

Newsletter

Spring Edition 2023



LPP Spring

ABOUT MARIST LPP

Marist Liberty Partnership Program (LPP) is sponsored by Marist College and funded through the New York State Education Department. We have been serving Poughkeepsie students since 1990.

Our goals are to prepare students to successfully graduate from high school, handle the rigors of college, and be competitive for the workforce. We provide FREE programs and services to Poughkeepsie City School District students in grades 5-12, including after-school programs, mentoring, summer programs, and other enrichment activities

LPP AFTER-SCHOOL PROGRAM

Tuesdays-Fridays 2:50pm-4:30pm
Poughkeepsie High School: Small Cafeteria
Poughkeepsie Middle School: Room 002

ACADEMIC ADVISING

Tuesdays-Fridays 9:00am-1:00pm
Poughkeepsie High School: Student Achievement Center
Poughkeepsie Middle School: Room 002

UPCOMING EVENTS

Saturday, 4/22, LPP, Tri Sigma, Marist Football Field Day
Monday, 4/24, Virtual Cooking Class



CONNECT WITH US!



Email:

Vailea.Rutty@Marist.edu for more information about how to sign up for Remind.com grade level notifications and program updates.

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SAVE THE DATES

Last day of after school program is May 4th, 2023

Family BBQ: 6/21/23



WINTER 2022 TRIPS AND EVENTS!

- 12/1/22- Bronx Zoo Holiday Lights Trip
- 12/15/22- Family Holiday Dinner at Marist
- 2/9/23- Marist College Day for PHS LPP students
- 2/14/23- Student Advocacy Day in Albany
- 2/20/23- NYC Aquarium Trip
- 3/4/2023- Marist Men's Basketball trip

Over the past few months, LPP students attended several trips throughout New York State to increase educational opportunities and experience new settings outside of the classroom.





PROGRAMS AND SERVICES



ACADEMIC ADVISING

Ms. Smack (High School Coordinator) & Mr. Douglas (Middle School Coordinator) are available to meet with students during lunch periods and during study halls as well as free periods. Students can meet with LPP Coordinators in their offices at the middle school (room 002 in the basement) or high school (Student Achievement Center located down the hall from the cafeteria).



AFTER-SCHOOL PROGRAMS

LPP students can stay after school for homework help and mentoring.



Poughkeepsie High School: Tuesdays through Fridays for 9th through 12th graders from 2:50pm-4:30pm in the small cafeteria.

Poughkeepsie Middle School: Tuesdays 6th graders only, Wednesdays 7th graders only, Thursdays 8th graders only from 2:50pm-4:30pm in room 002 in the basement.

LPP students can earn a golden ticket to be invited to attend Fun Fridays each week.

SPECIAL EVENTS

College Tours and Field Trips (Select Days and Times)

Marist LPP students who attend the after-school program regularly are invited to attend special trips including college tours, workshops at Marist, and cultural enrichment activities. For more information, please sign up for Remind.com to receive notifications regarding upcoming events and field trips (more information is located on the first page).

Family Workshops (Select Days and Times)

Marist LPP hosts several family engagement events throughout the school year. These include monthly virtual cooking classes and Parent Advisory meetings. For more information, please email the Marist LPP Family Engagement Coordinator, Vailea Ruty, at Vailea.Ruty@Marist.edu.





CONTACT INFORMATION

LOCATIONS

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NY, 12603 LPP PHS Office: Student
Achievement Center

PMS Address: 55 College Ave.
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Room 002



HOURS OF OPERATION

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