

Academia Stella Maris

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Academia Stella Maris offers two distinct hybrid programs to better serve our students' academic and faith-based learning needs:

Foundations Program (Monday, Wednesday, Friday)

This part-time program provides students with a well-rounded, faith-centered education, focusing on core academic subjects and spiritual formation. Designed to complement a student's learning journey, this program nurtures both intellectual growth and personal development.

Courses Offered:

- English Language Foundations Focusing on grammar, spelling, and language structure to strengthen communication and literacy.
- Mathematics Building a solid foundation in numeracy, problem-solving, and critical thinking.
- Fondations de la langue française Enhancing French language proficiency through structured grammaire and dictée (dictation exercises).
- <u>Theology</u> Rooted in Catholic teachings, this aspect of the program includes stewardship and service, participation in Mass, and deepening understanding of the Catechism.
- Physical Education Encouraging health, teamwork, and physical well-being through structured activities and sports.

This program is designed to complement homeschooling in a flexible, yet structured academic experience that **integrates Catholic values**, **strong academics**, and **character formation** in a supportive learning environment.



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The Humanities Program (Tuesday, Thursday)

This part-time program offers students a dynamic, faith-centered educational experience that nurtures both academic growth and spiritual formation. Rooted in Catholic values, the program integrates project-based learning (PBLs), hands-on experiences, and meaningful community engagement.

Courses Offered:

- <u>iii</u> <u>Études Sociales</u> Exploring history and geography from a Catholic worldview.
- ** Les Sciences Investigating God's creation through hands-on science and inquiry-based learning.
- French & English Language Studies Enhancing communication skills in both English and French through literature, writing, analysis, and conversation.
- ** Fine Arts Cultivating creativity and expressing faith through all four art strands (Music, Visual Arts, Theatre, Dance).
- <u>Everyday Stewardship</u> Encouraging students to live out their faith through service, responsibility, and care for others.

This program is designed to complement homeschooling, offering students an engaging, faith-filled learning environment that fosters **curiosity**, **leadership**, and a **deep connection to their Catholic identity**.



Academia Stella Maris's full-time program combines the Foundations and Humanities programs to provide a comprehensive educational experience.

Full-Time Program (Monday-Friday)

Our full-time program offers students a comprehensive, faith-centered education, combining rigorous academics with critical thinking, investigation, and exploration. With a strong emphasis on community engagement, the program nurtures both intellectual and personal development, encouraging students to think critically and approach problems creatively. By participating in a diverse range of subjects, including artistic expression, students will be challenged to grow academically while deepening their Catholic faith and sense of service to others. This well-rounded, engaging experience equips students with the skills and knowledge to thrive both in and out of the classroom.

Courses Offered:

English Language Foundations

Études Sociales

Mathematics

Les Sciences

Fondements de la langue française

French & English Language Studies

Theology

Fine Arts

Physical Education

Everyday Stewardship



What Does It Mean to Be an ASM Parent?

At Academia Stella Maris, we believe that parents are the primary educators of their children, and we are honored to partner with families in this sacred mission. Our school provides an innovative, faith-filled bilingual education that allows parents to remain actively involved in their child's formation. Whether your child is enrolled full-time or part-time, parents are called to support their child's learning by reinforcing school content at home, ensuring dedicated homework time, and fostering good study habits.

Choosing ASM means becoming part of a committed, faith-centered community where parents, students, and educators work together in partnership with God. Parents remain responsible for instilling values, teaching right from wrong, and nurturing their child's character. ASM provides the academic structure, specialized curriculum, and opportunities for social and intellectual growth, while parents continue to guide their child's development into a well-rounded, virtuous individual. We are more than a school—we are a community united in the mission of Catholic education.

The Calling of an ASM Parent:



Educational Leadership

Embrace your role as the primary educator and foster a love of learning at home.



Academic Support

Commit to homework and reinforcement by ensuring your child completes assignments and reviews key concepts



Communication

Maintain open communication by engaging with teachers, attending meetings, and addressing concerns promptly.



Community Engagement

Build a strong school community through participation in events, volunteering, and actively supporting ASM's missionn



	Full-Time	Full-Time Program		Foundations Program		Humanities Program	
	ASM-Home	Parents Only	ASM-Home	Parents Only	ASM-Home	Parents Only	
English grammar / spelling	V		/			/	
English literature / writing	/			/	✓		
Mathematics			V				
French grammar/dictée	V		V				
French literature /writing	V			V	/		
Theology / catechism	V		V				
Physical education							
Social studies (geography/ history)							
Sciences	V			V	V		
Arts (Visual/Drama/ Music/Dance)	/			✓	/		
Everyday stewardship			V		V		



The ASM Graduate: Planning your education

Academia Stella Maris is registered as an independent school with the Ontario Ministry of Education (BSID 884149). ASM offers a unique educational experience for students K-12 with the option of an Ontario Ministry of Education inspected program for one's G12 year. As you approach high school, it is important to plan ahead for your graduation goals. The chart below provides a general four-year picture of the courses offered at the high school level. The first four courses 1-4 (English, Math, Science and French) are offered according to the academic grade level of the student. The second four courses 5-8 (Art, PE, Geography, History, etc.) are offered on a four-year rolling schedule for all the high school students and catered to each individual's learning experience through assessments, expectations, homework and projects. Because ASM is a small school, our coursework is limited, but there is some variety allowed through TVO ilc. You can use this chart to plan your studies to ensure you will take the courses you need for your future study and working goals.

Credit	Yr 1	Yr 2	Yr 3	Yr 4
1	Eng 9-12 – SEM 1	Eng 9-12	Eng 9-12	Eng 9-12
2	Math 9-12 - SEM 1	Math 9-12	Math 9-12	Math 9-12
3	French 9-12 - SEM 1	French 9-12	French 9-12	French 9-12
4	Science (Bio/Chem) - SEM 2	Science (Bio/Chem)	Science (Bio/Chem)	Science (Bio/Chem)
5	Religion- SEM 1	Religion	Religion	Religion
6	Can Geography - SEM 2	Art	Can History	PE
7	Business course SEM 2	Civics/careers	Tech course	Coding
8	ISU/Leadership Development SEM 2	ISU/Leadership Development	Elective (Can Cath Lit)	ISU/Leadership Development
9			Cross Cur: Catholic Faith and Culture	

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