



PROVIDENCE CATHOLIC HIGH SCHOOL

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PROFILE OF A PROVIDENCE CATHOLIC GRADUATE

"He is called studious who with all earnestness seeks those things which pertain to liberal culture and adornment of mind, especially if we add he studies to hear the open and pure Truth, especially knowledge of God" (St. Augustine: The Value of Faith).

Providence Catholic High School assists students in the development of their full spiritual, intellectual, emotional, moral, social, physical, and civic potential. Based on the goals of a Providence Catholic education and the teachings of St. Augustine, and through the guidance of faculty, staff and administration, upon commencement a graduate of Providence Catholic High School will have:

- An awareness of God as the source and goal of human life and activity, and the basis of all moral obligations.
- A thorough understanding of Catholic doctrine, practice, tradition and values.
- An understanding St. Augustine and his values of Truth, Unity and Love.
- A positive self-image and an appreciation for each person's individuality.
- An understanding of the necessity of personal relationships in building a positive self image, leading to the development of strong interpersonal skills to build community.
- The self-confidence of a healthy personality whose vocational choice expresses a unique response to the love of God in the context of a faith community.
- The ability to think clearly, critically and creatively.
- An appreciation for the American form of government which exists for the benefit of the people, who have certain inalienable, God-given rights.
- A knowledge of history and an appreciation for our unique American heritage.
- A knowledge, understanding and appreciation of diverse cultures, ideologies, and languages.
- A mastery of the logical and computational skills of mathematics.
- An understanding of technology and the ability to use it.
- A facility in the use of language, appreciation of literature, and competence in basic communication skills.
- A scientific awareness of the physical world, its structure and beauty.
- An understanding of and respect for the human body and an appreciation of physical fitness.
- An appreciation of the fine arts, and the development of talents in art, music and drama.
- The skills needed to locate and use the information available in libraries and through media resources.
- An understanding of the world of business and commerce.