

Academy of Holy Angels

Criteria for Ninth-Grade Admission



The mission at Academy of Holy Angels is to educate and nurture a diverse student population so that each student, as a whole person, may achieve full potential to excel intellectually, to live spiritually, to lead responsibly, to act justly, and to serve selflessly. We strive to provide a Catholic education to all students who apply. However, we recognize we cannot provide an appropriate educational setting for all students.

In the event that we at Academy of Holy Angels need to limit enrollment, we will select students using the following considerations:

I The criteria for all applicants are:

- Academics- based on students' academic records and use of their academic potential
- Behavior and Service– based on students' records from previous schools and recommendations from teachers or other mentors
- Students' personal essay

II Priority in selection will be given to applicants who meet the above criteria and who:

- Had or have had a sibling at Academy of Holy Angels
- Have had a parent or grandparent who graduated from Academy of Holy Angels
- Are children of staff
- Have been or are involved in a Catholic religious education program.
Prioritized in the following manner;

1) Holy Angels Catholic Partner grade school*

2) Substantial Catholic religious education experiences

*Holy Angels Partner schools include: All Catholic Grade Schools and/or Catholic Middle Schools.



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