



Mission Statement:

St. Elizabeth Catholic School provides a Christ-centered, child-focused learning environment where Catholic ideals and a tradition of excellence are instilled.

Accredited by:

Advanced Ed

Member:

National Catholic
Education Association

Principal:

Mrs. Pat Kollasch

Assistant Principal:

Mrs. Joann Aubuchon

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Christ-centered, child-focused for over 90 years

In 1922, the need for Catholic education prompted two sisters of St. Joseph of Carondelet to begin elementary instruction in two small rooms at the back of the original church with a total enrollment of 52 students. Today, St. Elizabeth Catholic School has 29 classrooms and 476 students. One thing has remained constant—our dedication to providing a Christ centered, child focused and academically challenging education.

By the numbers . . .

379 number of students in grades kindergarten-8th

89 number of students in preschool and pre-kindergarten

21 Average class size (kindergarten— grade 8)

62% of staff with 10 years or more experience

41% of staff with 15 years or more experience

63% of teachers with advanced degrees

5 faculty members dedicated to serving our students with special needs

1 the first school in the Diocese of Kansas City-St. Joseph to receive the Blue Ribbon School of Excellence Award

4 parishioners currently serving on the Board of Directors for FIRE Foundation (for Inclusive Religious Education)

95% average class composite score on Iowa Test of Basic Skills

100% of St. E's graduates are admitted to the high school of their choice

5 additional classes: Music, Art, Physical Education, Spanish, and Library Media

1 number of times per week children attend Mass (in addition to Advent and Lenten services)

14,260 community service hours performed by students last year (2015-2016) in grades 1-8.

33 number of students in grades 4-8 participating in the band program (one of only four grade school band programs offered in the Kansas City, MO Catholic Schools)

6 sports offered through our athletic program: Volleyball (boys & girls), Football, Flag Football (coed), Basketball (boys & girls), Track (boys & girls); Cross Country (boys & girls)

179 girl in grades K-8 who participate in Girl Scouts

60+ number of boys in grades 1-5 participating in cub scouts making St. E's one of the biggest packs in the area

12 Extra-curricular activities: Boy Scouts, Girl Scouts, Children's Choir, Band, Yearbook, Student Council, Safety Patrol, Young Rembrandts, Girls on the Run, Cantor Workshop, Science Club, and Bell Choir