75 REASONS TO ATTEND SAINT ROSE SCHOOL

EDUCATION K-8

- 1. Graduates move on to become high school honor students, National Merit Scholars, National Robotics Champions
- 2. Proven curriculum is strong and solid
- 3. Core Academics: full spectrum of Language Arts (reading, writing, grammar, cursive, spelling, literature), Math, Science, Social Studies)
- 4. Communication between school and home is outstanding
- 5. Faculty and staff are approachable and helpful
- 6. Student projects & reports are full of enrichment
- 7. Small class sizes = individual attention for every student!
- 8. Interactive Technology SmartBoards and Mimio Boards in every classroom
- 9. Fully Accredited K-8
- 10. Art Classes with student art displayed at local art fairs
- 11. Spanish Curriculum
- 12. Liturgical Music Program
- 13. Computer Classes in an updated Mac Lab
- 14. Title I Opportunities (for qualifying students)
- 15. Volunteer Tutors
- 16. Speech Pathology offered on-site for qualifying students
- 17. Junior Great Books
- 18. Participation in Junior Achievement
- 19. Geography Bee Grades 4-8
- 20. Artist in Residence Visit
- 21. Fun and educational field trip opportunities

ELEMENTARY EDUCATION

- 22. Top-Notch Pre-Kindergarten Program
- 23. Phy-Ed 3 times a week for young kids plus daily outside play time!
- 24. Full day and 1/2 Day Kindergarten Options
- 25. Grades K-5: Book-It Program
- 26. Grade 4 Lighthouse Project, Planet Project & E-Math (Enrichment Math)
- 27. Grade 5 Breakfast Book Club
- 28. STARBASE field trips Grades 4-5

MIDDLE SCHOOL EDUCATION - GRADES 6-8

- 29. Exceptional preparation for high school with middle school located on separate floor with lockers and class changes
- 30. Students graduate with strong public speaking skills
- 31. Student Council
- 32. Required Service Hours
- 33. Math Club
- 34. Quiz Bowl
- 35. Book Club
- 36. 7th and 8th Grade Science Fair
- 37. 8th Grade Play & 8th Grade Retreat

EXTRACURRICULAR ACTIVITIES

- 38. Team Sports: Track, Basketball, Volleyball, Soccer, Football, Baseball, Softball, Swim Team, Hockey
- 39. Band lessons
- 40. Sterling Karate offered on-site during lunch
- 41. Participation in North Suburban Summer Academy
- 42. Boy Scouts & Girl Scouts
- 43. Young Rembrandts Art Classes
- 44. Yearbook Committee
- 45. Safety Patrol Program

SERVICE PROJECTS

- 46. Birthday bags donated to local food shelf for kids in need
- 47. 1st Grade Store earns money for Keystone Food Shelf and teaches kids to help at home
- 48. Blankets for Nursing Homes
- 49. Lenten/Easter Service Project: Easter Bags for an area Food Shelf
- 50. 6th, 7th and 8th Grade Charity of the Year: Students raise awareness, raise money and sponsor activities to promote chosen charity (Feed My Starving Children, Shop Ship Share, Heifer, Sharing & Caring Hands)
- 51. Deliver May Day baskets to surrounding neighborhoods
- 52. School-wide participation in Prayer Card Ministry
- 53. Food Shelf Collection at all school Masses

COMMUNITY AND FAITH

- 54. Students are happy and polite and respectful
- 55. Values that we hold at home are instilled in our children at school
- 56. Children are held accountable for their actions
- 57. Students love to go to school!
- 58. Solid moral teachings
- 59. Participation and leadership in Mass starting in Kindergarten
- 60. Strong focus on being leaders and modeling Christian values
- 61. Each day starts with a prayer
- 62. Proudly recite the Pledge of Allegiance daily
- 63. A disciplined, safe and secure environment
- 64. School building and facilities are immaculate
- 65. / Tuition Assistance & Reduced Lunch Costs (for qualifying families)
- 66. Reasonable uniform prices: Uniform Swap and year-round uniform room
- 67. Power Play: Childcare before school, after school, and on vacation days
- 68. Saint Rose is open to all faiths
- 69. Halloween costume parades and Christmas Trees!
- 70. Dedicated parent base
- 71. Religious studies (Catholic doctrine, Christian fundamentals, church history, Old and New Testament, in-class sacramental preparation for 2nd Graders)
- 72. Spirit Partner Program pairing older kids with younger kids for monthly projects
- 73. K-8 Christmas Program
- 74. Pre-Kindergarten Christmas Program and Spring Graduation
- 75. Pre-Kindergarten Extended Day Care Program