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The Sacred Heart School of Montreal is an **English- language, independent, Catholic high school for girls dating back over 160 years**. We strive to develop the heart, mind and spirit of the individual student in a supportive and caring environment. Our school, like all the other Sacred Heart schools around the world, is committed to the legacy left to us by St. Madeleine Sophie Barat, Foundress of the Society of the Sacred Heart. All elements of a Sacred Heart education converge to give personal worth to each child, strength of character, strength of principals and anchorage in faith. Sacred Heart is also part of a global network of outstanding schools, spanning five continents and more than 40 countries.

We continue to be guided through our *five* goals:

Schools of the Sacred Heart commit themselves to educate to:

- 🕊 **A personal and active faith in God**
- 🕊 **A deep respect for intellectual values**
- 🕊 **A social awareness social which impels to action**
- 🕊 **The building of community as a Christian value**
- 🕊 **Personal growth in an atmosphere of wise freedom**

Our school has approximately 230 students enrolled in Grades 7 - 12 (Secondary I - V & Pre- U). Our student body is diverse and 100% of our students continue their education at a post-secondary institution. 25% of our students receive financial assistance. ***Our student-to- teacher ratio is 6:1.***

We accept mission appropriate students who are interested in developing their mind, body, and spirit. Our application process includes a full review of student report cards from their previous school as well as family and student interviews.

Grade Structure:

Secondary V (Grade 11) is the final year of secondary school in Quebec. Upon graduation, students may enter into a 2-year program at a CEGEP (Collège d'enseignement général et professionnel) and then enter a 3 year undergraduate university program in Quebec or Canada.

The Grade 12 pre-university program at The Sacred Heart School of Montreal corresponds to the final year of secondary school in North America (outside of Quebec). Students in our program are interested in pursuing a four-year undergraduate program in Canada, the United States, or abroad.

Course offerings: Grade 11

English*	Physics
Math*	AP History
Physical Education & Health*	Effective Writing
Ethics and Religious Culture*	Introduction to Psychology
Contemporary World & Finance*	Chemistry
Art Education*	
French*	

**Compulsory*

Grade 12

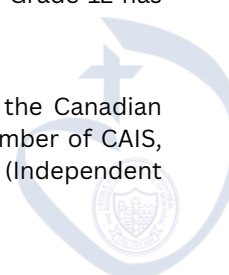
English - <i>All Programs</i>	Chemistry - <i>Sciences</i>
Ontario Literacy Course - <i>All Programs</i>	Biology - <i>Sciences</i>
Business Leadership - <i>All Programs</i>	Calculus and Vectors - <i>Sciences and Commerce</i>
Economics - <i>Commerce</i>	Physics - <i>Sciences</i>
Advanced Functions - <i>Sciences & Commerce</i>	International Business - <i>Commerce</i>
World Issues - <i>Social Sciences</i>	Challenge and Change in Society - <i>Social Sciences</i>
Human Development - <i>Social Sciences</i>	Canadian and International Law & More

Curriculum:

For students in Grades 7-11, the year is divided into three terms with all courses being taught throughout the entire academic year. A typical course load consists of 10 courses. Each course meets 3-4 times per week, while core subjects (English, French, Math) meet almost daily. We provide a strong college preparatory education that goes beyond the requirements of the Quebec Ministry of Education guidelines. After Grade 11, our students have the choice to attend the Quebec colleges for 2 year or to attend the Sacred Heart Grade 12 Program for one year and then attend University directly. The Grade 12 has three programs: Social Science, Commerce, and Science.

Accreditation:

The Quebec Ministry of Education (Ministère de l'Éducation et de l'enseignement supérieur or MEES) and the Canadian Accredited Independent Schools (CAIS) accredited the school. The Sacred Heart School of Montreal is a member of CAIS, QAIS (the Quebec Association of Independent Schools), NCGS (the National Coalition of Girls Schools), ISM (Independent School Management) and The Sacred Heart Network.





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The Sacred Heart Grade 12 (OSSD) 1-year program provides female students a unique opportunity to obtain an Ontario Secondary School Diploma (OSSD) in the heart of downtown Montreal. Our school partners with OVS (Ontario Virtual School- Accredited by the Ontario Ministry of Education), to provide a rich online curriculum in conjunction with scheduled physical classes taught by qualified and certified subject teachers. Students will immerse themselves in an online learning program while being supported by classroom teachers who are designing instruction, learning activities, and providing quality feedback on all of their work.

Grade 12 students have 2 semesters and take 3 courses in the first semester and 4 courses in the second semester. All courses are rigorous and prepare students for university. Student academic counselling is a key feature of our program as students will have unlimited access to coaching, mentoring, subject support, and university and career planning. **Unique to our program is the additional requirement of an integrated field experience program which requires students to work in a field of interest in order to obtain real life skills, work experience, and career exploration opportunities.** In addition to regular classes, field experience, online learning, and advising, students are expected to complete a minimum of 10 hours of community service throughout the year as well as participate in a health and wellness program. In line with the Sacred Heart mission and goals, the Grade 12 program aims to foster leadership, personal responsibility, professional life skills, and a growing passion for learning.

Should you require additional information about our school and program of studies, please feel free to visit our website at www.sacredheart.qc.ca

Pre-University Grade Conversion Scale

Letter Grade Scale	Numerical Scale of Marks
A	90 - 100%
B	80 - 89%
C	70 - 79%
D	60 - 69%
F	0 - 59%

The Sacred Heart School of Montreal and OVS (Ontario Virtual School) do not issue letter grades.

Academic Honours

Distinction = above 90%

High Honours = above 85%

Honours = above 80%

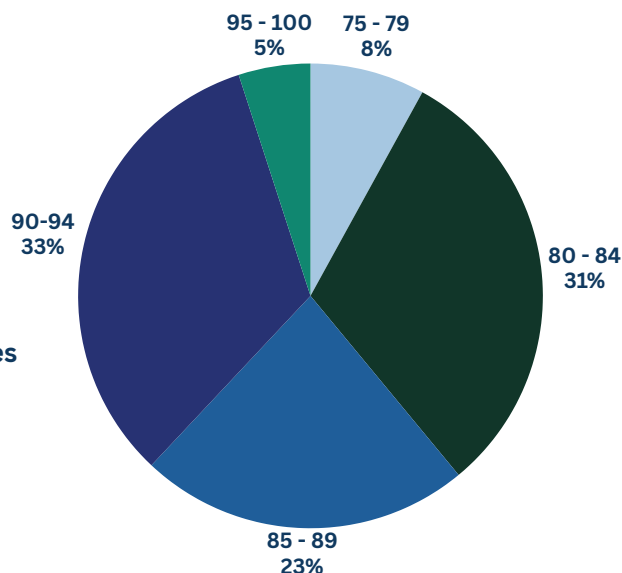
Sacred Heart Secondary V (Grade 11)

Class of 2023 post-graduation destinations

(39 students)

- **Cegep: 27**
- **Sacred Heart Grade 12: 7**
- **Grade 12 elsewhere: 5**
- **Overseas: 0**
- **Other: 0**

Secondary V (Gr. 11) Class of 2023 final averages



University Acceptances for Pre-University Program Graduates

Bishop University	University of Toronto	Penn State University
Concordia University	McMaster University	Dickinson College
King's University	University of Ottawa	Denison University
Laurentian University	York University	Illinois Wesleyan University
Mount Allison	Ohio State University	Texas University

