Who We Are

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Our school serves the educational, spiritual, and social needs of boys and girls in grades preschool through eighth grade.

St. James offers a competitive high school preparatory curriculum that is rooted in the teachings of Jesus Christ. We seek to instill in each student a lifelong passion for the Word of the Lord, the sacredness of family and the value of service to others.

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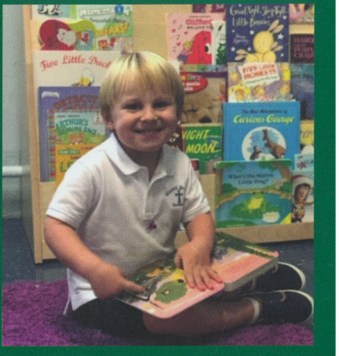

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Middle School

St. James School

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The Middle School Model

St. James prides itself on a commitment to academic excellence for all of our students. At the Middle School level, your child will receive a rigorous curriculum directed and outlined by the Diocese of Bridgeport.

In Middle School, students will have the opportunity to be placed in accelerated Mathematics. Honors Math incorporates Prealgebra for sixth grade, Algebra in seventh grade and Geometry for qualified eighth graders.

English Language Arts (ELA) is a very important part of our Middle School curriculum. Students in 6th-8th will have two blocks of ELA classes. One class will focus on Literature and the other on Writing. Students will master reading comprehension and fine tune their writing skills, while developing an understanding for all of the different genres of literature.

Science at the Middle School level exposes students to hands on learning during labs, STEM experiments, educational field trips and classroom lectures. Students will learn how to complete group projects as well as individual assignments.

History and Social Studies instruction at St. James relies heavily on lively classroom discussion amongst students, led by their teacher. Students will gain an understanding of the evolution of World History along with U.S. Civics.

Students in all grade levels will have classes in Faith Formation, Health and Physical Education. They will study World Languages, Art and Music. They will also have the opportunity to play strings, wind or percussion instruments in our Band Program or learn to play the Ukulele in our Ukulele Club.

Educating The Whole Child: Mind, Body and Spirit.

At St James, we believe that all great minds don't think alike. Using a personalized learning approach to education allows us to meet the child where they are academically. Students who need extra assistance will have access to appropriate tutoring.

Giving back to the community is a big part of the St. James Mission Statement. As part of their Faith Formation, students in grades 6th through 8th will be required serve within the community. Service opportunities will be offered through our Campus Ministry program along with volunteer opportunities at the school.

In addition, we offer an after school program until 5:30p.m., Student Council, engaging academic