

# Diocese of Wilmington High School Placement Test

Attention: All 8<sup>th</sup> Grade Students and Families

A Catholic high school education in the Diocese of Wilmington is a gift of faith and academic excellence for each student enrolled. In addition to an academic program of highest quality, teaching and learning are infused with the Catholic faith. In the classroom, through extracurricular activities, on the playing field, and through service to others, Catholic high schools develop young men and women who are faith filled, competent, and confident as they prepare for college and careers.

The Diocese of Wilmington will administer the High School Placement Test (HSPT <sup>®</sup>) at our diocesan and parish high schools (Padua Academy, Saint Elizabeth High School, Saint Mark's High School, Saints Peter & Paul High School) the third weekend in November. The HSPT is an important step in the process of successful admission and placement in a Catholic diocesan or parish high school. This test is used for admission, scholarship, and placement decisions.

# **TEST DATES AND LOCATIONS**\*

\*Student **MUST** take the HSPT at his/her **FIRST-CHOICE** school.

Saturday, November 16, 2024 – 8:30 am Padua Academy Saint Elizabeth High School Saint Mark's High School Saints Peter & Paul High School **Sunday, November 17, 2024 – 12:00 noon** Padua Academy Saint Elizabeth High School Saint Mark's High School

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# **REGISTRATION AND PAYMENT**

The HSPT registration process must be completed online. All 8<sup>th</sup> grade students are encouraged to register at <u>https://stsusers.com/stsusers/registration/static/wilmington.php</u>. Registration opens on August 15, 2024.

For families who do not have the ability to register online, please contact your student's first-choice high school.

**The cost of the HSPT is \$65.00** (non-refundable). Payment must be made at the time of registration via credit or debit card. Students will not be considered registered until payment has been received. If you are unable to pay online, please contact your student's first-choice high school.

#### **CONTACT INFORMATION**

If you have a general question regarding the HSPT registration process, please contact the Diocese of Wilmington, Catholic Schools Office, 302-573-3133.

If you have a question regarding a particular high school or regarding your completed registration, please contact the Admissions Office of your first-choice high school.

#### PADUA ACADEMY

905 North Broom Street
Wilmington, DE 19806
(302) 421-3739
www.paduaacademy.org
Principal: Dr. Mary McClory
Director of Admissions: Mrs. Emily Heagy

#### SAINT ELIZABETH SCHOOL

1500 Cedar Street Wilmington, DE 19805 (302) 656-3369 www.steschools.org Principal: Mr. Patrick Jordan Director of Admissions: Ms. Kathryn McNichol

# SAINT MARK'S HIGH SCHOOL

2501 Pike Creek Road Wilmington, DE 19808 (302) 738-3300 www.stmarkshs.net President: Mr. Patrick Tiernan Interim Principal: Dr. Eileen Wilkinson Director of Admissions: Ms. Ann White

# SAINTS PETER AND PAUL HIGH SCHOOL

1212 S. Washington Street Easton, MD 21601 (410) 822-2275 www.ssppeaston.org Principal: Mr. Scott Wilson