

Celebrating Our Spirituality & Commitment to Service

At All Saints, we celebrate the diversity of our students' spirituality and acknowledge the unity of our human family through different traditions and practices.

On any day, you will hear the words "Mitakuye Oyasin" spoken at our school – a Lakota Indian expression that means "we are all related." This phrase is lived out in our school through special events, community service projects, and daily traditions.



History & Mission

All Saints Episcopal Day School was established in 1985 as an outreach mission of All Saints Parish. Responding to parental desire for an urban educational alternative in Hoboken, the school opened its doors with an enrollment of 16 preschool-age students. This partnership laid the foundation for the school's mission, which today reads:

All Saints Episcopal Day School is a diverse community committed to academic excellence and social responsibility for students from Nursery to Grade 8. At All Saints, we help children develop:

- A commitment to personal excellence;
- The discipline and integrity to be successful in school and in life;
- A responsibility for this planet and gratitude for its beauty;
- A sense of spirituality through social action and service;
- A sincere love of learning.



In June 1997, we graduated our first class of Fourth Graders. In 2006, we earned our accreditation from the New Jersey Association of Independent Schools. In 2008, we launched our Middle School program, serving students in Grades 5-8; graduating our first Eighth Grade class in 2012.

In 2018, the School officially separated its governance structure from the Church, but the partnership has deepened between both entities and we continue to work together in support of our students and the community.

All Saints Episcopal Day School is accredited by the New Jersey Association of Independent Schools, and is a member of the National Association of Episcopal Schools.



Our Episcopal Identity & Core Values

STRIVING FOR EQUALITY
CHALLENGING INJUSTICE
SERVING OTHERS

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Our School Prayer

Dear Creator, God to all,
hear these words to you we call.

We pray with thanks for the beauty
of our days;

for the Earth in its splendor,
and sweet morning rays.

We ask for strength to do our very best,
in school and play, and all the rest.

We ask for guidance when helping others,
for you have made us sisters
and brothers.

Give us courage when afraid or alone;
surround us with love in this school
and at home.

Dear God, give us joy throughout the day;
fill our hearts with goodness.

For this we pray.

Mitakuye Oyasin
(Mee-tahk-wee Ah-sen),

we are all related.

Amen.



Episcopal Identity

All Saints Episcopal Day School, established in 1985 as an outreach mission of All Saints Episcopal Parish, was founded upon and espouses the sacred tenets of the Episcopal Church: to love our neighbors as ourselves, strive for justice and peace among all people, and respect the dignity of every human being.

The School serves children of all faiths and embraces a view of spirituality that is broad and inclusive. The School values religious diversity and provides opportunities for students to understand and appreciate a variety of different religious traditions and celebrations. This inclusive approach to spirituality helps children grow with open hearts full of love, joy and compassion.



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We Support

An appreciation for all faith traditions;

A connection to our larger human family;

Responsibility for the Earth and all its inhabitants;

An open mind and a generous heart
towards human differences;

A commitment to the Golden Rule: Treat
others as you wish to be treated.

We Believe

Spirituality provides a rich context for
authentic student learning;

Children are spiritual beings who naturally
question the world around them and their
place within it;

All are enriched by celebrating diverse
traditions within our community and the
world;

Children are naturally compassionate and
embrace opportunities to help others;

One's religious foundation is the decision
and responsibility of the family.

All Saints Episcopal Day School does
not discriminate on the basis on race,
religious tradition, color, national origin,
gender identity, or sexual orientation in
administration of its education programs,
admission policies, and financial aid.