

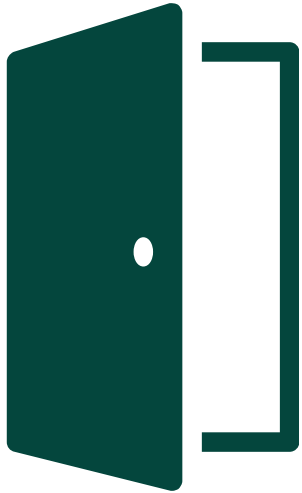
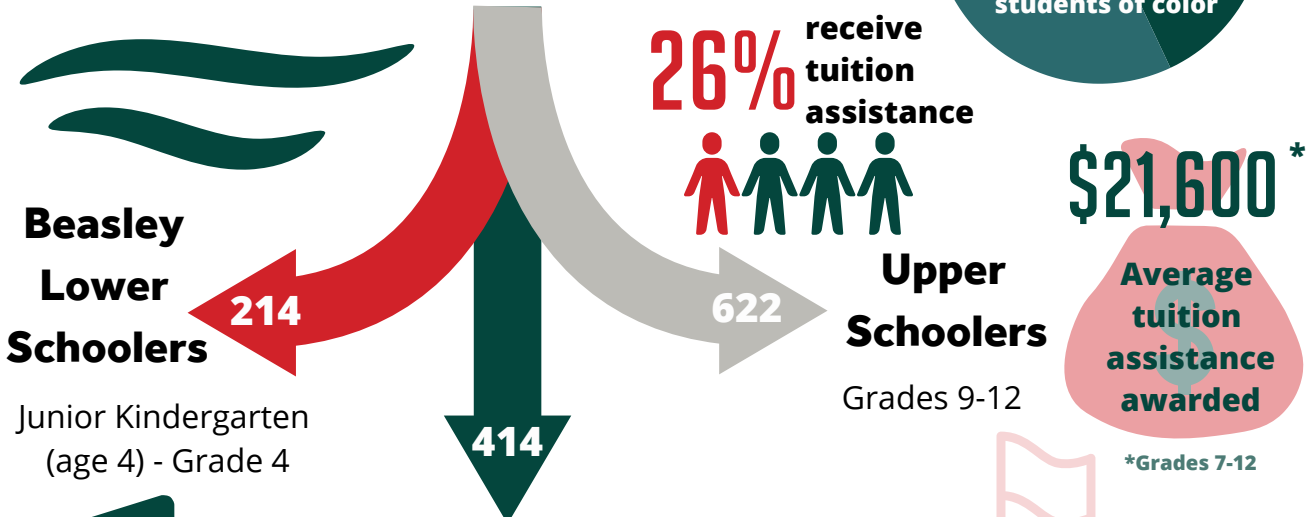
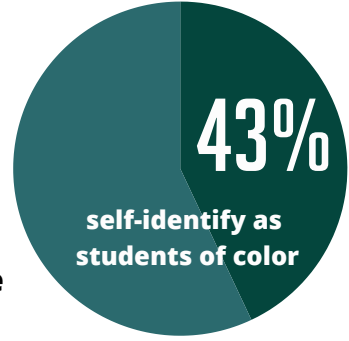
# MICDS

# QUICK FACTS

Mary Institute and Saint Louis Country Day School (MICDS) is a private Junior Kindergarten - 12th grade nonprofit, independent, day school offering a non-sectarian education.

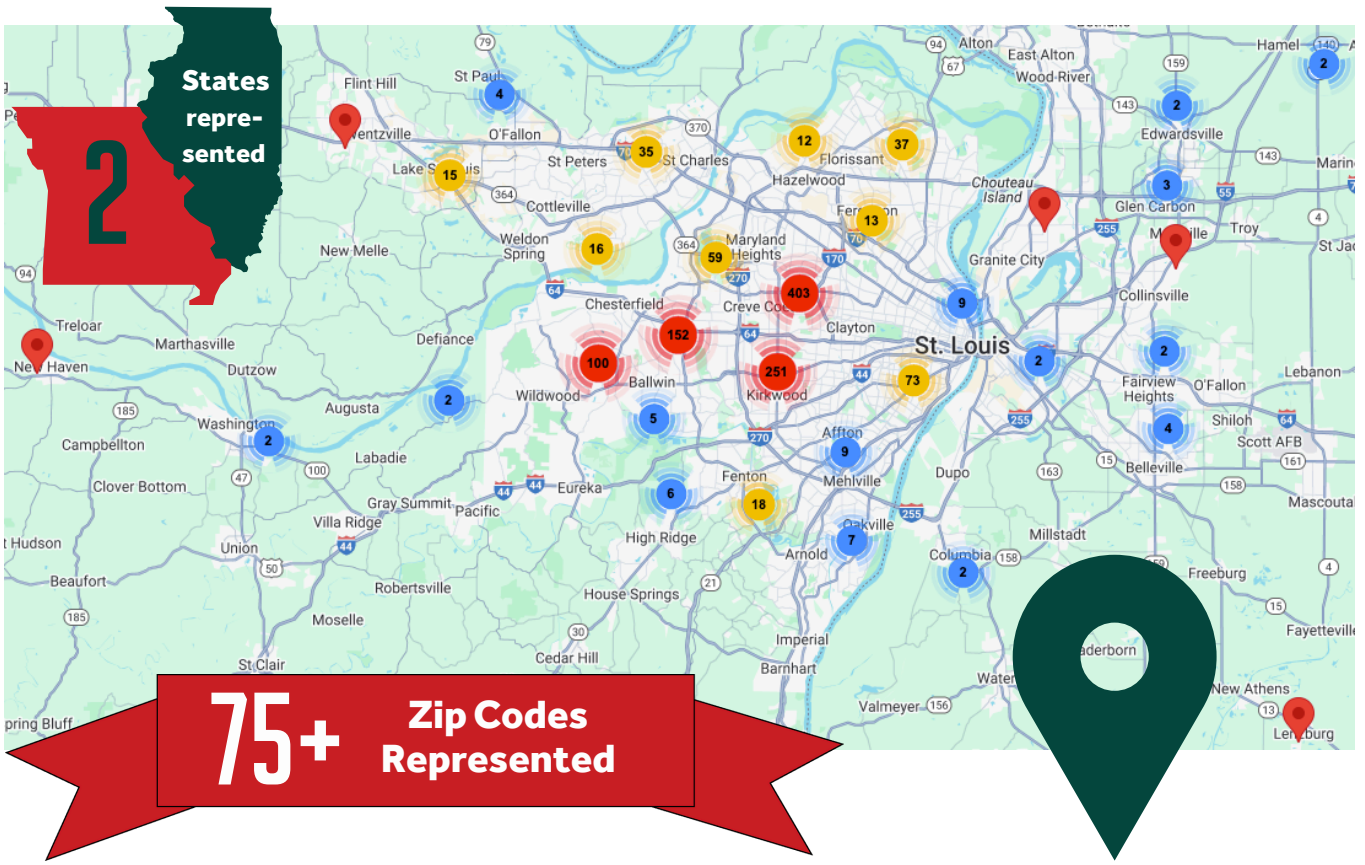
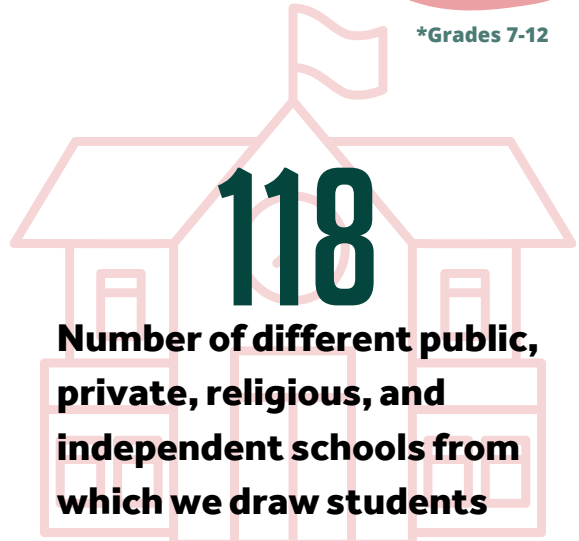
## STUDENT BODY

**1,250** Total number of students enrolled from JK - 12



**Main Admission Entry Points:**

- LS: Junior Kindergarten (age 4), SK Senior Kindergarten (age 5), and 4th Grade
- MS: 5th, 6th, and 7th Grade
- US: 9th Grade



## CAMPUS & HISTORY

**YEARS FOUNDED**

**1859**  
Mary Institute founded

**1992**  
Merged to create MICDS (Mary Institute and St. Louis Country Day School)

**100**  
acres

**COLORS: RED & GREEN**

**9** Classroom Buildings

**3** Makerspaces  
STEM Facility

Steward Family Aquatic Center

McDonnell Athletic Center

New Michael W. and Quirsis V. Riney Family Tennis Center (expected completion - March 2025)

**1917**  
St. Louis Country Day School founded



**MASCOT: RAM**

Located in St. Louis, MO (Ladue suburb)

Professional-quality theatres, art studios, music rooms, athletic fields, & facilities

## FACULTY

74%

have advanced degrees

158

Faculty Members

20

Average number of years teaching

16

Average Class Size

11

Average tenure in years at MICDS

## ACADEMICS

Graduates who attend college

100%

### AP® STATS

In 2024, 349 students took 779 AP exams with 86% of students receiving a qualifying score of 3 or higher

## MATRICULATION

Sample College Destinations of MICDS Alumni from the last 5 years:

Boston College  
Boston University  
Bowdoin College  
Brown University  
Carnegie Mellon University  
Colgate University  
Columbia University  
Cornell University  
Dartmouth College  
Davidson College  
Duke University  
Emory University  
Georgetown University

Harvard University  
Johns Hopkins University  
New York University  
Northwestern University  
Princeton University  
Rice University  
Spelman College  
Stanford University  
The University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill  
The University of Texas at Austin  
Tufts University  
Tulane University of Louisiana  
United States Air Force Academy

United States Military Academy  
University of California-Berkeley  
University of California-Los Angeles  
University of Chicago  
University of Michigan-Ann Arbor  
University of Notre Dame  
University of Pennsylvania  
University of Southern California  
University of Virginia-Main Campus  
Vanderbilt University  
Wake Forest University  
Washington and Lee University  
Washington University in St Louis  
Yale University

The 150 graduates from the Class of 2024 are attending 85 schools.

## ATHLETICS, ARTS, & ACTIVITIES

### SPORTS OFFERED

Baseball, Basketball, Cheerleading, Cross Country, Cycling, Cyclocross, Dance, Field Hockey, Football, Golf, Ice Hockey, Lacrosse, Soccer, Swimming/Diving, Squash, Tennis, Track & Field, Volleyball, Water Polo, & Wrestling

16

sports in Grades 7 & 8

30

sports in Grades 9-12

### STATE CHAMPIONSHIPS

76

within the last 10 years

### ARTS OPPORTUNITIES

Vocal and instrumental music, theatre, dance, and the visual arts

Upper School community service hours completed in 2023-24

OVER 17,000

Middle & Upper School Clubs & Student Organizations

100+

75

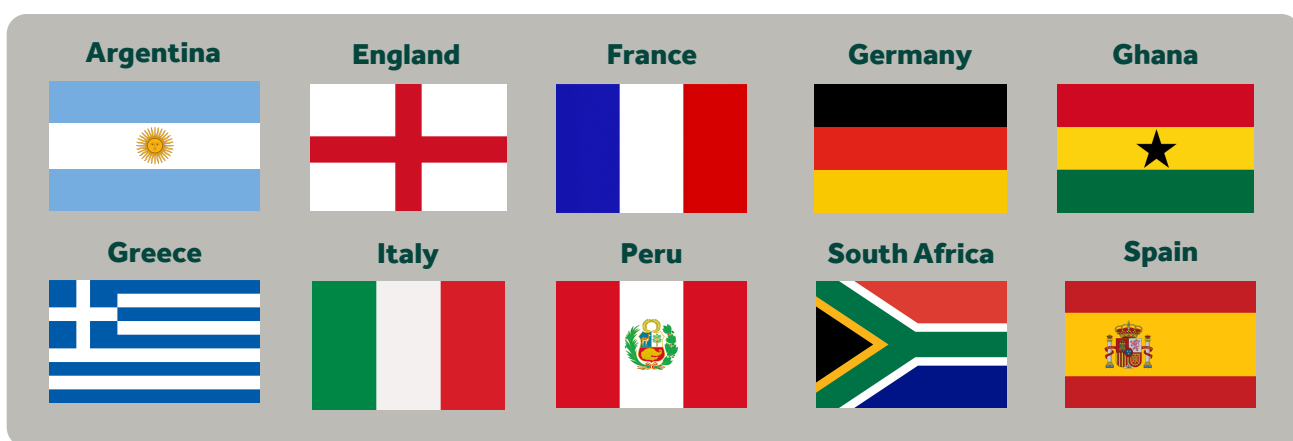
Presidential Volunteer Service Award Recipients

# GLOBAL LEARNING



French, Greek, Latin,  
Mandarin Chinese,  
& Spanish

SAMPLE UPPER SCHOOL  
GLOBAL TRAVEL  
OPPORTUNITIES



# ALUMNI & DEVELOPMENT



Number of  
alumni who live  
internationally across  
**6 continents, 37 countries,**  
and **49 states**

**\$1,797,542**

Total raised for the  
MICDS Fund in 2023-24

## GIVING



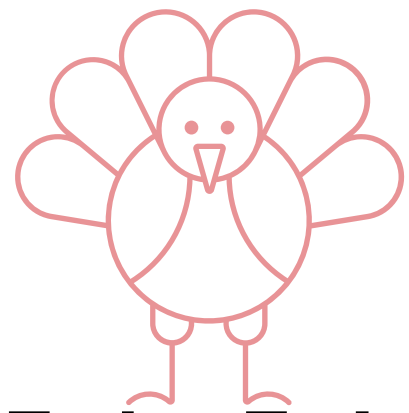
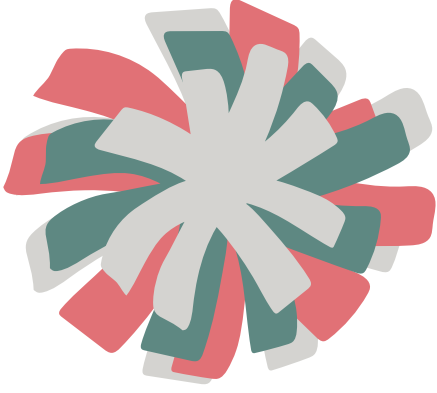
Number of  
MICDS Fund  
Donors in 23-24

## NOTABLE ALUMNI

- **Bogdan Hamilton, 2022** - competed in Men's Foil on Canadian Olympic Fencing team at 2024 Olympics in Paris
- **Graham Bundy Jr., 2019** - Georgetown University 3x NCAA All-American and Captain, Team USA Captain, and First Team All-World Lacrosse Selection
- **Michael Scherer, 2012** - Defensive Coordinator at UNLV
- **Devon Windsor, 2012** - Fashion model
- **Graham Bensinger, 2005** - Emmy award-winning journalist and entrepreneur
- **Ali Khan, 1995** - Host & co-executive producer of *Cheap Eats*, an original food travelog series on the Cooking Channel
- **Dave Steward, 1995** - Founder & CEO of Lion Forge Animation, 2019 Oscar winner for animated short "Hair Love"
- **Sterling K. Brown, 1994** - Emmy award-winning actor who starred in *This Is Us*, held a supporting role in *Black Panther*, and voiced a character in *Frozen II*
- **Joe Buck, 1987** - Sportscaster
- **Jim Lee, 1982** - Comic book artist, writer, and editor who is the current President, Publisher, and Chief Creative Officer of DC Comics
- **Linda Wells, 1976** - Journalist and founder of *Allure Magazine*
- **William DeWitt, 1959** - Businessman, managing partner, and chairman of the St. Louis Cardinals
- **Harriett Bland Green, 1933** - Olympic gold medalist in 4 x 100-meter relay
- **Vincent Price Jr., 1929** - Award-winning television and film actor
- **Irma Rombauer Tufts, 1901** - Cookbook author best known for *The Joy of Cooking*
- **Edna Fischel Gelhorn, 1896** - Suffragist & reformer

# TRADITIONS

## Homecoming



## Turkey Train

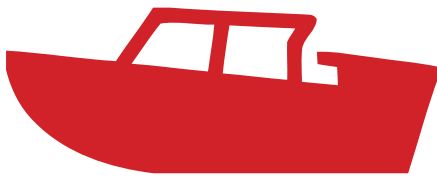


## Pond Toss

## Middle School Talent Show



## Senior Boat Races



## Lower School Skate Week



## May Day

## Reunion



# AFFILIATIONS & RANKINGS



## ASSOCIATIONS



National Association of Independent Schools



## RANKINGS

**#1** Best Private K-12 School in Missouri according to Niche

