

SAINT JOAN OF ARC CATHOLIC SCHOOL

Quality Education Since 1921

**Children of all faiths are welcome to attend
Enroll now for 2018-2019!**

- **Nationally Recognized Blue Ribbon School of Excellence**
- **AdvancED Accredited**
- **3 and 4 yr. old Full Day Program (8am–2:15pm)**
- **Common Core State Standards and NY State tests in Math, ELA, and Science**
- **Traditional academic subjects plus Music, Art, Physical Education, Computer Science, and Band**
- **After School Care** available for all students from 2:15pm–7pm (for additional tuition per month)



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any time
for a tour!
No
appointment
needed!**

St. Joan of Arc School

St. Joan of Arc School in Jackson Heights considers its status as a National Blue Ribbon School of Excellence more than just an honor. It is a reminder of the true potential of students to rise to the challenges of rigorous education and each student's ability to obtain academic excellence supported by a teaching staff that's invested in seeing them succeed.

St. Joan of Arc School uses the Common-Core State Standards, takes N.Y.S. tests in fourth, sixth, and eighth grades, while also taking the Terra Nova tests in the fall. Kindergarten to second graders even take Terra Nova tests in the spring.

According to Antoniette Balzano, a graduate herself: "Children transform into young women and men who value education and learn to care for others. They become responsible."

At the beginning of the day, after reciting the school's mission statement, Principal Fruner said that students recite



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these two phrases:

"I as a student am responsible for my actions and accept that it takes self-control, self-reliance, no excuses, no laying blame on others, and no expecting a free ride to achieve my academic success;" and "Scholarship is a lifelong willingness to learn and the recognition that with knowledge comes moral responsibilities."

Pre-kindergarten teacher Susanne May, who is also the mother of two graduates, tells families who tour her classroom: "If you are up for the challenge, I invite you to become part of a 97-year tradition of education in Jackson Heights! You won't be disappointed."



**ST. MICHAEL'S
CATHOLIC ACADEMY**

CELEBRATING OVER
165 YEARS OF
CATHOLIC EDUCATION

Accreditation by AdvanceED Catholic School Accreditation Alliance

- **PreK for All**
- **New York State Common Core Curriculum K-8**
- **Technology Integration:** Digital Displays, SmartTable, and Media Center
- **Support Services in ESL, Reading, Math, Speech, and SETSS**
- **Early Drop Off/ Free Bus**
- **After School/ Homework Supervision**

- **Easily Accessible by Public Transportation**
- **Dual Language Program:** Two Way Immersion-English and Mandarin
- **STEM Program**
- **Gifted & Talented Program**
- **Faith Formation**
- **Financial Aid is Available**



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St. Michael Catholic Academy

Faith ~ Knowledge ~ Values

The name St. Michael's brings fond memories of a strong academic curriculum enriched by the cultural diversity of the parishes of St. Michael's and St. John Vianney in Flushing.

Faculty members join alumni, students, families and friends in sharing the return to the institution's foundation; proudly renamed as St. Michael's Catholic Academy.

The total program of St. Michael's promotes each student's intellectual and spiritual growth grounded in a deepening relationship with Jesus Christ. As an original member of the Two-Way Immersion Network of Catholic Schools (TWIN-CS) sponsored by the Roche Center for Catholic Education at Boston College, the academy provides bilingual education in English and Mandarin from kindergarten through fifth grade giving students a strong academic foundation to succeed in a global environment.

Academic programs meeting NYS Common Core standards are supported by St. John's University Project TIE (Training Innovative Educators) and Curriculum Leaders Training (CLT's) programs. The fac-

ulty is well prepared to pursue higher academic standards integrated with Catholic identity as part of the daily curriculum.

Qualifying students receive support through Title I in ESL, math, reading and counseling. A learning lab, resource room and speech therapy are also available on site.

Enrichment in math and science is offered with STEM classes. In addition to a Gifted and Talented program, merit scholarships are awarded to high-achieving seventh grade students who exhibit a commitment to community service. A fully equipped science lab, state-of-the-art Media Center and new Wi-Fi throughout the academy is also provided.

The academy is open year-around with a six-week summer program available. A free meal program and low-cost early drop-off and after school programs are available for all students. A free full Pre-K For All is available for 4-year-olds.

Located in the heart of downtown Flushing, we are easily accessible to all public transportation. For more information please visit stmichaelsca.org or call 718- 961-0284.