

St. Joseph's Catholic School Mission

St. Joseph's Catholic School seeks to provide all children with an opportunity to develop spiritually, academically, morally, emotionally, and physically, in an environment of Christ-centered attitudes and values. Staff and parents are committed to preparing students to take their place in their own community and the world at large by fostering a love for lifelong learning and a responsibility to others.

School-Wide Learning Expectations (SLEs)

All St. Joseph's Catholic School students will...

Spiritual

St. Joseph's students are friends of God, practicing Christian values, Catholic faith, and stewardship.

1. Draw on Christian values when making behavioral choices throughout the school day and in the community.
2. Gain a competent understanding of the Catholic faith through daily religious instruction.
3. Embrace the stewardship model of living and participate in school and community service projects.
4. Form a personal relationship with God by actively participating as a community in liturgy, the sacraments, devotions, and prayer.

Academic

St. Joseph's students give their best! They work hard to be responsible, joyful, and creative in their studies.

1. Accept responsibility for their own learning, actions, and behaviors through goal setting and accomplishment of goals.
2. Demonstrate creativity and a joy of learning through daily classroom activities.
3. Exhibit a work ethic through perseverance and self-reflection.

Social

St. Joseph's students are Christ-like in action. They appreciate, respect and have compassion for others.

1. Demonstrate an appreciation and respect for differences in others.
2. Resolve conflict while modeling Christ's example.
3. Exhibit empathy for the needs of others through daily interactions.

Citizenship

St. Joseph's students are good citizens with a global awareness, using the Golden Rule to treat others with courtesy and respect.

1. Demonstrate common courtesy and respect by practicing hospitality, good manners, dignity, and proper etiquette.
2. Be a good Catholic role model by treating others as they would like to be treated (Golden Rule/Great Commandment).
3. Demonstrate an age-appropriate awareness of local, national, and global issues.

Physical

St. Joseph's students have healthy bodies and make healthy choices, positively sharing their gifts and talents.

1. Appreciate their own body as a temple of God by making healthy choices for their physical, social, mental, and emotional health.
2. Rejoice in and share the physical gifts and talents of self and others by modeling good sportsmanship and a positive attitude.