

Our Lady of the Assumption Catholic School Profile 2007-2008

Our Lady of the Assumption, founded in 1948 was the second Catholic school to open in Charlotte. On June 3, 1954 the building on Shennandoah Ave was dedicated. In September 1992, the new school building located on Shamrock Drive, adjacent to Our Lady of the Assumption Church was dedicated. The school community strongly advocates a positive relationship between students, parent and teachers.



Student Enrollment

Grades PK, K - 5
 Total: 133
 Girls: 65 Boys: 70
 Catholic: 127
 Other Faiths: 6
 Student:Teacher Ratio: 16:1

Faculty

9 Full-time Teachers
 4 Part-time Teachers
 4 Teacher Assistants
 Full-time Counselor
 Full-time Learning Support Teacher
 Full-time LEAP Teacher
 Full-time Librarian

Accreditation

Our Lady of the Assumption Catholic School is fully accredited by the Southern Association of Colleges and Schools and the North Carolina Department of Public Instruction.

Areas of Study

All students receive instruction in Religious Education, Mathematics, Science, Social Studies, English/Language Arts, Physical Education

Expanded Programs with Specialist Instructors

Computer
 Art
 Music
 Spanish
 Learning Support Program for students with identified needs
 Instrumental Music Program (nominal fee)
 ESL Program
 LEAP Learning Enrichment

School Year

The MACS elementary school year is divided into two semesters of 18 weeks, each with 4 1/2 week interim reporting periods, and 9 week reporting periods.

A school day is from 7:45 am until 2:45 pm. Before school care is available (at no charge) beginning at 7:00 am daily.

An after-school enrichment program is offered from 2:45 - 6:00 pm on school days. There is a nominal fee for this program. After-school care is available from dismissal - 6:00 pm on early dismissal days.

School Traditions

Spirit Day
 Curriculum Night
 Spelling Bee
 Book Fair
 Field Day
 Geography Bee
 St. Jude's Math-A-Thon
 Academic Games
 Accelerated Reader
 Math Superstars
 Family Night
 Jump for Heart
 Kids Vote
 Enrichment Activities
 Hop-A-Thon
 Catholic Schools Week
 Christmas Program

Special Awards and Honors

Presidential Physical Fitness Award
 Presidential Academic Fitness Award
 Academic Games National Tournament

Clubs and Activities

Weekly Newsletter
 Book-It
 National Geographic Geography Bee
 Girl Scouts
 Brownies
 Safety Patrol
 Prayer Committee
 Spanish Club
 Choir Club
 Dance Club
 Junior Achievement

Athletics

Mascot: Raider
 Girls and Boys Basketball Grades K-5
 Soccer - Grades K-5
 Baseball - Grades K-5
 Girls Softball - Grades 3-5
 Cheerleading

Parent Organizations

Parent-Teacher Organization PTO
 Raider Athletic Association

For Further Information

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