

## The Justin-Siena Retreat Program – Overall Information

*To touch, strengthen, and nurture the heart*



Retreats are an integral part of student life and formation at Justin-Siena. Retreats offer students unique opportunities to be challenged and to grow deeper in faith, community, and justice. All are welcome and encouraged to participate. For more information about retreats, visit the retreat website which can be found under "Student Life tab," and "Retreats."

**The Frosh Community Retreats** are off-campus overnight experiences held at the Alliance Redwoods Christian Conference Grounds in Occidental, CA. The frosh class will be divided into three retreat cohorts. The dates are October 6-7, 2010; October 28-29, 2010; and January 13-14, 2011. The frosh retreat is mandatory. Deadline for submitting all forms and a preferred date is September 17, 2010. Retreat fees for 2010-2011 are built-in to the total tuition.

**The Sophomore Discipleship Retreats** are off-campus overnight experiences held at the Alliance Redwoods Christian Conference Grounds in Occidental, CA. The sophomore class will be divided into three cohorts. The dates are November 18-19, 2010; December 2-3, 2010; and January 27-28, 2011. The sophomore retreat is mandatory. Deadline for submitting all forms and a preferred date is September 17, 2010. Retreat fees for 2010-2011 are built-in to the total tuition.

**The Upper Division Retreats** are for juniors and seniors. Upper classmen have the opportunity to choose from five retreats based on their interest and availability. For this school year, there will be three Kairos Retreats and two Serve and Lead Retreats. Upper Division Retreats are voluntary. Because of the limited space for each retreat, students need to apply early and go through a brief application process.

**Kairos Retreats** are 4-day retreats held at the St. Joseph's Camp on the Russian River in Duncans Mills, California. The three Kairos dates are November 2-5, 2010; February 15-18, 2011; and March 22-25, 2011. Deadline for all forms and a preferred date is September 17, 2010. Retreat fees for 2010-2011 are built-in to the total tuition.

**To Serve and Lead Retreats** To Serve and Lead Retreats are 3-day retreats focused on leadership and service principles. Dates are September 30-October 2, 2010 and May 19-21, 2011. Deadline for submitting all forms and a preferred date is September 17, 2010. Retreat fees for 2010-2011 are built-in to the total tuition.

### Important Information

**Sign-ups:** Before signing-up and making a commitment, carefully check your schedules. (This includes SAT's, review days, finals, tryouts, sports, theater, family commitments, holidays, etc.)

**Cancellation Policy:** The cancellation policy is tied to the contract signed by the school with the retreat center. A guaranteed number is required 30 days before the retreat. Therefore, transfers to another retreat can only be given if a parent notifies the school no less than 30 days before the retreat dates.

**Other Information:** Lodging, meals, materials, chaperones, and Justin-Siena bus service will be provided. All retreat forms can be downloaded at the Justin Siena website. Click on the "Downloadable School Forms" section, which can be found on the left side of the main Justin-Siena webpage.

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### SUMMARY OF DATES

**Frosh Community Retreats:** October 6-7, 2010; October 28-29, 2010; and January 13-14, 2011.

**Sophomore Discipleship Retreats:** November 18-19, 2010; December 2-3 and January 27-28, 2011.

**Upper Division Retreats:**

**Kairos Retreats** – November 2-5, 2010; February 15-18, 2011; and March 22-25, 2011.

**To Serve and Lead Retreats** – September 30-October 2, 2010 and May 19-21, 2011.