

Our School Philosophy

Saint Monica School is a Roman Catholic elementary school (grades K-8) located in Garfield Heights, Ohio with an enrollment of 400 students.

In considering the role of the Catholic school in education, we strive to create an environment for students to develop a true self concept, appreciating their own self-worth and being proud of their Catholic heritage.

The purpose of Saint Monica School, in cooperation with our parents, who are the prime educators, is to develop a right conscience to guide students to become instruments of God's word and extend themselves into their communities.

Teaching our students the use of technology and multimedia to help them in their education and future careers has become a priority at Saint Monica School. This goal relates to our mission, as we feel it is our responsibility to place special emphasis on academic excellence for our students to meet the challenges and demands of the 21st century.

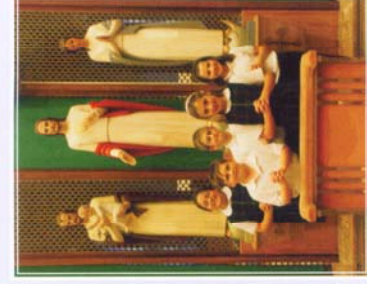
Thus, it is our goal to empower our students to learn in a way no other generation has experienced.

- State-of-the-art eMac computer lab
- Three iMac computers in each classroom
- 31 iBook laptop computers on mobile carts
- Closed-circuit, student-produced television and morning announcements show

Curriculum & Programs

- Religion, including weekly liturgical celebrations and sacramental programs
- Reading
- Language Arts
- Mathematics
- Spelling
- Penmanship
- Social Studies
- Science/Health
- Full-time technology teacher
- Full-time physical education teacher
- Full-time music teacher
- Part-time librarian
- Art facilities
- Science lab
- Support services, including psychological services, speech therapy, reading and math services
- Peer tutoring
- Before and After School Care Program
- Hot lunch program with full cafeteria facilities
- Student Council
- CYO athletic programs (SMS Tigers)
- Scouting programs for boys and girls
- Band program for grades 4-8
- Eighth Grade Drama Ministry
- Saint Monica Church Youth Choir
- Power of the Pen
- Parent Advisory Board
- Parent-Teacher Unit
- Junior Holy Name Society
- Math Club
- Juggle 5 Club

Visit Saint Monica's!



If you're considering a caring, Catholic school for your child, Saint Monica's is the place for you! Stop in for a personal tour, or call the school office for more information at 216-662-9380.

What our eighth grade students say:

"We believe that Saint Monica School is TIGER-RIFFIC because it is based on Catholic values and provides a rich environment that equips us to grow academically and spiritually. At Saint Monica, we have teachers who care and share their strong beliefs of faith. The school provides a secure environment that allows us to learn and follow Christ, as well as make lasting friendships."

Our Faculty

Teacher Educational Background

Bachelor Degree: 100%
Coursework beyond Bachelor Degree: 100%
Master Degree: 27%
Coursework beyond Master Degree: 18%

A Saint Monica School Education

- * An outstanding Catholic and comprehensive education
- * Gospel values, Catholic beliefs
- * Fully licensed and certified faculty and staff

Saint Monica School

13633 Rockside Road
Garfield Heights, Ohio 44125



WE ARE SAINT MONICA SCHOOL



Serving students in grades K-8 in a caring, Catholic environment.

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The mission of Saint Monica School is to follow the Gospel Message, to become witnesses of Jesus in the world, to emphasize respect for self and service to others, and to provide quality education for our students.

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