



HIGH SCHOOL PROFILE

CLASS OF 2022–2023

Principal: Br. Kassu McFantaye
 Guidance Counselor: Aaron Kebede
 High school unit leader: Behailu Taye

SCHOOL AND COMMUNITY

- Founded in 2010 to serve the educational needs of children living in Addis Ababa and the Oromia Regions. While the school is open to the general public for a moderate fee, the children from the nearby orphanage run by St. Mother Teresa's Community do not have to pay
- We have over 40 teachers teaching highschool with multiple staff assisting in the education. The student to teacher ratio is about 25:1.
- Most students pay a moderate fee to attend school, but low income students receive assistance from the school.
- All students are Ethiopian nationals and ethnically Black.
- The primary language of instruction is English except for language classes.

CURRICULUM AND ACCREDITATION – GRADUATION REQUIREMENTS

- Accredited by the Ministry of Education and Addis Ababa City Education Bureau
- To graduate, students will have to do 4 years of high school with Ministry of Education requirements and pass the university entrance examination.
- After two years, students will either choose to enroll in Natural Sciences based education or Social Sciences based education for the rest of their two years in high school.
- We do not offer IB, AP or IGCSE courses. The courses we offer are based on the curriculum devised by the Ministry of Education.
- Subjects offered include:
 - o Amharic
 - o Biology
 - o Business Studies
 - o Chemistry
 - o Economics
 - o English
 - o Geography
 - o History

- o Information Technology
- o Mathematics
- o Physical Education
- o Technical Drawing
- o Physics

- Some other courses that are not evaluated might be taken by some students. We offered different language courses such as Italian and French for students.

GRADING AND RANKING

- Class rank is calculated for each section based on students' average performance on the subjects out of 100%. All subjects have equal weight.
- GPA is calculated by the school and we provide a table of letter grades on each transcript we offer. St John is known for one of the most rigorous academics and grading scales in the city - we won the award for the best high school education provider in the subcity and are contenders for the citywide competition.
- The school year is divided into quarters. However, evaluations are given each semester.

GRADE	DESCRIPTOR	GRADE POINTS	GRADES(100%)
A+	Excellent	4.0	96-100
A		4.0	91-95
A-		3.7	86-90
B+	Very Good	3.3	81-85
B		3	76-80
B-		2.7	71-75
CC+	Good	2.3	61-70
C-		1.7	55-60
D	Satisfactory	1.0	50-54
F	FAIL	0.0	<50

FURTHER SCHOOLING OF GRADUATES

Students from the Class of 2021 and prior have enrolled in the following colleges, universities, professional schools. Here are some of those schools

<UNITED STATES>

Korea Advanced Institute of Science & Technology
 La Salle University
 Lehigh University
 University of Colorado, Boulder
 Wake Forest University

<ETHIOPIA>

Addis Ababa University

Bahirdar University

Jimma University

Mekelle University

And many other universities in countries like the UK, Poland,
and Kenya.

*Some students will travel, pursue a gap year, work or fulfill
military obligations.*

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