



St. Augustine Catholic School

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Preschool Curriculum Summary

St. Augustine School's curriculum is based upon the Archdiocese of Detroit standards and our mission of educating students in body, mind, and spirit. St. Augustine's Preschool curriculum is centered around the High Scope Curriculum.

In this curriculum,

- Students will experience all eight content areas which encompass the curriculum. Those eight content areas are Approaches to Learning; Social and Emotional Development; Physical Development and Health; Language, Literacy, and Communication; Mathematics; Creative Arts; Science and Technology; and Social Studies.
- Students will live the Catholic faith daily through Bible stories, prayer, hands on religious materials, and faith based discussions.
- Students will be exposed to all areas of development in a sequential, meaningful pattern to enhance learning, support growth, and develop a love of learning.
- Students will participate in daily active learning experiences based on the five senses in a safe, healthy environment.
- Students will experience positive interactions between children and adults, as well as children and their classmates.
- Students will be encouraged to express their feelings, their creativity, their thought processes, and their interests.
- Students will be supported in problem solving techniques to resolve conflicts in peaceful ways.
- Students will develop independence through active participation as they become familiar with school routines and procedures.
- Students will build a strong foundation in academics and faith to support future learning in school.

St. Augustine Catholic School spreads the good N.E.W.S. by Navigating a Christian course, Educating body, mind, and spirit, Worshiping the Lord, and Serving others.