

# TRINITY SCHOOL OF TEXAS



## SCHOOL PROFILE 2007-2008

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### SCHOOL HISTORY AND PHILOSOPHY

Trinity School of Texas was founded in 1957 by the Trinity Episcopal Church as a coeducational day school through grade five. In 1984, the school initiated an expansion program which culminated in 1990 with the graduation of its first senior class. The Upper School program is college preparatory and coeducational, serving 70 students, with a total enrollment of 330. Trinity School of Texas is committed to outstanding academic achievement and personal development.

### ACCREDITATION AND MEMBERSHIPS

Trinity School of Texas is accredited by the Southern Association of Colleges and Schools and the Southwestern Association of Episcopal Schools. Memberships are held with the National Association of Episcopal Schools, Southwestern Association of Episcopal Schools, Texas Association of Non-Public Schools, Texas Association of College Admissions Counselors, National Association of College Admissions Counselors and Texas Association of Parochial and Private Schools.

### FACULTY

Trinity School of Texas' professional staff is composed of 30 certified educators, some holding advanced degrees. The average teaching experience of the faculty is 20 years. At the Upper School level, the student: faculty ration is 10:1, with an average class size of thirteen.

### GRADUATION REQUIREMENTS AND COURSE OFFERINGS – CLASS OF 2007

Successful completion of a minimum of 25.5 credits:

	<b>Number of Credits Required</b>
<i>English:</i> English I, II, III, IV; AP English Language & Composition, AP English Literature & Composition	4.0
<i>Mathematics:</i> Algebra I, Geometry, Algebra II, Pre-Calculus, AP Calculus AB, AP Statistics	4.0
<i>Social Science:</i> U.S. History, AP European History, Government/Economics	3.0
<i>Science:</i> Biology I, Chemistry I, AP Chemistry, AP Physics, AP Biology	4.0
<i>Languages:</i> Spanish I, II, III, AP Spanish	2.0
<i>Theology:</i> Comparative Religion	.5
<i>Computer :</i> Technology Applications	.5
<i>Fine Arts:</i> Art I, II, Independent Art, Choir, Photography, Digital Design	2.0
<i>Physical Education:</i> (Health is .5 credit)	2.0
<i>Electives:</i> Yearbook, Journalism, Photography I, II	2.0
<i>Other Courses:</i> College Prep Seminar, SAT Prep, Study Skills/Current Events Senior College Applications Essay Writing	2.0

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**Total 26**

## CLASS RANK

Because Trinity School of Texas has a selective admissions policy, the high overall achievement of the student body, and the consistent and competitive performance of our students, Trinity School of Texas does not rank its students. Rank neither provides a valid measure of performance nor offers a true distinction between members of a highly talented class. We do offer a variety of other data that should assist in the evaluation of performance.

## GRADING SCALE

Category		Numerical Equivalent
Excellent	A	90-100
Outstanding	B	80-89
Needs Improvement	C	70-79
Below Standard	D	Below 70

Grades in courses carrying the titles AP or Honors will be reported the same as other grades. However, in the calculation of the cumulative grade average, the grade is weighted by the following: Honors, 10%; AP, 12%; and Advanced AP, 15%.

## CLASS OF 2006 STATISTICS

### MEAN SAT SCORES

**Critical Reading .....585**

**Mathematics.....550**

## SCHOOL MISSION

Trinity School of Texas prepares the whole person for lifelong success by maximizing academic excellence in a Christian environment.

## COLLEGE PLACEMENT HISTORY

Trinity graduates have attended the following colleges and universities:

Abilene Christian University (TX)	Southwestern University (TX)
Auburn University (AL)	State University of New York at Geneseo (NY)
Austin College (TX)	Stephen F. Austin State University (TX)
Baylor University (TX)	St. Edward's University (TX)
Blinn Community College (TX)	Sweetbriar College (VA)
Boston College (MA)	Texas A&M University (TX)
Boston University (MA)	Texas Christian University (TX)
Centenary College (LA)	Texas State University (TX)
Chicago Art Institute (IL)	Texas Tech University (TX)
Clemson University (SC)	Texas Women's University (TX)
Cooper Union (NY)	Tulane University (LA)
Cornell University (NY)	United States Naval Academy (MD)
Emory University	United States Air Force Academy (CO)
George Washington University (D.C.)	University of Arkansas (AR)
Hollins College (VA)	University of Colorado-Boulder (CO)
Johns Hopkins University (MD)	University of Denver (CO)
LeTourneau University (TX)	University of Mississippi (MS)
Louisiana State University (LA)	University of North Texas (TX)
Marymount Manhattan College (NY)	University of Oklahoma (OK)
Millsaps College (MS)	University of Washington at Seattle (WA)
Rhodes College (TN)	University of the South (TN)
Savannah College of Art and Design (GA)	University of Texas (TX)
Southern Methodist University (TX)	Vanderbilt University (TN)

*Trinity School of Texas does not discriminate in its admission and retention policies. Students of all races, creeds, colors, religions, and ethnic and national backgrounds are encouraged to apply for admission and will be afforded fair and equal consideration for inclusion within the student body. All financial aid, extra-curricular, co-curricular and scholastic policies and programs fall under this non-discriminatory policy.*