

the facts

CATHOLIC EDUCATION
CATHOLIC DIOCESE OF CLEVELAND

High School Class of 2014:

- ★ 29 National Merit Finalists
- ★ 24 National Merit Semi-Finalists
- ★ 99% Graduation Rate
- ★ 97% of Seniors went on to higher education
- ★ \$231 Million awarded in college scholarships

About Our Schools...

- ★ 95 Elementary Schools
- ★ 20 Secondary Schools
- ★ 57 Pre-Kindergarten Programs
(within elementary schools)
- ★ 45,155 total students enrolled

Elementary Schools

- ★ 100% Graduation Rate
- ★ 76% of Eighth Graders went on to a Catholic high school
- ★ In the March administration of the **Iowa Test of Basic Skills**, the performance of elementary students in the major content areas remain well above average.

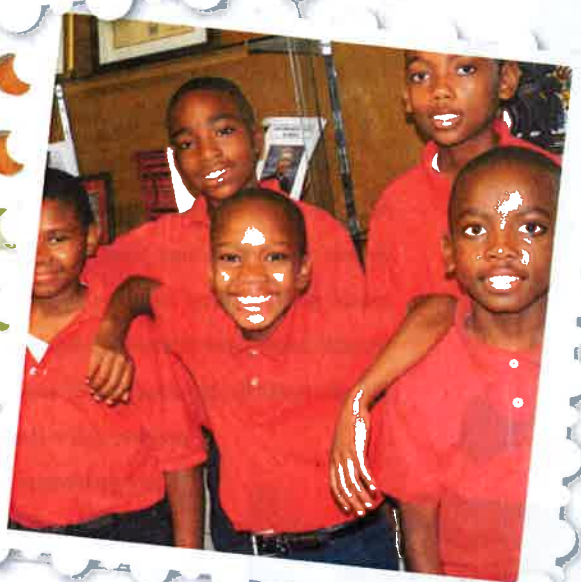
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What differentiates Catholic Education Today?

Certainly it is the faith-based teaching that permeates every subject. At a Catholic school, students hear the Good News, experience the joy of a worshipping community, have access to academic excellence, prepare to lead productive lives, and grow in their relationship with Jesus Christ.

Students, parents, grandparents and families all sacrifice to provide a Catholic education and are grateful for tuition assistance provided through the Faith and Values Appeal for Education.

We hear stories of gratitude from students and families every day. Here is how one family expressed their thanks for your gift of tuition assistance through the Faith & Values Appeal for Education:

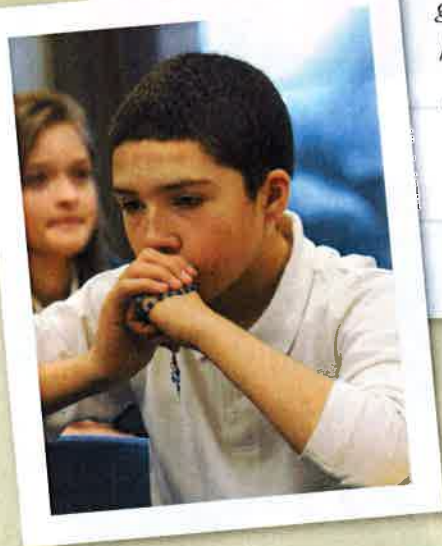
I would like to express my sincere gratitude and thanks to donors who contribute to Catholic education. As recipients of Diocesan Tuition Assistance, my family and I would like to thank you from the bottom of our hearts because you have made such a difference in our lives. Without financial assistance, my four children could not continue to attend Catholic school. Our worlds would have been turned upside down. My husband lost his job six months ago and is still unable to find work. Our prayers have been answered because of your great generosity and compassion. With the help of your donations, we can find peace and happiness. I cannot thank you enough for your kindness. May God bless you and grant you abundant gifts. Thank you so very much.

Sincerely,

A very happy and thankful Catholic family



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You can help! Our students and teachers need your financial support to help keep our faith alive within the walls of our Catholic schools. Please consider making a donation today so that we can continue to provide a faith-centered education to more and more children throughout northeast Ohio. *Thank you!*

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