



**St
Joseph's
School**



2022-2023 KINDERGARTEN ADMISSIONS

St Joseph's School is a loving and caring learning community committed to academic excellence and fostering the growth of the whole child. Our work is infused by the teachings of Jesus Christ. The smaller size of our school nurtures a strong sense of community. Our dedicated staff and parents collaborate to inspire the growth of all children so they can become their best selves.

Some of the things that make our school shine:

- ✓ Religious education that focuses on Christian values
- ✓ A very experienced team of educators dedicated to helping all children learn and be well prepared on their learning journey
- ✓ A school culture that encourages learners to be safe, helpful, accountable, respectful and polite
- ✓ Use of the BC Ministry of Education's K – 7 Curriculum
- ✓ French instruction for grades K – 7 taught by specialist teachers
- ✓ Music instruction from K-7 taught by a specialist teacher
- ✓ Extracurricular sports and activities
- ✓ Delicious healthy hot lunch on Fridays
- ✓ A high staff-to-learner ratio
- ✓ After school care program (optional and open to everyone)
- ✓ School bus service (operated by SD54)

Admission priority:

If interest exceeds space, the following criteria are used to determine priority status:

1. Parish families who are practicing Catholics and siblings of children already enrolled at St Joseph's
2. Children who attended in St Joseph's Preschool
3. Everyone on a first come, first serve basis

Admissions process:

1. We warmly invite you to start the application process for a spot in our kindergarten starting **on 13 January 2022 at 9am** by expressing interest and requesting an admissions appointment at:
<https://www.schoolinterviews.ca/code> using the code **stjkn**
2. After the request for an admissions appointment has been received, families will be invited to meet and complete applications. Appointments will be made based on the order that requests were received on the website and the priority status of the application.
3. After meeting with families and review of applications, offers of admission will be made based on capacity. Those who accept offers of admissions will be registered for the 2022-2023 school year.