

The Academy
of the
Visitation



ACADEMY
OF THE
VISITATION

1921-1932

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THE ACADEMY OF THE VISITATION
5448 Cabanne Ave., St. Louis 12, Mo.

Expenses

Bills are payable in advance, by the semester (or semi-annually), on September 1 and January 1. All checks must be made payable in Saint Louis.

The following prices are for each semester:

Tuition for high school day pupils.....	\$ 125.00
In the highschool the books are bought on a cash basis only.	
Board and tuition, including plain laundry, for high school pupils.....	500.00
Tuition for kindergarten and grade school day pupils.....	100.00
Board and tuition, including plain laundry, for grade school pupils.....	400.00
The tuition for the grade school includes rental of school books.	
(Residence privileges for grade school pupils are limited to the upper grades)	

Other Expenses

Entrance fee	\$ 5.00
Graduation fee	20.00
Deposit for resident students, payable June 1.....	25.00

This deposit will be credited on the bill payable in September. The whole deposit will be returned to anyone who gives written notice of withdrawal before July 15. No refund will be made for a later cancellation.

Music (two 25 minute lessons a week)

Piano, for each semester.....	\$ 50.00
Use of piano for practice for the semester.....	5.00
Extra examinations	\$ 3.00

Board during the holiday seasons \$20.00 a week.

No pupil will be allowed to enter a new session until all expenses of the previous one are paid.

Credits will not be sent to other schools nor will any pupil receive a diploma, class credits, or honors of any kind until all bills are paid

Damage to property or breakage in any department will be charged to the parents.

When parents or guardians place a child in the Academy, they must assume the responsibility for the above expenses. No refund will be made for absence or withdrawal.

UNIFORM REQUIREMENTS

Grades seven to twelve

Navy jumper	Each	\$13.95
Broadcloth blouses	Each	2.50
or		
Dacron blouses	Each	3.98
One long sleeved blouse required—Broadcloth	Each	2.98
or		
Dacron	Each	4.50
Navy blazer	Each	14.95
White uniform	11.98
Gym tunic	Each	9.98

Grades three to six

Navy jumper	Each	10.95
Broadcloth blouses	Each	2.50
or		
Dacron blouses	Each	3.98
White uniform	Each	8.98

Kindergarten to grade two

Regulation blue dress.....	Each	8.98
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Uniform orders should be placed before the middle of July.

The uniforms are custom made by Linda Rose, Inc., Chestnut 1-0206. All measuring and fitting is done at the Academy. Parents are informed in advance of the dates when students will be measured for uniforms.

Every child must have a blue cardigan and white socks.

All pupils are required to wear uniform shoes—brown leather brogues with SOFT RUBBER HEELS. Brown and white saddle oxfords may be worn in the fall and after Easter if they are kept neat. The kindergarten and first grade pupils wear brown oxfords without flaps or buckles.

Jumpers, blouses, sweaters, shoes, socks, blazers, and gymnasium suits must conform exactly to the school regulations and must be marked with the pupil's full name.

All are expected to be in uniform the first week of school.

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TUITION

Bills are payable in advance, by the semester (or semi-annually), on September 1 and January 1. All checks must be made payable in Saint Louis.

Rates for the semester

Day Students

High School	\$175.00
Grade school and kindergarten.....	125.00

Resident Students

Tuition and board, including plain laundry, for high school.....	\$500.00
Tuition and board, including plain laundry, for grade school.....	450.00
(residence privileges for grade school pupils are limited to the upper grades)	
Residence during holidays—per week.....	20.00
Deposit for resident students, payable June 1.....	25.00

This deposit will be credited on the bill payable in September. The whole deposit will be returned to anyone who gives written notice of withdrawal before July 15. No refund will be made for a later cancellation.

OPTIONAL EXPENSES

Rates for the semester

Luncheon (kindergarten to grade six).....	\$35.00
Transportation (station wagon).....	75.00
Music lessons	75.00
Speech: Private	50.00
Semi-private	35.00
Extra examinations	3.00

FEES

Entrance	10.00
Graduation	20.00

REGULATIONS

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Borrowing and lending money, clothing, or any other article is not permitted.



THE ACADEMY

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CABANNE AVENUE
SAINT LOUIS

Affiliated with

*The ST. LOUIS UNIVERSITY
WASHINGTON UNIVERSITY of ST. LOUIS
The MISSOURI STATE UNIVERSITY*

EIGHTY-NINTH
ANNUAL ANNOUNCEMENT
1921-1922



VIVAT JESUS

CALENDAR

1922

September 12. Registration.
Mass of the Holy Ghost.
October 17. Feast of Saint Margaret Mary.
November 1. Feast of All Saints.
" 30. Thanksgiving Day.
December 8. Feast of the Immaculate Conception.
Reception of Members into the Sodality.
" 22. Christmas Vacation begins. 3:00 P. M.

1923

January 8. Classes are Resumed.
" 29. Feast of St. Francis de Sales, Founder of
the Order of the Visitation.
February 1. Second Term Begins.
" 22. Washington's Birthday.
Retreat for the Students.
March 29. Easter Vacation Begins.
April 4. Classes are Resumed.
" 7. Alumnae Day.
May 3. Foundation Day.
" 10. Feast of the Ascension of our Lord.
June 12. Commencement Day.
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The Academy of the Visitation

THE Academy of the Visitation—an accredited school for girls—is conducted by the Sisters of the Order of the Visitation, which was founded at Annecy, Haute Savoie, in the year 1610, by St. Francis, Count de Sales, and St. Jane Frances, Baroness de Chantal. This Academy was founded in the year 1833 from Georgetown, D. C., where the Order was introduced in the year 1799 and the first Visitation Convent in this country established.

LOCATION

Situated on a beautiful elevated site in the western part of St. Louis, the Academy has an extensive range of buildings, with ample halls and rooms that have approved sanitary equipment, and all the necessary appointments for school purposes. The spacious grounds, with their shady walks and courts, have in abundance everything conducive to a love for outdoor sports.

The Academy is accessible in about thirty-five minutes from the business portion of the city, by means of the Delmar Avenue electric cars, which run near the convent on the south, and the Hodiamond on the north.

GOVERNMENT

The government of the Academy is eminently maternal. Every effort is made to compensate children for separation from home and friends; and they are subjected to such discipline, only, as is essential to good order and the formation of habits of self-control, which constitute the foundation of happiness in after life.

The object of the Academy is to provide for the students a thorough, systematic, Christian education, to train not only

the minds of its pupils, but also their hearts, that they may go forth, "Great, strong, valiant women, to stand for virtue, to stand for God." No one who evinces a spirit of insubordination too strong to be overcome by the mild but firm discipline of the Institution will be kept after the fact becomes known. The same is true of those who do not prove equal to the recommendation on which they were received.

The pupils must cultivate an amiable disposition, polite deportment and gentle manners.

RELIGIOUS INSTRUCTION

Christian Doctrine receives special attention. Catechism, Bible History, and the Gospels are taught in graded classes, and instructions are regularly given in each department.

Non-Catholic pupils are required to attend these classes, though they are not obliged to recite.

GENERAL REGULATIONS

The scholastic year is divided into two sessions.

Payment for each session is to be made in advance. No pupil will be allowed to enter upon a new session until all expenses of previous ones are paid.

Two business and two social references are required before the admission of a pupil. Pupils are received at any time of the year, their session dating from day of entrance.

No deduction is made for absence less than two consecutive weeks, and this, only in case of illness.

No money will be advanced for clothing or other needs; hence, sufficient funds must be deposited with the Directress to defray incidental expenses.

Damage to property or breakage in any department will be charged to the pupil's account.

The Institution will not be responsible for jewelry or other valuables belonging to the pupils. Pocket money should be deposited with the Directress.

Pupils must be supplied with stationery, stamps, etc.

Letters written or received are subject to inspection. A correspondence list and a visiting list signed by parents or guardian are required for each pupil.

The pupils may receive visits on Saturdays and Sundays. These visits must be authorized by parents as well as sanctioned by the Directress.

Visiting hours terminate at five o'clock in winter and six o'clock in summer. On school days no one is accessible to callers, except on extraordinary occasions.

Pupils in good standing in class and deportment will be permitted to visit their parents at stated times. Those who fail to return at the appointed time forfeit their honors.

It is requested that dentistry, shopping, and dressmaking be attended to at home. When such visits are necessary during the school term, the pupils must be accompanied by a chaperone.

eron, chosen or approved by the Directress. The expense of chaperon is borne by the pupil.

All literature brought to the Academy must be submitted to the Directress for inspection. Questionable books will not be returned.

Applicants for entrance are required to present a record of work in the school last attended.

Day pupils are subject to the rules and regulations of the Academy.

Day pupils are not allowed to take out letters or attend to commissions for boarders without permission from the Directress.

Pupils are not allowed to leave the Academy before the close of school hours without written request from parents.

Parents are requested not to make appointments with dentist, dressmaker, or for music lessons, before the close of school hours.

Parents and guardians who enter pupils are understood to accept all of these regulations.



Entrance

WARDROBE REGULATIONS

For winter wear, each student is required to have two dark navy blue Peter Thompson serge dresses, trimmed with black braid. The same serge (or lighter weight) with plain all-white waists, are substituted as the spring and fall uniform. These waists are laundered at the student's expense. The skirts must be twelve inches from the ground, or they will be altered at the Academy and the work charged to the student's account.

For Commencement Day, a simple white lingerie dress, white ribbons and white shoes are worn.

In addition to the uniforms, students must be provided with the following articles before entering for the fall term:

Four complete changes of underwear.	A dark gray or navy blue sweater.
Six pairs of black or tan hose.	A winter wrap and head covering.
Twenty-four handkerchiefs.	A pair of rubbers; an umbrella.
Two colored underskirts.	Four napkins, napkin ring and a glass.
Four night dresses (extremely low-necked and short-sleeved not permitted).	A large apron and cap for domestic art.
Pair bed-room slippers.	A hot-water bottle.
Two kimonos; one heavy, one light.	A toilet case. Cosmetics not permitted.
Six towels; three bath towels.	A small dressing table; a small rug.
Two pairs of high black or tan shoes; low black or tan shoes for the summer. High heels not permitted.	A double blanket.
	A furnished work box.

JUNIORS

Four blue uniforms (wash material).	Four napkins and ring.
Two white uniforms (wash material).	One dressing table.
Two or more afternoon dresses.	Twenty-four handkerchiefs.
Black hair ribbons.	Six bloomers (to match uniform), 4 blue, 2 white.
White hair ribbons.	Four pairs pajamas.
Four complete changes underwear.	One pair bedroom slippers.
	Two kimonos, heavy and light.
	Six pairs black stockings.
	Two pairs white stockings.

Three bath towels, three wash cloths.
Black shoes.
One dark gray or navy blue sweater.
One winter wrap and head covering.
One pair rubbers.

Six face towels.
One small rug.
One double blanket.
Toilet Articles:
Tooth brush and paste.
Hair brush and comb.
Nail brush and file
Soap, shoe polish.

An inventory of the above must be sent with each trunk.

Students, before entering, must have all articles marked with woven number or name in full, and have an extra supply of these names at the school.

Day pupils are required to conform to regulations regarding uniforms, shoes, ribbons and sweaters.

EXPENSES FOR THE SCHOLASTIC YEAR

Bills payable in ADVANCE each half scholastic year—September and February. ALL CHECKS MUST BE MADE PAYABLE IN ST. LOUIS.

Tuition in regular course, Board, Laundry Charges,
ordinary Infirmary Services and Physician's Fee... \$450.00
For children under twelve.....\$400.00

A reduction of 10 per cent is allowed on board and tuition for sisters.

EXTRA CHARGES

Entrance fee	\$ 5.00
Piano	80.00
Extra Practice	4.00
Violin and other instruments, each	80.00
Harp	90.00
Vocal Lessons (private)	70.00
Harmony	30.00
Drawing from Casts and Nature	30.00
Modeling, Painting in Oil, Pastel, Water Colors, China, each	60.00

Laboratory Charges	
Use of Library Books.....	10.00
Lecture Fee	3.00
Private Room	5.00
Domestic Science	\$50.00, \$60.00, 70.00
Physical Culture	40.00
Graduating Fee	10.00
Expression at Professor's charges.	20.00
School books, sheet music, art materials at store prices.	

A chaperon will be required for shopping, visits to dentist, and on other occasions. A special charge is made for such services.

TERMS FOR DAY PUPILS

Academic Department (High School).....	\$100.00
Preparatory Department (Grammar School).....	60.00
Primary Department	40.00
Dining at the Academy.....	70.00

The uniform of the Day Pupils is the same as that of the Boarders.

DIRECTRESS OF THE VISITATION ACADEMY,

Cabanne Avenue, St. Louis.

Bell, Forest 3138

Kinloch, Delmar 1093

Affiliations

The Academy is affiliated in all its regular courses with the St. Louis University, the Missouri State University, and the Washington University of St. Louis.

COURSES OF STUDY

Three courses of study are offered—a General Course, an English-Scientific and a Latin-French Course. Diplomas are conferred for the satisfactory completion of each course. Each course extends through four years of academic work. Sixteen units in academic subjects are required for graduation.

For admission to the Academy, students may present properly certified credits of work done in other accredited schools.

Two years' attendance at the Academy is required for graduation, and all must be resident students the last year.

A Commercial Course and courses in special subjects are offered to those students who may desire them.

All Catholic students take the full four years' course in Religion.

ACADEMIC DEPARTMENT—GENERAL COURSE

First Year

English
Latin
Algebra
Ancient History

Second Year

English
Latin
Plane Geometry
M. & M. History

Third Year

English
Physics
Latin, French or Spanish
Mathematics, History or Music
Domestic Science

Fourth Year

English
A. A. History
Latin, French or Spanish
Mathematics or Music
Domestic Science

CLASSICAL COURSE (College Preparatory)

First Year

English
Latin
Algebra
Ancient History

Second Year

English
Latin
French
Plane Geometry

Third Year

English
Latin
French
Physics

Fourth Year

English
Latin
French
A. A. History—Civics

SCIENTIFIC COURSE (College Preparatory)

First Year

English
Latin
Algebra
Ancient History

Second Year

English
Latin
Plane Geometry
M. & M. History

Third Year

English
Physics
Mathematics
Latin, French, Spanish or
Music

Fourth Year

English
Chemistry
A. A. History
Latin, French, Spanish or
Music

Any student whose grade is 85 may carry a fifth subject
with permission of the Directress.

SYLLABUS OF THE COURSE

RELIGION

(First Year)

The Commandments of God; Precepts of the Church; Sin; Virtue; Christian Perfection; Church History: First to the Tenth Century.

(Second Year)

Grace; the Sacraments; Sacramentals; Prayer; Church History: Tenth to the Seventeenth Century.

(Third Year)

Faith, its object, necessity, and qualities; the Apostles' Creed; Exercise of Teaching and Ruling Authority; Church History; Seventeenth Century to present time.

(Fourth Year)

The Doctrines of the Church: God in Unity and Trinity; the Creation; the Incarnation and Redemption; Grace; the Sacraments; the Last Things.

ENGLISH

(First Year)

Applied Rhetoric and Grammar; Letter Writing; special attention to Narration and Description.

Required Reading: Shakespeare, "Merchant of Venice;" two novels selected from the works of Scott, Dickens, Stevenson, Cooper, Benson, or Wiseman; a Narrative Poem selected from the works of Tennyson, Longfellow, Coleridge, Scott, Lowell, or Whittier.

Supplementary Reading: Lamb, "Tales from Shakespeare"; Stevenson, "Travels With a Donkey"; Irving, "The Sketch Book"; and selections from other authors.

(Second Year)

Applied Rhetoric and Grammar: Special attention to Exposition and Argumentation; Letter Writing.

Shakespeare: One tragedy and one comedy. Poetry: Palgrave, "The Golden Treasury," Books II and III; special attention to Dryden, Milton, and Gray.

Study of the Short Story: Three to be selected from Dickens, Hale, Kipling, Stevenson, Poe, and others.

Supplementary Reading: Selections from the poems of Browning, Goldsmith, Johnson, Newman, Patmore, Tennyson, Francis Thompson. A novel by any of the following: Benson, Crawford, Dickens, George Eliot, Hawthorne, Kipling, Scott, Stevenson, or Thackeray.

(Third Year)

English Prose Composition: Short themes of various types, both oral and written. Formal English Grammar; Applied Rhetoric.

Required Reading: Dickens, "A Tale of Two Cities"; Wordsworth, "Excursion," "Ode on Intimations of Immortality"; Hawthorne, "The House of the Seven Gables"; Tennyson, "Lancelot and Elaine."

Supplementary Reading: Milton, "Paradise Lost," Book I; Shakespeare, "Macbeth," "Midsummer Night's Dream"; Palgrave, "Golden Treasury," Book IV; Byron, "Childe Harold"; Thackeray, "Henry Esmond"; Newman, "Second Spring."

(Fourth Year)

English Prose Composition, Rhetoric, and Grammar; Short themes of various types, oral and written.

Required Reading: Burke, "Speech on Conciliation"; Washington, "Farewell Address"; Milton, "Lycidas"; Shakespeare, "Henry V," "Hamlet"; Prose Types from Newman"; Selections from English Poets.

Supplementary Reading: Selections from Emerson, Spaulding, Lowell, De Quincey, and Macaulay; Plato, "Phaedrus"; Selections from Francis Thomson's poems.

HISTORY

(*Ancient History*)

A brief outline of Oriental Nations. History of Greece and Rome; Fall of the Western Empire; Summary of the chief events of the early Middle Ages to the death of Charlemagne.

(*Mediaeval and Modern History*)

From the death of Charlemagne to the present time. The Papacy and the Empire; the Institutions of the Middle Ages; the Rise of the present Nations of Europe; the Renaissance; the Protestant Revolution; the Growth of Democracy.

(*Advanced American History*)

Foundations of American History. Discovery; Exploration; Colonization; International Rivalries; Causes and Course of the Revolution; the Building of a new Nation; the Federal Constitution; the Federal Union; Growth of the National Spirit; Sectionalism; Civil War; Reorganization; the United States a World Power.

LATIN

(*First Year*)

Fundamental principles of Syntax; Easy readings.

(*Second Year*)

Caesar: Gallic War, I-IV; Grammar; Prose composition based on text.

(*Third Year*)

Cicero: Four Orations against Catiline; Oration pro Archia; Oration pro Lege Manilia; prose composition based on text.

(*Fourth Year*)

Virgil: Aeneid, Books I-IV; prose composition; practice in Scansion.

FRENCH

(*First Year*)

Drill in pronunciation and verbs; fundamental principles of grammar; translation; dictation; conversation.

(*Second Year*)

Grammar: verb drill; dictation; easy composition; idioms; conversation. Reading: About three hundred pages of modern French prose.

(*Third Year*)

Grammar: idioms; dictation; conversation; poems memorized; composition. Reading: about four hundred pages of modern French prose and poetry.

(*Fourth Year*)

Syntax: grammar; composition; dictation; literature; conversation; abstracts of texts read. Reading of about seven hundred pages of classical and modern French prose, poetry, and drama.

SPANISH

(*First Year*)

Exercises in pronunciation; rudiments of grammar. Drill in regular and the more common irregular verbs; simple and compound tenses. Standard readers. Translation from simple English text into Spanish. Dictation; letter writing; conversation.

(*Second Year*)

Grammar: Prose composition; dictation; letter writing; short oral reproductions in Spanish of current events, or stories read. Conversation. Reading from modern Spanish Authors.

(*Third Year*)

Drill in grammar; prose composition; dictation; letter writing. Original resume of reading, oral and written. Conversation. Reading: Prose and poetry from classic and modern Spanish Authors. The study of Spanish Literature.

(Fourth Year)

Various forms of original composition, oral and written. Dictation; letter writing; conversation. Reading: from classic and modern Spanish Authors. The study of Spanish Literature.

SCIENCE

(Physics)

The course in Physics comprises instruction by lecture demonstration, individual laboratory work, study of a standard text-book. The laboratory work consists of about fifty elementary quantitative experiments under the heads of Mechanics, Heat, Magnetism, Electricity, Sound and Light. The laboratory note book, which each student keeps, must contain a complete record of laboratory exercises.

(Chemistry)

The course in Chemistry includes the study of a standard text-book, accompanied by lecture-demonstration and individual laboratory work. A laboratory record is kept of the observations made, and of the conclusions drawn. Visits are made to important industrial plants in the city.

(Domestic Science)

Study of foods, their preparation, nutrition, and the planning of meals, from a standard text-book. Individual laboratory work and practical application of the principles of cooking, of which permanent records are required. Practical sewing and the choosing, cutting and making of simple garments by hand or on a sewing machine.

MATHEMATICS

(First Year)

Algebra: Fundamental Operations, Factoring, H. C. F. and L. C. M.; Fractions; Graphs; Linear Equations; Simultaneous Equations; Square and Cube Root; Quadratic Equations; Ratio; Proportion; Miscellaneous Problems.

(Second Year)

Plane Geometry: Books I to V, inclusive (Theorems and Originals).

(Third Year)

Algebra: Simultaneous Quadratics; Graphical Representations; Progressions; Binomial Theorem; Involution and Evolution; Theory of Exponents.

(Fourth Year)

Solid Geometry; Plane Trigonometry.

MUSIC COURSE FOR CREDIT

Harmony: General study of elements, intervals, chords, analysis, modulation, musical form; original work required; sight singing.

History: Study of the development of music from beginnings to the present time; study of composers and their work.

Technical ability: student must be able to pass the examination required for a certificate in the Preparatory Department of Music.

PREPARATORY AND PRIMARY DEPARTMENTS

The classes of the Preparatory and Primary Departments correspond to the eight grades of the Grammar School Course, and prepare the pupil for the Academic Course. The studies included are: Religion; Reading; Spelling; Arithmetic; English; Geography; United States History; Civics; Grammar; Penmanship; Drawing; Singing; Domestic Art.