

SAINT CATHERINE LABOURE CATHOLIC SCHOOL
Teaching minds. Forming hearts. Growing disciples.



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Dear Parents and Guardians,

Autumn blessings in abundance! Happy November!

It is with great joy and immense gratitude that I announce to you the tremendous news that Saint Catherine Labouré School has officially earned Re-Accreditation by the Middle States Association.

Accreditation is a multifaceted evaluation process that schools voluntarily use to demonstrate they are meeting a defined set of research-based performance standards. The 12 standards for Accreditation are: mission, governance and leadership, school improvement planning, finances, facilities, school organization and staff, health and safety, educational programs, assessment and evidence of student learning, student services, student life and activities, and information resources.

The process began with a Self-study by the school with input from our various stakeholders. As you know, following our self-study, a team of four educators from Association member schools conducted an on-site peer review last March.

Saint Catherine Labouré School has already begun to implement an Action Plan which is a direct result of the Self-study. These goals seek to strengthen Math fluency and Reading comprehension through engaging and innovative ways, as well as to increase the integration of Technology across the curriculum.

I know you will join me in congratulating our faculty and staff for a job well-done. Hip hip hurray and 3 cheers for our phenomenal school. I am so very, very proud of everyone.

Thank you and God bless you!

In Mary,
Lovingly,

Sister Mary Anne Sweeney, S.H.M.
Principal