

St. Matthew

Who We Are

Together in Christ, St. Matthew Catholic School is an inclusive Catholic community. Our mission is to maintain a safe and welcoming Catholic learning community, where each member feels a sense of belonging. We strive each day to help our students reach their full potential, while promoting the gospel values and following Jesus' example to treat others with Dignity, Kindness and Respect.

What our Vision Is

In partnership with home and parish, our staff is dedicated to promoting a Catholic learning environment that enables all students to recognize their unique gifts from God, allowing them to reach their potential and become living witnesses of Christ.



Achieving: Meeting the Needs of All Learners

- 1) Educators and Students will work together to implement effective assessment strategies.
- 2) Educators will use the cycle of self-assessment to support students in continuously improving their learning.
- 3) Students will set goals for their own learning and use these goals to help monitor their success.

Believing: Celebrating our Catholic faith and aspiring to be models of Christ

- 1) Lessons will be embedded with Catholic Graduate Expectations and Focus on Faith Themes and promote student inquiry.
- 2) Students will be given opportunities to increase their awareness of Catholic Social Teachings and how they can live out the gospel values in our school and broader community.

Belonging: Embracing Relationships and sustaining safe, welcoming schools

- 1) We will maintain a safe and welcoming Catholic community where all feel a sense of belonging.
- 2) We will work to foster a growth mindset in all learners and teach the learning skills through a Catholic lens (Ontario Catholic Graduate Expectations).
- 3) Our school will promote overall health and well-being for all members.

Foundational Elements: Optimizing organizational elements

- 1) Communication will be clear, transparent and responsive.
- 2) We will continue to improve our efforts to enhance innovation in our classrooms and school by promoting 21st century teaching and learning.