Siena College/St. Pius X School Early Admission Program January 7, 2020

Siena College is excited to enter into an early admission program with St. Pius X School in Loudonville, NY. For many decades, graduates of St Pius X have completed high school and ultimately graduated from Siena College. These sons and daughters of Siena have made significant contributions in fields such as science, education, medicine, investments, entrepreneurships, accountancy, and computer science, etc. It is with pride and a deep desire to strengthen the relationship between these two outstanding learning communities that we enter into this unique program.

Early Admission Criteria

- 1. Students attending St. Pius X School will be eligible to apply for early assurance admission to Siena College as early as their 6th grade year. To apply the student must:
 - 1. Submit to St. Pius X School Office an essay of no more than 300 words requesting consideration for the opportunity
 - 2. Be academically prepared to begin high school Algebra and Biology at the college prep level in 9th grade
 - **3**. Have earned grades consistently at the B level (85% or above) in the core classes of math, English, science, history and language other than English.
 - 4. Participate in a meeting with a member of the Siena College Admissions staff and an administrator at St Pius X School and the student's parent or legal guardian
- 2. Students admitted to the program must satisfy the following requirements to remain in the early assurance program:
 - 1. Students must graduate from St. Pius X School in Loudonville, NY in good standing and have completed all core academic courses with a minimum average of 85% in each designated course.
- 3. During the student's high school career, the student must satisfactorily complete the following 19 academic units with a minimum average of 85% in each course:
 - 1. (4) years of English
 - 2. (4) years Social Studies/History,
 - 3. (4) years of Math, including Pre Cal or its equivalent
 - 4. (3) years of laboratory sciences, including Physics or its equivalent
 - 5. (3) years of a language other than English
 - 6. Satisfaction of the above curriculum will also *exempt students from submitting standardized tests scores to Siena.*