

# **Mount de Sales Academy**

## **Admissions Procedures and Timeline for School Year 2020-2021**

**Online Admissions Portal Opens** – October 1, 2019

### **First Pool Admissions Timeline**

**January 15** – Deadline by which completed applications must be received for first pool consideration. If applying for financial aid, that FACTS application must also be completed by this date.

**January 18** – MDS entrance Exam for first pool of applicants @ 9:00 a.m. in Cuddy Hall. This entrance test will be one of the criteria for determining merit based scholarships.

**January 22-24** – Admissions Committee evaluations and meeting

**January 23** – Finance Committee Meetings

**January 30** – Letters mailed designating admission status; financial aid/scholarship award packages emailed via FACTS

**March 31** – Deadline for parents to respond to acceptance letters via online admissions portal

### **Second Pool Admissions Timeline**

**March 11** – Deadline for completed applications for admissions, and financial aid/scholarships via FACTS

**March 14** - MDS Entrance Exam @ 9:00 a.m. in Cuddy Hall.

**March 18-20** - Admissions Committee evaluations and meeting

**March 19** – Finance Committee Meetings

**March 26** - Letters mailed designating admission status; financial aid/scholarship award packages emailed via FACTS

**April 30** - Deadline for parents to respond to acceptance letters via online admissions portal

### **Re-Enrollment for Current Cavaliers**

**February 1** – Automatic re-enrollment notices sent via email, including 2018-2019 tuition rates and policies

**March 1** – Deadline for completed financial aid /scholarship renewal applications (FACTS)

**March 26** – Financial aid/scholarship award packages emailed via FACTS

**March 31** – Deadline for parents to opt out of enrollment for 2020-2021 without a financial penalty

## **Prospective Family Information**

The admissions process is now online! Visit [www.mountdesales.net](http://www.mountdesales.net) to learn more and click on “Become a Cavalier” to apply today!

Take-A-Look-Tuesday Campus Tours will be every Tuesday at 9:00 a.m. beginning in Cuddy Hall. Come spend some time in our classrooms and let us show you the Mount de Sales difference. Weekly tours begin September 3.

Shadow days are scheduled one Tuesday a month: September 10, October 8, November 5, January 14, February 11, March 10, April 21, May 12.

Check the admissions calendar at [www.mountdesales.net](http://www.mountdesales.net) for these and other special events.

It's great to be a Cavalier!  
Contact the Admissions Office for more information:  
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## **Need Based Financial Aid & Scholarships**

Merit Scholarships are awarded in January, following the first entrance exam and merit scholarship testing (January 12).

Need-based scholarships and financial aid are awarded on a first-come, first-serve basis for new families. Please review the timeline and deadlines above for further information, and when/how notification will be sent.

Current MDS families must reapply each year in order to be considered for financial aid for the next academic year.