

Grades 6-8

- General computer and MS Windows skills appropriate for grade level
- Internet safety guidelines and cyberbullying
- Evaluate websites for accuracy and relevance
- Demonstrates proper use of copyright rules and guidelines
- Demonstrates proper format for citing sources
- Demonstrates proper netiquette when on sharing sites
- Continue word processing skills
- Continue spreadsheet skills
- Continue presentation skills
- Use database searches for information
- Use digital assessment tools
- Basic photo editing skills
- Evaluation of digital tools for effectiveness for tasks
- Collaborates with peers on digital projects
- Beginning coding skills with both off-line and on-line

coding activities

Visitation Catholic School Mission Statement

Visitation School is part of Visitation Parish and a place where we learn about the lessons taught by Jesus Christ.

We do our best each day to pray, worship, and learn together.

Our teachers help us understand the importance of respecting and serving others as Jesus did.

I will work hard today and everyday to follow the example of Jesus.



*"Celebrating the past
to awaken the future"*

Technology Curriculum Overview

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Visitation has a computer lab with 36 desktop Windows 7 machines; each classroom has a SMART-board with a laptop, 45 iPads available for grades K-6 to check out and a cart of 30 tablets for 7th and 8th grades. We also have 18 tablets for the Science Program for 7th and 8th grade. Technology is integrated into content area lessons using MS Office 2010, Inspiration, Kidspiration, Dance Mat Typing, Keyboarding for Kids, and various Web 2.0 tools.

Students will be exposed to the following concepts and skills:

Grades K-2

- General computer and MS Windows skills appropriate for grade level: login, proper mouse usage, proper care of device, and correct terminology
- Internet safety guidelines, browser navigation, application navigation, and basic understanding of copyright
- Navigate a drawing program and a graphic organizer program
- Age appropriate keyboarding skills
- Basic word processing skills
- Basic spreadsheet skills

Grades 3-5

- General computer and MS Window skills appropriate for grade level
- Internet safety guidelines, ways to handle cyberbullies, and understanding of copyright
- Evaluate websites for accuracy and relevance
- Learn proper use of copyright rules and guidelines
- Learn how to electronically format cited sources
- Learn proper netiquette when on sharing sites
- Intermediate word processing skills
- Intermediate spreadsheet skills
- Basic presentation skills
- Understand and access databases to find appropriate information
- Basic photo editing skills