

Saint Charles School - Fact Sheet

Established in 1964



Accredited 2003, Reaccredited 2009, 2015, 2021
by the Ohio Catholic School Accrediting Association,
Preschool Licensed by Ohio Department of Education.

Gr. Levels: 3 & 4 year old Preschool,
Transitional Kindergarten,
Kdg (full day) - Gr. 8

School Hours: 7:50-2:50

Class Size Limits: Preschool 12:1 Ratio
Kdg. – 20 pupils per class
Gr. 1-5 - 25 pupils per class
Gr. 6-8 - 30 pupils per class

Curriculum: Saint Charles offers a core curriculum of religion, reading, language arts, math, science and social studies along with classes in physical education, music and art. Christian values are integrated throughout the curriculum and students participate often in mass and devotional activities. Spanish is taught to students in grades K-8. Preschool utilizes the Creative Curriculum Program. Students from Saint Charles go on to Catholic and public high schools very well prepared.

Faculty & Staff: All classroom teachers are state licensed and certified in religious education by the Archdiocese of Cincinnati.

- Teachers - 34 Full-time, including Art, Phys Ed., Music, Spanish, & Technology Specialists.
- State & Federally Funded Auxiliary Staff – Full-time Intervention Specialist, School Counselor, and Nurse. Part-time Speech Therapist, and Title I Reading teacher.

Student/Teacher Ratio:

Avg. of 17 students to one classroom teacher

2024-25 Enrollment:

Three Year Old Preschool	25
Four Year Old Preschool	47
TK	11
Kindergarten	51
Grade 1	56
Grade 2	59
Grade 3	58
Grade 4	58
Grade 5	70
Grade 6	44
Grade 7	56
Grade 8	67
Total	602

Student Daily Attendance Rate: 96%

Sacraments: Gr. 2 students have the opportunity to receive First Communion and First Reconciliation. Students have the opportunity at Gr. 8 to receive Confirmation. The Faith Formation Office can be contacted at 937-434-9272 for additional information.

Special Needs: The school has a Speech Therapist and an Intervention Specialist Teacher on staff. Attempts are made to accommodate the needs of physically or learning-disabled students. The facility is accessible. Currently Saint Charles serves students with Hearing impairments, Specific Learning Disabilities, Speech & Language needs and Other Health Impairments for a total of 25 students being served or 5% of the school population. St. Charles also maintains a Title I Reading program for students in grades K-3.

Behavior: Students are taught life skills for school and home that are based on respect, responsibility and reverence.

Extracurricular Activities: Students may participate in a number of school and parish sponsored extracurricular activities including: Instrumental Band (5-8), Choir (4-8), Power of the Pen (7-8), Boy & Girl Scouts (K-8), KOC Squires Program (6-8), Youth Ministry Edge (6-8), Rosary Club (5-8), Literature Club (6-8), School Musical (5-8), Science Olympiad (5-8), Intramural Sports (K-2), CYO Sports (Soccer, Basketball, Golf, Volleyball, Track & Field) at most grade levels.

Student Residence Diversity & Family Economics:

5% Sugarcreek (24) 17% Centerville (92)
44% Kettering (228) 34% 14 Other Districts (175)

15% students are from diverse ethnic or racial backgrounds

High School Preparation: 88% of the Saint Charles 2024 graduating class will further their education at Catholic high schools.

Lunch: The school participates in the Federal Lunch & Breakfast Program. Nutritious meals are reasonably priced. A grab and go Breakfast is served in the morning. Reduced price and free meals are available for qualifying families.

Facilities & Technology: The Saint Charles school building is sound with recent renovations to classroom, gym, library, and computer rooms. One computer room, six wireless Chromebook carts, primary grade Chromebooks and a 1:1 Chromebook initiative in grades 6-8, and a wireless infrastructure available for student and faculty use. Updated interactive LCD projectors are located in all classrooms. There is a 1:1 ratio of computer workstation to student.

Transportation: Bus transportation is provided in most cases to residents of the Kettering, and Centerville school districts. Parents may transport their children by car and some children opt to safely ride bikes or walk to school.

Parents: Saint Charles has a very active Parent-Teacher Organization, which has been very supportive of the school. Parents have many opportunities to volunteer.

Tuition: Saint Charles School has comparatively reasonable tuition rates with a variety of payment schedules. Tuition accounts for 84% of the school income, 6% of funding comes from Ohio School Foundation Payment System, while the parish continues to support the remainder of school costs. Tuition assistance is available for Saint Charles parish students.

2024-25 Tuition

K-8 Student:	\$6,937
TK Tuition:	\$3,840
Three Year Old Preschool, (T, W, Th), Half Day	\$2,467
Four Year Old Preschool, (M, T, W, Th), Half Day	\$3,222

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