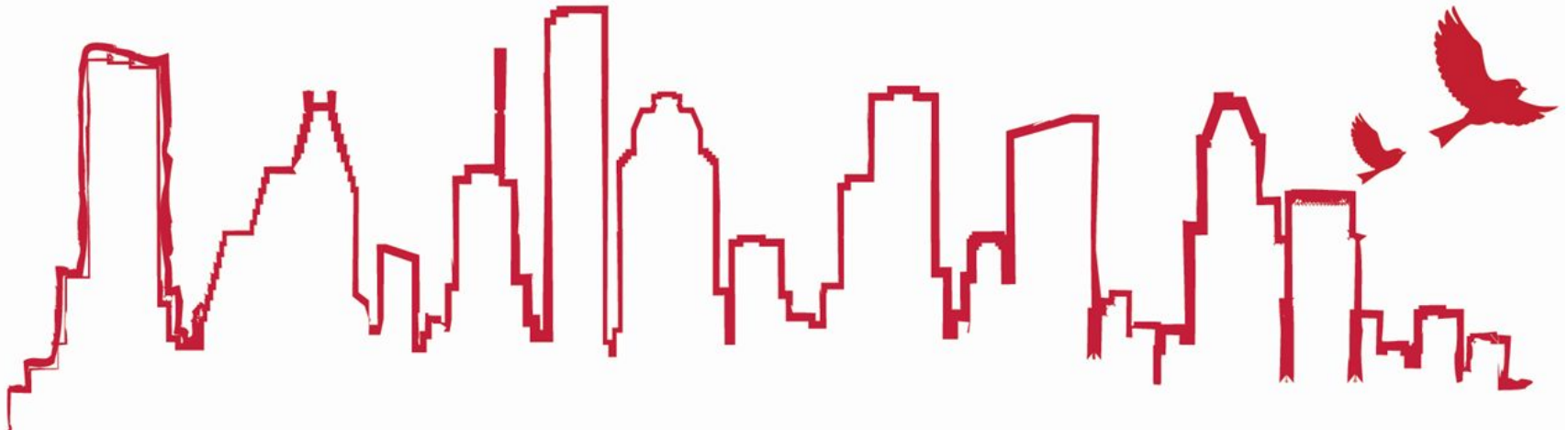


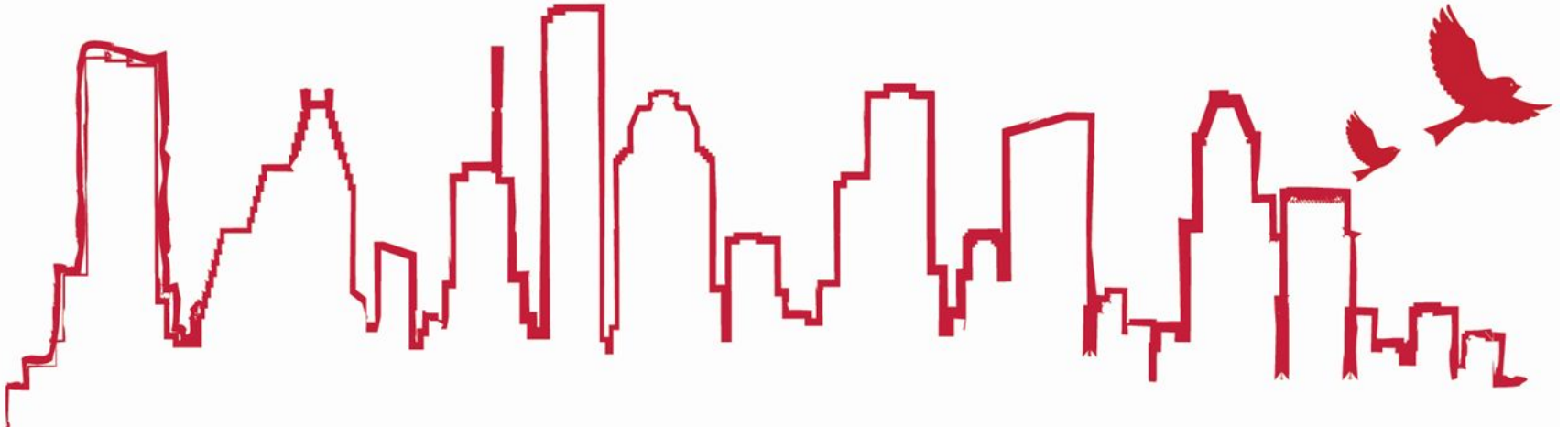


# Freshman & Transfer Parent Night





# Academics



# Profile of an IWA Graduate

•**Academics:** A Woman of the Word is eager, curious and recognizes that her days at the Academy are just the beginning of her lifelong journey as a learner.

•**Values:** A Woman of the Word graduate is empowered as a bold, authentic servant leader with a first instinct to serve.

•**Spirituality:** An IWA Graduate is grounded in the spirituality of the Incarnation, which is found in the Scriptures, Catholic theology and Christian Spirituality.



# Curriculum

- **Four years:** English, Math, Social Studies, Science, Theology
- **Three years:** Spanish, French or Latin
- **Two semesters:** Fine Arts, PE
- **One semester:** Leading with Character, Health, Computer Science



# Honors and AP Classes

Honors	Advanced Placement
English I and II	AP English Language, AP English Literature
Algebra I, Geometry, Algebra II, Pre-Calculus	AP Calculus AB, AP Calculus BC, AP Statistics
World Geography and History to 1500 CE, World Geography from 1500 CE, Economics	AP U.S. History, AP American Government
Biology, Chemistry, Physics	AP Biology, AP Chemistry
Spanish III, French III, Latin III	AP Spanish, AP French, AP Latin (Virgil)
Engineering Design	AP Computer Science

\*See the Course Catalog for Placement Requirements



# Course Selection Process

- Individual meeting with advisor in February
- Aim to build a balanced schedule, demonstrating personal passion & purposeful involvement
- Placement in honors classes based on departmental requirements



# Grade Point Average and Class Rank

- 9 Week Grading Period
- Semester Grades
  - 40% 1st Quarter
  - 40% 2nd Quarter
  - 20% Semester Exam
- Cumulative GPA on a Weighted 4.0 scale
- 1.0 weight for honors and AP classes
- IWA does not rank



# Grading & Academic Communication

- NetClassroom
  - View grades & Student Progress
  - Progress Reports and Report cards
  - Access from [incarnateword.org](https://incarnateword.org) - “quicklinks” tab
  - For Log In Support:
    - Contact our Registrar, Casey Scott,  
[cscott@incarnateword.org](mailto:cscott@incarnateword.org)





# Grading & Academic Communication



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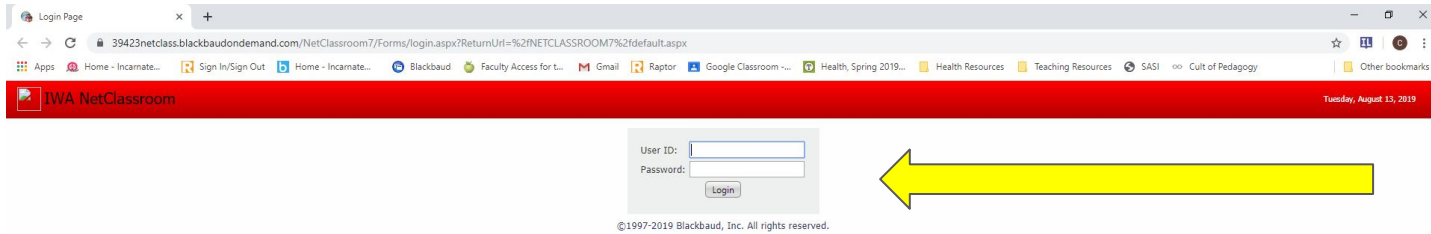
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  - Contact our Registrar, Casey Scott, [cscott@incarnateword.org](mailto:cscott@incarnateword.org)

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Announcements

None currently available.

Welcome

Latest averages, 1st Quarter

PE - 7, Physical Education

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Assignments

There are no assignments due in the selected date range.

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Latest graded student work for today

There are no grades available for the selected date range.

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Class announcements

There are no announcements to display for today.

2019-2020, Regular

Current cycle day: Tue

8/12/2019, Mon

Span I - 1, Spanish I	P1, 8:00 AM - 8:44 AM	303
Bio - 2, Biology	P2, 8:48 AM - 9:29 AM	207
Theo I - 3, Theology I	P3, 9:33 AM - 10:13 AM	205
Alg I - 4, Algebra I	P4, 10:18 AM - 10:59 AM	302
Eng I - 5, English I	P5, 11:03 AM - 12:29 PM	202
Wrld Geo - 6, World History and Geography to 1500 CE	P6, 12:33 PM - 1:14 PM	310
PE - 7, Physical Education	P7, 1:18 PM - 1:59 PM	Gym
Dance1 - 8, Dance	P8, 2:03 PM - 2:44 PM	502

8/13/2019, Tue

Span I - 1, Spanish I	P1, 8:00 AM - 9:27 AM	303
Theo I - 3, Theology I	P3, 9:31 AM - 10:58 AM	205
Eng I - 5, English I	P5, 11:02 AM - 1:13 PM	202
PE - 7, Physical Education	P7, 1:17 PM - 2:44 PM	Gym

8/14/2019, Wed


Bio - 2, Biology	P2, 8:00 AM - 9:27 AM	207
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8/15/2019, Thu

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 Graded student work

Daily	10.000% of 1st Qtr
Labs	25.000% of 1st Qtr
Quizzes	15.000% of 1st Qtr
Tests	50.000% of 1st Qtr



# Grading & Academic Communication

- myHomework
  - <https://myhomeworkapp.com>
- Homework, Tests & Quizzes
- Course Overviews





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Home



Calendar



Homework



Teachers



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## Classes



All

Today

Tomorrow

2018-2019--Theology III--3rd Period

3D Modeling & Animation - S1

Advance Art

Advanced Theatre

Algebra 2

Algebra I (1st & 5th Periods)

Algebra I (2nd & 6th Periods)

Anatomy & Physiology

AP Biology

AP Calculus AB

AP Calculus BC

AP Chemistry



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## Homework



All

Class

Priority

Type

☒ Show Completed

All



1-1.1 Sets & Subsets of Real Numbers

PreCalculus

Wed, Aug 15

Read

1-1.1 Sets & Subsets of Real Numbers

PreCalculus, Honors

Wed, Aug 15

Read

1-1.1 Practice Problems

PreCalculus, Honors

Thu, Aug 16

Homework

1-1.1 Practice Problems

PreCalculus

Thu, Aug 16

Homework

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PreCalculus

Thu, Aug 16

Homework

Join Google Classroom, u28mx8r

PreCalculus, Honors

Thu, Aug 16

Homework

1-1 Practice Problems

PreCalculus

Fri, Aug 17

Homework

1-1 Practice Problems

PreCalculus, Honors

Fri, Aug 17

Homework

Course Overview

Latin 1

Fri, Aug 17

Read

Course Overview, Read & Sign

PreCalculus

Fri, Aug 17

Homework

# Grading & Academic Communication

- Teachers can be reached via email
- Follow Your Daughter Night
  - Monday, August 26
- Parent Conferences
  - Oct. 24 & 25
  - Feb. 7
- Subscribe to School Calendar on Website



Traditional Schedule: Monday, Thursday and Friday		Mass/Late Arrival Schedule: Designated Days**		Modified Block Schedule: Tuesday		Modified Block Schedule: Wednesday	
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First Bell	7:55	First Bell (Mass) First Bell (Late)	7:55 9:14	First Bell	7:55	First Bell	7:55
1	8:00-8:44	Mass (Mass Days)	8:10-9:10	1	8:00-9:27	2	8:00-9:27
2	8:48-9:29	1	9:19-9:57	3	9:31-10:58	4	9:31-10:58
3	9:33-10:14	2	10:01-10:38	Lunch: 11 <sup>th</sup> /12 <sup>th</sup> 11:02-11:42	5: 9 <sup>th</sup> /10 <sup>th</sup> 11:02-12:29	Lunch: 11 <sup>th</sup> /12 <sup>th</sup> 11:02-11:42	6: 9 <sup>th</sup> /10 <sup>th</sup> 11:02-12:29
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7	1:18-1:59	6	1:26-2:03				
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## 2019 – 2020 Bell Schedule Incarnate Word Academy



\*Falcon Fridays: School Dismissal is at **2:44 p.m.** with students having the option to stay for tutoring, testing, clubs or other activities.

\*\*On Fridays with Mass schedule, school dismissal is **3:25 p.m.** Those dates can be found on the school calendar.



# Flex Time

- Personal responsibility and time management
- Freshman Flex Time Program
- Tutorials, assemblies, study skills training, make up assignments & tests
- College Readiness
- Falcon Friday Schedule



# College Counseling

- “College is a match to be made, not a prize to be won.”
- College preparatory curriculum with emphasis on specialization, personal passion & purposeful involvement
- College readiness programming over four years & access to Naviance Student\*
  - Freshmen Advisory
- College representative presentations and fairs
- College campus tours (Sophomores & Juniors)
- Invited to all Parent Nights



# Testing Information

- 9th Grade: PSAT 8/9, Oct. 16
- 10th/11th Grade: PSAT, Oct. 16
  - Junior Year: Potential for National Merit Recognition
- ACT & SAT Testing Timeline
  - Test Prep



# Freshman Counseling

- Individual or Small Group Counseling
- Activities and lessons during Flex Time (Friendships & Stress Management)
- Wellness Week before semester exams
- Students are welcome to meet with the counselor before school, during lunch, during a study hall, during flex time, or after school.
- Parents are encouraged to reach out if they have concerns.



# Accommodations

- IWA offers extended time up to 50% for quizzes, tests, and semester exams; preferential seating, testing in a less distracting environment; testing without Scantrons; and note - taking assistance
- Documentation required & should be sent to the school counselor
- Middle school accommodations do not automatically roll over
- Students must formally request use of accommodations from teacher



# Sisterhood at IWA

## Be Positive

Choosing to find joy in each moment and to share that joy with others

## Be There

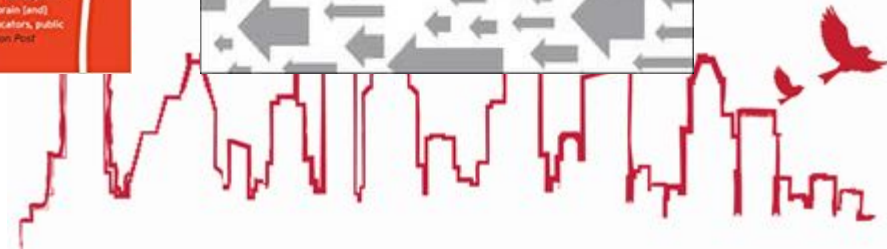
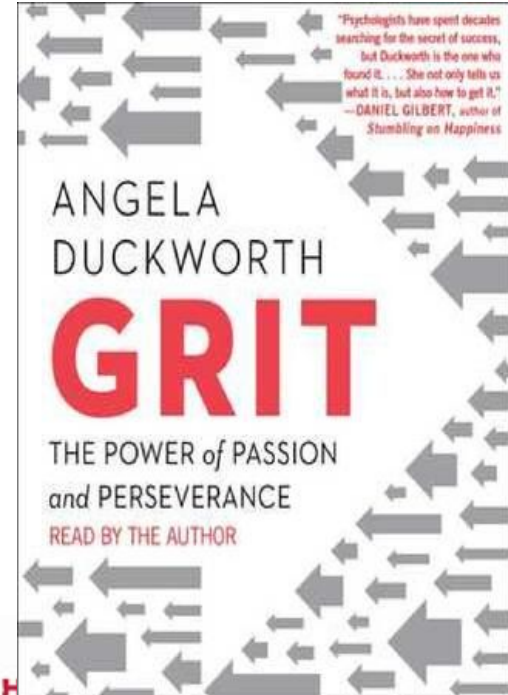
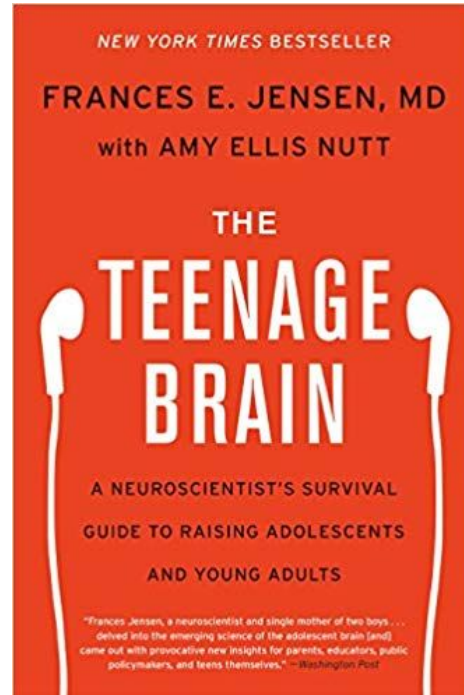
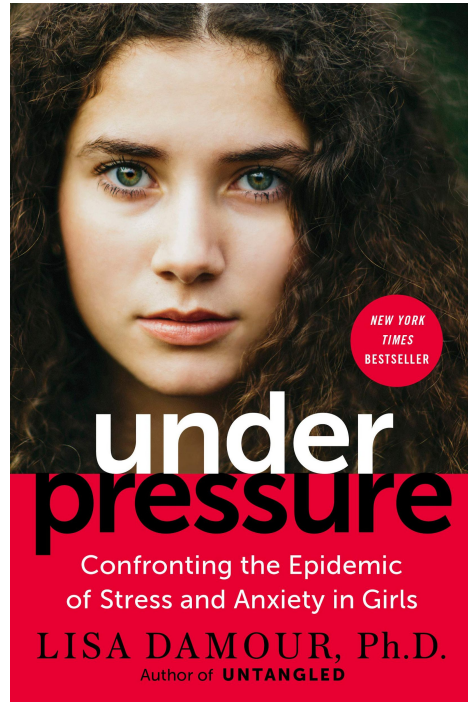
Having a first instinct to help others, even when it is not convenient

## Be United

Bringing together our unique perspectives and strengths around the faith we share



# Recommended Reading



# Attendance

## Tardiness

- Students who arrive to school twenty or more minutes into a class period will be marked absent.

## Absences

- By TEA guidelines, a student who misses more than 10% of class days from a class may lose credit in an applicable class(es).

\*Refer to the Student-Parent Handbook for additional attendance policies and procedures.





# Academic Ineligibility

Criteria for a student to be ineligible to participate in athletics, cheer, dance team and drama productions (including practices):

- Receives one F (69 or below)
- Receives more than one D (70-74)

Students cannot participate or tryout during their period of academic ineligibility until they meet the academic criteria on a following quarter report card.



# Student Life

## Spirit Week

- September 3 - 6
- Week of fun activities, sisterhood, and community building

## Clubs & Organizations

- Students will learn about opportunities to join various clubs during Spirit Week.
- Weekly Word Newsletter



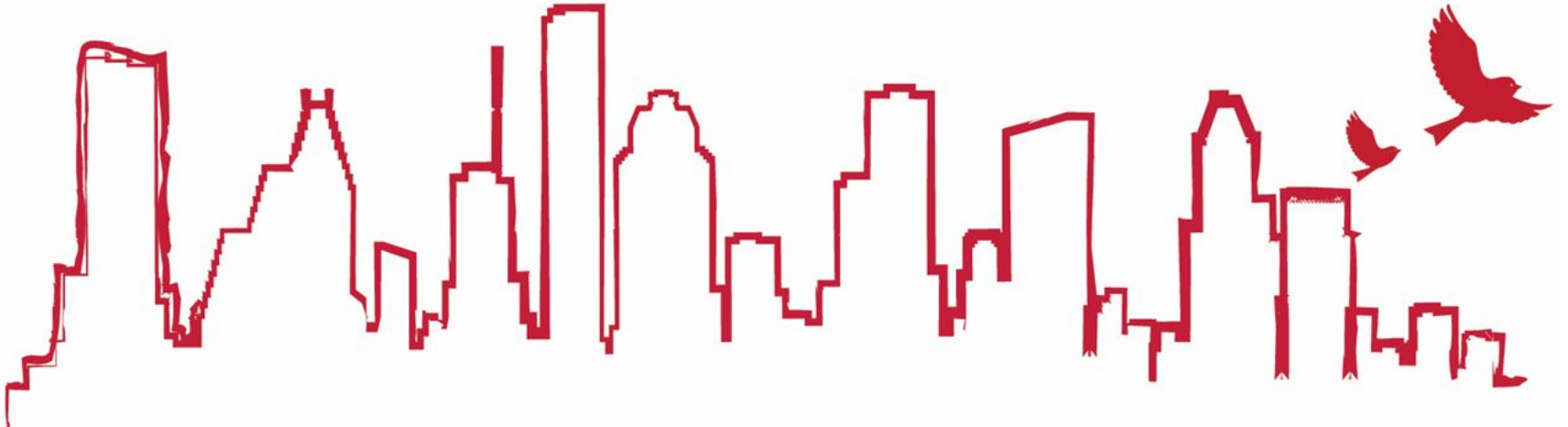
# Parking

- Dropping off items to school, can park on Jackson outside main office at non-peak hours
- Metered parking/LAM parking





# Spirituality



# Campus Ministry

- Mission: To foster student growth in Gospel values to complement the family in its primary role in religious education.
- How?
  - Liturgical Ministry
  - Retreat Program
  - Service Learning Program
  - Theology Class



# Liturgical Ministry

- Monthly all-school Liturgies
- Weekly Mass
- Join us
  - Mother Daughter (December 9th)
  - Father Daughter (January 10th)
  - Junior Ring (April 3rd)
  - Foundation Day (May 1st)



# Retreat Ministry

- Yearly class retreats - Freshman Retreat **September 20th**
- Campus Ministry Team
  - Peer ministry
  - Upperclassmen
- Optional Retreats & Speakers



# Service Learning Program

- 75 hours total
  - 60 direct (with selected agency)
  - and 15 indirect (not with agency)
- Freshman year
  - Select service agency
  - Contact agency and complete contract
  - Submit 15 hours of service by May 1
- Sophomore year
  - Continue with agency
  - Submit 30 hours of service





# Service Learning Program

- Junior year
  - Continue at service agency
  - Complete 30 hours of service (which will be a total of 75) by May 1
- Senior year
  - Continue at service agency (optional)
  - Theology Reflection Project



# Service Learning Program

- Junior year
  - Continue at service agency
  - Complete 30 hours of service (which will be a total of 75) by May 1
- Senior year
  - Continue at service agency (optional)
  - Theology Reflection Project





## Incarnate Word Academy: Christian Service Learning Program

### 2018-2019 Service Hours Record Form

Each service hour record form must be completed, in its entirety. Incomplete or late forms may result in not receiving credit. Keep a copy for your records for verification of hours served.

#### TO BE FILLED OUT ONLY BY IWA STUDENT

The completed form should be submitted to IWA as soon as one of the following occurs:

1. Completion of volunteer hours at this particular site.
2. The May 1<sup>st</sup> submission deadline comes due.

#### Reminders:

- \*The date(s) and time(s) spent volunteering must be accurately entered.
- \*Use a separate form for each organization/agency.
- \*Note whether these hours are DIRECT or INDIRECT

Please check the appropriate label.

- ☐ Direct Hours  
☐ Indirect Hours

Student Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Class of \_\_\_\_\_

Name of institution/agency: \_\_\_\_\_

Date Service Began: \_\_\_\_\_ Date Service Ended: \_\_\_\_\_ TOTAL hours: \_\_\_\_\_  
(mo/day/yr) (mo/day/yr)

Description of service: \_\_\_\_\_

#### TO BE FILLED OUT ONLY BY ORGANIZATION/AGENCY PERSONNEL ONLY

Please make sure the following policies are adhered to before forwarding this form:

1. The hours documented must only represent the actual time spent volunteering---travel time or sleep time in an overnight setting should not be included.
2. Volunteering cannot be performed by the student during school hours.

Organization/agency contact person: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone Number or email of Contact Person: \_\_\_\_\_

Please rate the student's performance based on the following criteria:

Criteria	Exceeds Expectations	Competent/ Satisfactory	Developing/ Emerging	Needs Improvement	N/A
Respect for Others					
Consistency					
Motivation					
Initiative					
Competence					
Behavior					
Leadership Skills					

Comments: \_\_\_\_\_

Signature of Supervisor: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_



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## Service Learning Program

Students are also given the space to be passionate about local organizations; our girls dedicate more than 8,000 hours to community service over four years through our Christian Learning Service Program.

The aim of the Christian Service Learning Program is to promote service as women for others, conscious of the needs of the local community, especially the most vulnerable and disadvantaged in our society. Our girls develop a deeper understanding of Catholic social teaching and develop skills of leadership and character.

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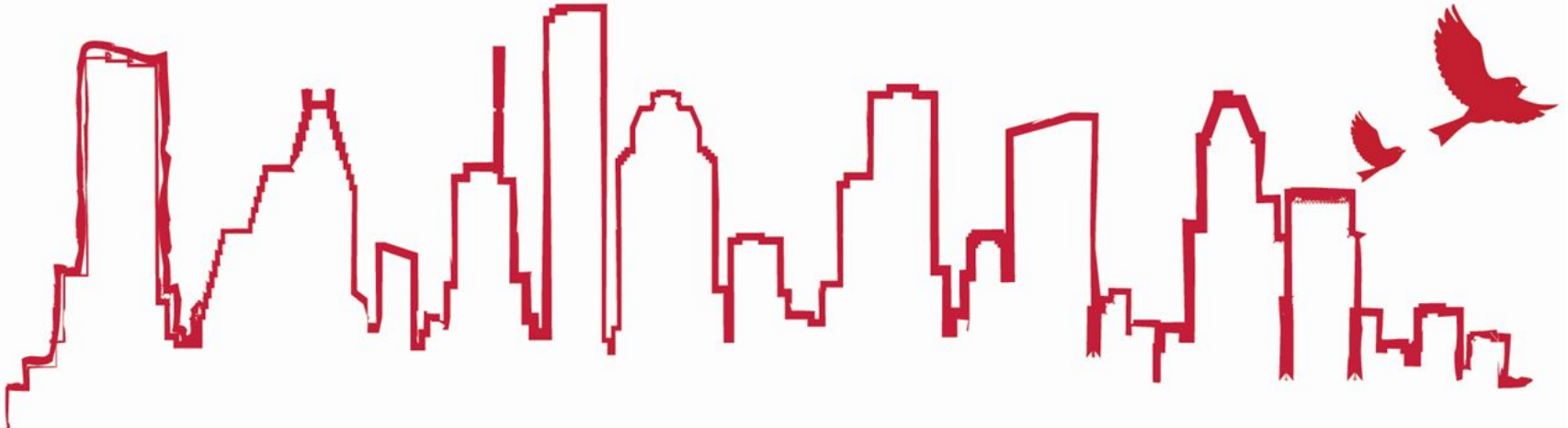
# Service Learning Program

- Voluntary, direct, hands-on service with non-profit agency
- Who can I serve?
  - Individuals below the poverty line
  - Hospitals
  - Military or aid to families
  - Elderly
  - Cognitively or physically challenged
  - Schools
  - Animals in shelters
  - Wilderness areas reclaiming imbalanced ecology
  - Teaching of faith





# Values



# Young Leaders Program

- **Why:** “Empower Young Women to Lead and Serve”
- **What:** Develop Authentic, Bold Servant Leaders, Who...  
Creates Extraordinary Solutions Which Make the World Special



## Our Unique Curriculum: The Leadership Concentration

- Leading With Character → Freshman / Sophomore
- Leading With Service → Sophomore/Junior
- Leading With Business → Junior / Senior
- Leading With Personal Finance → Senior

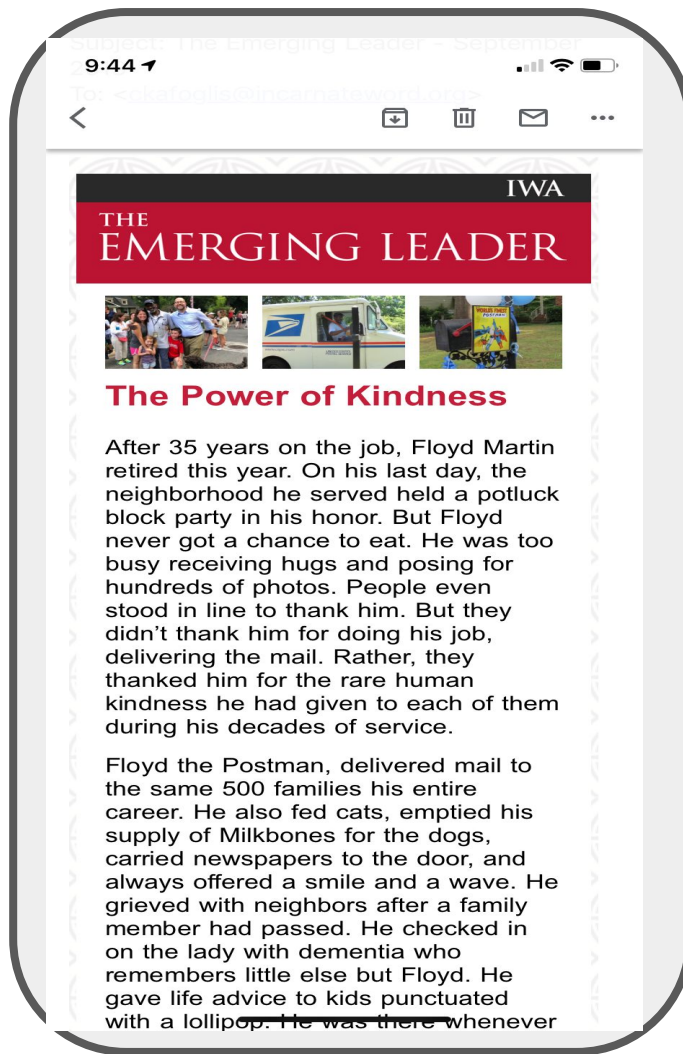


# Beginning Your Leadership Journey as a Freshman

- Take *Leading With Character*
- Get Inspired at **Leadership Live!** (you are invited too)
- Make a difference at IWA in clubs, teams, and fine arts
- Read “*The Emerging Leader*” together







# Graduate as a Distinguished Leader

- Complete the Leadership Concentration with Distinction
- Complete Approved Enrichment Experience
- Make a difference in a club, team, or organization
- Create an “Extraordinary Solution” at IWA
- Accept Formal Distinguished Leader Coaching next year



## Upcoming Reminders

- Athletic Parent Meeting Wednesday, August 14th
- IRIS Emergency Alert drill Friday, August 16th
- School Pictures & ID, August 22nd
- Follow Your Daughter's Schedule Night, August 26th
- Late arrival Schedule, August 27th\*\*
- Early Dismissal, August 29th, 2:44 p.m.



# THE WEEKLY WORD



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