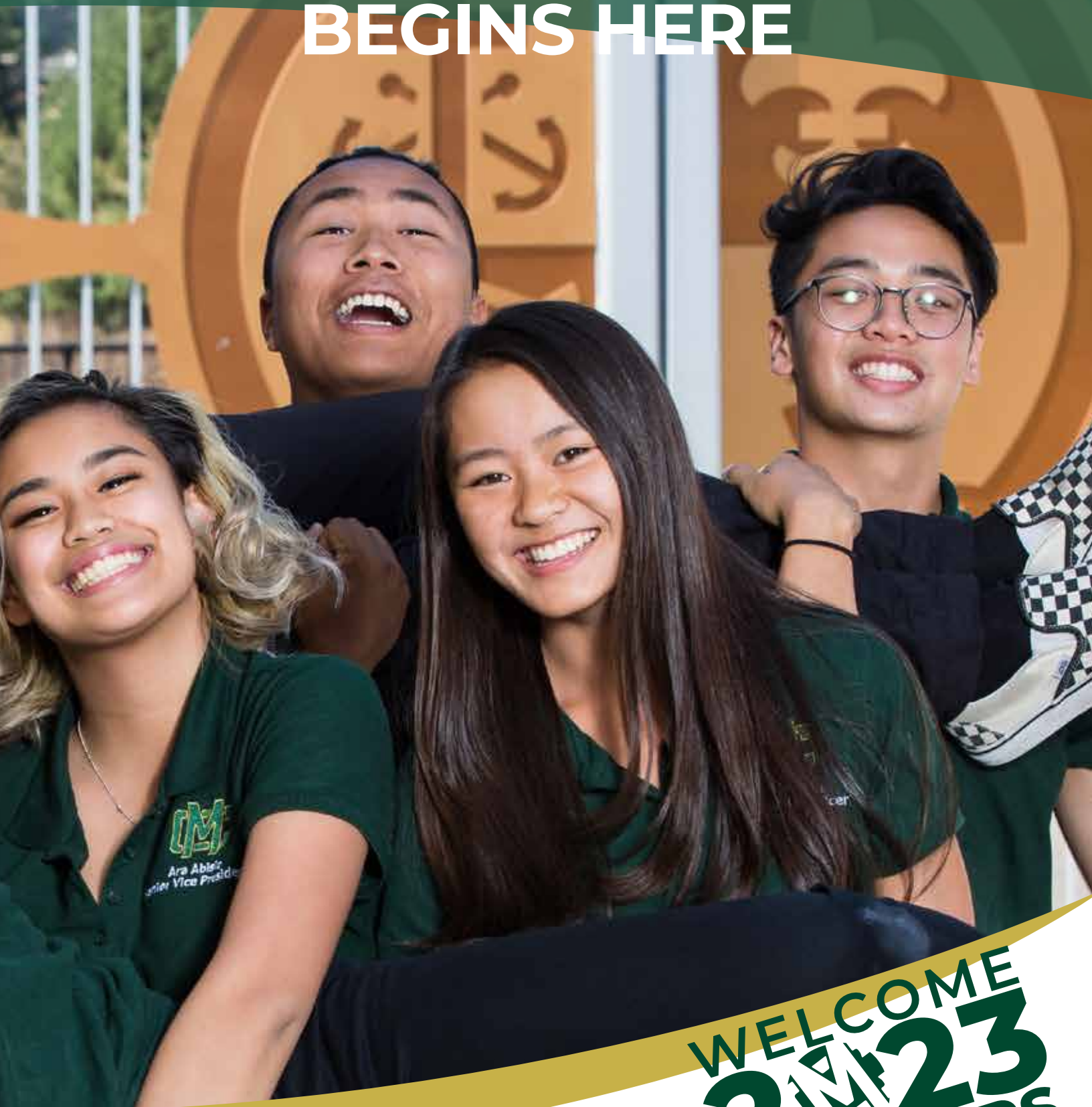


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WELCOME
2023
MARINERS

Congratulations - A Letter From the President



Dear Class of 2023,

Welcome to Moreau Catholic High School! You are about to embark upon an amazing journey of discovery, learning, new friendships and life-changing experiences. As Holy Cross educators, we are committed to developing the whole student through academic, social, and spiritual learning experiences. During the next four years, the faculty, staff, and administration will strive to give you as many opportunities to develop your unique potential, and the best tools and facilities to make your journey at Moreau Catholic an enjoyable one.

I also want to congratulate you on your success and hard work in your academic preparation for high school! Your admission to Moreau Catholic represents the culmination of many years of studying, taking tests, making presentations, being involved in activities and sports, performing many hours of service - and doing your very best at all of it. With the support of your parents, teachers, and friends, you can be proud of your accomplishments and confident that you are well-prepared for the compassionate college-preparatory experience that awaits you here at Moreau Catholic.

I look forward to getting to know each and every student in the Class of 2023. You are joining an amazing community that will prepare you very well for college and for life. As our newest Mariners, you continue a proud tradition that started with the first class of freshmen in 1965.

May God bless you all! I look forward to seeing you on campus very soon.

Warm regards,

Mr. Terry Lee
President

Registration Checklist - Due March 30, 2019

To officially join the Class of 2023, visit the online registration portal:

moreaucatholic.schooladminonline.com/portal

- Contract and Deposit
- FACTS Confirmation (if selecting payment option 3A, 4A, or 5A)
- Financial Aid Eligibility Requirements (if receiving Financial Aid)
- Student/Parent Laptop Use Agreement
- Registration Questionnaire
- Course Registration Form (See pages 6-11 for more information on placement exams and course selection.)
- RSVP for Mariner Camp
- Final 8th Grade Transcripts
- Summer School Acknowledgement (if applicable, it will appear in your checklist)

Important Dates

April 1	4:00 p.m.	World Language Placement Test
April 1		Immunization Records due via Online Checklist
April 2	4:00 p.m.	Honors Algebra 2 Math Placement Test
April 5		Shuttle Registration due
April 9	4:00 p.m.	Geometry Math Placement Test
May 2	6:30 p.m.	Spring Welcome Night (Take your class photo!)
June 30		Final Transcripts and Current Physical due via Online Checklist
June 30		Registration deadline for carpool list
July 31 - August 2		Mariner Camp
August 9	7:30 a.m.	Freshman Orientation
August 12	8:00 a.m.	First Day of School (Green Day)
August 16	6:00 p.m.	Frosh Box Social



Welcome Freshmen

Spring Welcome Night

Celebrate with the Class of 2023!

Date: Thursday, May 2, 2019

Time: 6:30 p.m. - 8:00 p.m.

We invite the Class of 2023 and their parents for this special celebration.

At Spring Welcome Night, students will take their first class photo and enjoy an evening of special activities hosted by our Link Crew Leaders. You won't want to miss this exciting opportunity to meet your classmates for the first time.

Parents will enjoy a special reception and presentation to connect with other Mariner parents and Moreau Catholic administrators.

Mariner Camp 2019

Date: Wednesday, July 31 - Friday, August 2, 2019

Time: 8:00 a.m. - 3:00 p.m.

New Moreau students will learn what it means to be a Mariner in the classroom during this three-day academic orientation program. Laptops will be distributed and configured for student use throughout the three days. Students will also explore a range of skills critical for success in high school, including self-advocacy, organization, and academic integrity.

Freshman Orientation

Date: Friday, August 9, 2019

Time: 7:30 a.m. - 3:00 p.m.

Moreau Catholic High School welcomes the Class of 2023 into our family. During Freshman Orientation, students are sorted into small groups led by 2 Link Crew Leaders acting as big brothers or big sisters for frosh. Students will meet fellow classmates, take their student ID photo, meet our wonderful faculty and staff, have lunch with one another, and have the opportunity to run through their class schedule with their parents.

More Events:

- Frosh Box Social - August 16, 2019
- Opening Rally - August 21, 2019
- Welcome Back Dance - August 24, 2019
- Join-A-Club Fair - September 5, 2019
- Spirit Week - October 21 - 25, 2019
- Homecoming Dance - October 26, 2019

Get Involved

Frosh Government

If you have a passion for leadership, event planning, creating school spirit, or wanting to grow as a person, student government is the place for you!

Student Ambassador

As a Student Ambassador, you will represent the school throughout the school year at events sponsored by the Office of Admissions and on Shadow Visit Days.

Spirit Week Involvement

Join your class council in preparing for Spirit Week by assisting with decorations, skit, dance, promo, Coin Wars, and flag.





SHOW YOUR SPIRIT WITH MARINER WEAR

Class of 2023 Sweatshirt

Buy your official Class of 2023 sweatshirt to show off your school spirit.

Students may pick up their sweatshirts at Spring Welcome Night on Thursday, May 2, 2019.

Last day to purchase is Friday, April 12, 2019.

To purchase your Class of 2023 sweatshirt, visit: www.sportpacks.com/port-company-fleece-pullover-hooded-sweatshirt-black.html

Appearance Code

Moreau Catholic students get to demonstrate their Mariner pride every day as part of our school's Appearance Code. SportPacks is the official vendor for Marinerwear. They will be on campus at Spring Welcome Night, Thursday, May 2, 2019. This is an opportunity to preview and purchase "Appearance Code Approved" clothing.

To purchase online anytime, visit: www.sportpacks.com/MoreauCatholicHS



Placement Exams

Math Placement

The Admissions Committee places students in their freshman math course based on their 8th grade math course, teacher recommendation, and performance on the High School Placement Test. Please consult your Course Registration Form in your online registration checklist to see which course you are recommended to take.

Algebra 1

A sample four-year math sequence: Algebra 1 in 9th, Geometry in 10th, Algebra 2 in 11th, and Analysis and Trigonometry OR Math Modeling in 12th.

*Students may take a placement exam if they wish to challenge the Algebra 1 placement for the opportunity to take the Honors Algebra 2 Freshman course in the 2019-2020 academic year. This placement exam will cover all Algebra 1 core concepts including but not limited to: simplifying expressions, solving equations (including systems of equations and absolute value), inequalities (solving and graphing), linear equations, factoring polynomials, solving quadratic equations (including different methods), and exponents and rational expressions.

*This placement exam will take place on **Tuesday, April 2, 2019 at 4:00 p.m.***

Honors Algebra 2 Freshman

Students who are recommended to take Honors Algebra 2 Freshman are placed in the highest math course available to freshmen.

A sample four-year math sequence: Honors Algebra 2 Freshman in 9th, Honors Geometry in 10th, Honors Pre-Calculus in 11th, and AP Calculus in 12th.

*Summer “jumper” courses are available to accelerate your math curriculum. For more information, meet with your counselor during the school year.

Note to All Students Currently Enrolled in Geometry or Algebra 2

If you took Geometry in the 8th grade, Moreau Catholic may exempt you from this requirement at the high school level once we receive your final 8th grade transcript demonstrating completion

of this course, as well as a passing grade on the Geometry Placement Exam given by the MCHS Math Department. This placement test will cover core Geometric concepts including but not limited to: triangles (including right triangle trigonometry), midpoint and distance, angle relationships, special quadrilaterals, parallel and perpendicular lines, circles (angles, arcs, area, and circumference), and surface area/volume of two-dimensional and three-dimensional figures.

This would allow students to move from Honors Algebra 2 Freshman to Pre-Calculus.

*Note that a passing grade on the Geometry Placement Exam to move to Pre-Calculus is an 83% or higher.

*This placement exam will take place on **Tuesday, April 9, 2019 at 4:00 p.m.***



World Language Placement Exams

Do you have experience with a world language? If so, you may be ready to take an advanced course.

Students who wish to enroll in a World Language (Chinese, French, or Spanish) at a level beyond our introductory language classes must demonstrate proficiency on a World Language Placement Exam.

Spanish Language Placement Test Monday, April 1, 2019 at 4:00 p.m.

This test is designed for students who have taken middle school language classes or for those students who speak Spanish at home.

RSVP for the exam via the Course Registration Form in your online registration checklist.

French Language Placement Test Monday, April 1, 2019 at 4:00 p.m.

This test is designed for students who have taken middle school language classes or for those students who speak French at home.

RSVP for the exam via the Course Registration Form in your online registration checklist.

Chinese Language Placement Interview Contact the Office of Admissions.

Students who have taken middle school language classes, attended weekend Chinese school, or who speak Mandarin at home, and are interested in a higher Chinese class placement should contact the Office of Admissions to schedule a 20 minute interview with our Chinese Teacher, Ms. Henny Chen. Contact the Office of Admissions: admissions@moreaucatholic.org.



A Four-Year Plan

Moreau Catholic counselors are available to help students and their parents with the planning and consideration that is required when preparing for college admissions. Each student's counselor follows their student's progress from freshman through senior year. Counselors will assist students in selecting the college or university that matches their interests, goals and abilities.

Counseling Objectives for Incoming Freshmen

- Introduce counseling services
- Introduce Family Connection: College, Career, and Course Planning
- Clarify Moreau Catholic graduation requirements
- Review college and university requirements, including the University of California and California State Universities
- Develop an academic plan, based on student's interests and goals.
- Promote co-curricular opportunities at Moreau Catholic and how student involvement can enhance a college application
- Consider summer enrichment programs, attend college speaker meetings

Naviance

Moreau Catholic uses Naviance, a web-based college and career planning service designed for students and families to provide useful information for college and career decisions. Naviance is linked with each counselor to allow them to track and analyze data about each student's current coursework, and college and career plans. It provides up-to-date information that is specific to our school.

Counselors

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Visual and Performing Arts

Course Selection

What type of artist are you? Moreau Catholic allows students to discover and develop their talent in an array of courses. Incoming 9th graders will choose an arts course for their freshman year via the Course Registration Form in their online registration portal. All courses are a full year.

For more information about courses that require an audition, contact the Office of Admissions: admissions@moreaucatholic.org



Course Descriptions

864. Chorus

This course provides an opportunity for students to participate in a vocal performance ensemble. Students will learn basic vocal and choral techniques, music history, sight-singing skills and music theory. In addition, students will learn historical, cultural and societal contexts for choral music and composers of choral music.

856. Honors Choir

Audition required for placement

This course provides an opportunity for students to develop advanced and refined vocal and choral techniques. Advanced knowledge and skill in theory and sight singing is expected and further study of music history will be emphasized. The study and performance of advanced literature including music from other cultures will be the focus of this course. Public performance and competition is required.

880. Dance Focus

This course is designed for students with limited or no dance experience. Students will develop their technical skills while building knowledge of dance as a performing art. Dance Focus explores multiple dance styles including Jazz, Hip-Hop and Contemporary.

882. Concert Dance

This course is designed for intermediate dancers who have successfully completed at least one year of training in ballet, jazz, or modern dance within the past three years. During this course, students will further develop technical skills, begin exploring choreography, and learning about dance history.

878. Dance Ensemble

Audition required for placement

This course is designed for the intermediate / advanced dancer who has had three or more years training in ballet, jazz or modern dance. Students will learn and perform intermediate to advanced level repertory and will choreograph original dances within small groups.

863. Instrumental Music

This course provides students with an opportunity to learn a band instrument. Students may choose

to learn the following instruments: trumpet, trombone, tuba, baritone horn, French horn, oboe, bassoon, clarinet, flute, percussion, saxophone, string bass. Performance is required.

867. Jazz Ensemble

This is an advanced jazz course with study in jazz literature and improvisation with emphasis on group participation and public performance. Students can take this class in addition to another Band or Orchestra class. This class meets daily at 7:00 a.m.

875. Symphonic Band

This course is for the more experienced band student with three or more years of experience playing a band instrument. This performance course emphasizes concert literature of a more difficult nature. Emphasis is placed on group participation and public performance.

877. Honors Wind Ensemble

Audition required for placement

This honors course is for the most advanced students. This is an advanced ensemble in which students play a more individual role than in Symphonic Band. Students develop a high level of musicianship and interpret very demanding literature. Practice and performance outside of class are required.

876. String Orchestra

This course is designed for intermediate to advanced string students, with experience on violin, viola, cello or string bass. Practice and performance outside of class are required.

879. Honors String Orchestra

Audition required for placement

Honors String Orchestra is for the most advanced string players. Private lessons are strongly encouraged, as the repertoire is very challenging. Public performance is required.

829. Theatre Arts Perspective

Theatre Arts Perspective is designed for students interested in learning about theatre in a variety of fun and interesting contexts. Students will develop performance skills through characterization, pantomime, and improvisation. Students will create and perform original skits, learn to analyze and

critique live productions, and explore theatre as an art form throughout the ages. Theatre technology is also utilized during the second semester when students will prepare and perform a public showcase of their theatrical work.

822. Visual Arts

In the Visual Arts course, students draw, paint, and construct three-dimensional form as they learn elements and principles of art. They are encouraged to develop a visual language and a personal expression. In addition to constructing art, students study art theory, art history, and art criticism with a focus on the development of a personal aesthetic. Students study art from many cultures and historical periods to acquire a global perspective and an artistic perception.



Parent Engagement and Contribution Opportunities

One of the four pillars of Moreau Catholic is Being Family. Like a family, we provide the love and care our students need by partnering with parents who generously give their time, talent, and treasure. Our students' families contribute to our Moreau Catholic family in a variety of ways. In addition to the list below, please check out our website to see other ways our parents make Moreau Catholic a thriving community for our students.

For information about how to get involved with these groups, contact the Office of Admissions: admissions@moreaucatholic.org

Parent Ambassadors - Parent Ambassadors assist the offices of the President, Admissions, and Advancement in matters promoting positive relationships between Moreau Catholic High School and the greater East Bay community. This includes parish/school communities, public schools, cultural centers, and all other avenues served by Moreau Catholic. Parent Ambassadors play a vital role in the identification and recruitment of prospective students and their families.

Advancement Office - From alumni events to career panels, the Advancement Office needs volunteers to help plan year-round events that reunite our Moreau Catholic family and connect current students with alumni that can help them with college and career choices.

Diversity and Social Justice - Help showcase our rich diversity by working with Campus Ministry, Social Justice Club, Equity Team, Dream Coalition, or assisting on campus with a cultural night.

Faculty and Staff Appreciation Team - This parent team hosts two events per year to celebrate and show gratitude to faculty and staff for all of their hard work.

Academic and Social Clubs - Do you have a skill, passion, or experience in a club in high school and want to pass on this information? Our club moderators are always looking for assistance and expertise.

Booster Board - The Booster Board members are organized and creative parents who enjoy working with others and have a passion for our student-athletes. They assist in coordinating and operating athletics related events and typically meet once a month. Positions include: president, vice president, event coordinator, and snack bar chair.

Crab Feed - This major athletic fundraiser requires parents to help with decorations, desserts, serving, bartending, organizing volunteers and donations, assisting with the auction, set up, and clean up. We welcome those willing to lend a hand as well as those with any creative expertise in these areas.

Athletic Events - Parents are needed to assist with event operations, such as snack bar, gate admissions, announcer at games/events, ticket takers, and statisticians. No experience necessary, we offer training.

Mariner Clear Certification for all Volunteers

Moreau Catholic High School values and needs parent chaperones/volunteers to supervise students during off-campus trips and events for academic and co-curricular programs. All chaperones and volunteers must be "Mariner Cleared." In order to be Mariner Cleared, *all volunteers must complete the Virtus online course prior to being fingerprinted*. Parents can also opt to drive for field trips, which requires additional information at the time of fingerprinting. Please review the steps and details to becoming Mariner Cleared below:

- **Complete the Virtus online course**, administered by the Diocese of Oakland.
 1. Go to www.virtusonline.org
 2. Click "First Time Registrant"
 3. Click "Begin Registration Process"
 4. Select "Oakland, CA (Diocese)"
 5. Create a user ID and password and select "Moreau Catholic High School" as primary location
 6. Select "Protecting God's Children, Online Awareness Session 3.0"



- **Fingerprinting** - Mandatory for all volunteers
 - Valid driver's license or government ID
 - Certificate of completion of Virtus online course
 - *If opting in to drive students for field trips or other events, please bring a copy of your driver's license and proof of insurance.*
- **Fingerprinting will be offered free of charge** at Moreau Catholic on these three days in Garin Gym:

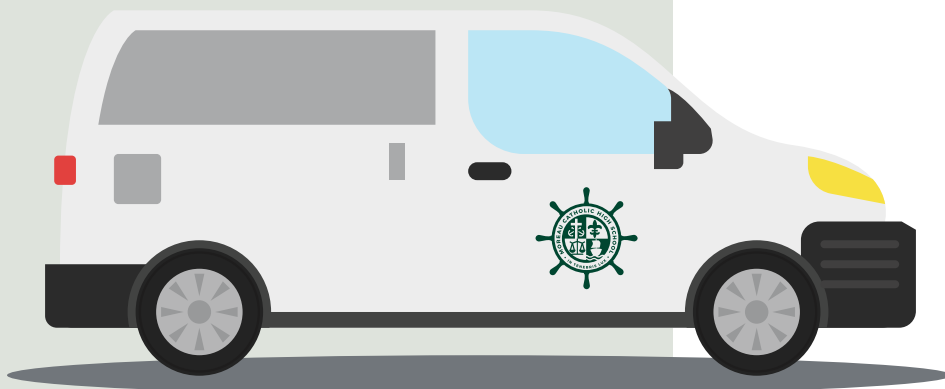
Wednesday, July 31, 2019 (Mariner Camp)	2:30 p.m. - 4:30 p.m.
Thursday, August 1, 2019 (Mariner Camp)	2:30 p.m. - 4:30 p.m.
Friday, August 9, 2019 (Freshman Orientation)	2:30 p.m. - 5:00 p.m.

For questions about getting Mariner Cleared, contact Julie Maroun, Principal's Assistant: jmaroun@moreaucatholic.org

Transportation Carpool Sign-Up

If you are interested in forming a carpool, we will assist you. Please register online by June 30, 2019 at www.moreaucatholic.org/carpool.

A list will be compiled by area and will be shared in July with all who sign up to aid you in forming carpools on your own. If you do not wish that your information be shared, please do not register through this site.



Shuttle Information

Morning shuttle transportation services are available from five different East Bay locations:

- Castro Valley: Castro Valley BART
- Fremont: Mission Blvd. at I-680
- Newark: Newark Blvd. at Jarvis Avenue
- San Leandro: San Leandro BART
- Dublin/Pleasanton: Dublin Blvd. at Regional Street

Cost for the shuttle service is \$360 per student for the full year, and can be paid by cash, check, or online by credit card.

To register for the shuttle, complete the online Shuttle Registration in your Online Checklist by Friday, April 5, 2019.

Shuttle space is limited and will be provided on a first come, first served basis.

Zūm Transportation

Moreau Catholic High School is excited to partner with Zūm for student transportation.



Zūm is the leading provider of door-to-door student transportation, with over 3.5 million safe miles driven, 500,000 students safely transported, and over 2,000 schools trust Zūm daily for all of their transportation needs. Download the app and open an account directly with Zūm for your transportation needs.

2019 Summer Opportunities

Mock Trial Camp 2019

Apply to join us for a week-long introduction to Mock Trial! Students will experience the excitement and demands of the courtroom — thinking on their feet, speaking in front of an audience — and can participate as attorneys, witnesses, a bailiff, or clerk. The week will culminate with an actual trial, put on by students and open for family and friends to attend as jurors and audience members.

NOTE: Applicants will be notified of their acceptance to the program shortly after receipt of the application and provided with information about registration at that time. Payment will be due at the time of registration. There will be a cap at 19 members.

Open to applicants entering grades 7th - 9th

- June 17 - 21, 2019;
8:00 a.m. - 3:00 p.m. - Cost: \$200

Application available at: www.moreaucatholic.org/summer-programs

Please e-mail questions and completed applications to: Phil Wilder, Mock Trial Coach, pwilder@moreaucatholic.org

Athletic Camps

Register for all sports camps online at: moreaucatholic.org/summer-programs

T-shirt included with camp registrations.

Coed Basketball Camp, Coach Frank Knight III

Improve your skills with Coach Frank Knight III, who coached the Mariner Team to the 2019 North Coast Section Championship. As a player at St. Mary's College and as a high school coach for over 17 years, Coach Knight brings a wealth of experience and knowledge to share with campers. Campers will be divided by age and level during the sessions. Campers may attend 1 or 2 sessions.

Open to student-athletes entering grades 2nd - 9th

- Session 1: June 17 - 20, 2019;
9:00 a.m. - 3:00 p.m. - Cost: \$175
- Session 2: June 24 - 28, 2019;
9:00 a.m. - 2:00 p.m. - Cost: \$175

Contact: Frank Knight, fknight@moreaucatholic.org

Girls' Basketball Camp, Coach Jose Alvarez

Using our progressional curriculum and focusing on the whole player, we will teach your child the skills they need on and off the court to be a better athlete. Our staff will focus on respect, teamwork and responsibility as they will start each day with a 'skill of the day' and progress into drills and games making an unforgettable camp experience for your young athlete. After a week of passing, shooting, dribbling and rebounding you will see why this is one of our most popular programs.

Open to girls entering grades 3rd - 8th

- July 29 - August 2, 2019;
5:00 p.m. - 8:00 p.m. - Cost: \$150

Contact: Jose Alvarez, jalvarez@moreaucatholic.org

Non-Contact Football Camp, Coach Rob Gatrell

One of the unique Moreau Catholic Football traditions is attending the 6th - 9th grade Summer Camp. This non-contact camp is a great way to learn basic fundamentals of football in a non-contact environment. The camp is run by Varsity Head Coach Rob Gatrell.

Open to student-athletes entering grades 6th - 9th

- July 15 - July 19, 2019;
5:00 p.m. - 7:00 p.m. - Cost: \$125.00

Contact: Rob Gatrell, rgatrell@moreaucatholic.org

Coed Baseball Camps, Coach Oz Sailors

Our baseball camps are a great way for student-athletes to gain further knowledge and experience from professional coaches both on the field and in the weight room in preparation for skill development in games. The unique camps provide a customized program tailored towards individual needs. The camp begins each day in the weight room or on the football field working on strength training exercises or agility exercises. The latter half of our day will consist of defensive and offensive work on the baseball field.

Open to student-athletes entering grades 2nd - 9th

- Session 1: June 17 - 21, 2019;
9:00 a.m. - 3:00 p.m. - Cost: \$175
- Session 2: June 24 - 28, 2019;
9:00 a.m. - 3:00 p.m. - Cost: \$175

Contact: Oz Sailors, osailors@moreaucatholic.org



Girls' Volleyball Camp, Coach Jerico Abanico and Coach Rachel Sagapolu '04

Run by experienced Varsity Coach Jerico Abanico, this five day camp will teach campers essential fundamentals and game strategy, while having fun learning the game of Volleyball. Current Varsity and JV Players will also be working with the campers.

Open to girls entering grades 6th - 9th

- July 29 - August 2, 2019;
4:00 p.m. - 6:00 p.m. - Cost: \$125

Contact: Jerico Abanico, jabanico@moreaucatholic.org



Coed Soccer Camp, Coach Alec Baillou and Coach Daniel Vasquez

Moreau Catholic Youth Summer Day Camps are designed for players of all levels who want to learn and improve their fundamental soccer skills in a fun and encouraging environment. Players are given the unique opportunity to receive instruction from Moreau's boys and girls coaching staff and players. Each day is filled with a variety of activities to promote correct soccer technique including: small-sided games to encourage personal involvement and enhance the understanding of team concepts; technical and ball mastery skills sessions; shooting drills, and much, much more!

Open to student-athletes entering grades 5th - 9th

- Session 1: June 24 - 28, 2019;
9:00 a.m. - 12:00 p.m. - Cost: \$150
- Session 2: July 8 - 12, 2019;
9:00 a.m. - 12:00 p.m. - Cost: \$150

Contact: Alec Baillou, abaillou@moreaucatholic.org or Daniel Vasquez, CoachDanielVasquez@gmail.com





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