



2020 St. Pius X School State of the School

Student Life Highlights

- Our middle school robotics team, Grinding Gears—placed in the top 18% in Washington State for First Lego League. They received the Teamwork Award at the Northsound Snohomish FLL and qualified and competed in the semi-finals at Amazon for the third year in a row.
- CYO Sports Participation—in soccer, cross country, basketball, volleyball & track. Recently, our 5th & 6th grade Boys Basketball finished strong in the Northern JV basketball division
- ASB & Community Groups—increased presence and organization; added more Community Group days and activities this 2019-2020 school year.
- Student Support Services
 - Government Money--Title Funds from the Edmonds School District
 - Title III English Language Learners—20 of 60 students tested out
- Parent Education Night October 15 & 16 in English & Spanish “How to Talk to Your Child” with Deacon Eric Paige
- CYO coordinator—Thank you Mr. McQuarrie!
- Parent Education & Resources in the school & in the classrooms
 - Translation services available
 - Parent Ambassador Program—moved to 4th Wed evening of the month; added Mrs. Carolina Keenan as the school liaison
 - Classroom Volunteers—increased parent participation in our Primary Spanish Program & retired St. Pius X 2nd grade teacher, Mrs. Tiosejo is teaching Sacramental Prep in 2nd grade.
- Multi-platform communication such as online e-newsletter, increased Facebook presence, and new Instagram Account @stpxschool
- Added a Winter Staff Retreat in addition to the Fall retreat with Sr. Moira

Clubs, Extra Curricular Activities and “Showcase” Events

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| ▪ Altar Servers | ▪ Associated Student Body (ASB) | ▪ Middle School Band |
| ▪ Weekly Mass Buddy Classes | ▪ All School Christmas Program w/ 8 th grade Nativity Play | ▪ Catholic Youth Organization Sports |
| ▪ Edmonds Arts Festival | ▪ Guest Speakers | ▪ Cross Grade Level Community Groups |
| ▪ Honors Choir | ▪ Kindness Ninjas | ▪ Robotics Team |
| ▪ MLT Arts at the Terrace Exhibit | ▪ School Mass Readers & Choir | ▪ Spring Concert |



Academic Highlights

- MAP Date (see attachment for details)
- ACRE Data (see attachment for 2017 & 2018 results)
- Using Kahn Academy for 5-8 in Tech (Math focused)
- Using Prodigy for K-4 graders in Tech (Math focused)
- Adopted Second Step Social & Emotional curriculum program—Thank you St. Joseph for donating 1st thru 4th grade
- Study Hall for 4-8 grades
- IXL for K-8 (online Math resource accessible at school & at home)—added a Summer Math contest with 35 students winning an ice cream sundae at Math Night
- Science tables & chairs in Science Lab & new science tools in K-8—New Satellite Science Lab/Collaboratory/Maker space
- Using new laptops in the classrooms
- Computers in all classrooms
 - Thank you to St. Joseph School Seattle for donating 20 additional iMacs
- Piloting Amplify Science program in grades 7 & 8 science
- Added Winter MAP testing for third data point in Math & Reading
- School-wide Math SMART goals based on MAP data and Essential Standard in Math Fluency/Facts
- Added a Science Fair to Catholic Schools Week
- Title III students—20 of 60 tested out
- CDA Essay, Spelling Bee & Speech Contests
- Using Professional Learning Communities (PLC) in PreK thru 4th grade faculty and 5th-8th grade faculty to disaggregate data, identify Essential Concepts & Standards in Math
- Adding Field Trips such as 7/8 graders to the Seattle Children's Science Discovery Lab and Middle School to UW Engineering Days

Financial & Facilities Highlights

- School Budgets from 2017-2018, 2018-2019, 2019-2020
- 29 brand new double pane windows
- New play structure
- All new secured, quick release classroom door handles
- Additional sources of revenue (i.e. grants, donations, and auction sponsors)
- Reduced paper consumption by 75%
- Cleared rooms on the 2nd floor of the Administration Building



Student Life Goals

- Add additional Parent Education Night (2 per year)
- Introducing our new student information system FACTS SIS (formerly RenWeb); this service will offer online grade book, admissions and enrollment services, ESS
- Increase mental health support with Professional Development
- Monthly Friday Lunch Day coordinator (aka “Free Dress Pizza Day”)
- Rotating our front office to display our multicultural heritage & traditions (i.e. Day of the Dead, Lunar New Year, St. Patrick’s Day, etc.)
- Invite motivational guest speakers for all school assemblies & activate ASB leadership

Academic Goals

- Accreditation Goals (Year 2)
 - Goal #1 Technology integration to enhance curriculum and increase student learning
 - Target Strategy 1—PD in integrating tech (on and off site)
 - Target Strategy 2—Enhance primary math skills w/ tech based math enrichment programs (IXL)
 - Goal #2 Increase effectiveness of the use of data to improve student learning
 - Target Strategy 1—Utilize PLC & GRACE to allot time and resources dedicate to effective data-mining (on going as whole staff AND PLCs lead by GRACE teachers)
 - Target Strategy 2—Implement updated data system for testing results & yearly progress carrying from year to year (Fall, Winter, & Spring Math MAP testing and math fluency tests with individual SMART goals)
 - Target Strategy 3—recruit consultant from Archdiocese for data-mining
 - Goal #3 Improve student achievement in mathematics/updating & refining curriculum maps in accordance with CCSS (math, writing, & religion) implement technology to assist learning, and revisit previous action plan
 - Target Strategy 1—connect grade level subjects to curriculum and standards (continuation from last year)
 - Target Strategy 2—each teacher connects curriculum map on a continuum
- In-depth Math study into new curriculum
 - Professional Development
- Reading Intervention Program—Seattle Archdiocese (funded through grants, book fair profits and government/Title money)
- Revamp Middle School Electives & evaluate efficacy of Study Hall
- Salmon Tank

Financial Goals

- Reduce the budget deficit 2020-2021
- Increase enrollment by 25%
- Ease of re-enrollment process & admissions