Program Development

Preschool incorporates Indoor play based learning centers for fine motor development. Outdoor play space for gross motor development.

High School Readiness in Middle School

Literacy strategies across all content areas

Management of time information and materials: Google Classroom Master Binder System

Social and emotional curriculum taught by full time school counselor

Full Time Spanish Instruction

Algebra 1 for Grade Eight

Our Students

Growth and achievement outperformed the nation (public, charter, private and Catholic) in every grade level in math, reading and writing.

Average class size is 17
School hours 7:45-2:15
Extended day 7am-6pm

Service learning and community outreach projects to promote character development

100% are admitted to their high school of choice. Our graduates attend Catholic, Private and Public High Schools.

Enrollment remains strong due to support from our parish and school community

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Saint Raphael School

2019-2020 School Profile
Early Childhood Through Grade 8

NEASC Accredited by NEASC
Student Life

**Religion:** values based education in every grade level with opportunities to live the values out in service projects

**Specialist Classes** include Spanish, STEM, Art, Music, Physical Education, Library

**Grade Level Buddies:** Every student in our school is paired with a buddy in another grade level

**Before** (7am) and **After School** (until 6pm) **Child Care Program**

**After School and Summer Programs include:**
- Concert Band
- Lego Creations
- Literary Magazine
- Sensational Sports
- Music/Movement
- Floor Hockey
- Student Council
- Piano Playtime
- Ultimate Frisbee

**Sports Program:** Cross Country, Basketball, Spring Track

Our Staff

100% of our K-8 Classroom Teachers hold Masters Degrees, Bachelors, multiple degrees, and/or MA DOE Certifications

Teaching staff and Principal participate in Professional Development through Boston College’s Lynch Leadership Academy

Differentiation Specialists works with staff and students at all grade levels

22 staff members either attended Saint Raphael School or have family members who attend(ended) Saint Raphael School

Landmark School training for literacy and managing time, information and materials

Participate in the Salem State University Collaborative for Professional Development; Principal Serves on its Executive Board

Are committed to the values of faith based education and nurturing the whole child

Our Families/Partners

Come to us from 14 Communities
Speak 15 Languages

In addition to English, our families speak Arabic, Greek, Italian, Spanish, Portuguese, Haitian/Creole, Vietnamese, Korean, French, Indonesian, Congolese, Indian and Russian

Serve on School Advisory, Parish Advisory, and Technology Council

Enjoy a sizable tuition break for multiple children

Student Services

Full Time School Nurse
Full Time School Counselor
Full Time Director of Admissions
Director of Mission and Identity
Academic Support Plan for all students
Membership in Massachusetts Partnership for Youth