

Presentation BVM Catholic School
105 Old Soldiers Rd.
Cheltenham, PA 19012
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Dear Parent,

Choosing a school for your child is one of the most important decisions you'll make as you prepare him/her for their future. Accommodating the educational needs of children beginning in Preschool through 8th grade, Presentation B.V.M., offers a nurturing, faith-filled environment rooted in strong Catholic traditions, and has the passion to drive success academically, spiritually, and socially.

Our dedicated faculty is committed to achieving higher standards of excellence and work together with parents to ensure our children excel throughout their educational journey. It is with great pride to inform you that Presentation B.V.M. has the most Neumann Scholars (funded by the Connelly Foundation) in all of Montgomery County. Additionally, the past nine graduating classes have received over \$1,000,000 in secondary school scholarships!

Presentation B.V.M. is a Middle States Accredited school community that offers many exceptional opportunities to embrace success. Outlined below are the many programs we offer to our students to prepare them to achieve both academic and personal growth.

**Serving students in Philadelphia and Montgomery County
 Pre K Three and Four year olds as well as Kindergarten to Eighth Grade.**

Preschool 3 and 4's	School and Parish Choirs	Middle States Accreditation
Spanish Grades K-4	Award winning Band	EST Team- for student support
Science Laboratory	Eighth Grade Media Club	MCIU-remediation and testing
Fine Arts Program	Student Council	MCIU- guidance
Honors Math	Mission Reps	MCIU-speech therapy
Literary Groups	Technology Reps	Active Home and School Association
Technology	Bowling Team	H&S Sponsored Events
Library	Art Club	Technology Team
Physical Education	Art Workshops	
Anti-Bullying Project	CYO-spiritual, social, sports	
	Cares after school Program	

Here at Presentation B.V.M., our day begins at 7:45am and ends at 2:30pm. To accommodate those in need of childcare, we also offer our C.A.R.E.S program, which is an after-school program under the supervision of faculty available until 6:00pm for a nominal fee.

We strongly encourage you to consider Presentation B.V.M. School for your child's educational needs and invite you to become part of our school community.

To obtain additional information, please contact us at 215.379.3798.

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Registration for the 2010-11 School Year

A student who is six years old by September 1st is eligible for first grade. The age for admission to kindergarten should be one year less than that of the first grade. The Preschool children must be the appropriate age by September 1st as well. The necessary forms and certificates for admission are:

- ❖ Birth certificate
- ❖ Baptismal certificate
- ❖ Verification of the reception of all sacraments received outside this parish.
- ❖ Certificate of immunization must be confirmed. The school nurse will check this record for compliance.
- ❖ Proof of parish registration signed by the individual pastor.
- ❖ The school must be made aware of any physical or mental limitations.
- ❖ A yearly non-refundable registration fee **per family** is required to complete registration.
- ❖ Completion of an application form and a contract for enrollment.

ORDER OF ACCEPTANCE

The order of reception of **completed registration** will be the order of admittance with priority given to parish members with currently enrolled siblings, other families (non-parish) with siblings in our school, parish members (date of registration in parish), students transferring from other Catholic schools that are now in our parish. The order of acceptance continues: Catholics from a parish without a school or with closed enrollment, Catholics coming from another parish school for other reasons and Non-Catholic students.

First Grade assessment will be administered on May 7th. New students registering for grades 2 to 8 may be required to take a level test to determine placement.