



## BISHOP ALEMANY HIGH SCHOOL

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*As a Catholic high school, Bishop Alemany is a community enriched by faith that develops intellectually prepared men and women who are committed to promoting a just and peaceful world as conscientious and morally courageous leaders in service to others.*

## 2010-2011 PROFILE

### ADMINISTRATION

**Mr. Frank Ferry**  
**Mrs. Jan Galla**  
**Mr. Randy Thompson**  
**Dr. Juliet Fine**

*Principal*  
*Vice-Principal*  
*Assistant Principal/Student Life*  
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### COUNSELING DEPARTMENT

**Anne Kavanagh, C.H.F.**  
*Director of Admissions*

**Mrs. Juanita Chauvin**  
*Coordinator of Academic Support Services*

**Mrs. Maria Parker**  
*Department Chair*

**Ms. Candy Navarro**  
*College Counselor*

**Ms. Karen Choi**  
**Mr. Patrick Coyne**  
**Ms. Sara Domian**

**Mrs. Alisha Kaminsky**  
**Ms. Yoojin Kim**  
**Mrs. Maria White**

### School Information

Established in 1956, Bishop Alemany is a four-year, co-educational high school of the Roman Catholic Archdiocese of Los Angeles. Current enrollment is approximately 1,661 students. The faculty of 98 is comprised of 94 lay members and 4 religious. Average class size is 25.2, with a student teacher ratio of 20:1. The graduating class of 2010 had 97% of its members go on to post-secondary education.

### Accreditation and Membership

Bishop Alemany High School has been awarded the maximum six-year accreditation (through June 30, 2011) by the Western Association of Schools and Colleges. It also maintains memberships in the following organizations: National Catholic Education Association, Western Catholic Education Association, The College Board, National Association for College Admission Counseling, and the Western Association for College Admission Counseling.

### School Community

Bishop Alemany High School is located in the northwest San Fernando Valley, adjacent to the San Fernando Rey de España Mission. It serves both Catholic and non-Catholic families from diverse socioeconomic backgrounds.

### Student Census Data (October 2010)

Male: 860 Female: 801

6.5% African American  
0.4% American Indian  
26.6% Anglo  
4.5% Asian/Pacific Islander  
15.2% Filipino  
43.3% Hispanic  
3.5% Other/Not Specified

Approximately 70% of students are Roman Catholic

### Admission Policy

Bishop Alemany High School admits students of all race, color, and national and/or ethnic origin. Applicants are accepted on the basis of their performance on the entrance exam (for incoming 9<sup>th</sup> and 10<sup>th</sup> graders only), their previous school records and recommendations.

### Curriculum and Graduation

The strong comprehensive curriculum enables Bishop Alemany to welcome students whose academic abilities differ greatly. It provides courses on all levels, from high school and college-preparatory through honors, accelerated, and Advanced Placement. For the class of 2010, the requirements for graduation were:

Religion	8 semesters
English	8 semesters
Social Studies	6 semesters
Mathematics	6 semesters
Foreign Language	4 semesters
Physical Education	2 semesters
Science	4 semesters
Computer Science	1 semester
Fine Arts	2 semesters
Electives	6 semesters
Health	1 semester

### Grading System

The following percentage scale is used to determine the semester grade for a course:

A = 90-100 C = 70-79 F = Below 60  
B = 80-89 D = 60-69

Generally, a student GPA is computed using the following (an extra point may be added for Advanced Placement and some Honors courses):

A = 4 B = 3 C = 2 D = 1 F = 0

Not included in GPA are PE, Health, and TA. All students in their grade level are considered in computing class rank.

### Advanced Placement and Honors

The following are AP/Honors courses offered at Bishop Alemany High School:

AP World History	Honors English 9
AP U.S. History	Honors American Lit.10
AP U.S. Government	Honors English Lit. 11
AP Economics	Honors Algebra I
AP English	Honors Geometry
AP Spanish Language	Honors Algebra II
AP Spanish Literature	Honors Trig/Math Analysis
AP Biology	Honors Chemistry
AP Chemistry	
AP Physics	
AP Calculus AB	
AP Calculus BC	

## Advanced Placement Testing/Scholars

Bishop Alemany High School offers 12 Advanced Placement courses.

Score of 3 or higher:

Calculus AB 43%	Calculus BC 50%	Chemistry 64%
English Language 62%	English Literature 30%	World History 59%
Government 35%	Macroeconomics 45%	Physics 47%
Spanish Language 85%	Biology 24%	U.S. History 55%

Number of students who took an exam: 235

AP Scholars:	14
AP Scholars with Honor:	6
AP Scholars with Distinction:	6
<b>Total</b>	<b>26 AP Scholars</b>

## Class of 2010 Profile

The following figures reflect information obtained about the graduating members of the Class of 2009 concerning their post-secondary plans:

<u>Class size</u>	<u>352</u>
Four-year Colleges	61%
Two-year Colleges	35%
Vocational Institutions	1%
Armed Forces	1%
Work full-time	1%
Plans undetermined	1%

## College Entrance Examinations

### SAT Reasoning (2009-2010)

Total # of Test-Takers: 232

Mean Score	Critical Reading	Math	Writing
<b>Bishop Alemany</b>	475	473	475
<b>State</b>	501	516	500
<b>Nation</b>	501	516	492

### SAT Subject (2009 – 2010)

Total # of Test-Takers: 100

<b>English Literature</b>	489	<b>Biology</b>	515
<b>U.S. History</b>	492	<b>Chemistry</b>	609
<b>Math Level 1C</b>	473	<b>Spanish</b>	686
<b>Math Level IIC</b>	578	<b>Korean with Listening</b>	779

### ACT (2009 – 2010)

Total # of Test-Takers: 90

Mean Score	Bishop Alemany	State
<b>English</b>	21.2	21.7
<b>Mathematics</b>	21.1	22.9
<b>Reading</b>	21.2	22.3
<b>Science</b>	20.0	21.5
<b>Composite</b>	21.0	22.2

## Universities and Colleges

About 97% of Bishop Alemany students are enrolled in higher education institutions. The following is a list of some of the universities and colleges where Alemany students were granted admission for the fall of 2010:

### University of California

- Berkeley
- Davis
- Irvine
- Los Angeles
- Merced
- Riverside
- San Diego
- Santa Barbara
- Santa Cruz

### California State University

- Bakersfield
- Channel Islands
- Chico
- Dominguez Hills
- Fresno
- Fullerton
- Humboldt
- Long Beach
- Los Angeles
- Maritime
- Monterey Bay
- Northridge
- Pomona
- San Diego
- San Francisco
- San Jose
- San Luis Obispo
- San Marcos
- Sonoma

### California Private and Independent Colleges

- Art Center College of Design
- Cal Lutheran University
- Chapman University

- Biola University
- Fashion Institute of Design & Merchandising
- Loyola Marymount University
- Mount St. Mary's College
- Nazareth College
- Notre Dame de Namur
- Occidental College
- Otis College
- Pepperdine University
- Pomona College
- Santa Clara University
- Soka Univ. of America
- St. Mary's College of CA
- University of Redlands
- University of San Diego
- University of San Francisco
- Univ. of Southern California
- University of the Pacific
- Vanguard University
- Whittier College
- Woodbury University

### Colleges and Universities outside of California

- Allegheny College
- Amherst College
- Arizona State University
- Boise State University
- Case Western Reserve University
- Chaminade University
- Creighton University
- Cornell University
- Dartmouth College
- Drexel University

- Emory University
- Friends University
- Georgia Institute of Technology
- Gonzaga University
- Indiana University
- Johnson & Wales University
- Michigan State University
- Middle Tennessee University
- Missouri Valley College
- New York University
- Northern Arizona University
- Penn State Univ., Erie
- Purdue University
- Rhodes College
- Richmond University
- Rose-Hulman Institute of Technology
- St. John's University
- Texas Christian
- University of Arizona
- University of Minnesota
- University of Montana
- University of New Mexico
- Vassar College
- William Jewell College

### Community Colleges

- College of the Canyons
- Glendale College
- Los Angeles Valley College
- Marymount College
- Mission College
- Moorpark College
- Pasadena City College
- Pierce College
- Santa Barbara City College
- Santa Monica College