



St. Paul's

DISCOVER THE DIFFERENCE

St. Paul's Lutheran School and Early Childhood Center



WELCOME

St. Paul's is a high-achieving

CHRIST-CENTERED

school that teaches

BIBLICAL TRUTH

throughout every subject.

OUR GROWTH MINDSET

means that we continuously work towards growing our faith, knowledge, and talents as we become mature in Christ.

All of this is done in

SERVICE

to one another through our

FAMILY CULTURE

OUR CURRICULUM

As a Lutheran school, we are committed to teaching the truth of Jesus Christ using a Biblical Worldview in our instruction. We integrate the Christian faith into every part of the school day. Where so many schools are being influenced by external movements, our school teaches children that their identity is rooted in the fact that they are created in God's image. From the lunchroom to the playground, from the music room to the gymnasium, we teach, model, and practice the faith.



St. Paul's is accredited by the National Lutheran Schools Association. Our curriculum is aligned with nationally recognized standards that we meet and exceed. Our curriculum includes:

- Faith Development
- Language Arts
- Mathematics
- Science and STEM
- Social Studies
- Music (Vocal and Instrumental)
- Art
- Computer Class
- Physical Education
- Personal Finance
- Friendly - Social-Emotional Learning Curriculum
- Foreign Language
- Outdoor Education Activities



Small Class Sizes

Our low student to teacher ratio enables our teachers to provide tailored experiences for our students.



Dedicated Teachers

Our teachers pursue advanced degrees to ensure the highest quality education is taught.



Partner School

The vast majority of our students continue their Lutheran education at Lake Country Lutheran High School (LCLHS).

EARLY CHILDHOOD CENTER

PRESCHOOL 2'S, 3K & 4K

St. Paul's Early Childhood Center is built on the foundation of Christian, Biblical teachings. Our caring, safe, nurturing environment will help your child grow and learn in all domains – physically, socially, emotionally, academically, creatively, and spiritually.

We offer:

- Compassionate teachers dedicated to early childhood learning
- Small, individualized classrooms with an excellent teacher-to-child ratio
- Christian experiences as part of the daily class routine
- Creative projects and exploratory play
- Full and part-time scheduling available
- Daily, integrated preschool curriculum
- Cross-grade level buddy program with older students mentoring our youngest students
- Safe opportunities to develop large and fine motor skills

SPIRITUAL

Bible stories are included in each preschool day. Children learn prayers, songs, and other elements of worship in the classroom and during weekly chapel services.

LARGE/FINE MOTOR SKILLS

Children will develop their sense of balance, learn how to hop on one foot, use a scissors, color in the lines, use glue for their projects, and more.

SOCIAL/EMOTIONAL DEVELOPMENT

Preschoolers begin to learn about the need for a Godly self-image through activities and practices to develop skills in self-awareness, self-control, self-regulation, social interactions, and responsible decision-making, all of which are essential for school and life successes.

LANGUAGE

Children explore the information they learn from listening to stories. They act out their own stories during dramatic play, and tell stories with drawings and free-writing. All of these activities lead to reading and writing readiness.



KINDERGARTEN - GRADE 4

Children in the Primary and Intermediate grades undergo big changes! Their bodies are still learning to coordinate both small and large movements as they build their physical stamina. Students at this age are looking for answers to their own questions as their thinking and problem-solving skills take off.

Key instructional elements include:

- Open-ended activities
- Differentiated instruction
- Student-centered and student-driven, hands-on activities
- Cross-curricular lessons to build a strong, academic foundation



READING

St. Paul's uses the Superkids Reading Program for our reading curriculum (5K-2). This program provides a clear path of instruction to reading mastery while it teaches students to write and spell.

MATH

All children are mathematicians! We experience math each day through manipulatives, math games, math centers, and problem-solving activities. The goal is for each student to develop a love for math through fun and success.

SCIENCE & SOCIAL STUDIES

Students learn to make observations and develop analytical skills. They also learn about communities and their responsibilities as good citizens.

TECHNOLOGY

Each of our classrooms has devices that are used as tools to expand a student's knowledge, provide extension activities, and support learning. Relationships are most important so students are mostly engaged in face-to-face learning with their teachers and peers.

ENRICHMENT CLASSES

Students participate in weekly lessons in music, art, and physical education. These classes allow students to discover unique talents and passions early in life. Students also visit the library once a week to explore new titles and authors.

PROJECT-BASED LEARNING

Students design, develop, and construct hands-on solutions to a problem. Children often work independently or in small groups to make observations and develop analytical skills.

UNIQUE OPPORTUNITIES

From cursive writing, spelling bees and ice skating to adopting a cow, participating in JA BizTown®, and learning their multiplication tables, St. Paul's students have many unique opportunities to learn and grow.



Chapel Buddies

Our older students are paired with a younger student to worship in chapel each week. This mentoring opportunity benefits our entire school by cultivating a family culture.



Cross-Grade Level Learning

From reading buddies to STEM partnering, our students pair up to learn together and build relationships across all grade levels.



School Musical

Our young students participate in our drama program by producing a school play every other school year.

MIDDLE SCHOOL GRADES 5 - 8

Relationship-building is critical with Middle School students. They learn best when they are taught by perceptive teachers that show God's unconditional love for them. Students at this age are using their problem solving skills to think critically and make their own decisions. St. Paul's Middle School students are afforded more opportunities to explore their interests in academics and extracurricular activities.

ATHLETICS

- Basketball
- Cross Country
- Golf
- Track & Field
- Volleyball

DRAMA

Students audition for roles in an annual play production. Participation helps in the development of a child's creativity, self-confidence and social skills.

FOREIGN LANGUAGE

- German
- Latin
- Spanish

FORENSICS

This non-competitive annual event builds self-confidence and oral competency by developing and practicing fundamental public speaking skills.

KNOWLEDGE BOWL

A team of students in Grades 6-8 competes against six other local Lutheran schools in an interdisciplinary, academic, quiz bowl-like competition each spring.

L.E.A.D. TEAM

This unique leadership development program is designed for "Lifting,

Equipping, Affirming, and Developing leaders for service to the Church and the world today and tomorrow!"

LUTHERAN JUNIOR HONORS ASSOCIATION

This organization recognizes students who exercise leadership, servanthood, and discipleship, while excelling at academics.

MUSIC

Middle School students may select up to five music classes per week.

- Handbells
- Middle School Choir
- Band
- Music Mentors
- Guitar
- Music Appreciation

TECHNOLOGY

Students are provided a Chromebook that stays at school. Google Classroom is used to submit formal papers and share classroom information. We view devices as tools to expand a student's knowledge, provide extension activities, and support learning, but our curriculum resources are generally not found online. Students most often engage in face-to-face learning with their teachers and peers.



Camp Luther

Grades 5-7 enjoy a three-night stay of outdoor activities, Bible study, and fun at Camp Luther in Three Lakes, Wisconsin.



8th Grade Trip

The week-long South Dakota trip is an integral part of our curriculum at St. Paul's. Students develop team-building and leadership skills as they live outdoors, cook meals, study life sciences and history, and immerse themselves in God's Creation.



Academic Honors

Lutheran Junior Honors Association and the L.E.A.D. Team are two opportunities for students to demonstrate academic excellence and a desire to serve others.





ACADEMIC RESOURCES

St. Paul's focuses on teaching the Whole Child. Our teachers meet a child where he/she is and helps them grow to their potential using their God-given talents. Our educational resource program supports students, families, and teachers to ensure that students are meeting their educational goals. Support may be provided by working alongside students in a classroom, meeting with students in small groups, partnering with teachers to differentiate classroom materials, and other methods.

St. Paul's Lutheran School works closely with the Oconomowoc Area School District and supports organizations in the South Wisconsin District of the Lutheran Church - Missouri Synod to provide support services:

- Speech Therapy
- Teacher Training and Consultations
- Individualized Education Plans
- St. Paul's Educational Plans (similar to a 504)
- Individual Counseling Support
- Occupational Therapy

STEM PROGRAM

At St. Paul's Lutheran School, we strive to enhance our student knowledge in areas of Science, Technology, Engineering and Mathematics (STEM). We provide them with project-based learning and real-world applications to stimulate their creativity. We implement engaging STEM projects to challenge students of all academic levels.

ATHLETICS

We believe that athletics is an essential tool that teaches children teamwork and helps develop their leadership skills. Our athletic program complements our physical education curriculum by providing additional activities for all students. Students in Grades 5-8 can participate in cross country, volleyball, golf, basketball, and track & field. Students in Grades 5K-4 are able to get involved in our "C-team" basketball and cross-country events. We encourage our families to participate in the Thunder youth sports program offered at LCLHS which includes volleyball, basketball, dance, baseball, and softball.

YOUTH GROUP

St. Paul's Lutheran Church Youth Group is for students in Grades 5-8 (Middle School) and 9-12 (High School). Activities throughout the year include regularly scheduled Bible studies, fellowship events, and service projects. The High School group regularly attends a national youth event or out-of-state service project. Youth Group is open to all students regardless of their church membership.

HOT LUNCH PROGRAM

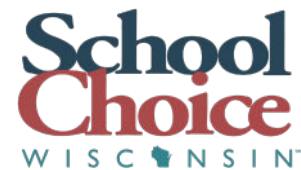
Our hot lunch program is offered daily to students in Grades 5K-8. The meals are prepared in-house, by our staff, and use the freshest ingredients available. Student input is sought to prepare the menus.

EXTENDED CARE

Supervised extended care is available to students both before and after school.

AFFORDABILITY

We recognize that finances do play a role in determining your child's education. Our goal is that no child will be turned away from a Christian education due to the cost. We offer a generous financial aid program and help families as much as we are able. We are also a member of the Private School Choice Program which opens the door for families of all socioeconomic backgrounds to take part in the high quality programs we offer.



COME TOUR OUR SCHOOL

The best way to determine if St. Paul's Lutheran School is the right fit for your family is to visit our school.

Schedule your tour today!

CALL: 262-567-5001

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NON-DISCRIMINATION POLICY

St. Paul's Lutheran School admits students of any race, color, gender, disability, age, national or ethnic origin to all rights, privileges, programs, and activities generally accorded or made available to students at the school. It does not discriminate on the basis of race, color, gender, disability, age, national or ethnic origin in the administration of its education policies, scholarship or loan programs, and athletic or other school administered programs (F1501).

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