



Interview and Course Selection Information

Where will my interview take place?

Traditional/ASP	The interview and Check-in will take place at the Neuhoﬀ Library. Student Ambassadors will be available to help direct you and your student.
CSP	Check-in will take place in the Main Office of the Cloister Building.
Out of Town	From the comfort of wherever you choose to do your virtual interview.

What can my student do to prepare for the interview?

All	<ul style="list-style-type: none">● Be genuine- Answer questions truthfully rather than saying what you think the interviewer wants to hear.● Be alert- You might have butterflies before your interview, but try to get a good night's sleep so you are well-rested, and make sure you eat a healthy breakfast.● Show off your social skills and maturity- Turn off your phone; don't slouch; make eye contact; shake hands; take time to formulate your thoughts.
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What should my student wear to the interview?

All	Sunday best is always a safe way to go! Dressing your best is a great way to visually demonstrate that you are a strong candidate.
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Who will my student be interviewing with?

Traditional/Out of Town Students	Your student's interview will be conducted by a member of our faculty and staff. This individual will meet one-on-one with the applicant for about 10 minutes. Then, you and your student will move to the course selection session.
ASP/CSP	Your Learning Specialist will meet individually with you and your student to learn more about your child, answer any questions, and discuss the best ways for us to support your child in one of these programs.

Are parents included in the interview?

Traditional	You and your student will both check-in for the interview. However, the interview is for the student-applicant only. When your student completes the interview, you will join your student for the course selection session.
ASP/CSP	Your Learning Specialist will meet individually with you and your student to learn more about your child, answer any questions, and discuss the best ways for us to support your child in this program.
Out of Town	The interview portion of your virtual appointment is for the student-applicant only. When your student completes the interview, you will join your student on screen for the course selection session.

How can we as a family best prepare for our course selection appointment?

All	<p>Login to your admissions checklist to review the following information:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">● Course Selection Documents<ul style="list-style-type: none">○ Four-Year Planning Sheet○ Sample Course Selection Sheet● View the Course Selection Video <p>These items are located directly under where you registered for your interview.</p> <p><u>*Please note:</u> <i>For Transfer Applicants, the academic team has reviewed your high school credits earned and recommended courses that support your progression toward our graduation requirements. Viewing the recommended documents and video will give you a general overview of what to expect.</i></p>
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How long will the interview and course selection appointment last?

Traditional/Out of Town Students	The interview should last up to 15 minutes. However, following the interview, you and your student will meet with a member of our Academic Team to select classes. So, please plan for up to 45 minutes for the entire appointment.
ASP	Please plan for up to 45 minutes for this Interview and Course Selection Experience.
CSP	Please plan for up to 45 minutes for this Interview and Course Selection Experience.

Will the Spirit Store be open on the date of my interview?

Traditional/ASP	Yes! You are welcome to visit our Father Ryan Spirit Store to shop for all of your Ryan gear.
CSP/Out of Town Students	Please visit our online Spirit Store to shop for all of your Ryan gear at https://father-ryan-spirit-store.square.site/ .

What happens after my student completes their interview and course selection experience?

All	<p>Father Ryan is proud to be a full member of ISNA (Independent Schools of the Nashville Area). As a full member, we will release Admissions Decisions on the following dates:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">● March 3: Admissions Decisions mailed.● March 4: Admissions Decisions emailed at 8:00 a.m.● March 8: Admissions Decisions are due by noon. <p>*Please note: If you applied for tuition assistance by February 13, an estimate of tuition assistance will be mailed on March 3 to all accepted new students.</p>
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