

2008-2009 Awards

Pope John Paul II Award for Excellence in Religion

Grades 2 – 8

Criteria:

- +Academic effort
- +Appropriate conduct
- +Academic achievement (As and Bs)
- +Exhibits interest in the Catholic faith
- +Goes above and beyond

Grade 2 (R): **Bianca Munoz** (K) **Jack Pendergrass**

Grade 3 (D): **Elizabeth Eichen** (J): **Ana Roman**

Grade 4 (P): **Amy Metzinger** Grade 4 (A): **Eileen Rosia**

Grade 5 (M): **Victor Cardeno** (R): **Heather Keleher**

Grade 6 : **J.T. Klimek**

Grade 7 : **Danny Maher**

Grade 8: **Ryan Biegert**

St. Cecelia Award for Excellence in Music (patron saint of Music)

Grades 2 – 6

Criteria:

- +Displays effort and cooperation in class
- +Academic Achievement (As and Bs)
- +True love for Music performance and learning
- +Active participation in Musical Programs
- +Goes above and beyond what is expected in the curriculum

Grade 2: **Emily Halk**

Grade 3: **Roberto Graff**

Grade 4: **Sarah Zisek**

Grade 5: **Alexa Cardoso**

Grade 6: **Anthony Kocur**

Grade 7 Drama: **Christina Donovan**

Grade 8: **Erin Watson**

St. Francis of Assisi Award for Excellence in Science (Respect for life and all of God's creation)

Grades 2 – 8

Criteria:

- +Displays effort and cooperation in class
- +Academic Achievement (As and Bs)
- +Exhibits interest in applied Science
- +Active participation in class
- +Goes above and beyond what is expected in the curriculum

Grade 2: **Sam Heath**

Grade 3: **Emily Curtis**

Grade 4: **Miranda Munoz**

Grade 5: **Jacob Do**

Grade 6: **Sam Gay**

Grade 7: **Celia Burger**

Grade 8: **Jack Holgado**

St. Thomas More Award for Excellence in Social Studies (Thomas More was a lawyer)

Grades 2 – 8

Criteria:

- +Displays effort and cooperation in class
- +Academic Achievement (As and Bs)
- +Exhibits interest in Social Studies
- +Active participation in class
- +Goes above and beyond what is expected in the curriculum

Grade 2: **Patrick Dunn**

Grade 3: **Emma Heath**

Grade 4: **Michael Brannan**

Grade 5: **Keelea Krear**

Grade 6: **Matthew Appleby**

Grade 7: **Veronica Lavelle**

Grade 8: **Griffin Gast**

St. Thomas Aquinas Award for Excellence in Math (Scholar)

Criteria:

- +Displays effort and cooperation in class
- +Academic Achievement (As and Bs)
- +Exhibits interest in Math
- +Active participation in class
- +Goes above and beyond what is expected in the curriculum

Grade 2 ®: **Peter Klimek (K) Emily Cupelli**

Grade 3(D): **Enoch Cheung (J): Connor Dalbo**

Grade 4 (P): **Kyle Corcoran** Grade 4 (A): **Mia Abouhamad**

Grade 5: **Erica Schumann**
Grade 6: **Chuckie Swoboda**
Grade 7: Pre-Algebra: **Savannah Lips**
Comprehensive Math: **Sam Hamashima**
Grade 8: **Algebra**: Michael Muoio
Advanced Math: Daniela Burn

St. Paul Award for Excellence in Language Arts (St. Paul is the patron of journalists and a great writer)

Criteria:

- +Displays effort and cooperation in class
- +Academic Achievement (As and Bs)
- +Exhibits interest in Language Arts
- +Active participation in class
- +Goes above and beyond what is expected in the curriculum

Grade 2 ®: **Cara Messer (K) Angelica Dinh**
Grade 3(D): **Clare Ennis (J): Regina Lavelle**
Grade 4 (P): **Kayla Bassett (A): Peter Bloomberg**
Grade 5(R): **Lauren French (M): Rachel Palmour**
Grade 6: **Kathryn Baker**
Grade 7: **Hannah Moore**
Grade 8: **Coleen Scott**

St. Sebastian Award for Excellence in Physical Education (patron saint of athletes)

Criteria:

- +Displays effort and cooperation in class
- +Academic Achievement (As and Bs)
- +Exhibits interest in applied Physical Education Skills
- +Active participation in class
- +Goes above and beyond what is expected in the curriculum

Grade 2: (M) **JT Nalesnik; ® Ashley Bassett**
Grade 3: (M) **Alex Fitzgerald; ® Nicholas Wildgoose**
Grade 4: **Emily Grieb**
Grade 5: **Connor Peeples**
Grade 6: **Adelaide Cooke**
Grade 7: **Morgan Reid**
Grade 8: **Kevin Fitzgerald**

St. Joseph Award for Excellence in Art (Name chosen because St. Joseph was a carpenter and an artisan)

Criteria:

- +Displays effort and cooperation in class
- +Academic Achievement (As and Bs)
- +Exhibits interest in Art
- +Active participation in class
- +Goes above and beyond what is expected in the curriculum

Grade 2: **Julian Fernandez**
 Grade 3: **Katie Desmond**
 Grade 4: **Kathleen Moore**
 Grade 5: **Zheng-Liann Schuster**
 Grade 6: **Julia Chaffin**
 Grade 7: **Brandon Bales**
 Grade 8: **Taylor Varron**

St. Clare Award for Excellence in Computer (Believe it or not, Clare is the patron of TV and technology!!!)

Criteria:

- +Displays effort and cooperation in class
- +Academic Achievement (As and Bs)
- +Exhibits interest in Computer
- +Active participation in class
- +Goes above and beyond what is expected in the curriculum

Grade 2: **Jarad Holgado**
 Grade 3: **Caroline Burger**
 Grade 4: **Audrey Cooke**
 Grade 5: **Kayla Hall**
 Grade 6: **Anthony and Christopher Cortina**
 Grade 7: **Andrea Fitzgerald**
 Grade 8: **Chris Jadelis**

Our Lady of Guadalupe Award for Excellence in Spanish (Patron of Spanish speaking people)

Criteria:

- +Displays effort and cooperation in class
- +Academic Achievement (As and Bs)
- +Exhibits interest in Spanish
- +Active participation in class
- +Goes above and beyond what is expected in the curriculum

Grade 2: **Olivia Bretzius**
 Grade 3: **Caroline Kunkel**
 Grade 4: **Brian Rauh**
 Grade 5: **Mikaela Dalbo**
 Grade 6: **Anthony Palumbo**

Grade 7: **Anna Sutton**
Grade 8: **Kimberly Hull**

Spirit of St. Michael

Grades Pre-K through Grade 2: One boy and one girl in each Homeroom.

Grades 3 and 4: One student per homeroom

Grades 5 through 8: One award per grade

*Student exemplifies the spirit of the mission of St. Michael School.

Criteria:

- +Spirit of reverence
- +Academic effort
- +Appropriate conduct
- +Academic achievement (As and Bs)
- +Respect for others
- +Integrity
- +Evidence of service (willingness to help)
- +Exhibits leadership
- +Goes above and beyond the norm

Pre-K: **Aidan Wood; Alexabelle Schick**

Kindergarten (M): **Marie Dawson; Tommy Manley**

Kindergarten (S): **Connor Pencola; Chiara Palumbo**

Grade 1 (L): **Mae Ostrom; Josh Pollaci**

Grade 1 (G): **Liam Peeples; Amelia Zahn**

Grade 2 (K): **Jaden Wagner; Karly Fitzgerald**

Grade 2 (R): **Sophie Macomber; Andrew Marshall**

Grade 3 (D): **Emma Zayas (J): Connor Miles**

Grade 4 (A): **Kelly Bright** Grade 4 (P): **Madeline Lips**

Grade 5: (M): **Joseph Fitzgerald** ®: **Nate Kochuyt**

Grade 6: **Kathryn Combs**

Grade 7: **Shannon Thompson**

Grade 8: **Andreane Reynolds**

St. Vincent DePaul

Grade 8: **Erin Welsh**

Carolyn Wheelock Educator Award (founding principal) - nominated by peers

Criteria:

- +Spiritual Leadership
- +Educational Excellence

- +Current Pedagogy
- +Educating the whole child intellectually, socially, and spiritually
- +Creates an instructional environment that supports diverse learning styles
- +Uses multiple instructional strategies
- +Collegial relationship with peers
- +Implements technology
- +School and community involvement
- +Continued professional development