



OUR MISSION

Our Lady of Guadalupe Catholic School, in partnership with parents, provides a community-based, multicultural, affordable, quality education to children in the Greater Kansas City area. We honor the heritage of our students by integrating the Spanish language and celebrating traditions, customs, and holidays. Our school provides high academic standards, discipline, and leadership, which encourage students to achieve their full potential in a spiritual environment.

OUR LADY OF GUADALUPE SCHOOL

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Kansas City, Missouri 64108

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OUR TRADITION

Founded in 1915, Our Lady of Guadalupe Catholic School serves Kindergarten through 5th grades. Our Lady of Guadalupe strives to provide an education in the Catholic tradition. Our school is a community based, multicultural, Spanish integrated institution with affordable quality education that promotes student development and leadership in a safe learning environment.

Our Lady of Guadalupe has a long history of Catholic education in the Hispanic community of Kansas City, Missouri, where many local leaders and professionals first learned to read and write.

LEARNING ENVIRONMENT

Children are taught self discipline in a setting that enables learning, and teaches responsibility and



respect. The focus of our curriculum is literacy development and computer education. Our faith-based learning is reinforced by daily prayer and weekly Mass. Cultural presentations are brought to the classroom or are the subject of field trips such as to the

American Jazz Museum, Mattie Rhodes Art Gallery and the American Royal.

Our enrollment is small - normally about 100 students, which fosters good teacher/student relationships and provides the individual attention students need. To encourage a strong school identity, students are required to wear uniforms.

INTEGRATION INTO EDUCATION

Our school is unique in the cultural awareness and sensitivity it brings to education. Some of our newly-enrolled students come to the school with only one language - Spanish. We have developed an innovative approach to dealing with the task of teaching our students to be fully proficient in English, without requiring them to abandon the language of their parents and grandparents. Those students who speak only English are exposed to another language and gain an appreciation of it.

AFFORDABILITY AND FINANCIAL SUPPORT

Tuition is based on a family's income. Inability to pay does not deprive a child of the quality education we offer. Scholarships are available. Parental involvement, along with staff and alumni, is critical to the success of our school, and each family makes a commitment to help in fundraising projects.

The school receives financial support from seven sponsoring parishes: Guardian Angels, Our Lady of Good Counsel, Cathedral of the Immaculate Conception, Redemptorist - Our Lady of Perpetual Help, Our Lady of Sorrows,

Old St. Patrick's and Sacred Heart-Guadalupe. We have also been blessed by grants from local foundations and businesses, such as the Kauffman Foundation and Sprint.

ACADEMIC EXCELLENCE

Our Lady of Guadalupe is accredited by the Missouri Chapter of the National Federation of Non-Public School State Accrediting Associations. It is also an institutional member in good standing of the National Catholic Education Association and is accredited by North Central Accreditation.

In addition, our dedicated teachers are certified by the state of Missouri and participate in year long service trainings.

ADDITIONAL SERVICES

Our Lady of Guadalupe offers the following services:

- Tuition assistance and scholarships
- Bus transportation
- Breakfast and hot lunch program
- Computer lab
- Before and after school care

VISIT US

Our Lady of Guadalupe Catholic School invites you to visit our school. For more information, please call us at 816-221-2539, or visit our Web site, www.olgkc.org.

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