

# New Family Orientation

Partnering With Parents



**SAINT ROSE**  
**CATHOLIC SCHOOL**

*Pursuing excellence in faith, knowledge, and virtue.*

# New Family Orientation Prayer

As we gather here in the harbour of your safety  
We thank you for fellowship and family

We ask that you will strengthen us, restore us, and inspire us with your love.  
Lord, would fill us with your peace  
So that as we journey onwards  
We would pour out your love and grace to others.  
We ask that our souls would catch the wind of your spirit  
So that we would take your promises to all the earth.

Amen

# Why St. Rose?

## **Mission Statement:**

**St. Rose Catholic Schools partners with parents to provide a high-quality Catholic education with academic excellence in a faith - filled community for children in preschool through eighth grade.**

## **St. Rose Philosophy of Education:**

**At St. Rose we are committed to teaching the whole person; mind, body, and soul in the Catholic tradition of a faith-based setting. As educators we recognize that student-centered teaching is a collaboration of parents, parish, students, and community.**

# School Website: <http://saintrosecatholicschool.org>

## Website:

- **Our School: Basic Info** about St. Rose
- **Admissions: Yearly admissions/tuition**
- **Education: What to expect in the educational process**
- **Athletics: Middle School athletics info**
- **Parents: Handbooks, volunteering, school organizations**
- **Giving: Donations and fundraising**
- **Latest News: Newsletters, Archive of flyers, Information (Currently School Operations Plan)**

## Calendar:

- **Updated constantly, a great place for you to bookmark on your phone**
- **Monthly Principal's Newsletters: Month coming up, not a "real - time" update.**

## Other:

- **Spirit Store**
- **Extended Care**

# Office Staff

## **Michelle Machado / Paula Iacomini:**

- **Front Desk Receptionist/Administrative Assistant and direct line to Mr. Knable**
- **Volunteer Coordinator**
- **Email blasts**
- **Communication inside school and with school families**
- **Unofficial School Nurse**
- **Please feel free to ask her anything!**

## **Maria Navarro:**

- **Bookkeeper**
- **Human Resources**
- **Accounts Payable and Receivable**
- **Unofficial School Nurse**
- **Payment/Tuition questions**

# 2024 – 2025 Parent Handbook: Highlights

- **School Hours:**
- **Family / School Agreements:**
  - Annual Dinner and Auction
  - Annual St. Rose BBQ
  - Stampede to Race and Read
  - Volunteer Service Hours
- **Grading:**
- **School Policies:**
- **Attendance:**
  - Absences
  - Tardies
  - Early Release
  - Returning to school
- **Uniform:**
  - Additional Requirements
  - Prohibited Items
  - Spirit Days
  - Free Dress
- **Buck a Jeans Day**
- **Discipline:**
  - Cell Phones
  - Detention
- **Parent Information:**
  - SAC Board
  - PTO
  - Volunteers
  - Key Card

# Parent Handbook: Highlights Con't.

- **Safety:**
  - **Emergency Drills**
  - **Emergency Forms**
  - **Emergency Kits**
  - **Medications**
- **General Information:**
  - **Parental Custody**
  - **Child Abuse Reporting**
  - **Student Files**
  - **Class Parties**
- **General Information, con't.:**
  - **Field Trips**
  - **Chaperones**
  - **Lost and Found**
  - **Restrooms**
  - **Dogs on Campus**

Questions?