

Nazareth Academy Grade School

A supportive faith community rich with opportunities for growth as spiritual, intellectual and service-minded leaders.

Our Mission Is Family

2023 - 2024

FACTS AT A GLANCE

STANDARDIZED TESTING

Terra Nova Test: *Grades 2 - 7*

SPECIAL CURRICULUM

Technology: 1:1 Chrome Books
STEM, Grades 1 - 8
Spanish, Grades 1 - 8
Latin, Grades 7 - 8
Music
Choir Chimes and Hand Bells
Art
Library

EXTRACURRICULAR ACTIVITIES

Public Speaking
First in Math
Student Council
Math Club
Dance Program
Choir
"Joyful Ringers" Bell Choir
"Grace Notes" Choir
Reading Olympics
Piano Lessons
High School Prep Course
Johns Hopkins Talent Search
Summer Theater/Dance Camp
Pennsylvania Science Olympiad

SPECIAL EVENTS and TRADITIONS

First Friday Liturgy
Prayer Services
Living Stations of the Cross
Open House
First & Eighth Grade Buddy Program
VFW Patriot's Pen Essay Contests
Christmas Concert
Catholic Schools Week
National Geo Bee
Pennsylvania Mathematics League
St. Jude Math-a-Thon
Assemblies/Presentations
Annual Play
Autism Awareness Day
Spring Fine Arts Festival
Athletic Awards Assembly
Field Day
8th Grade Graduation Dance

Field Trips and Retreats available
In-house Retreats for Grades 3 and 8

CAFETERIA

Free Breakfast & Lunch Program
through Nutritional Development Services

ATHLETICS PROGRAMS

After-school Athletics program for boys & girls: Soccer, softball, basketball, track, flag football, invitational swimming and kickball

PARENT RESOURCES and INVOLVEMENT

Teacher Ease - Online student grades & homework
Parent Association & Sponsored Events

EXTENDED CARE SERVICES

Afterschool care available through Alpha House "Kids' Club" from 2:45 PM - 6:00 PM

SAFETY

Security Guards on site
Entrances monitored by cameras
CPR certified faculty & staff
AED Device on site

SCHOOL COMMUNITY

The Class of 2023 received \$714,450.00 in high school scholarships.
Active alumni support the school
Visit us on Facebook & Instagram
"School Messenger" Communication
Website: www.nazarethacademy.net

Mission:

Nazareth Academy Grade School, founded in 1941 by the Sisters of the Holy Family of Nazareth, is a private co-educational Catholic School for students in grades one through eight. Our mission is to spread the Kingdom of God's love by creating a family-friendly environment in which we invite students and their families to discover God in everyday life events and to be an integral part of the Nazareth family. We are committed to promoting Christian morals and values, academic excellence and to demonstrating, through our students' personal engagement in service projects, God's love and care for the poor and others in need.

To inquire about openings in specific grades or to arrange a shadow date, please contact Mrs. Rovnan at 215-637-7777, ext. 200. We are located at 4701 Grant Avenue, Philadelphia, PA and we would love to meet you and your family!

STAFF and FACULTY

Sr. Linda Joseph ChiChi, CSFN, Principal
Sr. Yvette Ortiz, CSFN, Business Mgr.
Pat McGarvey, Development Director
Faculty Members:

8 Homeroom & major subject teachers
School Librarian/Resource Teacher
Technology Teacher
Science Teacher
Honors Math Teacher
Math Resource Teacher
Honors ELA
Art Teacher
Spanish Teacher
Latin Teacher
Physical Education Teacher
Music Teacher/Choir Director/Piano
Administrative Assistant

Nurse provided by School District of Phila.
CORA Guidance Personnel & Speech
NDS Cafeteria Manager
Security Guards
Custodial Staff

ENROLLMENT

Approximately 201 students
One classroom per Grade 1 - 8
Tuition: \$7,000.00 per child
(\$500 discount three/more children)

SCHOOL HOURS

School Opens 7:00 AM
Free drop off from 7:00 AM
School in session 7:50 AM - 2:40 PM

ACCREDITATION AND AFFILIATIONS

Middle States Association Commissions on
Elementary and Secondary Schools
National Catholic Elementary Association

CURRICULUM

Religion
ELA, Grammar, Spelling
Honors ELA, Grades 6 - 8
Social Studies
Mathematics
Honors Math, Grades 4 - 8
Science Lab Lessons
Sacramental Instruction, Grades 3 & 7
Physical Education

