



2014-2015 CATHOLIC SCHOOL SELECTION GUIDE

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IMPORTANT DATES

Catholic Elementary School Open House Day
Tuesday, October 21, 2014 - 9:00-11:00 a.m. & 5:30-7:30 p.m.

**Elementary School Applications
Accepted For 2015-2016 School Year**
November, 2014-March, 2015

Catholic High School Open Houses
November-December, 2014 (Please see chart on page 20 for dates and times.)

High School Placement Test
Saturday, December 13, 2014, 9:00 a.m.-12:30 p.m.

Incoming freshmen are required to sit for the placement test at the Catholic high school they plan to attend. Incoming freshmen should bring \$10 and two #2 pencils. (If the December High School Placement Test (HSPT) is canceled due to inclement weather or other emergency, it will be rescheduled for the following Saturday in December.)

Catholic Schools Week
January 25-31, 2015

Acceptance Letters Sent By High Schools
February 9, 2015

High School Registration
February-March, 2015 (Please see chart on page 20 for dates and times.)

For more information, visit us online at ArchLouSchools.org

Living Faith

Our faith in Jesus Christ is the reason our schools exist. Therefore, both spiritual and academic experiences in Catholic schools enable students to deepen their relationship with Jesus Christ, broaden their knowledge of their faith, and connect their faith to their daily lives. The foundation of faith around which we build our academic programs permeates every aspect of the school day and continues beyond it. This faith-filled environment instills high degrees of self-confidence, self-respect, and self-discipline among students.

Ultimately, a Catholic education should prepare students to be good stewards of God's gifts and active people of faith who serve others, make a difference in the world, and participate in their faith and civic communities.

This spiritual mission is carried out in many ways—regular school liturgies, prayer experiences, sacramental preparation, retreats, classroom instruction, service learning, and extracurricular activities. This mission is supported by educators who are committed to fulfilling the teaching mission of Jesus Christ and who offer spiritual guidance in a faith-based environment.

We are committed to continuous improvement in this critical mission of our schools. One of the tools that we use to measure the impact of religious education is the Assessment of Catholic Religious Education (ACRE), a nationally-normed questionnaire that is administered annually to students in grades 5, 8 and 11. ACRE measures students' knowledge about their faith and offers opportunities for students to answer questions related to religious beliefs, practices, and perceptions. For more information about religious education guidelines, please visit www.archlou.org/schools.



Celebrating Community



Catholic schools in the Archdiocese of Louisville rank third in the nation in the ratio of the enrollment of students to the overall number of Catholics. This ranking is a testament to the support for Catholic education among all members of the Catholic community.

Visit any Catholic school and you will notice the spirit of camaraderie among students, teachers, and administrators. Catholic schools are a “community within a community” that unites people who share common values and goals as communities of faith.

Within this supportive environment, your child has the opportunity to grow in many ways. A wide variety of extracurricular activities—from academic and social clubs to intramural sports and performing arts—allows students to explore and express their individual gifts and abilities. This atmosphere is supported by teachers who serve as role models, coaches, and counselors and who spend many hours outside of school helping with activities, leading retreats, and assisting students with their academic, personal, and spiritual growth.

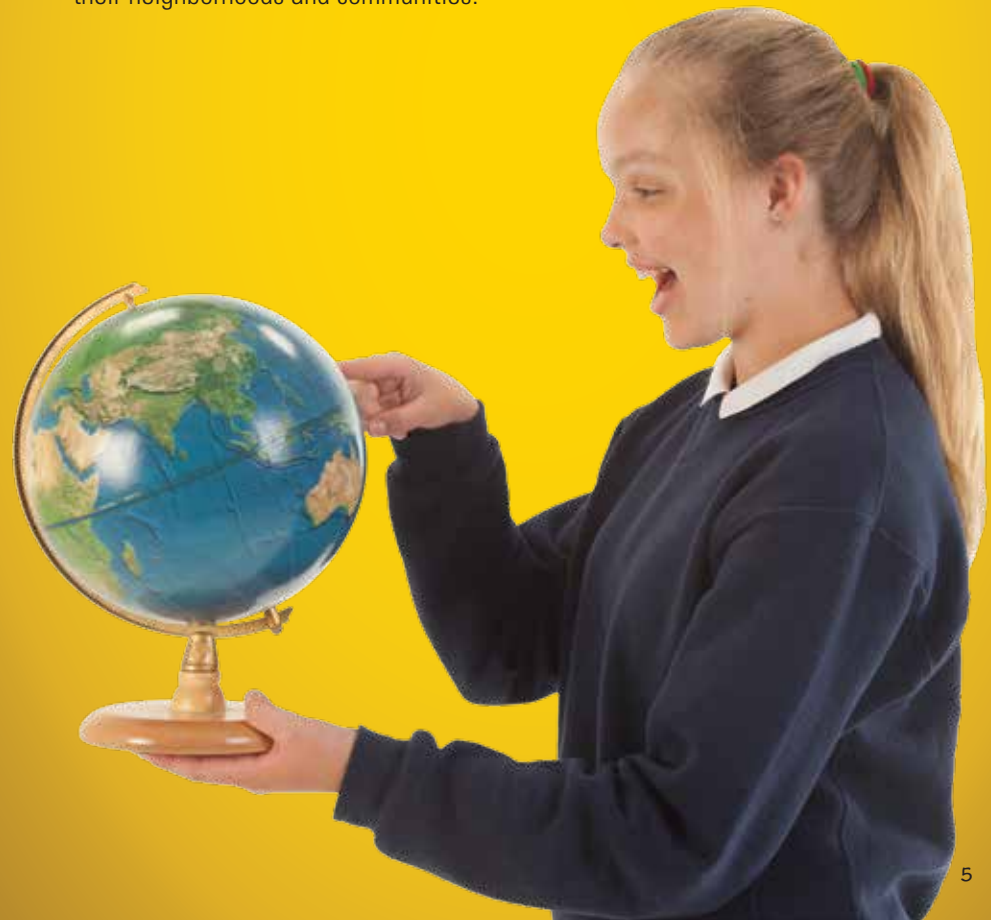
Parents are an important part of this community, and parental leadership and involvement is supported and welcomed in Catholic schools. Parents become an integral part of the school community as they assist with spiritual, academic, athletic, and creative initiatives and as they get to know their children’s teachers, peers, and other parents.

Catholic schools welcome students from a variety of ethnic, religious, and social backgrounds, and programs are based upon a shared sense of respect for the contributions of every student. Thirteen percent of students who attend Catholic schools are from other faith traditions.

Embracing Service

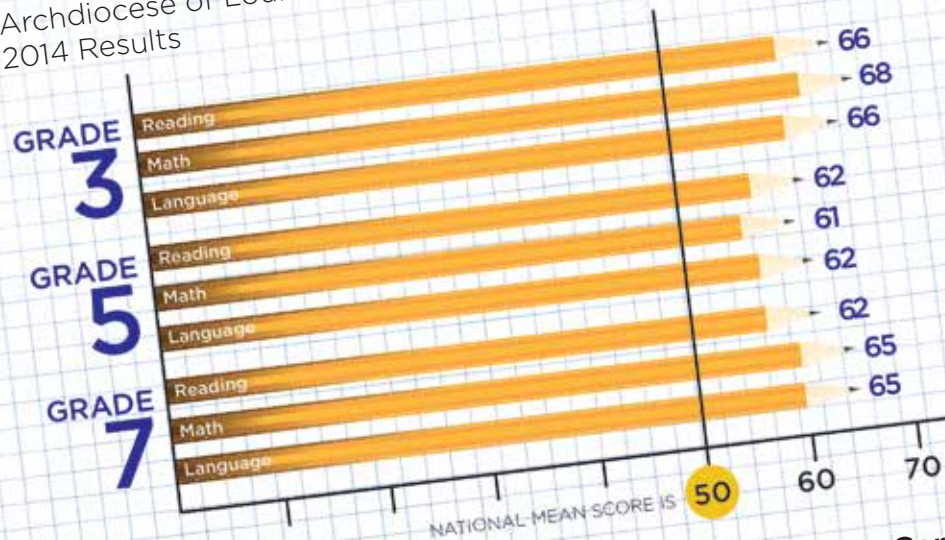
As students mature within the supportive environment of Catholic schools, they are challenged to take that gift of fellowship and give back to the broader community. Students visit the elderly in nursing homes, bring Christmas presents to poverty-stricken areas, build Habitat for Humanity houses, and raise money for a variety of issues. They visit civic and governmental institutions to learn about systems, how to be good citizens, and how to advocate for their beliefs. Last year, students in our Catholic high schools clocked more than 162,000 hours of community service.

Catholic schools also offer many programs in which students are encouraged to develop leadership skills and civic responsibility, including service learning programs, pro-life organizations, environmental clubs, student government, mock legislative clubs, and parish youth ministry programs. Dozens of Catholic school students are honored each year for unique contributions that they have made to their neighborhoods and communities.



Inspiring Achievement

Elementary Grades K-8, Terra Nova, Third Edition
Archdiocese of Louisville Catholic Schools
2014 Results



Secondary Achievements and Class of 2014 Report Card

98% of graduates pursuing college/post-secondary education
15 National Merit Semi-Finalists
15 National Merit Finalists
20 National Merit Commended Scholars
47 Governor's Scholars (Class of 2015)
8 Governor's School for the Arts (Class of 2015)
 Average ACT Score: **24.1** (99% of students took the ACT)
 Average SAT Score: **1215** (14% of students took the SAT)
 High School Hours of Community Service: **162,024**
 College Scholarships: **\$121.3 Million**

Inspiring Achievement

Students emerge from Catholic schools with a strong liberal arts education that is supported by technology and focused on the skills needed for today and tomorrow. Students learn decision-making skills, develop high levels of literacy in language arts and mathematics, apply inquiry-based experimentation and problem solving, and build understanding and appreciation for world history and cultures. They also participate in award-winning visual and performing arts programs, build lifelong habits of fitness, and engage in a variety of high-quality electives and extracurricular activities.

The programs in our schools exceed state requirements and are measured through regular testing. These tests show that Catholic school students in the Archdiocese of Louisville score significantly higher than state and national averages.

Catholic schools provide a bridge to other life experiences and opportunities. Graduates of Catholic high schools are well prepared for college and life, and up to 98% of seniors typically pursue post-secondary education. The class of 2014 earned more than \$121 million in scholarships.

Several Catholic schools have been recognized as Blue Ribbon Schools of Excellence. This award represents the highest national honor presented to quality schools by the U.S. Department of Education. In addition, a number of schools have won awards for technology innovation, teaching excellence, and the arts.

The professionals who teach your children are well prepared to provide a rigorous and comprehensive education. Catholic school teachers are certified, and three out of four have advanced degrees. In addition, teachers regularly participate in continuing education opportunities to keep current with innovations in education and religious instruction.



Tuition Assistance Availability

Catholic schools remain accessible by offering a wide range of tuition assistance options.



Tuition assistance is available from:

- Archdiocese of Louisville
- Catholic Education Foundation
- Catholic High Schools
- Parishes

Last year more than \$9.7 million was given to Catholic school students.

All tuition assistance, applications, and procedures are handled through the Private School Aid Service (PSAS) with one form that is obtained through your school. Even if you have students in more than one Catholic school, you can apply for all of your children on one PSAS form. The deadline for submitting the PSAS form for the 2015-2016 school year is March 13, 2015.

The Private School Aid Service is an independent, third-party service that provides reasonable assessments of the ability of families to pay tuition at private and parochial schools. For more information about PSAS, go to psas.org.

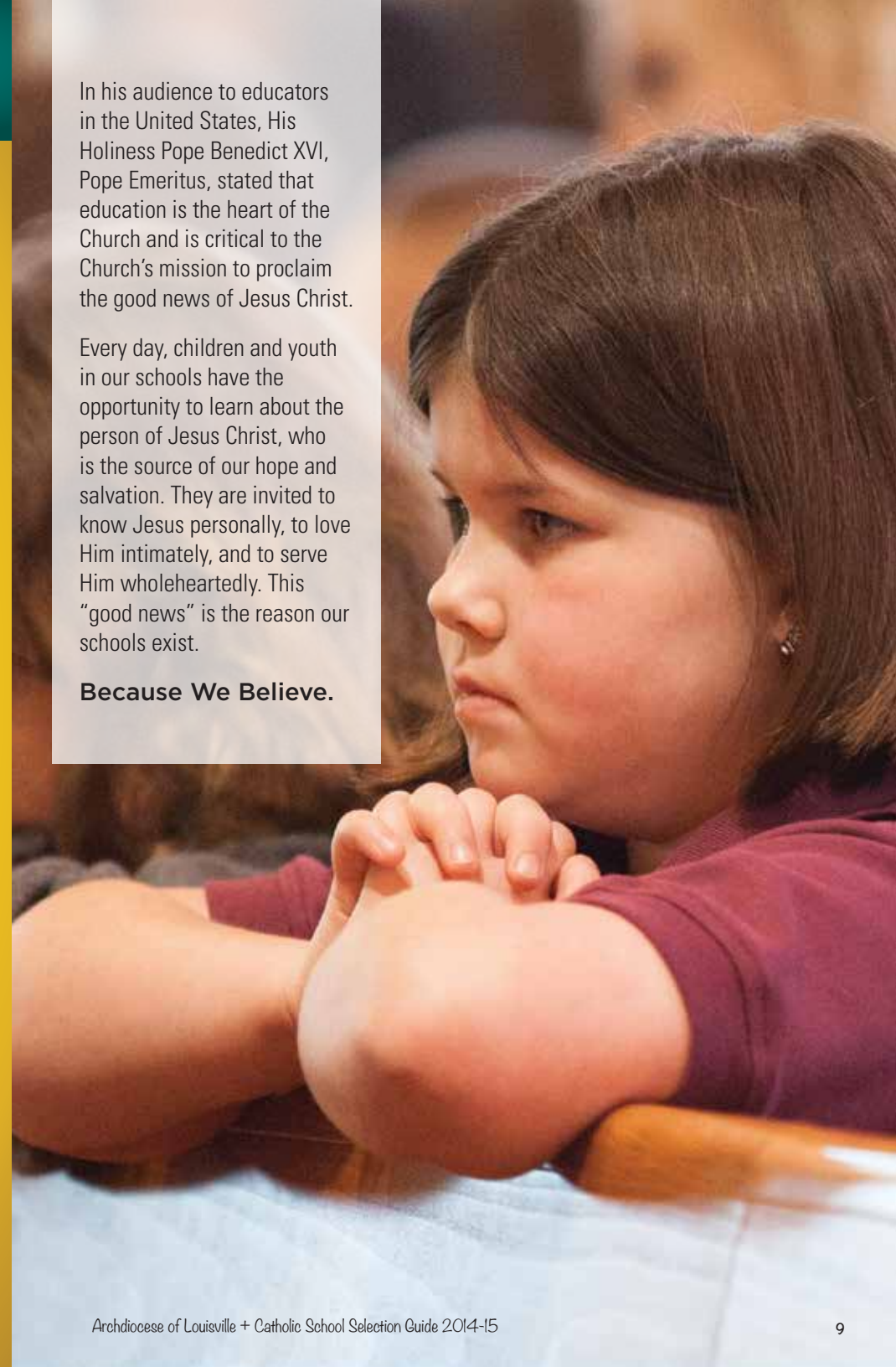
Copies of the PSAS analysis and forms are shared only with the contracting parish, school, or agency; no one else will receive this information. Final decisions about tuition assistance will be communicated to you from your school or the Catholic Education Foundation.

Parish membership is not required in order to receive tuition assistance.

In his audience to educators in the United States, His Holiness Pope Benedict XVI, Pope Emeritus, stated that education is the heart of the Church and is critical to the Church's mission to proclaim the good news of Jesus Christ.

Every day, children and youth in our schools have the opportunity to learn about the person of Jesus Christ, who is the source of our hope and salvation. They are invited to know Jesus personally, to love Him intimately, and to serve Him wholeheartedly. This "good news" is the reason our schools exist.

Because We Believe.



The Elementary Enrollment Process

Catholic elementary schools in the Archdiocese of Louisville are typically ministries of a parish or group of parish communities. If you are not a member of a parish or if you attend a parish that does not have a school, visit several schools and consider the needs of your child.

Open House

Prospective parents are invited to a special elementary school open house day on Tuesday, October 21. Tours and presentations will be conducted from 9:00 a.m. to 11:00 a.m. and from 5:30 p.m. to 7:30 p.m.

Application information will be available at all elementary schools.

School Visits

In addition, many schools have regularly scheduled tours and sessions for new families, and all welcome your questions and interest.

Applications

Some Catholic elementary schools may have waiting lists for certain grades so it is a good idea to call in advance of your visit to find out their application and admission policies and procedures. Generally families apply for admission to elementary schools in January and February and are notified of their acceptance by March 1. Once notified for acceptance, families are eligible to complete the tuition assistance process, and tuition assistance forms are due to Private School Aid Service (PSAS) by mid-March. PSAS packets are available at your school.

For specific information about registration dates, tuition, and admission requirements, contact the principal at the Catholic elementary school where you plan to enroll your child. This brochure includes a map that locates each school and a listing of the schools with phone numbers, web sites, addresses, and principals' names. More information also can be found at www.archlou.org/schools.



The High School Enrollment Process

Shadowing

Shadowing is an opportunity for students in grades 7 and 8 to experience a typical high school day. Call the Catholic secondary school at least 72 hours in advance to schedule a shadowing experience for your child. Shadowing is for students only. Parents may schedule a tour of the building at a later and more convenient time for the secondary school. Eighth-grade students shadow during the fall semester, and seventh-grade students shadow during the spring semester. Shadowing should be scheduled on days when elementary schools are not in session.

Open House

Open houses provide opportunities for students and parents to visit Catholic secondary school campuses. Open houses may include tours, special programs, and demonstrations. The format of the open house is interactive, and parents and students will have opportunities to ask questions. Refer to the enclosed listing of high schools for specific open house dates.

Placement Test

All students who plan to attend a Catholic secondary school must take the placement test at the secondary school they plan to attend. The test is scheduled for Saturday, December 13, 2014, from 9:00 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. Students need to bring \$10 and two #2 pencils. If the December High School Placement Test (HSPT) is canceled due to inclement weather or any other emergency, it will be rescheduled for the following Saturday in December. The placement test is timed and generally takes three hours. Extended time of up to one and a half hours may be granted to students with special needs, with appropriate documentation sent from the elementary school to the secondary school three weeks prior to the test date.

The placement test helps Catholic secondary schools determine the most appropriate course work and academic path for meeting the needs of individual students. The placement test is only one of several tools used for academic placement. There are many variables that help determine whether or not students are accepted into the secondary school of their choice. Taking the placement test does not guarantee admission into a Catholic secondary school.

Acceptance Letters

Acceptance letters and notification of registration will be sent by all Catholic secondary schools on February 9, 2015. For the registration dates of individual Catholic secondary schools, please refer to the enclosed listing of high schools.

JEFFERSON COUNTY CATHOLIC SCHOOLS



Catholic Elementary Schools

		Map Location	Before School Care	After School Care	Preschool/Day Care Ages	Grades	2013-2014 Enrollment
ST. AGNES 1800 Newburg Road, Louisville, KY 40205 www.stagneslouisville.org, jdaly@stagneslouisville.org Julie Daly, Principal (502) 458-2850	1		✓			K-8	412
ST. ALBERT THE GREAT 1395 Girard Drive, Louisville, KY 40222 www.stalbert.org, bcooper@stalbert.org Bernadette Cooper, Principal (502) 425-1804	2		✓		3-4 (School Year)	PreK-8	678
ST. ANDREW ACADEMY 7724 Columbine Drive, Louisville, KY 40258 www.saintandrewacademy.org, jbarz.standrew@gmail.com Jennifer Barz, Principal (502) 935-4578 ext 237	3	✓	✓		3-4 (PreK & Extended Care All Year)	PreK-8	240
ASCENSION 4600 Lynnbrook Drive, Louisville, KY 40220 www.ascension-parish.com, susthomas@ascension-parish.com Terry Mullaney, Principal (502) 451-2535	4	✓	✓		3-4 (PreK & Extended Care All Year)	PreK-8	158
ST. ATHANASIUS 5915 Outer Loop, Louisville, KY 40219 www.stathanasiusschool.org, reecem@athanasiusschool.org Marjorie Reece, Principal (502) 969-2345	5	✓	✓		4 (School Year)	PreK-8	435
ST. BERNARD 7500 Tangelo Drive, Louisville, KY 40228 www.stbernardlou.com, fklausing@stbernardlou.com Fred Klausing, Principal (502) 239-5178	6	✓	✓		3-4 (School Year)	PreK-8	467
ST. EDWARD 9610 Sue Helen Drive, Louisville, KY 40299 www.stedwardchurch.com, abradley@stedwardtown.org Andrew Bradley, Principal (502) 267-6633	7		✓		3-4 (School Year)	PreK-8	400
ST. FRANCIS OF ASSISI 1938 Alfresco Place, Louisville, KY 40205 www.sfalouisville.org, sfrommeyer@ccsfa.org Steve Frommeyer, Principal (502) 459-3088	8	✓	✓			K-8	244
ST. GABRIEL 5503 Bardstown Road, Louisville, KY 40291 www.stgabriel.net/school, phuelsman@stgabriel.net Pam Huelsman, Principal (502) 239-5535	9		✓		3-4 (PreK & Extended Care All Year)	PreK-8	778
HOLY SPIRIT 322 Cannons Lane, Louisville, KY 40206 www.hspiritschool.org, dswenson@hspiritschool.org Doris Swenson, Principal (502) 893-7700	10		✓		Age 4 (PreK School Year; Summer Program for K-8)	PreK-8	431
HOLY TRINITY 423 Cherrywood Road, Louisville, KY 40207 www.ht-school.org, jrichards@ht-school.org Jack Richards, Principal (502) 897-2785	11		✓		4 (School Year)	PreK-8	767
ST. JAMES 1818 Edenside Avenue, Louisville, KY 40204 www.stjamesbluejays.com, jpurichia1@stjamesbluejays.com Jeff Purichia, Principal (502) 454-0330 ext. 11	12	✓	✓		3-4 (PreK & Extended Care All Year)	PreK-8	210
JOHN PAUL II ACADEMY 3525 Goldsmith Lane, Louisville, KY 40220 www.jp2a.org, lwilt@john-paul-academy.org Lynn Wilt, Principal (502) 452-1712	13	✓	✓		3-4 (PreK & Extended Care All Year)	PreK-8	208

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ST. LEONARD 440 Zorn Avenue, Louisville, KY 40206 www.stleonardlouisville.org, mparola@stleonardlouisville.org Mary Parola, Principal (502) 897-5265	14		✓		3-4 (School Year)	PreK-8	193
ST. MARGARET MARY 7813 Shelbyville Road, Louisville, KY 40222 www.stmm.org/school, wsims@stmm.org Wendy Sims, Principal (502) 426-2635	15		✓			K-8	720
ST. MARTHA 2825 Klondike Lane, Louisville, KY 40218 www.stmarthaschool.org, cguizio@stmarthaschool.org Cathy Guizio, Principal (502) 491-3171	16	✓	✓		Age 4 (PreK & Extended Care All Year)	PreK-8	429
SAINT MARY ACADEMY 11311 St. Mary Lane, Prospect, KY 40059 www.saintmaryacademy.com, mazettel@saintmaryacademy.com Mary Alice Zettel, Principal (502) 315-2555	17		✓		3-4 (PreK School Year)	PreK-8	571
ST. MICHAEL 3703 Stone Lakes Drive, Louisville, KY 40299 www.stmikellc.org, smarstiller@stmichaellouisville.org Sheila Marstiller, Principal (502) 267-6155	18		✓		3-4 (PreK & Extended Care All Year)	PreK-8	616
ST. NICHOLAS ACADEMY 5501 New Cut Road, Louisville, KY 40214 www.sna-panthers.org, kdelozier@sna-panthers.org Kathy DeLozier, Principal (502) 368-8506	19		✓		3-4 (PreK & Extended Care All Year)	PreK-8	380
NOTRE DAME ACADEMY 1927 Lewiston Drive, Louisville, KY 40216 www.ndasaints.org, b.scherr@ndasaints.org Bernice Scherr, Principal (502) 447-3155	20	✓	✓		3-4 (PreK & Extended Care All Year)	PreK-8	427
OUR LADY OF LOURDES 510 Breckenridge Lane, Louisville, KY 40207 www.ourlourdes.org, laurag@ourlourdes.org Laura Glaser, Principal (502) 895-5122	21		✓		3-4 (School Year)	PreK-8	468
ST. PATRICK 1000 North Beckley Station Road, Louisville, KY 40245 www.stpatrick-lou.org, dr.mbratcher@stpatrick-lou.org Dr. Michael Bratcher, Principal (502) 244-7083	22		✓			JK-8	664
ST. PAUL 6901 Dixie Highway, Louisville, KY 40258 www.saintpaulschool.net, Kevin.brever@saintpaulschool.net Kevin Brever, Principal (502) 935-5511	23	✓	✓		Age 3 Preschool Age 4 PreK (School Year)	PreK-8	205
ST. RAPHAEL 2131 Lancashire Avenue, Louisville, KY 40205 www.straphaelschool.org, pdezarn@srparish.org Dr. Paul DeZarn, Principal (502) 456-1541	24		✓		18mos.-5 (Daycare, PreK, and Extended Care All Year)	PreK-8	370
ST. RITA 8709 Preston Highway, Louisville, KY 40219 www.saintriticatholicschool.com, nhulsegwed@striticatholicschool.com Neil Hulsegwed, Principal (502) 969-7067	25		✓		Age 4 (School Year)	PreK-8	199
ST. STEPHEN MARTYR 2931 Pindell Avenue, Louisville, KY 40217 www.ssmartyr.org/school.html, dcomella@ssmartyr.org Dennis Comella, Principal (502) 635-7141	26		✓		3-4 (PreK & Extended Care All Year)	PreK-8	278



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Catholic Elementary Schools

Outside Jefferson County

Map Location
Before School Care
After School Care
Preschool/Day Care Ages
Grades
2013-2014 Enrollment

HARDIN COUNTY						
ST. JAMES Sr. Michael Marie Friedman, OSUMSJ, Principal 401 Robinbrooke Blvd., Elizabethtown, KY 42701 (270) 765-7011 www.edline.net/pages/sjs-etown, sjs@stjames-etown.org	27	✓	3-4 (PreK & Extended Care School Year)	PreK-8	459	
MARION COUNTY						
ST. AUGUSTINE Virginia Hamilton, Principal 236 South Spalding Avenue, Lebanon, KY 40033 (270) 692-2063 www.staugustinecatholicsschool.net, vhamilton@saintaschool.net (Principal) awhitlock@saintaschool.net (Office)	28	✓	3-4 (School Year)	PreK-8	205	
NELSON COUNTY						
ST. ANN Lois Ann Cecil, Principal 7500 Howardstown Road, Howardstown, KY 40051 (502) 549-7310 staschool@hughes.net	29			K-8	25	
ST. CATHERINE Jo Renee O'Bryan, Principal 413 First Street, New Haven, KY 40051 (502) 549-3680 www.stcatherineacademy.net, jobryan@saintcatherineschool.com	30		3-4 (School Year)	PreK-8	93	
ST. GREGORY John Westerfield, Principal 350 Samuels Loop, Cox's Creek, KY 40013 (502) 348-9583 www.stgregoryparish.org, john.westerfield@stgregoryparish.org	31	✓	3-4 (School Year)	PreK-8	160	
ST. JOSEPH Michael Bickett, Principal 320 West Stephen Foster Avenue, Bardstown, KY 40004 (502) 348-5994 www.stjoeelem.org, mbickett@stjoeelem.org	32	✓	3-4 (School Year)	PreK-8	457	
OLDHAM COUNTY						
ST. ALOYSIUS Maryann Hayslip, Principal 122 Mount Mercy Drive, Pewee Valley, KY 40056 (502) 241-8516 www.stalloysiusky.org, schooloffice@stalloysiuspwv.org	33	✓	Older 3-5 (School Year)	PreK-8	444	
WASHINGTON COUNTY						
ST. DOMINIC Pamela Breunig, Principal 309 West Main Street, Springfield, KY 40069 (859) 336-7165 www.stdominicelem.org, pbreunig@stdominicelem.org	34	✓	3-4 (School Year)	PreK-8	173	



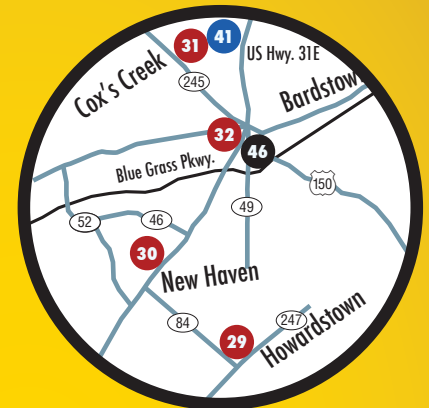
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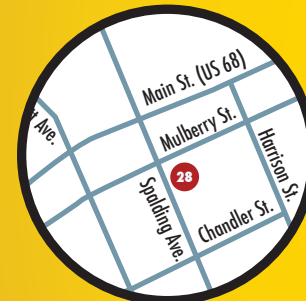
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HARDIN COUNTY



NELSON COUNTY



MARION COUNTY



OLDHAM COUNTY



WASHINGTON COUNTY

- PreK/Day Care
 - Elementary School
 - High School
- As numbered in school charts

Catholic Private Schools



	Map Location	Before School Care	After School Care	Preschool/Day Care Ages	Grades	2013-2014 Enrollment
NATIVITY ACADEMY AT ST. BONIFACE Carol Nord, Executive Director • Meghan Weyland, Principal 529 East Liberty Street, Louisville, KY 40202 (502) 855-3300 www.nativitylouisville.org, mweyland@nativityacademy.org	35	✓	✓		6-8	68
PITT ACADEMY Renee Doty, Principal 6010 Preston Highway, Louisville, KY 40219 (502) 966-6979 www.pitt.com, rdoty@pitt.com (Pitt Academy is a school for students with special needs and learning differences.)	36		✓		K-12	42
SACRED HEART MODEL SCHOOL Ann Carol Grant, Principal 3107 Lexington Road, Louisville, KY 40206 (502) 896-3931 www.shslou.org, ablim@shslou.org	37		✓	1-6 and Jr. K	PreK-8	358
SACRED HEART SCHOOL FOR THE ARTS Dr. Anna Jo Paul, Interim Executive Director 3105 Lexington Road, Louisville, KY 40206 (502) 897-1816 www.shslou.org, apaul@shslou.org	38				All Ages	400



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Catholic Preschools & Daycares

	Map Location	Before School Care	After School Care	Preschool	Day Care Ages	Grades	2013-2014 Enrollment
HOLY FAMILY CHILD DEVELOPMENT CENTER Janice Northcutt, Director (502) 708-3260 3926 Popular Level Road, Louisville, KY 40213 7 a.m. – 6 p.m. www.hofaky.org jnorthcutt@hofaky.org	39			✓	✓	Ages 2-5	70
ST. JOSEPH CHILD DEVELOPMENT CENTER Angela Jacobi, Director (502) 893-0241 ext. 312 2823 Frankfort Avenue, Louisville, KY 40206 7 a.m. – 6 p.m. www.sjkids.org angelaj@sjkids.org	40		✓	✓	✓	6 Wks-PreK	140
ST. JOSEPH MONTESSORI CHILDREN'S CENTER Amy Lee Carpenter, Administrator (502) 348-1540 161 West Drive, Nazareth, KY 40048 7:30 a.m. – 6 p.m. www.stjosephmontessori.org, stjosephmontessori.org	41	✓	✓	✓		Ages 3-6	46
ST. LAWRENCE CHILD ENRICHMENT CENTER Suzanne Stewart, Director Preschool; Before and After School Care and Summer Care. 1925 Lewiston Drive, Louisville, KY 40216 (502) 449-4021 s.stewart@ndasaints.org 6:30 a.m. – 6 p.m. (See also Notre Dame Academy in school listing)	42	✓	✓	✓		Preschool (ages 3 and PreK), Extended Care for PreK-Gr. 8	137
MARY QUEEN OF PEACE PRESCHOOL Gloria Haines, Director (502) 447-0760 4007 Dixie Highway, Louisville, KY 40216 7:30 a.m. – 4:30 p.m. www.mqopshivelyky.org MQOP@twc.com School Year Only.	43		✓	✓		PreK (ages 3-4), Extended Care for PreK-Gr. 5	23
SACRED HEART PRESCHOOL Vicki Furlow, Director (502) 896-3941 3105 Lexington Road, Louisville, KY 40206 7 a.m. – 6 p.m. www.shslou.org vfurlow@shslou.org (See also Sacred Heart Model School in school listing)	44	✓	✓	✓		PreK (ages 1-5), Junior Kindergarten	263

Please also see listing of schools; many parish schools offer preschool programs and school-age extended care programs.



Map Location
2014 Open House
2015 Registration Dates
Young Men
Young Women
2013-2014 Enrollment

ASSUMPTION HIGH SCHOOL Mary Lang, President • Martha Tedesco, Principal 2170 Tyler Lane, Louisville, KY 40205 (502) 458-9551 www.ahsrockets.org, Lisa.Vanwallaghen@ahsrockets.org	45	Dec. 4, 6:30 p.m.	Mar. 3-4, 5-9 p.m.	✓	925
BETHLEHEM HIGH SCHOOL Tom Hamilton, Principal 309 West Stephen Foster Avenue, Bardstown, KY 40004 (502) 348-8594 www.bethlehemhigh.org, cmedley@bethlehemhigh.org	46	Nov. 2, 12:30-2:30 p.m.	Feb. 19 & March 3, 3:30-6:30 p.m.	✓	304
DESALES HIGH SCHOOL Doug Strothman, President • Suzanne Barnett, Vice Pres. of Academics/ Principal 425 W. Kenwood Drive, Louisville, KY 40214 (502) 368-6519 www.desaleshighschool.com, justin.lewis@desaleshs.com	47	Nov. 16, 1-3 p.m.	Feb. 17, 6 p.m.	✓	313
HOLY CROSS HIGH SCHOOL Tim Weihe, President • Danielle Wiegandt, Principal 5144 Dixie Highway, Louisville, KY 40216 (502) 447-4363 www.holycrosshs.com, kfoushee@holycrosshs.com	48	Nov. 23, 4-6 p.m.	Feb. 19, 6:30 p.m.	✓	263
MERCY ACADEMY Michael Johnson, President • Amy Elstone, Principal 5801 Fegenbush Lane, Louisville, KY 40228 (502) 671-2010 www.mercyacademy.com, almorris@mercyjaguars.com	49	Nov. 22, 10 a.m.- 1 p.m.	March 3-4, 6:00 p.m.	✓	551
PRESENTATION ACADEMY Sr. Christine Beckett, SCN, President • Barbara Wine, Principal 861 South 4th Street, Louisville, KY 40203 (502) 583-5935 www.presentationacademy.org, jback@presentationacademy.org	50	Nov. 23, 12-3 p.m.	March 3, 7:00 p.m.	✓	270
SACRED HEART ACADEMY Dr. Cynthia Crabtree, President • Mary Lee McCoy, Principal 3175 Lexington Road, Louisville, KY 40206 (502) 897-6097 www.shslou.org, Lhitron@shslou.org	51	Dec. 7, 2-4:30 p.m.	March 10, 6-7:30 p.m.	✓	844
TRINITY HIGH SCHOOL Dr. Robert Mullen, President • Daniel Zoeller, Principal 4011 Shelbyville Road, Louisville, KY 40207 (502) 895-9427 www.trinityrocks.com, browning@throck.net	52	Nov. 9, 12-5 p.m.	Feb. 24, 26 & March 3 7 p.m.	✓	1275
ST. XAVIER HIGH SCHOOL Dr. Perry Sangalli, President • Francisco Espinosa, Jr., Principal 1609 Poplar Level Road, Louisville, KY 40217 (502) 637-4712 www.saintx.com, kwoodward@saintx.com	53	Nov. 9, 12-4 p.m.	Mar. 2 & 4, 6-8:15 p.m.	✓	1350



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HIGH SCHOOL PLACEMENT TEST

Saturday, December 13, 2014
9:00 a.m. – 12:30 p.m.
Incoming Freshmen
\$10 & Two #2 pencils

A Letter From Archbishop Joseph E. Kurtz, D.D.

Dear Parents,

May God bless you! In his apostolic exhortation, *Evangelii Gaudium*, Pope Francis reminds us, "The word of God constantly challenges those who believe in Him to 'go forth.'" The refrain of our Holy Father's to go forth and proclaim the good news of salvation is at the heart of our mission of Catholic education.

Over the last couple of years, the Archdiocese has embarked on a planning process for Catholic schools, which will introduce initiatives to invite others to experience the wonderful gift of Catholic school education. We are challenging ourselves, as our Holy Father challenges us, to go forth by reaching out even more to those most in need. We stand on the shoulders of generations of Catholics who sacrificed to build our wonderful Catholic schools, and as we give thanks for this legacy, we are reminded of the words in the Gospel according to St. Luke: "Much will be required of the person entrusted with much..." I am thankful for the efforts of our Catholic Education Foundation and many individual parishes and schools who seek to assist those families who cannot afford a Catholic school education and who provided more than \$9.7 million in assistance last year.

This guide details the gifts of our Catholic schools. We are proud of the stellar academic and learning environment that Catholic schools provide, and I hope you review the excellent report card that our graduating class of 2014 posted. With a record \$121 million in scholarships, 98% are continuing their education beyond high school, and nearly two-thirds of the class received an academic scholarship. The average ACT score of 24.1 is well above state and national averages. In addition, the 3rd and 7th grade mean scale scores on the Terra Nova test exceed the Blue Ribbon cut scores for the current year, which puts our archdiocesan scores in the top 15% of standardized test scores in the country.

I hope that this information is helpful as you discern what is best for your children. Please know of my prayers for all parents in our Archdiocese as you seek to support your children in the school of love that is the family.

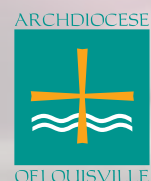
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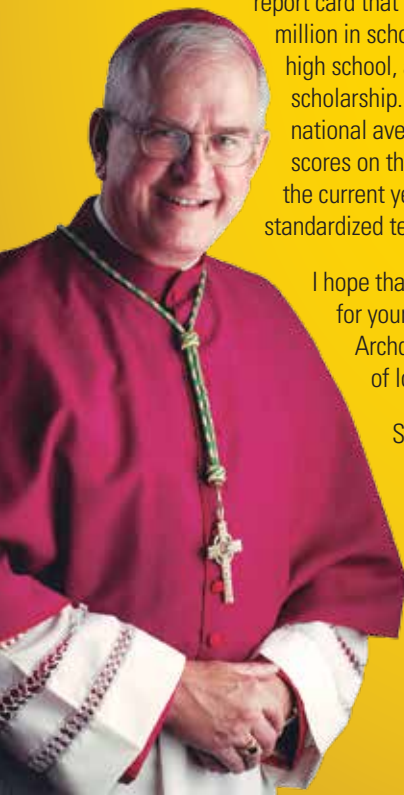
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