

Top 10 Reasons To Send Your Child To St. Catharine School



Love of God...



Love of Learning...



Love of Neighbor...

- 1. Immersion in Faith Opportunities:** Weekly school Masses that are organized/served by grade levels; prayer and Scripture reading as a school at the start of each day and prayer/faith sharing throughout the day; daily Religion classes.
- 2. Standardized test scores significantly above national averages,** and an average of over \$80,000 in annual academic scholarships awarded to our eighth graders upon entering high school (approximately 1/3 of each graduating class).
- 3. Small class size (student/instructional staff ratio of 13:1),** with an emphasis on meeting each child's academic needs. Specialized services include a full-time intervention specialist, tutor, speech/language support, Occupational Therapy support, counseling support as indicated.
- 4. State-of-the-Art Technology:** Interactive Clevertouch boards in every classroom; fully equipped computer lab, laptops and iPads, 1:1 Chrome books for students in grades 4-8.
- 5. Strong involvement in the arts,** with weekly music and art classes. Hand bell choir, band, cantor and choir programs, and a fully equipped art room.
- 6. Service learning projects** at every grade level throughout the school year.
- 7. Active SPICE (Special People in Catholic Education), Partners in Education, and Home and School Association** - All of which support enhanced learning opportunities for students.
- 8. Strong, differentiated instruction at all grade levels,** including high school algebra (selective admission of eighth grade students).
- 9. Multiple extra-curricular activities,** including various athletic opportunities: MathCounts, Battle of the Books, Spelling Bee, Student Council, Creative Arts Program.
- 10. Highly regarded 5 Star preschool** (for ages 2½-5) program.