

Educational Improvement Tax Credit Program (EITC)

Known for its academic reputation, Devon Prep encourages all qualified students, regardless of race, religion or economic means to apply for admission.

In that light the school offers generous scholarship and financial aid packages totaling nearly 20% of its annual budget.

Devon Prep is an approved scholarship organization for the Pennsylvania Educational Improvement Tax Credit Program.

The Department of Community & Economic Development created this program to give businesses an incentive to support schools like Devon Prep instead of paying taxes to Harrisburg. Companies can contribute to an approved organization like Devon Prep, and receive up to a 90% state tax credit to offset the contribution.



The program provides more than \$44.6 million in state tax credits. You can control where your tax money goes. Your tax dollars go directly to help a student benefit from a Devon Prep education. You can turn your PA tax dollars into donations.

A business paying taxes in Pennsylvania can receive up to \$300,000 in tax credits annually. New this year, subchapter S corporations can fully participate in the EITC program.

To participate in this exciting program companies need to apply to the *State Department of Community and Economic Development*. Once the state approves the request a donation can be made directly to Devon Preparatory School.

For more information about the program and to request applications visit www.newpa.com or call the *Department of Community and Economic Development* at (717) 720-1420.



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Devon Preparatory School is recognized by the Internal Revenue Service as a tax exempt organization as described in Section 501 C(3) of the IRS code.

Devon Preparatory School does not discriminate on the basis of religious affiliation, race or ethnic origin in its educational policies, admissions policies, scholarship programs and athletic and other school administered programs.



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Turning your Pennsylvania tax dollars into donations.

DEVON PREP

A Foundation For Success

Devon Prep is an independent, Catholic, college preparatory school for young men in grades six to twelve conducted by the Piarist Fathers. The school, which is located on a picturesque 20 acre campus in Devon, PA, enrolls nearly 300 students from Chester, Montgomery, Delaware and Bucks counties as well as parts of Philadelphia.

Devon Prep's approach to education is based on the Piarist Fathers' 400 year tradition of educating youth. Fundamental to their philosophy is the development of beliefs that foster a love of God, a positive self image and respect for others.

Devon Prep draws on more than 50 years of experience to mold each student's future with the latest technology and educational thinking. In a trusting and supportive atmosphere our students are motivated to excel academically, to think critically and creatively, to pursue careers in diverse fields and to enjoy extracurricular activities, both in school and in the community.

Our experienced and dedicated teachers are committed to working with each student so he can realize his highest potential. With an average class size of fifteen, the faculty is able to provide individual attention to all students, a key ingredient to a quality education. Our athletic and extracurricular programs enable our students to develop sportsmanship, perseverance, and leadership.

Through Devon Prep's challenging curriculum, devotion to Christian values, competitive athletics, and commitment to service our students receive the strong foundation necessary to face the challenges of life with confidence.



The Devon Prep Difference

At Devon Prep it is our goal to inspire in our students a commitment to values that will enable them to become responsible leaders. While providing an environment of discipline and order, the school promotes a friendly and cooperative atmosphere. Focusing on each student's potential, we believe that the school and the family must work together to foster a love of learning which will propel the student into a life-long quest for excellence.

With the help of your organization and the Educational Improvement Tax Credit Program Devon Prep can continue to offer its challenging curriculum, championship athletics and academic excellence to any qualified young man, regardless of his economic situation.

For more information about Devon Preparatory School contact the Development Office at (610) 688-7337.



Devon Prep at a Glance

Enrollment: 296 Upper School: Grades 9 - 12
Middle School: Grades 6 - 8

Student/Teacher Ratio: 10 to 1

Students Per Class: Ranges 4 to 25; Average is 15

Tuition (2008-09): Upper School – \$15,900
Middle School – \$14,900

DEVON PREP CLASS OF 2008

49 Graduates

College Placement:

*100% accepted to 4-year colleges

*5.5 Million in College Scholarships

*Over 200 acceptances to 90 colleges & universities including Cornell, Lehigh, Dartmouth, Johns Hopkins, The University of Pennsylvania, NYU, and Fordham.

Average SAT

1258 Total

624 Verbal, 634 Math

Advanced Placement Scholars – 23

14 AP Scholars with Distinction

6 AP Scholars with Honor

3 AP Scholars

1 National Scholar

2 National Hispanic Scholars

**Each year an average of 50% of the senior class is named "AP Scholar" for exceptional scores on multiple AP exams.*

National Merit Scholars – 11

5 Finalists

6 Commended Students

**On average, 22% of our graduates are named Finalists, Semifinalists, or Commended Students by the College Board in the National Merit Scholarship Competition.*

Community Service

The Class of 2008 performed nearly 1700 hours of community service.