

# Archdiocese of Dubuque

## Philosophy of Education for Catholic Schools

*The Catholic schools within the Archdiocese of Dubuque are committed to partnering with parents for the spiritual and educational formation of students.*

Catholic Faith-based programs	Academic Excellence
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● Instill a love and knowledge of the Catholic faith.</li> <li>● Integrate instruction with Catholic values.</li> <li>● Lead students and families to active participation in their parish communities.</li> <li>● Provide opportunities for worship, service and prayer.</li> <li>● Support a safe and nurturing environment where students encounter Jesus Christ.</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● Promotes life-long learning and advances the development of the whole person to the fullest extent.</li> <li>● Forms students prepared to become productive, virtuous citizens and church leaders who will fashion a more humane and just world.</li> <li>● Fosters a culture of academic excellence through critical thinking skills, innovative and rigorous curriculum standards, a global perspective and an emphasis on community and service.</li> </ul>