

Supporting Our Family Values

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Our four children attend BKCS. They are in grades 7th, 6th, 4th and 2nd. When choosing a school for our children, no other school besides BKCS crossed our minds. A Catholic education for our children has always been a priority. For some families, including ours, it takes sacrifice to provide all of our children with a Catholic education. I am the youngest of nine children and I remember how my mother and father made sacrifices so that we could all have a Catholic education right through 12th grade. It comes down to priorities and sacrifice.

When we married in the Catholic church we vowed to raise our children with the Catholic faith, so we are doing our best to fulfill that vow. Another matter we considered was that children spend most of their waking hours in school. We want our children to be around other children, adults, and families who share the same or similar values/beliefs as our family. We want the school environment to help reinforce the beliefs and values we are trying to teach our children at home. As everyone is well aware, the majority of the media (whether it be television, radio, computer/internet) that our children and families are exposed to, does not support or reinforce the values we as parents are trying to teach our children. BKCS reinforces the values of self-discipline, responsibility, Christian sportsmanship, leadership, courage, justice, and stewardship/community service.

BKCS provides a well-rounded POSITIVE educational experience for children. BKCS has the regular classes such as; Reading, Math, English/Language, Science, Social Studies, along with Religion, Computers, Spanish, Physical Ed, Music, Band, and Art. BKCS also provides Sports opportunities such as; Basketball, Football, Tennis, Golf, Archery, Bowling, and Volleyball. BKCS even has Drama Club. BKCS also provides weekly student Mass and Reconciliation.

There is a close family atmosphere at BKCS. The parents have access to the teachers and administration/staff. Communication between parents, children, teachers, administration/staff is important here at BKCS and is encouraged.

Our family would recommend BKCS to any family/parent who desires a school which will assist the family/parent in building a strong foundation for their children which will prepare them for the challenges (either academically or spiritually) they may face in the future.

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