



ST. MARY'S DOMINICAN HIGH SCHOOL

July 2021

Dear Parents,

We hope you are having a wonderful summer, and we are looking forward to welcoming you to a new school year! To meet the needs of our students, St. Mary's Dominican High School has a staff of professional counselors. We are qualified to assist students with a range of issues, including academic adjustment, personal concerns, college choices, and career decisions.

It is a privilege to serve as your daughter's counselor in her years at Dominican. We understand the challenges involved in the transition from elementary to high school and are committed to assisting students in facing these challenges. Our goal is to foster growth in basic Christian values in students as they make decisions, some of which greatly impact their lives.

Students will be assigned to one of six counselors alphabetically and will remain with the same counselor throughout their high school years. Ms. Rye is the College Advisor and will be available to provide information needed to help prepare your daughter for her educational/college planning. Please refer to the chart provided below for your daughter's counselor assignment.

The counseling office hours are 7:15 a.m. until 3:45 p.m. on regular school days. Your daughter will be scheduled to meet with her counselor individually to discuss her progress and in group sessions throughout the school year to address various topics as well. If you should have any concerns regarding your daughter's academic, social, or personal adjustment, we invite and encourage you to use us as a resource and call upon us whenever you need assistance. More details regarding the Counseling Department will be provided during the new parent meeting in the beginning of the school year.

Thank you so much, and we look forward to working with your daughter and meeting you!

Sincerely,

The Counseling Department

COUNSELOR STUDENT ASSIGNMENT CHART:	
Ms. Andrea Rye, PLPC	College Advisor
Ms. Sophia Estopinal, PLPC	A-Ce
Mrs. Dione Prince, LPC	Ch-F
Mrs. Evelyn Maggio, LCSW	G-K
Mrs. Sarah Algu, LPC	L-M
Ms. Catherine Laughlin, PLPC	N-Sca
Mrs. Julie Pitisci, LPC	Sch-Z