

Participating Schools

Allen-Stevenson School
Berkeley Carroll School
Birch Wathen Lenox School
Brearley School
Brooklyn Friends School
Browning School
Calhoun School
Chapin School
Collegiate School
Columbia Grammar and Preparatory
Convent of the Sacred Heart
Convent of the Sacred Heart- Greenwich
Dalton School
Dwight School
Elisabeth Irwin High School
Fieldston School
Fordham Preparatory School
Friends Seminary
Hackley School
Hewitt School
Horace Mann School
Marymount School of New York
Nightingale-Bamford School
Packer Collegiate Institute
Polytechnic Preparatory Country Day School
Regis High School
Riverdale Country School
Rye Country Day School
Saint Ann's School
School of the Holy Child- Rye
Spence School
Trevor Day School
Trinity School
York Preparatory School
Xaverian High School

What is DAIS?

DAIS is a student led organization dedicated to strengthening our schools and ourselves through increased knowledge, awareness and respect for differences among us. We promote growth and leadership through participation. DAIS is a support organization for students from independent, parochial and public schools.

What do we do?

We meet at various school locations on a monthly basis, to discuss issues of diversity and other topics of interest to high school students. Our meetings are planned and facilitated by members of the Executive Committee who are student representatives from each of our participating schools. Our day long conference is organized annually by the students, which attracts participants from schools in and around the Greater New York City area, as well as Westchester and Fairfield County, Connecticut.

Mission Statement

The Diversity Awareness Initiative for Students, DAIS, is an organization dedicated to strengthening our schools and ourselves, through increased knowledge, awareness and respect for different cultures. Its members are comprised of students from independent, public and parochial schools who wish to discuss and improve human relations within our communities and society at large.

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*Established in 1999 by and for students
in grades 8 through 12*