

ST. DIDACUS PARISH SCHOOL

GENERAL INFORMATION

ENTRANCE REQUIREMENTS:

The Diocese of San Diego schools mandates that a child must be age five (5) on or before September 1st in order to enter Kindergarten. Therefore, a child must be age six (6) on or before September 1st in order to enter First Grade. All new students must be evaluated prior to admission.

DOCUMENTS REQUIRED:

In order to complete enrollment the following documents are required:

- Birth Certificate
- Baptismal Certificate
- Immunization Record
- Most recent report card

SCHOOL HOURS:

8:00 a.m. – 2:45 p.m. Kindergarten through Eighth Grade. There is a noon dismissal on minimum days which is the first Friday of every month. Pre-School hours vary.

EXTENDED DAY CARE:

(K-8) 7:00 a.m. – 7:30 a.m. and 2:45 p.m. – 6:00 p.m. The fee is \$5.00 per hour per child. After 6:00 p.m. the charge is \$1.00 per minute. (Please avoid a late fee by picking up your child(ren) before 6:00 p.m.)

MORNING RECESS:

10:15 a.m. – 10:30 a.m. We encourage a nutritious morning snack.

10:00 a.m. – 10:30 a.m. For Kindergarten

LUNCH:

12:00 p.m. – 12:40 p.m. Students may bring their own lunch or purchase a hot lunch. A lunch menu goes home every month with the menu and purchase information.

SCHOOL UNIFORMS:

Educational Outfitters located at 8160 La Mesa Blvd is our official uniform supplier. They can be reached at 619-466-5437 or 858-566-5437. Their web site is:

sandiegoeducationaloutfitters.com/SDPS.

IMMUNIZATIONS:

All immunizations must be current and an immunization record presented upon enrollment. A physical exam must be completed for entry to Preschool and First Grade. All immunizations must be updated before a student is admitted to the classroom.

PARISH:

Within the Diocese of San Diego, St. Didacus Parish School operates under the care of St. Didacus Church, located at 4772 Felton Street. The pastor is the local superintendent working cooperatively with the Diocesan Office for Education.

AFTER SCHOOL SPORTS:

The students play flag football, softball, basketball, volleyball and soccer in their respective seasons.

COMMUNITY:

St. Didacus Parish School exists as a good neighbor in the Normal Heights community in central San Diego. Through the year, we are involved in programs in service, in ecology and conservation in multi-cultural understanding and Christian living.

STANDARDS VERIFICATION:

Accreditation:	The Western Association of Schools and Colleges
Certification:	Western Catholic Education Association
Faculty Membership:	National Education Association
Principal Membership:	Association for Supervision and Curriculum Development