

Throughout my nine years at St. Anthony's school I have realized that St. Anthony's has taught me many different things. I have received many benefits from St. Anthony's because they offer so many things that make St. Anthony a very special place. It brings a warming feeling to me every time I walk into the school. I will always remember what St. Anthony's has taught me and will never forget the life long values the school has taught me as I move onto high school.

The staff here at St. Anthony's has always been there for me. If I ever had trouble on the lesson that we were learning the teacher would always be willing to give up their time to help me understand what they were teaching. They have helped me become not only a better student, but also becoming a better all around person. The staff has taught me many great values and lessons that I will keep with me as I grow older and move further into my life. I have always had a great relationship with the staff. Since our school is small compared to the public schools each teacher knows your name and your ability with the subject. The staff has always pushed me and told me to keep working until the very end. This has benefited me greatly because they have taught me that you can't check out early, you have to keep working up until the very end.

I have had many great faith experiences and opportunities here at St. Anthony's. One of these was Stations of the Cross. During Lent grades 4-8 participate in the stations every Friday. The stations helped me to really think about what Jesus went through and to really stop and think about lent and its meaning. Another great faith experience was going to Salvation Army. At Salvation Army we got to see how a food pantry works. We got to actively help stock the shelves and sort the food that was eatable and the food that was out of date. This really benefited me because I got to see how blessed I am to have enough food to eat every day and how blessed I am to have a roof over my head every night before I go to sleep.

St. Anthony's has many reasons to recommend to others. St. Anthony's has always and will always be known for all of their volunteers. There are so many people who take time out of their free time everyday who come to St. Anthony's to make it the great place which it is. These people also do it knowing they will not get paid which is even more spectacular. St. Anthony's also has a very strong relationship between the student and the teacher. If the student is doing all that they can to improve, the teacher will still take time to help that student possibly after or before school. St. Anthony's is also the foundation of strong friendships. I have met so many great people in my 9 years here at St. Anthony's and have shared many great memories with these great people. I will never forget all of the great memories I have about St. Anthony's.

St. Anthony's has left a huge impact on my life. I have met so many great friends that I will still keep in touch with as I move to high school and we go our separate ways. I will never forget the staff, teachers, and students that have helped me along my 9 years here at this great school. St. Anthony's has helped me build many strong friendships that will last for a life time. I will never forget all that St. Anthony's has taught me and given me as I move further into my life. I appreciate everything St. Anthony's has offered me and the skills I have learned and will keep them with me as I move onto high school. The 9 years here at St. Anthony's have been some of the most exciting in my life.

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