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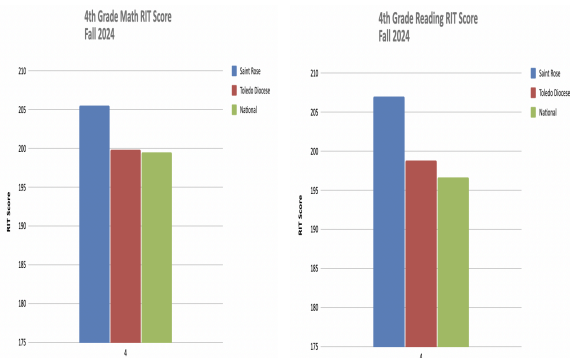
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Fall 2024 NWEA MAP Scores



Students in Grades K-8 take the Measurement of Academic Performance (MAP) evaluations. Saint Rose School students score consistently higher than their peers in the Diocese of Toledo and across the United States.



Science is taught through project-based learning with discovery and hands-on activities at the students' fingertips. They learn how to predict, hypothesize, analyze, and communicate results.

Teacher Highlights

Mrs. Covarrubias received her Bachelor of Science in Education from Bowling Green State University. Her previous experience includes fifth-grade science long-term substitute, fifth-grade self-contained teacher, and fifth and sixth-grade science teacher. Mrs. Covarrubias joined Saint Rose in 2024. Mrs. Covarrubias teaches fourth-grade math, fourth-grade science, and fifth-grade science.

Mr. Ester Mr. Ester graduated from Colorado State University in 2013 with a Bachelor of Science in Business Administration, with a concentration in Innovation and Organizational Management. He has a diverse teaching background, teaching physical education (K-8th), health and wellness (6th-8th), Language Arts and reading (6th), and middle school religion. Before joining Saint Rose, Mr. Ester gained valuable experience at two other Catholic schools in Chicago and Fort Collins, Colorado. Mr. Ester teaches fourth-grade religion, language arts, and reading.

Mrs. Schmidt has a Bachelor of Arts in History from Bowling Green State University. She worked in museum education until returning to her alma mater in 2018 as a classroom aide. In addition to becoming a full-time teacher in 2022, she also directs the spring musical. Mrs. Schmidt teaches fifth-grade reading, and fourth and fifth-grade social studies.

Curriculum Highlights

Religion: The class looks at the key events in the life of Jesus and the early Church as found in the New Testament. It uses the basic principles of morality to teach the elements of stewardship.

Language Arts: This year's focus is on guided reading, self-selected reading, writing and spelling. We use the Accelerated Reader program to encourage students to engage in daily reading. Writing lessons cover a variety of writing types including expository, persuasive, descriptive and narrative.

Math: Fourth-grade math focuses on multi-digit multiplication, and division of multi-digit dividends. Students develop an understanding of fraction equivalence, and analyze and classify geometric figures according to their properties.

Science: Fourth-grade science digs deeply into the earth's surface to study weathering and erosion, organisms and their environments, and the properties of matter including energy transfer and hygiene.

Social Studies: Students learn through books, movies, role-playing and field trips how Ohio became a state. Students participate in The Ohio Expo and the National Geography Bee.