



Greetings,

Welcome to St. Mary's Primary School. I would like to start with some details about our school. St. Mary's has been educating children from the Greater Taunton area for over 108 years and is still going strong. We pride ourselves on educating the entire child spiritually, academically, physically, through character development and service to others. We have been recently re-accredited by NEASC (New England Association of Schools and Colleges) this past fall.

We believe our existence and purpose is to communicate the teaching of Christ's message, through encouraging daily prayer, and to develop the academic and spiritual growth of each child. We find each child's strengths and help them grow and ready our students for their next level of education.

Through the growth and development of all our stakeholders including our faculty, students, and all our families we believe we are helping our local communities by carrying out Christ's mission.

Our mission is rooted in the teaching of Jesus Christ and we look to teach and mentor children of all denominations, socioeconomic backgrounds and ethnic backgrounds and cultures to create lifelong learners with great compassion, self-esteem and strong interpersonal skills. In our community lasting friendships and bonds are created as well as a great local network of families and friends.

It is the mission of St. Mary's Primary School to provide a safe nurturing environment with a strong catholic identity. Our commitment is to educate the whole child through a process that encourages character development, spiritual growth, service and academic excellence.

Our faculty is a great mix of experience and youth who bring a special enthusiasm to teaching our children every day, not only during school hours but beyond. We hope you will visit our school and join our family. This, in our opinion will be one of the most important decisions you will make for your child and we want you to be part of our family. All prospective families are invited to visit our school. Please contact us at (508) 822-9480 to arrange a tour or to learn more. Feel free to contact me directly mjobrien@smpls.dfrcs.org

Once again, thank you for your interest in St. Mary's Primary School. We look forward to hearing from you and serving your family.

Sincerely,

Michael O'Brien M.Ed.

Principal

