

## Mrs. French

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Mrs. French has a Bachelor's Degree in Early Childhood Education from Lourdes University and a Masters of Education Degree in Instruction and Curriculum from Spring Arbor University. She has seven years of teaching experience in kindergarten and first grade. This is her third year at Saint Rose School.



## Curriculum Highlights

*Language Arts:* Students learn upper and lower case letters and their sounds and basic consonant blends. Learning centers allow children to practice these concepts while fostering independent work habits.

*Math:* The goal of KR math is for students to transition smoothly into Kindergarten math. The focus is learning numbers up to 20 and writing numbers up to 10. Children work to master ten frames as well as basic addition and graphing. These concepts are reinforced through group projects and math centers.

*Science:* Science is very hands-on. Children learn favorite topics such as bugs, seasons, arctic animals, rainforests, and many other fun and interesting topics throughout the year.

*Religion:* Students learn that God has made all people unique and special. Age-appropriate Scripture stories introduce children to important Biblical figures who teach them of God's love in their own lives.

