



WELCOME
FUTURE
CRUSADERS!

2025-2026



BECOME A CRUSADER TODAY!

#ScholasticaSpirit

We understand you have many choices when it comes to your child's education and are committed to assisting you on this journey. When you choose to attend our PK-8, your family becomes our family. Don't just take our word for it – come see for yourself!



Apply

Thank you for taking the time to visit the St. Scholastica campus.

We are committed to assisting you in this process, from answering further questions, to assisting you with the registration process

Begin your registration process and apply TODAY!.



Register

Registration at St. Scholastica is a two-part process. We take the time to thoroughly review each application upon submission.

Pending approval and processing, you will then receive an invitation to begin enrollment.

We are committed to assisting you through the application process and answer any questions that may arise.

Please contact the main office at:
630-985-2515



Refer

**Grow our Family,
Grow your Reward!**

We believe great things should be shared, which is why we're thrilled to announce our Family Referral Program.

When you refer a new family, who registers and remains enrolled through the full school year, you, the referring family, will receive a \$250 tuition credit.

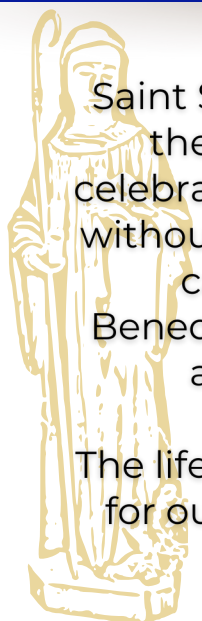
Don't wait – refer a new family today!

STUDENT LIFE

At St. Scholastica Catholic School, we believe in nurturing well-rounded students! With a variety of extracurricular activities, including prayer, music, drama, crochet, and more, students can explore their passions and talents. Our vibrant clubs—such as Student Council, Battle of the Books, and Homework Club—foster leadership and growth. And for those with a competitive spirit, our athletics program offers opportunities to shine in basketball, volleyball, track, and cross country. There's something for everyone at St. Scholastica, where every student finds a place to thrive!



WHY SCHOLASTICA?



Saint Scholastica, the sister of Saint Benedictine, is recognized as the patron saint of Benedictine nuns and education. She is celebrated for her simplicity, faith, and direct connection with God, without the need for elaborate rituals. Saint Scholastica prioritized caring for others, as noted by St. Gregory the Great. The Benedictine values of prayer, work, study, community, reverence, and respect are evident in the life of Saint Scholastica.

The life of Saint Scholastica serves as an inspiration and role model for our students, who proudly attend our campus named in her honor.

ABOUT SCHOLASTICA

#CrusaderNation

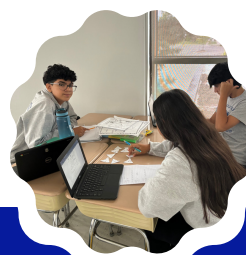


Our Mission

St. Scholastica School is a Catholic elementary school that fosters the gospel message and provides a quality academic curriculum that focuses on the spiritual, emotional, physical, and social development of our children.

Gospel Values

Students at St. Scholastica will know Jesus Christ! He is the foundation of every academic grade level where children will explore and learn about His love and friendship. We incorporate our Catholic faith and prayers into daily routines, use Bible stories as a way to bring to life the concepts of creation, thanksgiving, love, and faith, and practice virtuous behaviors, manners, kind speech, and loving actions. Your child will continue to develop their personal relationship with Jesus Christ, as they excel and mature socially, emotionally, and academically.



Academic Excellence

St. Scholastica School provides a rigorous academic curriculum where students will reach their full potential. Lessons are differentiated with large and small group instruction. Students are challenged using problem-based learning experiences which allow for multiple solutions. This higher-level thinking provides problem solving skills which are necessary for life. The STS Faculty is invested in student success and are facilitators of the student learning experience. Our class size allows for a balance of group learning as well as individual attention.

EXTENDED CARE

At St. Scholastica Catholic School, we're here to help with our Extended Care Program, designed to provide safe, nurturing care before and after school hours—all in a familiar and supportive environment.

Morning Extended Care is available from 6:30 AM to 7:30 AM, and Afternoon Extended Care runs from 2:30 PM dismissal until 6:00 PM, giving you peace of mind while ensuring your child has a productive and enjoyable day.

During Extended Care, students enjoy:

- Active play for large motor development
- Quiet time to complete homework with support available
- A seamless extension of the care and attention that exemplifies the Crusader Way.

Your child's wellbeing and safety are always our top priorities. Our program is offered at an affordable hourly rate.

Discover the difference at STS!

PS3 & PK4

Discover the Joy of Learning at St. Scholastica Preschool!

Our faith-based, play-centered preschool program nurtures each child's unique spirit while fostering curiosity, kindness, and a love for learning. Rooted in Catholic values, students explore, create, and grow in a safe, joyful environment. All students must be fully potty trained and will wear our comfortable P.E. uniform as part of their daily routine.

Flexible Scheduling Options:

3 Half Days: 7:50 AM – 11:30 AM

3 Full Days: 7:50 AM – 2:30 PM

5 Half Days: 7:50 AM – 11:30 AM

5 Full Days: 7:50 AM – 2:30 PM



Let your child's journey begin with faith, fun, and friendship at St. Scholastica!

CURRICULUM

St. Scholastica School students experience an engaging and nurturing classroom, while receiving a rigorous curriculum focusing on science, technology, engineering, art, and math (STEAM), and language arts. Our students learn independently, in small groups, and through whole class instruction. STS follows the Joliet Diocesan teaching standards. Our curriculum raises the bar and encourages each child to reach their fullest potential. Using standardized assessment tools, we are able to provide data driven instruction in the classroom.

STS teachers are deeply committed to meeting the diverse needs of every student. They employ a range of teaching techniques, resource services, and closely monitor student progress to provide exceptional, individualized support.

COURSES

At St. Scholastica, students explore a robust curriculum, studying core subjects such as Religion, Math, Science, Language Arts, and Social Studies. Beyond the core, they also enjoy weekly Specials of Physical Education, Music, Band, STEAM (Science, Technology, Engineering, Art, & Math), Library, and Technology. Additionally, 5th-8th grade students have the opportunity to participate in academic competitions, including the Knights of Columbus Spelling Bee the Illinois Junior Academy of Science fair, and Battle of the Books.

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Dear Families,

I am honored and blessed to serve as the principal of St. Scholastica Catholic School and to be a part of this thriving community. St. Scholastica is a faith-filled community rooted in a rich history. It is a warm, and welcoming community serving Pre-Kindergarten students through grade 8.

Our goal as educators and as a school is to help each student reach their fullest potential, both academically and spiritually. We look forward to leading our students as they grow in their Catholic education, and most importantly in their faith.



FUTURE CRUSADER FAMILY

Our All-school mass is a favorite part the week for everyone at St. Scholastica as well as our much-loved Faith Family events. As our philosophy declares, “because we are an extension of the Body of Christ; the Church, we prepare our students to be witnesses to their Catholic faith, spreading Christ’s message in all aspects of their lives.”

At St. Scholastica School, we love to brag about our exciting and enriching programs. This is a wonderful place where children begin their faith formation and grow in their knowledge throughout their academic journey. We offer the benefit of small, individualized classes with a focus on faith. The faculty and staff of St. Scholastica Catholic School are committed to the education and well-being of our students. We are proud of our rigorous Reading and Language Arts curriculum, our incredible Math curriculum, and a wonderful STEAM program. Our students participate in Physical Education, Art, Music, Band, and Library, as well as a variety of extra-curricular sports, clubs, and programs. We provide the convenience and safety of both before and after school care for students in Kindergarten through 8th grade.

Finally, we are happy to guide parents through the many scholarship opportunities available to help ensure that Catholic school is affordable for all families.

May God continue to bless you and your family as you consider your child’s future education.

Mrs. Kelly A Kramerich
Principal
St. Scholastica Catholic School

TECHNOLOGY

Growing up in the digital age has presented today's students with a wealth of opportunities to learn, explore, and thrive like never before. At St. Scholastic, we witness the enrichment technology brings when it is properly incorporated into the classroom. With technology evolving rapidly, this generation of students has demonstrated an unparalleled ability to harness the power of digital tools in service of their educational growth, positioning them to become the dynamic, creative, tech-savvy leaders of tomorrow.

All students have access to the Crusader Technology Lab, where they can independently create reports, videos, databases, and presentations using Google Classroom and Google Docs. As a 1:1 Chromebook school, students can utilize approved technology throughout the school day. Students will also have the opportunity to explore working with tablets, iPads, and interactive whiteboards in each classroom.



STEAM Lab

As a STEAM-focused elementary school, St. Scholastica seamlessly integrates science, technology, engineering, art, and mathematics throughout our innovative curriculum. Beyond standalone courses in these critical disciplines, STS has woven STEAM principles and hands-on learning experiences throughout the entire student experience. Each week, Crusader students will participate in dedicated STEAM classes that dive deeper into these interconnected fields, blending theoretical knowledge with practical application. The Scholastica STEAM approach encourages students to think creatively, problem-solve collaboratively, and make meaningful connections across subject areas – essential skills for thriving in our rapidly evolving, technology-driven world.

TUITION



We recognize the financial sacrifice you make when you prioritize Catholic education for your child. If you are in need of financial assistance for your child's education, simply complete the online FACTS form. To be considered for additional aid from the Catholic Education Foundation (CEF), please submit your FACTS form by April 1st. Our commitment is to make Catholic education accessible to all families – we encourage you to apply without hesitation. Our doors are always open should you have any questions or concerns. Together, we will find a solution.

2025-26 Tuition and Fees

	One Student	Two Students	Three Students
PS 3 Half Days	\$2,690	Request	Request
PS 5 Half/ 3 Full days	\$3,290	Request	Request
PS 5 Days - 8th Grade	\$5,480	\$9,870	\$13,990
Registration	\$100	\$100	\$100
Book Fee (per student)	\$125	\$250	\$375
Technology (per student)	\$200	\$400	\$600
Fundraising (per family)	\$500	\$500	\$500

Sacrament Fee (2nd Grade One-Time Fee) \$50
Sacrament Fee (8th Grade One-Time Fee) \$50
Graduation Fee (8th Grade One-Time Fee) \$100

FAMILY CALL LIST

Thank you for visiting Saint Scholastica School. We are proud to show all of the good experiences Saint Scholastica has to offer. Our Catholic faith and values are the foundation of all we do to provide a nurturing, safe environment where students can reach their greatest potential.

Feel free to contact some of our current families to learn about their experiences at Saint Scholastica School.

Kate and Steve Stapley
(708) 373-7350

We chose Saint Scholastica because we were looking for an affordable school that created an environment that was supportive while challenging our kids to learn more. We found that Saint Scholastica was a better value than other area schools. As both of us are working parents, we needed an option for extended care. Their on-site before and after care is more affordable than off-site daycares in the area. As Saint Scholastica is a Catholic school, additional time and costs did not have to be spent on separate religious education classes.

We continue to choose Saint Scholastica because of the families we have grown to know. Smaller number of families leads to a greater sense of community, inclusion, and support. One surprise we found is that the music and performance arts are better than most, which creates a more rounded education for our children. Saint Scholastica teaches the children academically as well as helping them grow their faith to ensure they excel for the next stages of life.

Leslie and Anthony Dehn
(630) 908-9625

We chose Saint Scholastica because we were looking for a local affordable school that would provide both the teaching and values of our Catholic faith. We wanted a school that fosters an academic environment designed to challenge our kids while at the same time providing a supportive and caring space for all students to learn. Saint Scholastica does an excellent job of promoting the total development of the whole child. In addition to academics, students are taught the importance of respect, responsibility, service, and a sense of community starting in kindergarten.

We learned quickly that we had made the right choice for our family. Saint Scholastica has teachers and staff that truly care about all students in their building. They go above and beyond to make the students feel a part of the Saint Scholastica family. The staff consistently leads by example both inside and outside of the classroom. Saint Scholastica provides a great sense of community among the parents as well as the students. My children are young, but I truly feel we have already met some life long family friends through classmates and their families. We are confident that Saint Scholastic is laying a solid foundation for our children to lead successful well-rounded lives.