

HOLY CHILD ADVANTAGE

Our rural setting, dedicated staff, small class size, unique classical curriculum and Christ-centered approach provide your child with every advantage to develop to his or her fullest potential. Your child will be given room to grow and excel without being limited by arbitrary curricular expectations.

While we hold to the highest standard of academic excellence, we take an integral, classical approach to education, helping your child grow and learn emotionally, spiritually, socially, and physically. We form students who, with the support of their parents, are exceptionally well prepared for high school and college.

We believe that our school should provide a continuation of each family's role in passing on the faith to its children. We encourage parents to take an active role in building and maintaining a culture of academic excellence, self-discipline, and spiritual growth that will remain with the student throughout his or her academic career.



AD MAJOREM DEI GLORIAM

OUR MISSION

The mission of Holy Child Catholic School is to advance the development of the soul, mind, and body through a rigorous classical curriculum; to foster spiritual and intellectual growth; develop stewardship of God's gifts and inspire a love for the Eucharist, the Church, and evangelization.

We invite you to learn more!
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HOLY CHILD
 CATHOLIC SCHOOL

Pre-K and K through 8th grade

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CLASSICAL CURRICULUM

At the heart of our academic life is the principle that the true purpose of education is the integral formation of the person for the Good. The classical curriculum is an initiation into the profound spiritual and intellectual traditions of Western civilization. Its key elements are:

- A focus on the highest spiritual, literary, artistic, and scientific achievements of Western civilization. Students are exposed to the very best of which the human person is capable, and are thus inspired to excel themselves.
- Development of the memory as a critical intellectual faculty through repetition and memorization. A well-trained memory is a gift that fills the mind with beautiful and noble ideas to which the student can return for a lifetime.
- Our educational formation is organized by the ancient trivium of grammar, logic, and rhetoric. The early years are spent in the acquisition of knowledge (grammar), followed by the development of analytical and abstract thinking (logic), culminating in the ability to organize and present original ideas with clarity and confidence (rhetoric).

RAISING SAINTS, FORMING SCHOLARS

OUR CATHOLIC FOUNDATION

Ad Majorem Dei Gloriam – For the Greater Glory of God. Our school motto, taken from St. Ignatius of Loyola, forms the animating principle of our days. Above all, we strive to create an environment where students, staff, and parents are inspired to deepen their relationship with the Lord Jesus, in whom “we live, and move, and have our being.” (Acts 17:28)

- We are a Christ-centered school where the daily life of the teachers and students revolves around and is permeated by the teachings of Jesus Christ. We begin our school days with the Holy Mass.
- Our principal goal is the development of the whole child in accordance with the mission of the Church: the salvation of souls.
- Students have the opportunity to participate in the life of the parish and apostolates such as the Jr. St. Vincent de Paul Society, which ministers to the poor, the World Mission Society, and others.



HOLY CHILD CATHOLIC SCHOOL

OUR INTEGRAL APPROACH

In his first encyclical letter, Pope John Paul II said that “Christ the Redeemer fully reveals man to himself.” Inasmuch as Christ has redeemed the human person in his entirety, we believe that our students’ education must affect and form the whole person.

- Body, mind and soul are fed with weekly art and choral instruction, which expose the students to Truth, Goodness, and Beauty.
- Our physical education activities are not only fun, but augment the classroom learning process by focusing on hand/eye coordination and dexterity.



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