



Maur Hill-Mount Academy

Atchison, Kansas

ABOUT THE SCHOOL

Maur Hill-Mount Academy is a Catholic, co-educational boarding school located in Atchison, Kansas. It provides a well respected education to students from across the United States and internationally. Each year, 98% of graduates continue their education in University. Students will experience a challenging and inspiring atmosphere with a residential program that process a safe and supportive environment. Maur Hill-Mount Academy enrolls approximately 200 students each year.



COMMUNITY PROFILE

Maur Hill-Mount Academy is located in Atchison, Kansas, approximately 35 miles from Kansas City, Missouri. On weekends, the school takes students to Kansas City for sightseeing, shopping, and fun activities like amusement parks or movies. The city of Atchison is safe and also has a university. This part of the country enjoys all 4 seasons.



COMMUNITY FACTS

Population: 10,771

Nearest Major City: Kansas City, MO

Temperature Range: -9°C to 33°C

QUICK FACTS

LOCATION OF SCHOOL

> Atchison, Kansas

TYPE OF SCHOOL

> Co-educational boarding school

GRADES OFFERED

> 9 - 12

RELIGIOUS AFFILIATION

> Catholic

SAT SCORE (AVERAGE)

>

NUMBER OF STUDENTS

> 200

NUMBER OF INTERNATIONAL STUDENTS

> 60

STUDENT:TEACHER RATIO

> 9:1

ARE UNIFORMS REQUIRED?

> Yes

IS ESL OFFERED?

> Yes

GRADUATION POSSIBLE?

> Yes

NEAREST AIRPORT

> Kansas City International Airport (MCI)

EXTRACURRICULAR ACTIVITIES

Sports

Boys:

Baseball
Basketball
Cross Country
Football
Golf
Soccer
Swimming
Tennis

Girls:

Basketball
Cheerleading
Cross Country
Dance Team
Golf
Soccer
Tennis
Volleyball

School Clubs

Choir
Dance Team
Drama Club
Forensics
Journalism
Math Club
National Honor Society
Photography
Science Club

INTERESTING FACTS

- > Founded in 1863
- > Regular, honors, AP, and college credit courses available
- > 100% continued into college, entering 30+ different schools across the US. Nearly 20% scored a 30 or higher on the ACT.

FACILITIES



Maur Hill-Mount Academy maintains a Gymnasium, Athletic Center, Auditorium, Dormitories, Science Wing, Art Studio, Classrooms, Computer Labs, Library, Mobile Laptop Cart, and Sports Fields.



COURSES OFFERED

MATH	SCIENCE	SOCIAL STUDIES	ENGLISH	LANGUAGES	THE ARTS	ELECTIVES
Accounting	Biology I-II	Government	Fluency (ESL)	Spanish I-IV	Art I-IV	College Astronomy
Algebra I-IV	Chemistry	College Government	Reading (ESL)		Band	Health
Pre-Calculus	Physics	Economics	TOEFL Prep (ESL)		Chorus	Physical Conditioning
College Calculus	Earth Science	US/KS History			Music Appreciation	Physical Education
Geometry	Transitional Earth Science	Transitional History				Religion I-IV
Business Math	College Anatomy	College History				
		World Geography				
		World History				

UNIVERSITY ACCEPTANCES

Baylor University
 Benedictine College
 Boston College
 Cornell University
 Creighton University
 Kansas State University
 Marquette University
 Michigan State University

Northwestern University
 Penn State University
 Purdue University
 Syracuse University
 University of California
 University of Colorado
 University of Kansas
 University of Illinois

University of NC
 University of Notre Dame
 University of Pennsylvania
 University of Texas
 University of Wisconsin
 Vanderbilt University

Dress Code

The purpose of the Maur Hill - Mount Academy dress code is to give students a feeling of equality, provide a visible sense of school unity and identity, and contribute to the professional atmosphere that should exist in a Catholic prep school. Talents, faith and hard work radiate.

No alcohol, drug or tobacco related, nor any other inappropriate messages, may appear on any clothing worn on campus (including in the dorms) or at school functions. All clothes should be fitted, in good condition and worn properly. *Administration has the discretion to determine what is appropriate.*

Males

- **SHIRT:** Maur Hill-Mount Academy polo or oxford shirt, purchased from Dennis Uniform, should be neat in appearance (ironed if necessary) and tucked in (not rolled under) so the belt is visible. Those choosing to wear an undershirt under the polo or oxford must select solid, white, design-free t-shirts. Undershirts are to have the same length or shorter of sleeves as the outer shirt worn. There will be some shirts from the Raven Store that students will be within dress code to wear on a daily basis. These items will be clearly marked.
- **SLACKS/SHORTS:** Khaki dress slacks or shorts worn properly around the waist with a plain, dress brown or black leather-like belt. Slacks and shorts are to be free from rips and should not be tattered or torn. Uniform shorts may only be worn during the first and fourth quarters and should extend to the top of the knee. No cargo slacks or shorts are to be worn.
- **SOCKS:** Socks must be worn at all times and are ankle or crew socks only. Socks must be brown, black or white. No distracting designs on socks.
- **SHOES:** Must be clean and if a tie shoe, tied. Tennis or dress shoes with neutral colors are accepted. All shoes must have an enclosed toe and heel. No sandals, house-slippers (or what appears to be a house-slipper), UGG's, etc. Boots may be worn as long as pant legs cover the boot.
- **SWEATERS:** Maur Hill-Mount Academy approved sweaters or fleece jacket may be worn with a uniform shirt underneath. No other sweaters are permitted in the classroom. There will be some sweaters from the Raven Store that students will be within dress code to wear on a daily basis. These items will be clearly marked.
- **JACKETS:** Coats or jackets (hoodies, sweatshirts, etc. are included) may be worn to school and must be removed and placed in lockers during school hours. Coats and jackets may be retrieved to go to Art, P.E. or the cafeteria and then need to be removed for class or while eating.
- **HEADGEAR:** Headgear may not be worn in the classroom buildings or cafeteria.

Females

- **SHIRT:** Maur Hill-Mount Academy polo or oxford shirts, purchased from Dennis Uniform, should be neat in appearance (ironed if necessary) and tucked in (not rolled under) so that the skirt's waistband or

belt is visible. Those choosing to wear tee shirts under the polo or oxford must select solid, white, design-free t-shirts. Undershirts are to have the same length or shorter of sleeves as the outer shirt worn. All undergarments should be white or flesh-colored and unobtrusive. There will be some shirts from the Raven Store that students will be within dress code to wear on a daily basis. These items will be clearly marked.

- **SKIRT:** Maur Hill - Mount Academy skirts must be to the top of the knee all the way around. Skirts must be fully zipped and buttoned (not rolled) so the waistband is visible. Skirts with tears must be replaced. Pants of any type or leggings of any type may not be worn under skirts. Vanity shorts are recommended.
- **SLACKS/SHORTS:** Approved khaki dress slacks or shorts (see list) worn properly around the waist with a plain, dress brown or black leather-like belt. Slacks and shorts are to be free from rips and should not be tattered or torn. Uniform shorts may only be worn during the first and fourth quarters and should extend to the top of the knee. No cargo slacks or shorts are to be worn.
- **SOCKS:** Socks must be worn at all times and are crew or knee-high. Solid navy blue or white socks without distracting designs. Tights may be worn with skirts and must be navy blue or white.
- **SHOES:** Must be clean and if a tie shoe, tied. Tennis or dress shoes with neutral colors are accepted. All shoes must have an enclosed toe and heel. No sandals, house-slippers (or what appears to be a house-slipper), UGG's, etc. Boots may be worn as long as pant legs cover the boot.
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Grooming

- All boys are to be clean-shaven.
- For boys, the hair must be cut off the collar in the back, off the eyebrows, above the middle of the ears and off the cheek when laying flat on the side. Hair must not be so long that it can be pulled down below the eyebrows. Sideburns may not extend onto the cheek or face, and cannot extend beyond the ear lobe.
- Hair on girls must be neat and modestly styled.
- No extreme hair color or styles
- No piercings for boys and no more than two piercings per ear for girls.
- Jewelry cannot be distracting or excessive.
- No tattoos, permanent or temporary, including pencil and ink decoration

Special Days

- **MASS DAY:**
 - *Girls:* Maur Hill - Mount Academy uniform oxford shirt with khaki dress slacks or skirts.
 - *Boys:* Maur Hill - Mount Academy uniform oxford shirt with khaki dress slacks. A school uniform tie or a tie with a background color of black, navy blue, or gold and no other visible color may be worn.
- **DRESS UP:** Same as Mass day with option of a plain white oxford shirt without logo. The boys may wear a navy blue blazer as another option.
- **SPIRIT DAY:** Jeans may be worn with a Maur Hill-Mount Academy (MH-MA) shirt or t-shirt. The shirt is not to be covered by a non-MH-MA shirt or jacket. Jeans may not have holes, frays or tears. Shoe policy followed.