SAINT MARY’S
BY THE NUMBERS

1863 is the year the College was founded. Saint Mary’s is based in the Catholic, Lasallian and liberal arts traditions. For 150 years the College has been guided by the Christian Brothers, the Catholic Church’s oldest order dedicated exclusively to teaching.

2,823 unusually intelligent undergraduates. Nearly 45 percent identify themselves as African American, Asian American, Native American, Latino American or Pacific Islander. 62 percent live on campus.

196 full-time faculty members, 95 percent of whom hold doctorate degrees. 100 percent could probably be making more money at a larger university.

14:1 student-to-faculty ratio. Average class size is 21.

40 academic majors, four schools (Liberal Arts, Science, Education and Economics and Business Administration).

4-1-4 academic calendar, including two four-month terms and one four-week January Term.

16 Division I teams, eight club teams, one fearsome mascot (The Gael).

420 acres of rolling hills, fragrant pines, some seriously scenic scenery. 20 miles from San Francisco. 190 miles to Lake Tahoe. 368 miles to Los Angeles.

100 percent commitment to reducing our environmental footprint. To see all the ways our community is greening our campus, please visit stmarys-ca.edu/sustain.