

SAINT MARY OFFERS...

- Full Day Kindergarten
- Full & Part-time Preschool
- Innovative Instruction
- Enrichment Programs
- Computer Lab [K-8]
- Technology Coordinator
- Drama Program
- Spring Musical
- Power of the Pen
- Extensive Literacy Programs
- Instrumental Music
- Choir
- Breakfast With a Book
- Foreign Language
- Organized Sports
- Chess Club
- Scouts
- Student Council
- Educational Field Trips
- Community Service
- Youth-to-Youth
- D.A.R.E.
- Weekly Mass
- Daily Prayer
- Liturgical Celebrations
- Advanced Certified Religion Instructors

“Saint Mary has always encouraged our children and challenged them to reach higher, especially through advanced math and reading programs.”

Brian & Patty Collins, parents



SERVICES

- ★ Inclusion School
- ★ Remedial Reading & Math Services
- ★ Health Screenings
- ★ Registered Nurse
- ★ Guidance Counselor
- ★ Speech Therapist
- ★ Occupational Therapist
- ★ School Psychologist
- ★ Daily Breakfast & Hot Lunch

AT-A-GLANCE

With our close proximity to downtown, students come from throughout Central Ohio

A diverse student body of religious backgrounds and races, 20% of our students are non-Catholic

Small student-to-teacher ratio

Accredited by the Ohio Catholic School Accrediting Association & the State of Ohio



*Centrally located in Historic German Village
Minutes from downtown*



AWARDS

Outstanding Efforts to Promote the Spiritual Dimension of a Catholic School, Diocesan School Board

National Newspaper in Education Certificate

*Youth Science Opportunities Award,
Ohio Department of Education*

*Reading Hall of Fame Award,
Ohio Department of Education*

*Certificate for Promoting Student Writing,
Ohio Department of Education*

*Classroom of the Future Project,
Grant Winner for State of Ohio*

Diocesan Teacher of the Year Award Winners

For more information or to schedule a tour call:

614-444-8994

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PRESCHOOL - 8TH GRADE
SAINT MARY
ELEMENTARY SCHOOL

*Fostering academic excellence
and spiritual growth
since 1865*



FULL DAY
KINDERGARTEN

FULL-TIME & PART-TIME
PRESCHOOL

MINUTES FROM DOWNTOWN

BEFORE & AFTER SCHOOL CARE

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CATHOLIC SCHOOL EDUCATION

The freedom to ask WHY?
That's **Exploring**

The freedom to say YES!
That's **Commitment**

The freedom to say NO!
That's **Discipline**

You'll notice the difference as soon as you walk in the door.

Classrooms and hallways bulge with student projects, parents know each other and look out for each others' children in an atmosphere of faith and respect.

Traditions are treasured as teachers nurture and reinforce the values parents have instilled.

Children are encouraged to laugh and to create, life-long friendships form and students grow into aware, active and assertive citizens.

Since 1865, Saint Mary School has offered a learning environment with the united effort of dedicated teachers, staff and parents.

"The teachers and staff at Saint Mary are amazing. They have a high level of skill and commitment to our students. And, they aren't just great teachers, they are like family."

Sharyn Perry, parent



OUR MISSION

As an instrument of the Catholic Church and Saint Mary Parish, we help parents to educate children and to guide children to live as disciples of Jesus.

OUR BELIEFS

Each student is welcomed as a valued individual with unique physical, spiritual, social, emotional and intellectual gifts.

A safe, respectful and disciplined environment promotes student learning.

Curriculum, instructional and assessment practices should incorporate a variety of learning strategies to accommodate differences in learning styles and abilities.

Parental participation is essential for student success.

Our students' understanding of different people and cultures is enhanced by the diversity that exists in our school community.

"We chose Saint Mary School because of its friendly, personal environment. We know our children's friends and their parents. Families are actively involved in the school and parish community."

Tom & Suzanne Martello, parents



INVOLVEMENT

Our state-certified teachers continuously strive to improve the quality of instruction at Saint Mary School and throughout the community. They attend workshops, graduate courses and seminars to learn the latest research and innovative teaching methods.

Parents play a large role in our school's success by sharing new ideas, volunteering or participating in school organizations such as:

**Home and School Association
School Advisory Board
Athletic Association**

EXTENDED CARE PROGRAM

Saint Mary School offers an excellent, well-structured extended care program before and after school and during the summer.

**Before School Hours: 7AM - 8AM
After School Hours: 3PM - 6PM
Summer Hours: 7AM - 6PM**



"Saint Mary offers lots of activities that bring students together, like sports and Book Fairs and the Spaghetti Dinner. We have fun projects. We can have fun and work at the same time."

Kyle, Morgan & Delaney Dawson, students

