

A New Choice for Junior High Students

Greensburg Central Catholic Junior High School is another choice for Catholic School education in Westmoreland County. Situated in a separate wing at the Greensburg Central Catholic campus, this is the only Catholic Junior High in Westmoreland County that is not situated at an elementary setting. Students will be able to experience a more sophisticated Junior High setting in a safe and secure Catholic school environment. An enhanced array of religious education and community service activities, academic subjects, and extracurricular possibilities will allow them to grow and develop in every aspect of their lives.



Greensburg Central Catholic was awarded an honorable mention in the categories of Catholic Identity and Academic Excellence by the National Catholic High School Honor Roll

Mission Statement

The mission of Greensburg Central Catholic High School is to aid our Bishop, The Most Reverend Lawrence E. Brandt, JCD, PhD, and the priests of the Diocese of Greensburg in the spread of the Christian Gospel across the four counties of the Diocese: Armstrong, Fayette, Indiana, and Westmoreland. Our purpose in faith formation is to bring our young people to our Lord and Savior, Jesus Christ, as we prepare them for their life's journey. Our vision of excellence is to maintain elevated academic standards in a demanding yet Christ-centered learning environment. Through our co-educational college preparatory curriculum and our programs in the visual and performing arts, athletics, and student activities, we seek accomplishment and excellence.

Greensburg Central Catholic Junior High School

Opening Fall 2011

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Benefits of attending GCC Junior High School

ACADEMIC

There are many benefits associated with attending Greensburg Central Catholic Junior High School. Religious instruction and academic classes will be offered by a variety of experienced, certified teachers. Students will learn different perspectives from friends and classmates from many different schools. Ideas and friendships will blend, allowing students to understand the value of a strong academic background and grow in their intellectual pursuits. Academic advantages at Greensburg Central Catholic Junior High School include:

· Math Many students have a strong mathematical background and are ready for geometry in the Eighth Grade. Teachers will be available to meet these advanced needs.

· Foreign Language Most elementary schools offer only one foreign language. At Central, students will have their choice of several languages in order to increase the knowledge and fluency they have already begun to develop or add a different language to their linguistic portfolio.

· Variety of Teachers Greensburg Central Catholic will be able to provide a variety of teachers certified in their field of study, dedicated to the academic enhancement of Junior High School students. These teachers will develop the academic curiosity of the students, and in doing so, will strengthen their academic core.

· The Arts A well developed Music and Art program will be available to the students in several different genres, including media technology, allowing students to develop interests and expertise in these areas.



EXTRACURRICULAR

Greensburg Central Catholic High School is known for having a full service program for its students. Full service includes religious education, community service and rigorous academics, coupled with a wide variety of successful sports teams and exceptional performing arts productions. The Junior High program will be no exception. Extracurricular activities will be available to students in Athletics and the Performing Arts. Students will have the experience of working together, whether it be on the athletic field or in the performing arts arena. Extracurricular activities at Greensburg Central Catholic Junior High School are anticipated to include the following sports (including WPIAL), performance areas, and activities:

- Basketball
- Bowling
- Cheerleading
- Chorus
- Cross Country
- Football
- Golf
- Ice Hockey
- Lacrosse
- Musical Productions
- Pep Band
- Plays
- Soccer
- Swimming
- Tennis
- Track
- Volleyball



The cast of
You Can't Take It With You

BUILDING PLANS

The Diocese of Greensburg is investing considerable funding into the Greensburg Central Catholic campus for both the new Junior High and High School programs. Improvements will include upgrades to classrooms and fire alarm systems, expanded storage, and paving near the Junior High School entrance. The Performing Arts Building will be renovated to include the Art program, as well as the Music program, including the photography lab and video production studio. Technology will also be upgraded throughout the school where needed.



Greensburg Central Catholic is an exceptional, full service high school. The FACES program was added to the array of student academic choices, enabling high school students to add college credits to their transcript at a significantly reduced cost. Adding this new Junior High program is another step toward our mission to provide excellent Catholic school educational settings, addressing religious and academic curricula, coupled with a comprehensive offering of extracurricular activities.

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