

PORTRAIT OF A GRADUATE

A graduate of St. Rose of Lima Catholic School ...

Spiritually

- Has developed a strong faith consistent with age and maturity
- Demonstrates Catholic values through an active prayer life and consistent participation in the sacraments
- Displays a sense of stewardship for the Earth
- Exhibits a strong commitment to stewardship through acts of service to school, parish, local and global communities
- Demonstrates evidence of moral decision-making
- Displays concern for others
- Is an active participant in her/his parish community

Academically

- Has developed a desire to be a life-long learner
- Demonstrates a mastery of curriculum that meets and exceeds state standards
- Is prepared for the rigors of high school
- Is organized, self-disciplined, and goal-oriented
- Applies problem-solving skills
- Is proficient in written and oral communication skills
- Demonstrates competence in the use of technology

Socially

- Possesses the skills to be a leader, yet is keenly aware of when it is appropriate to follow
- Communicates responsibly
- Is respectful of self and others
- Demonstrates the ability to adapt to new social situations
- Demonstrates conflict resolutions skills
- Recognizes that we all have special gifts and is accepting of others' differences
- Demonstrates the ability to resist change that is negative or contrary to our Catholic values

Physically

- Is respectful in physical appearance
- Has a knowledge of the nutrition, health, and fitness practices necessary to maintain a healthy lifestyle
- Has an understanding of how personal choices can impact physical health