

8th GRADE GRADUATION AWARDS

- Leo Cullen Wade Academic Achievement Award This award is given to the 8th grade graduate with the highest GPA who has also earned Honor Roll for all four quarters. The GPA is to be determined by averaging the numerical grades earned for the year in the major subject areas. In the event of a tie, the individual grades earned for each marking period will be averaged.
- Other top ranking students in the 8th grade class may also be recognized.
- Students, who were named to the Honor Roll for all four quarters, both semesters, and the year, will be ranked according to GPA and given special recognition during the graduation ceremony.
- Students who earned Honor Roll for the 4th quarter will receive special recognition.
- Students who earned Honor Roll for the Semester will receive special recognition.
- Students who earned Honor Roll for the Year will receive special recognition.
- Students who earned a year average of "A+, A or A-" for a major subject area or resource subject will receive special recognition.
- Students having perfect attendance for the year with 8 or less tardies will receive a special certificate.
- Students having outstanding perfect attendance for the 4th quarter (0 days tardy and 0 days absent) will receive a special certificate.
- Students having outstanding perfect attendance for the year (0 days tardy and 0 absent) will receive a special certificate.
- Special awards such as the President's Education Award, ASCS Leadership Award, the ASCS Service Award, and the Principal's Award may also be presented.
- Students exhibiting outstanding citizenship and/or effort may be recognized.
- 1st, 2nd, 3rd, and 4th place in accumulated points for the year will receive special recognition for the Accelerated Reader Program.

Please note that students must have **no suspensions** to earn Honor Roll for a marking period. Please read the CODE OF BEHAVIOR concerning suspensions and Honor Roll (see page 28).

AWARD'S DAY - Grades 1 - 7

HONOR ROLL, 4th quarter

Those students earning HONOR ROLL will be recognized.

HONOR ROLL, Semester

Those students earning HONOR ROLL for the semester will be recognized.

HONOR ROLL, Year

Those students earning HONOR ROLL for the school year will be recognized.

ACADEMIC HONOR ROLL

Honor Roll for all 4 quarters, semesters, year (First or Second Honors)

ACADEMIC EXCELLENCE

Grade of "A+, A, A-" (1-8) for the year in the major subject areas.

EXCELLENCE IN EXPLORATORY SKILLS

Grade of "A+, A, A-" for the year in the resource subjects.

PERFECT ATTENDANCE

Students having 0 days absent with 8 or less tardies for the year will receive special recognition.

OUTSTANDING PERFECT ATTENDANCE for the 4th Quarter

Students having 0 days tardy and 0 days absent for the 4th quarter will receive special recognition.

OUTSTANDING PERFECT ATTENDANCE for the year

Students having 0 days absent and 0 days tardy for the year will receive special recognition.

ACCELERATED READER

Students earning 1st, 2nd, 3rd, and 4th place in accumulated points for the year will receive special recognition.

CITIZENSHIP/EFFORT

Students who have exhibited outstanding citizenship and/or effort may be recognized.

Please note that students must have **No Suspensions** to earn first or second honors for a marking period. Please read the <u>CODE OF BEHAVIOR</u> concerning suspensions and Honor Roll (page 28).

SCHOLARSHIPS - Grades 3 - 7

The Senator Benjamin Lambert Academic Excellence Awards

This award which is generously funded by the Senator Benjamin Lambert family who have a long history with All Saints, recognizes the top three (3) students in each grade, 3 through 7. The top students would be those students who have the highest GPA (grade point average) for their grade level for the current school year. A student must have earned Honor Roll for all four quarters, both semesters, and the year of the current school year to receive the School Advisory Board Academic Excellence Scholarship Award. That recognition will be as follows:

- First Place Award Highest GPA of Class, Certificate, 1st Place Ribbon, \$250 Scholarship
- Second Place Award Second Highest GPA of Class, Certificate, 2nd Place Ribbon, \$200 Scholarship
- Third Place Award Third Highest GPA of Class, Certificate, 3rd Place Ribbon, \$150 Scholarship

Students will be recognized at the year-end Awards Day Program. The scholarships are tuition scholarships for the next school year. The GPA is to be determined by averaging the numerical grades earned for the year in the major subject areas. In the event of a tie, the individual numerical grades earned for each marking period will be averaged.

Edgar A. Duffy Award for Loyalty

A native Richmond-er, long-time City Clerk and faithful Catholic, Mr. Edgar A Duffy lived to be 101. When he passed in 2014, he bequeathed a generous gift to All Saints Catholic School of which half he designated for tuition. To honor Mr. Duffy's legacy, the "Edgar A. Duffy Award for Loyalty" was created and is presented to rising students of grades 5-8 who have attended All Saints since pre-k. Students will be recognized at the year-end Awards Day Program. The scholarships are tuition scholarships for the next school year. The exact Award amount is determined by the number of students who meet the criteria; so far, the average scholarship has been \$625.

GRASP Last Dollar Scholarship

This scholarship which is generously funded in part by Dr. Eugene Trani, President Emeritus of VCU and a long-time supporter of All Saints, is awarded to students who are All Saints graduates and who have just graduated from high school and will be attending college.

PRE-KINDERGARTEN & KINDERGARTEN CLOSING CELEBRATION

Preschool and kindergarten students will be recognized in their year-end celebration.

PROMOTION/RETENTION GUIDELINES

Teachers will make every effort to insure success of their students. Parents will be kept abreast of the child's progress. The following guidelines will be used as a basis for promotion or retention.

Pre-kindergarten Satisfactory mastery of preschool objectives. Upon consultation with parents, a child may be retained for borderline academic achievement and/or immaturity and the child may be recommended for mandatory summer school.

Kindergarten Satisfactory completion of reading and math readiness skills of kindergarten curriculum. Upon consultation with parents, a child may be retained for borderline academic achievement and/or immaturity and the

child may be recommended for mandatory summer school.

- Grade 1 Satisfactory completion of 6 reading units and/or math objectives for the first grade. Upon consultation with parents, a child may be retained for borderline academic achievement and/or immaturity and the child may be recommended for mandatory summer school.
- Grade 2 Satisfactory completion of 6 reading units and/or math objectives for the second grade. Upon consultation with parents, a child may be retained for borderline academic achievement and/or immaturity and the child may be recommended for mandatory summer school.
- Grade 3 Satisfactory completion of 6 reading units and/or math objectives for the third grade. Upon consultation with parents, a child may be retained for borderline academic achievement and/or immaturity and the child may be recommended for mandatory summer school.
- Grade 4 Satisfactory completion of 6 reading units and math objectives for the fourth grade. Students who have an F average in any two of the major subject areas (Reading, English, Science, Social Studies, or Mathematics) will be retained. Upon consultation with parents, a child may be retained for borderline academic achievement and/or immaturity and the child may be recommended for mandatory summer school.
- Grades 5-8 Students who have an F average in any two of the major subject areas (Reading, English, Science, Social Studies, or Mathematics) will be retained. Upon consultation with parents, a child may be retained for borderline academic achievement and/or immaturity and the child may be recommended for mandatory summer school.