Pope St. John Paul II Catholic Academy School Improvement Plan (SIP)

Our Mission:

Building on the past, creating the future, Pope St. John Paul II Catholic Academy prepares global citizens, grounded in faith and the teachings of the Catholic Church who follow the mission of Christ.

Our Vision:

We strive to create a strong sustainable Catholic school offering innovative education rooted in faith that enables children to become the best version of themselves. Pope St. John Paul II Catholic Academy stresses the twenty-first-century skills of:

- Critical Thinking.
- Creative Thinking,
- Collaborating,
- Communicating,

by offering a curriculum focused on cultural studies and emphasizing the stream subjects of science, technology, religion, engineering, the arts, and math.

<u>Goal #1</u>: To challenge students to give witness to Gospel values within our daily lives and see themselves as responsible for the Church's mission of building a world based on concepts of justice and peace by:

Worthy Target #1: Integrating Christian teachings and values within the daily curriculum Worthy Target #2: Providing opportunities for prayer, Mass, and other services

Goal #2: To challenge students to aim for excellence and to become increasingly responsible for their own learning by:

Worthy Target #1: Providing clear and concise expectations and procedures Worthy Target #2: Teaching and modeling organizational skills

<u>Goal #3</u>: To encourage students to be self-disciplined and respectful of themselves, others, and all creation by:

Worthy Target #1: Providing an atmosphere which encourages tolerance of differences Worthy Target #2: Recognizing students who live and model the Gospel values and positive character traits

Goal #4: To ensure all students receive a high-quality education focusing on foundational skills, collaboration, and real-world problem-solving.

Worthy Target #1: Provide a research-based curriculum with fidelity in mathematics. Worthy Target #2: Provide a research-based curriculum with fidelity in language arts.