Regina Luminis Academy
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Profile 2023-24

MISSION

Regina Luminis Academy is a private, independent school grades Pre-K through 12, founded, with the help of God's grace, to assist parents in the education and formation of their children by providing a classical liberal arts education in the tradition of the Roman Catholic Church and faithful to the Magisterium. It is the mission of the Academy to promote and nurture the spiritual, intellectual, and physical growth and talents of its students through the time-tested classical liberal arts course of study. Students study and learn in a wholesome and rigorous environment. The Catholic faculty integrates the Magisterial teaching and Tradition of the Catholic Church throughout the curriculum. In partnership with their families, students are taught to be effective Catholic citizens and leaders. They are taught to know, love, and serve God and neighbor, aware of their ultimate purpose in life – eternal happiness with God in Heaven.

SCHOOL AND COMMUNITY

Regina Luminis Academy is an independent classical Catholic academy located in Berwyn, PA at St. Monica's Roman Catholic Church. Our administration, faculty, and staff work in partnership with the families to provide an environment that fosters academic excellence and virtue that is reinforced through the study of classical literature, Latin, public speaking, and logic. Students learn the importance of beauty through the study of art, drama, and music. Our class sizes are small, averaging 15 students per class.

In the classical liberal arts tradition, education only has value to the degree it enables the child to be who he is and be that well. The ultimate end of classical Catholic education is to enable the student to better know, love, and serve God and their fellow man.

ENROLLMENT

166 total students are enrolled for the 2023-2024 school year. A total of 68 are enrolled in our high school program. The student body is largely Roman Catholic and from economically diverse homes. Students commute to Regina Luminis Academy from over 20 school districts. School districts provide transportation to Regina Luminis Academy from within a 10-mile radius of the school.

ADMISSION REQUIREMENTS

Students are admitted to Regina Luminis Academy on the results of a family interview, and commitment from the family to the principles and values of Catholic Education as outlined in our *Memorandum of Understanding* that families sign upon enrollment.

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FACULTY

20 full-time
6 part-time

ADMINISTRATION

Mr. Andrew Youngblood, Head of School
Mr. Bryan Smith, Dean of Faculty and Parents
Mrs. Denise MacMurtrie, Dean of Instruction: Upper School
Mrs. Amy Re, Dean of Instruction: Lower School
Mrs. Angela Klisch, Director of Enrollment and Business Administration
Mr. John Kinuthia, Director of Development

STUDENT SUCCESSES

Regina Academy students consistently score in the 85th to 99th percentile on the *Iowa Test of Basic Skills*, a nationally standardized test of academic achievement.

At Regina Luminis Academy, Latin students in Grades 7 through 12 take the *National Latin Exam* for their levels of competency during the first full week of March. Our students have received distinctions such as *Summa*, *Magna*, and *cum Laude*, and recognition of excellence.

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