Casual
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## Tuition

- Day student tuition (per year):\$0
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## Admissions

- Admissions deadline: October 20
  - Application fee: \$50.00
  - Acceptance rate: 18 %
  - Interview: On-campus interview required
  - Rolling admissions: No
  - English proficiency required for admission: Yes
  - Type of aid available: Need-based
  - % student receiving aid: 100 %
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## Reviews

### Academic

**[Yale]** Humanities-based. The English department is strong with great teachers. The history and theology departments are also full of great teachers. The math and sciences at Regis are also very strong, but slightly less so. Writing is a focus. Not much room for class selection until senior year. Freshman, sophomore, and junior year students are all on the same track. All classes are discussion-based. Class size is about 13 students per humanities class, and 20-25 for math and science courses. The teachers are accessible and willing to help. Help is also available from several peer tutoring groups. The workload is heavy, especially if the student is commuting. Students can expect to be doing a minimum of 3 hours of work per night, and upwards of 5 hours per night during busy times.

**[Georgetown]** The teachers of Regis High School are experts in their fields. Academics are all strong—art program is probably weakest.

**[Columbia]** The English and History departments are very strong. An English course is required of students for all four years. Theology is also required of students all four years. The Science requirement is demanding. Mathematics department is weak compared to the other departments, but still very good. Mandatory Film, Art and Music History classes. Class size around 15 people, and science classes are a bit bigger (about 30). Exams are fair and well-spaced. The workload is heavy, especially with a commute, but manageable.

**[Colgate University]** Strongest departments are the humanities. English, History, and the Language department. Math and Science is not as strong, relative to Humanities, but when compared to other schools is it still very good. Class sizes vary from 12-15 students for some smaller Humanities classes and 25-30 for larger introduction to Math and Science classes. Faculty are always on call and obligated to spend certain days of the week in their respective departments centers. Advanced math and language courses exist and Regis makes every effort to aid students with difficulties to get out of their academic slump.

### College Counseling

**[Yale]** The college guidance process begins halfway through junior year, where students begin to devote 80 minutes of class time per week to a course taught by the counselors. Students meet with their counselor every two weeks for 25 minutes starting halfway through junior year. The counselors all have experience as actual college admissions officers.

**[Georgetown]** Counselors all have connections with top colleges. An average of eight or nine people is accepted to Harvard each year.

**[Columbia]** College counseling is well organized and efficient. College counseling begins towards the end of junior year and follows through all the way until the end of senior year. The counselors meet frequently with students, and they also have open office hours for any questions. They are easily reached by phone and always quick to respond. Furthermore, the counselors are very knowledgeable, and communicate their expertise very well.

**[Colgate University]** Guidance begins discussing college in junior year and students work with their assigned counselor through senior year. Students are limited to applying to 9 schools. Advisors meet with students in class every week and then twice per trimester on an individual level.

### **Admissions Process**

**[Yale]** Begins with an application and a test. The application features a few short essays, with some choice involved for the student. Regis gives its own admissions test, not a widely standardized one—covers the basics: math, reading comprehension, grammar. After the test, about 250 students advance to an interview stage, from which about 140 are accepted. Applicants have two twenty minute interview, typically one with a younger alumni and one with a faculty member.

**[Georgetown]** Regis High School has its own admissions test. In order to take it, the student must be male and baptized Catholic. About 1000 students sit for the admissions test every fall. The top 250 scoring of those students are called back for an interview. They are interviewed at the school by faculty, staff, alumni, and donors. Students should dress conservatively for the interview, but suits are not necessary. It is important to speak and be honest; no answer is a wrong answer. After the interview, an entire packet of information, including extracurriculars, community service, financial need, grades, standardized testing scores, and principal's recommendations are considered. The school does favor students with financial need. There are not feeder middle schools. Parents should maintain minimal to low involvement in the process.

**[Columbia]** Competitive, but fair. Jacket and tie is normally worn for the interview that consists of two separate interviewers on the same day. It is a one on one conversation. Be prepared to answer questions about your experience in grade school and why you would like to come to Regis. The interview is then graded on a scale of 1-5 (not recommendations, but rather, a scale of how good the interviewer thinks the candidates chances of admission are, 5 being the highest) by each separate interviewer, but they also take notes on the candidate. Parent involvement will not help the student's chances. There is no feeder school.

**[Colgate University]** A little over 1,000 Roman Catholic Students are asked to take the admissions test. Of them, 250-275 are selected for an interview. From that number, 125-130 students are accepted for full scholarship enrollment. This is all required. Prospective students should dress for the interview as they would for any important event. There are no feeder schools. Parents should be involved but never badger the school or its admissions personnel.

### **Extra-Curricular Activities**

**[Yale]** The largest and most impressive extracurricular at Regis is the speech and debate team, which more than one third of students participate in. The athletics department does not have a lot of variety, but is strong.. There are also numerous cultural groups, interest groups, and others that are started by students each year. Typical student spends about 5-10 hours per week devoted to extracurriculars. Regis has a strong focus on community service.

**[Georgetown]** The art-based clubs are very good. The sports are scarce, but good.

**[Columbia]** The Speech and Debate team is renowned. Varsity teams are good. There are several cultural societies that organize dances, meals and outings, along with a bowling club, a pool club, a chess club, a juggling club, and an indoor Flag Football league. Sports are lacking because of location—NYC.

**[Colgate University]** Community service is important at Regis. Students have a certain amount of hours they must fulfill before the end of senior year in order to graduate. Students are entitled to for opt-out of third trimester academic courses senior year to do community service full-time.

### **Quality of School Life**

**[Yale]** Regis is located in a nice building in the Upper East Side of New York, probably the nicest and safest area of the city. The building is up-kept, and the classroom, library, and lab facilities are always state of the art. The food is good. Schedules are set up with free time to get some homework done during the school day. Lots of work, but manageable. Students come from a very wide range of backgrounds, both ethnically and socio-economically. They also commute from all over the five boroughs and the tri state area.

**[Georgetown]** Satisfactory dining service and there is food around the city as well. Located in a safe area. The facilities are great. It is between Park and Madison Avenue and the building is the width of a city block. The building has two gyms and a large auditorium, plus access to the fields and tracks of Central Park. Diversity is not great, but it is improving.

**[Columbia]** Cafeteria food is decent. Students don't wander of campus too often, but it is in the heart of New York City, so there is a lot to do. The student body is diverse, both socially and economically.

**[Colgate University]** The neighborhood is one of the wealthiest in the nation and safe—Park Avenue. Cafeteria food could be better. Resources are plentiful and the school always supported new clubs and activities that students petitioned for. The school is PC-based. Regis is heavily community centric. The student body is very diverse, with most of the students living in the outer boroughs.