

St. Mary's School at a glance...

St. Mary's School is a ministry of Immaculate Conception Catholic Church in Clarksville with a history extending back to 1860. After a period of time without a parish school, it reopened again in 2000 at its present location growing to include Kindergarten through 8th grade. A preschool serving ages 1 to 5 is also a part of this ministry.

Accreditation Southern Association of Colleges and Schools (SACS)
State of Tennessee Certification; Approved by the Diocese of Nashville

Religious Activities Daily Religious Instruction
Weekly Mass plus Holy Day & Special Day Masses
Students from *all* faith traditions are welcome.

Sacramental Preparation for Catholic Students First Reconciliation & First Holy Communion (2nd Grade)
Confirmation (8th Grade)

Curriculum

Math	Social Studies
Language Arts/Reading	Studio Art
Computer Technology	Library Skills
Spanish (K – 8)	Music (Vocal & Instrumental)
Science	Physical Education
Religion	Study, Organizational & Test Skills

Academic Preparation
High academic standards are the norm at all grade levels preparing students for success at the high school level and beyond. Students going on to attend our diocesan college prep high school – Pope John Paul II High School - are well prepared and consistently recognized for their academic success.

Annual Assessment Program
Iowa Test of Basic Skills (ITBS) is a test battery designed to collect critical educational data and is administered to students each spring in grades K – 8. St. Mary's students consistently perform well above their grade equivalency and excel at all areas in all grade levels.

The EXPLORE Test is given to students in grades 7 and 8 each fall. It is the start of a long-term assessment system continuing with PLAN and the ACT and helps to explore a broad range of future options. EXPLORE prepares students for high school coursework, providing tools to establish a four-year program of studies that will help them achieve their career and educational goals.

Class Size Average class size is 16 with a student/teacher ratio of 11:1

Community Service Urban Ministries, Catholic Charities, Haiti & Chiapas Ministries, Room at the Inn, Clarksville Humane Society

Extended Care Before & After School Programs

TUITION 2008-2009

Application Fee	\$ 50
Registration Fee	\$ 300
Activities Fee	\$ 300
Balance of Tuition	\$4,650

REMEMBER!

Tuition Assistance and Monthly Payment Plans are available to make your child's St. Mary's experience affordable. Contact the school office for further information.

Contributing members of Immaculate Conception Parish may qualify for a student subsidy.

Tours of the school are available on request – please call the school office at (931) 645-1865 to schedule a time for you to visit and have a look at the St. Mary's School experience!