



Christian Brothers School

City Park Campus

*Your Sons into Young Men,
Young Men into Christian Gentlemen*



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Dear Prospective CBS Families:

Since 1960, the Brothers of the Christian Schools have been operating an academically accelerated, all-male faculty, middle school for boys on the City Park campus. We offer a unique experience for middle school boys—a place where they can be challenged in all facets of life while growing closer in their relationship with Christ. For the last 65 years, CBS has been providing the young men of this city and region with the very highest quality education set in the beautiful backdrop of City Park.

Our graduates go on to excel in all facets of their high school careers. There are a number of graduates who currently serve on their schools' executive councils, who are class presidents, and who are student body presidents and vice presidents. There are many others who are varsity team captains, club presidents, and drum majors. They are leaders in every aspect—on the field and court, in the classroom, in their parishes, and in their communities. We are proud to be a foundation for their excellence. So, while admittedly, we attract academically capable students to begin with, our program nevertheless challenges them to excel not only beyond their peers but also to reach their own full academic potential.

In part this happens because we are blessed with outstanding teachers. Our faculty is comprised of men from all vocations of life who are committed to helping live out our motto of growing your sons into young Christian gentlemen. Some are life-long educators and some make CBS their home after a journey from someplace else. No matter their eventual path to CBS, all are committed to the mission of Christian Brothers School to provide the highest level of education.

But it is our students that most embody the ideals of our school and our mission. This year's student body is made up of 350 students representing 25 different elementary schools throughout the New Orleans area. They all are of above average academic ability and all participate in a grade-level accelerated program. They do so in an academically accelerated environment—not simply via an accelerated curriculum but via advanced instruction and exceptional expectations as well. For our students, this is not a lateral move academically; instead, it is an intentional focus on content, skills, and characteristics that promote academic success and independence in preparation for an accelerated high school program and life beyond.

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Our program is centered on our grade-level accelerated curriculum, which includes a solid foundation in study skills, organizational and time management skills, note-taking, and technology integration. Built upon that foundation is an advanced course of study including English, science (with a STEM-based component), mathematics, literature, computer, Spanish, and religion. Our students learn to balance the traditional skills of academia with more modern skills involving technology, problem-solving, and interpersonal work.

In addition, we believe that the middle-school boy thrives in an environment that allows for adequate play and outdoor exploration. Our students participate in recess and Physical Education every day. They have dozens of opportunities for physical activity during the school day and outside of school hours, including school athletic teams that stress commitment and excellence and a robust intramural program which promotes participation and interaction with classmates, in addition to daily opportunities to explore in and engage with our beautiful campus.

And most importantly all of this is done in an atmosphere imbued with and inspired by the Gospel values of Jesus Christ. As our founder, the patron saint of teachers, John Baptist de La Salle, said, teachers are called to be brothers to one another and older brothers to the students entrusted to their care. The hallmark of a Lasallian education, particularly at Christian Brothers, is the relationship—relationships between and among students and teachers which are based on a mutual love and respect grounded in those Gospel values.

Christian Brothers School is unapologetically unique. Our environment is intentionally crafted for the specific development of the middle school boy. We guide and support our students to discover their own academic independence and self-reliance. We push them out of their comfort zones to reach their full potential not only as learners but also as people and children of God. Our programs are designed to help them not just succeed but to thrive. Thank you for your interest in Christian Brothers School and we look forward to sharing this special place with you and your family.

Live Jesus in our hearts...forever!

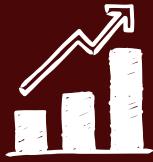
Michael J. Prat, Jr., '92
Principal

In the Dominican and Lasallian Traditions





FOUNDED IN 1960



15

Average points higher on TerraNova



99.9%

Accepted into High School of 1st choice

4+



Acres of greenspace for
daily outdoor activities

10

*Average annual National Merit
Scholarship recipients*

Faculty

Average years
experience in education:

20

35+

Extracurricular Activities
CBS
Falcons



More than **\$300k** given in financial aid each
year

ACTIVITIES

AND CLUBS

Academic

Chess Club
Academic Games
Quiz Bowl
Math Team
Robotics
Academic Rally
Makerspace

Recreational

Learning Landscape
Canoe & Kayak
Croquet
Donuts & Dominoes
Pickleball
Cycling
Fishing

Athletic

Basketball
Baseball
Soccer
Wrestling
Flag Football
Lacrosse
Volleyball
Tackle Football
Tennis
Swimming
Cross Country
Golf
Tchoukball
Track and Field



Arts/Service

Conquest(Service)
Concert Band
Visual Arts
Music Lessons
Ecology
Lasallian Youth
Wyldlife (Spiritual)
Marching Band
Theater
Thrive (Leadership)

Media

Broadcast Club
Podcast Club
Photography
Yearbook

A Christian Brothers Student is...

GROWTH



- ★ *A person whose schoolwork is priority*
- ★ *Someone who understands the difference between right and wrong and acts on that understanding*
- ★ *Someone who learns the importance of failure*
- ★ *A person who is well-mannered, poised, and respectful in all situations, particularly those of adversity*

COMMUNITY



- ★ *A caring and loving person who attempts to help others wherever possible*
- ★ *Someone who embraces his faith and uniqueness as a child of God while respecting the faiths and differences of others*
- ★ *A person who strives to build moral character in himself and others*
- ★ *Someone who does the simple things— listens to others, shares his lunch, carries a friend's bag, brings home a classmate's books, apologizes for a mistake*

LEADERSHIP



- ★ *Someone who strives to be the best he can be and is prepared to meet the rigors and challenges of school and life*
- ★ *Someone who is confident in his problem-solving and leadership abilities*
- ★ *A person who holds his moral and ethical convictions in the highest regard*
- ★ *Someone who understands his responsibility to improve the world around him through civic-mindedness and the promotion of social justice*



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