



ST. ANDREW
CATHOLIC SCHOOL

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2025-2026 St. Andrew Catholic School - Family Covenant

The Diocese of Lansing Family-School Agreement states, “Our schools exist to pass on the Catholic faith in its fullness to students and to form disciples of Jesus Christ. Parents and schools are partners in this mission, parents are expected to cooperate fully in it and shall supervise their children in accordance with this agreement.” Striving to uphold this commitment, St. Andrew Catholic Parish and School administration, faculty and staff commit themselves to:

- Undertake the sacred work of educating and forming disciples. School personnel will pray daily for students and parents and will hold themselves to high standards of excellence.
- Guide students toward reaching their full spiritual, academic, physical, social, and emotional potential. The school will nurture habits of prayer, study, organization, work, service, kindness, joy, and virtue.
- Act as the protectors and advocates to ensure children the safety that they need to flourish and reach their God-given potential.
- Provide Mass during the school week, as well as opportunities for Reconciliation, Eucharistic Adoration, Stations of the Cross and Christian service.
- Communicate effectively with parents regarding student progress and school initiatives and spiritual development.

Parental Expectations

Parents who enroll their children at St. Andrew Catholic School are partners with the school in their children's education. The school welcomes them as the primary teachers of their children and to work with the school in providing pertinent information regarding their child's needs and progress. Parents of children attending the school will sincerely strive to practice their faith and to be good witnesses to their children in these ways:

- Strive to live and grow in ways that are consistent with Catholic Christian moral values in all areas of life.
- Attend Mass with their children each week, either on a Saturday evening or Sunday, observe Holy Days of Obligation, and receive the Sacraments of Eucharistic and Reconciliation on a regular basis. For non-Catholic families, worship weekly in your faith tradition.
- Teach your children to see the world from a Christian perspective.
- Pray as a family so that your words and actions are in sync with God.

- Generously share your time, talents and treasures with St. Andrew Catholic School and Parish. Support our school by actively participating through the volunteering of services, including fundraising needed for the support of our school.
- Promote growth in virtue, excellence, achievement, encouraging strong study habits and wise use of electronics.
- Maintain open and cordial communication with the principal and teachers.
 - Always speak first with your child's teacher.
 - Then, talk with the principal.
 - Make sure you know all the facts.
 - Focus only on the current issue.
- Understand that discipline begins in the home and is continued at school. Parents who set limits, responsibilities, and duties, enforce respect and discipline appropriately will help their children follow the rules and expectations of St. Andrew Catholic School. Follow all the school policies.

Student Expectations

- Work toward being a model Christian in all their school and community activities.
- Respect each person, follow all teacher and administrator directions, and respect the dignity of all students.
- Abide by all classroom and school rules and procedures.
- Be on time and ready to learn with sufficient sleep and nourishment.
- Appear neat, clean and in dress code.
- Achieve the best academic standards of which they are capable.
- Complete all assignments, test preparation and make-up work.
- Be respectful of school facilities and all material items.
- Give their best effort every day and always conduct themselves in a responsible and polite manner.

Parent/Guardian Name (PRINT): _____

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