CELEBRATING 50 YEARS
“WE ARE NOT HERE TO TEACH BOYS HOW TO MAKE A LIVING BUT HOW TO MAKE A LIFE.”

- Brother Martín Hernández, S.C.
1904 - 1991

MISSION STATEMENT

The mission of Brother Martin High School is to form young people through a holistic education that fosters academic excellence in a caring, disciplined community, which integrates Catholic tradition and the charism of the Brothers of the Sacred Heart to meet the needs of a changing world.

Brothers of the Sacred Heart - In New Orleans Since 1869
Quality Catholic Education for boys 8th - 12th grade

Pictured Right: Ryan Gallagher '00 - Principal
Brother Martin is a private Catholic school offering a college preparatory curriculum for boys in grades 8 through 12.

The school has a lay and religious faculty, which is under the direction of the Brothers of the Sacred Heart, an international religious order founded in 1821 by Father André Coindre in Lyons, France.

In September of 1969, celebrating the 100th year of educational commitment to the youth of the New Orleans area, the Brothers of the Sacred Heart consolidated St. Aloysius (1869-1969) and Cor Jesu (1954-1969) high schools under the title of Brother Martin High School.

In selecting the name, the Brothers honored one of their own. His contributions to the Brothers and to education are inscribed on the plaque in the lobby of the school: Brother Martin Hernandez, S.C., a Brother of the Sacred Heart whose lifetime of dedicated service to the youth of New Orleans is perpetuated by this building.

Our HISTORY

“The faculty and students work together as a community united by the power of the Sacred Heart of Jesus. With an emphasis on Religious Values, Academic Excellence, Personal Attention, and Friendly Discipline, we believe that our students will learn to use their gifts, granted by God, to make our school and our community a better place.”

Ryan Gallagher ’00 - Principal of Brother Martin High School
Integration of Faith and Life
The primary goal of our religious education and campus ministry programs is to enable students to integrate their faith with their daily living. Through classroom and service activities, the students’ experiences are examined in the light of faith, and emphasis is placed on applying religious values in students’ lives.

Spiritual Formation
The religious life of the school and the spiritual development of students are the responsibility of all members of the school community. We consider the leadership of the religion department and the campus ministry staff to be vital in the expression of the religious mission of the school. Campus ministry staff and religion department members serve as role models and resources to other faculty and staff so that the mission of the school can be better accomplished.

Values in the Curriculum
Christian values are inherent in all disciplines. Through the articulation of these values and through efforts to discover the mystery of God’s self-revelation in all branches of learning, the teacher brings a Christian perspective to the classroom. We believe that classroom prayer is a means of making students more conscious of the presence of God in creation, in daily events, in others, and in the learning process.

Campus Ministry Program
We base our campus ministry program on the belief that each person has unique gifts from God to use in building a school faith community which is firmly rooted in Catholic spirituality and tradition. In campus ministry, we aim to complement parents or guardians in their primary role as religious educators, to support the parish as a center of Catholic life, and to extend the religion lessons of the classroom to lived faith experiences. In our campus ministry program, we recognize the many gifts of the Spirit within our students, faculty, and staff, and call forth those gifts for service and ministry to the school community and to the church.
## 31 AP Scholars

In every aspect of the college preparatory curriculum, Brother Martin High School strives to provide educational opportunities to enhance the growth and development of its students.

Each student is encouraged to plan his own academic course selections with assistance from his teachers, guidance counselor, and parents. Students enrolled in all four honors courses during their sophomore year are invited to participate in the Honors Program of Studies, where they are required to continue taking honors or Advanced Placement courses in their junior and senior years. Students who successfully complete the program earn an Honors Diploma at graduation.

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- Branton Chapel
- Campus Ministry
- Intramural Program
- Library
- Visits with Teachers
- College Placement Center
- Guidance Services
- Formation Center
- Resource Centers
- Food Services

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In 2017 - 2018, 89% of Brother Martin students taking the AP course exam scored 3 or higher, which qualifies them for college credit in that content area.

Approximately 85% of the Class of 2018 was eligible for the TOPS Scholarship and 66% of those recipients qualified for the Performance or Honors Award.

The ACT Average for the Class of 2018 (100% tested) is 25.0. (2017 National Average is 21.0, 2017 Louisiana State Average is 19.6).

Honor Graduates and AP Students earned an ACT Average of 31.0.

The Class of 2018 qualified earned $17,672,839.00 in college scholarships.

College acceptances are offered to 99% of our graduates. The remaining 1% enlisted with a branch of the United States Armed Forces.

The Class of 2018 collectively performed over 24,420 hours of service to the community.

Joseph Aguda ’18 - Class of 2018 Valedictorian
Joseph will attend Louisiana State University and major in Biological Engineering. He was recognized by the National Merit Scholarship Corporation as a Finalist and was recognized as a National AP Scholar.

“My experience at Brother Martin not only provided an excellent and stimulating academic environment in which I could truly be myself and grow mentally, but also led me to form friendships that I am confident will last a lifetime. I enjoyed every minute of my time there, and I hope that every student who walks through those halls feels the true spirit of the Brothers of the Sacred Heart. I am blessed to have had such an exceptional experience and I feel incredibly prepared for what my future holds moving forward. I couldn’t be more proud to forever call myself a Crusader.”

Christopher Biehl - 2018 Brother More Shaefer Faculty Award Recipient
Chris is a member of the Math Department and also serves as Head Varsity Basketball Coach.

“What separates Brother Martin from so many other schools is the true sense of family which exists in our hallways. The students genuinely care for each other and for our school. The work which the faculty, staff and administration do to form our young men is truly second to none and is evident in the success of so many of our alumni both historically and recently.”

Joe Caruso ’79 - 2018 Senator Allen J. Ellender Alumnus of the Year
Joe is currently an Executive Vice President and Chief Audit Executive with IBERIABANK Corporation in New Orleans.

“As a member of the Board of Trustees, I get to see firsthand the time and attention our Administration and Trustees dedicate to ensuring that our school continues to provide a challenging, caring and nurturing environment for our students in the Charism of the Brothers of the Sacred Heart. It’s great to see that this charism, which I experienced when I was a student 40 years ago, continues to thrive. I’ve always attributed a large part of who I am today to the foundation, encouragement and support I received from the Brothers and the faculty during my time here. The Brothers of the Sacred Heart and Brother Martin High School have a rich history in our great city and I am certain that this tradition of teaching boys of not only how to make a living, but how to make a life will continue for a long time to come.”
“OUR GRADUATES ARE BECOMING WELL-ROUNDED, FAITH-FILLED, SELF-DISCIPLINED, COMPASSIONATE, & ACADEMICALLY PREPARED MEN WHO RESPOND TO GOD’S LOVE.”

- Educational Mission and Ministry
CRUSADER GRADUATES FOR THE CLASS OF 2018 WERE OFFERED ADMISSIONS TO THE FOLLOWING COLLEGES AND UNIVERSITIES

Auburn University
Auburn University Montgomery
Baton Rouge Community College
Baylor University
Birmingham-Southern College
Bosson College
Centenary College of Louisiana
Champlain College
Clark Atlanta University
College of William and Mary
Colorado Christian University
Colorado School of Mines
Cornell University
Delgado Community College
Dillard University
Duke University
Emory University
Fordham University
Franciscan University of Steubenville
Grambling State University
Hampton University
Harvey Mudd College
Hendrix College
Houston Baptist University
Huntingdon College
Iowa State University
Itasca Community College
Jackson State University
Johns Hopkins University
Johnson & Wales University, North Miami
Johnson & Wales University, Providence
Kenyon College
Lawrence University
Lewis & Clark College
Louisiana Scholar’s College at Northwestern State University
Louisiana State University
Louisiana Tech University
Loyola University New Orleans
Memphis College of Art
Millsaps College
Mississippi College
Mississippi State University
Morehouse College
Nicholls State University
Northeastern University
Northwestern State University of Louisiana
Oklahoma State University
Our Lady of Holy Cross College
Palm Beach Atlantic University
Penn State University
Prairie View A&M University
Rhodes College
Rice University
Saint Louis University
Saint Louis University (Paris College of Engineering, Aviation & Technology)
San Diego State University
Savannah College of Art and Design
Seattle University
Southeastern Louisiana University
Southern Arkansas University—Magnolia
Southern Illinois University, Carbondale
Southern Methodist University
Southern University and A&M College
Spring Hill College
St. Edward’s University
St. John’s College
St. Olaf College
Stony Brook University
Texas A&M University
Texas A&M University, Galveston
Texas Christian University
The Catholic University of America
The Ohio State University
The University of Alabama
The University of Alabama in Huntsville
The University of Oklahoma
The University of Texas, Austin
Trinity University
Tuskegee University
United States Coast Guard Academy
University of Alabama at Birmingham
University of California, Los Angeles
University of California, San Diego
University of California, Santa Barbara
University of Central Florida
University of Dallas
University of Denver
University of Florida
University of Georgia
University of Louisiana at Lafayette
University of Louisiana at Monroe
University of Massachusetts, Amherst
University of Miami
University of Minnesota, Twin Cities
University of Mississippi
University of Montevallo
University of Mount Union
University of New Orleans
University of Notre Dame
University of Pennsylvania
University of Portland
University of South Alabama
University of Southern Mississippi
University of West Florida
University of Wisconsin, La Crosse
University of Wisconsin, Madison
Wartburg College
Washington University in St. Louis
Westminster College
William Carey College
Xavier University of Louisiana
Yale University

*The 2018 graduates will be attending the Colleges and Universities bolded in gold.
Formation Center
The Formation Center is designed to assist students in reaching their full academic potential through tutoring and homework assistance. The center is open daily from 7:15 A.M. to 4:00 P.M. for student use. Faculty members and National Honor Society students are available for tutoring and homework assistance. The primary goal of the Formation Center is to teach personal responsibility and create hope in every one of our students no matter their academic ability.

Guidance Department
The Guidance Department consists of six full-time counselors, one assigned to each grade level, one college placement counselor, and a Student Formation Director. All counselors are available to students, parents and teachers in order to assist in the total development of the young men at Brother Martin. The department offers academic, personal, college, and career guidance services.

The College Placement counselors work with students and parents to research students’ future opportunities, and to make decisions regarding post-secondary education and career choices.

College Placement Center
- The College Placement Center houses an extensive library of print, computer software, and internet tools, as well as information on college admission, financial aid, athletics, career information, and scholarships.
- A College Placement Handbook is prepared for each junior and senior.
- The College Placement Center holds financial aid seminars for junior and senior parents about TOPS and other financial aid programs.
- College and Career Days are organized annually by the College Placement Center.

“We see our schools as successful if students graduate with a strong belief that God loves them. Students develop this belief in proportion to two factors: how much their teachers love them and the extent in which students sense teachers’ love through the interest shown them in the classroom and extracurricular activities.”

- Educational Mission and Ministry
“We believe that high quality extracurricular programs help to develop student’s pride in their school and in themselves. If students feel good about themselves and about their school’s extracurricular activities, there is a better chance that they will feel good about classroom work, discipline, and any other aspects of school that are necessary to develop them into the type of persons God has created them to be.”

-Educational Mission and Ministry
“THE MEN WHO NEVER SAY DIE”

- The Crusader Fight Song

2017 - 2018 Athletic Achievements

CRUSADER ATHLETES RECEIVE SPECIAL RECOGNITION
36 student athletes were recognized to 5A State All-Academic Teams in their sports
44 athletes were recognized as All-District
25 athletes were recognized as All-Region/Region
9 athletes were recognized as All-State
12 athletes will continue their athletic careers at the collegiate level
Admissions is selective and based on the following:

- DESIRE to attend Brother Martin High School
- Cumulative elementary school record
- Recommendations of elementary school principal and teachers
- Results of interview with each applicant and his parent(s)/guardian

Prospective students may request application materials at any time.

Where Are Our FAMILIES FROM?

Brother Martin students come from throughout the metropolitan New Orleans area, from over 55 different zip codes and over 126 different elementary schools.

Transportation

Carpooling is the most popular form of transportation and a zip code listing in the Parents Club student directory enables families to coordinate their efforts in this regard. Busing may also be available to students on the West Bank of Orleans and Jefferson Parishes pending student interest.

Schedule Your School Tour this Fall!

Appointments for such visits are made with the Admissions Office, (504) 283-1561 Ext. 3022, preferably scheduled on a day when the student has a school holiday.

8TH AND 9TH GRADE TIMELINE

NOVEMBER 2018

Thursday, November 8
Open House

Wednesday, November 14
Elementary students are given online access to Archdiocesan Application forms at www.brothermartin.com or visit www.archdiocese-no.org

Friday, November 16
Students return completed Archdiocesan Application forms to their elementary school with their one school of choice

Friday, November 30
All Brother Martin Applications are due to the Admissions Office

MARCH 2019

Saturday, March 23
Crusader Registration Day

Sunday, March 24
Crusader Registration Day

JANUARY 2019

Brother Martin High School 8th and 9th grade Admissions Interviews

FEBRUARY 2019

Thursday, February 21
Decision letters are mailed to all 8th and 9th grade applicants
Financial Assistance
SCHOLARSHIP

Tuition, Scholarships and Financial Aid

Tuition can be paid annually, semi-annually, quarterly, or monthly. Brother Martin continues to offer interest-free tuition payments, which can save the average family almost $1,000 a year in interest fees on school loans.

2018 - 2019 School Year

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Students eligible for Academic Scholarships at Brother Martin are incoming 8th and 9th graders. These are renewable for an additional three or four years depending upon the recipient’s year of entrance. Academic scholarships are merit-based. A student’s elementary academic profile including grades and standardized test scores are taken into consideration when the scholarship committee blindly chooses recipients.

Financial assistance, in the form of Work Study Grants, is available and applies to tuition only (payment of the registration fee is required).

A limited number of Tuition Reductions are awarded to students whose families demonstrate financial need and are granted in conjunction with Work Study Grants. During the 2018 - 2019 school year, Brother Martin families will receive over $675,000 in academic scholarships, work study and tuition reduction grants, and other financial aid.

“Great care is taken to ensure that the school does not become available only to the social, academic, or athletic elite. No student is refused admission solely because of inability to pay the tuition.”

- Educational Mission and Ministry

Pictured at the top of page 23 is the 2018-2019 Academic Scholarship Recipients and pictured at the bottom of page 23 are the members of the Class of 2019 who have scored a 30+ on the ACT.
Phase III
Fidelity Through Change

Phase III Project Description
Capital projects for Phase III include a complete renovation of the Tom and Gayle Benson Mall, including Food Services, the renovation and relocation of both the library and the Formation Center, and the renovation of the Robert M. Conlin Gymnasium entrance and lobby.

Completed
Library, Formation Center, Tom and Gayle Benson Mall

Upcoming
Food Services, Crusader Cafe, Robert M. Conlin Gymnasium entrance and lobby.
All renovations include structural, HVAC, lighting, ceiling, ductwork, sprinkler system, firewall, and flooring improvements.

Brother Martin High School’s completed phases

Thomas F. and Elaine P. Ridgley Fine Arts and Athletic Center
E. A. Farley Field
The Roland H. & Macy Paton Meyer Science and Mathematics Building

Phase I
Phase I
Phase II
Technology in the Classroom

The Brother Martin Library provides students opportunities for critical thinking, creation of knowledge, and a deeper understanding of complex issues. This is achieved when our students:

• Connect to high quality resources
• Engage in meaningful assignments
• Discover the pleasure of reading for personal interests
• Experience the process of accessing, evaluating, and using information

Students may check out any book, reference work, DVD, or magazine from the library. The Brother Martin Library Resources web page links to our public access catalog, e-books, student tutorials, subject guides, and multitude of subscription databases providing quality content to help students with their research needs.

The entire student body, faculty, and staff also participate in our annual “Great Read” community reading initiative as well as a summer reading program. The Library’s Schoology blog, student-generated reviews, and the Bibliomaniacs Club allow students to share books they have enjoyed.

Students are required to bring a personal device from a pre-approved list that is capable of connecting to the school’s secured wireless network for accessing and researching online material, completing assignments and assessments, and submitting work electronically.

Users of technology at Brother Martin will create and collaborate from anywhere utilizing...

- **Google Apps** to edit, store, and organize work in the cloud
- **Schoology** to view, discuss, and submit work, as well as interact with faculty and fellow students
- **Netclassroom** to check a student’s grades
- **Mymathlab** to receive instant feedback as you work towards mastering your math skills
- **Turn it in** to allow for peer editing and to check for originality
- **Smartmusic** to practice and master musical skills
- **Naviance** to research college options and track college applications
- **Aleks** to practice math skills in a highly-individualized learning path

**BROTHER MARTIN STUDENT DEVICE TYPES**

- **50%** Apple Laptop
- **35%** Windows Laptop
- **15%** Chromebook