

Why you Should Send your Children to Saint Anne

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The feeling of comfort is the best feeling in my opinion. The reason I know this is because every day I have felt safe and comfortable where I am, Saint Anne Parish School. When I first stepped into my first day of preschool here at St. Anne, I was so scared and I had already felt the separation anxiety coming on. The thought of not seeing my mom or dad for a couple of hours really frightened me. To add onto that, I had heard rumors or saw in movies where teachers and principals were supposedly mean. But my opinion changed drastically when I saw so many smiling faces just waiting to greet me and welcome me to my first day of school with open arms. Though tears were dripping down the side of my cheek simultaneously, my teacher still kept a huge smile on her face, making me feel much better. Without encompassing that moment in my life, I would not be where I am today.

When you send your kids to Saint Anne School, you do not only get an outstanding education, but most importantly, you get prepared for your life after school. Yes, schools may have excellent education, but not one other school teaches both amazing education and people skills as exceptionally as St. Anne. Because I was taught such valuable people skills at such a young age, it has been easy for me to make friends and know who my true friends actually are, and that can be very hard to do nowadays.

Sending your kids to Saint Anne will enrich their religious beliefs and help them realize that God is always with you. We have religion every day and even go to mass every other Wednesday. With the privilege of having mass in our beautiful church, we go deeper into our faith and learn to accept all. Even though some people think that having church during school is "unnecessary", it has made me realize the importance of prayer and commitment in life.

Saint Anne School has been academically superior and got a Blue Ribbon Award for the incredible education. Not only are we academically superior, but we are a school that works for everything that we have received. We have all made sure to put forward our best work and take time and effort on everything we do. I am truly so grateful for that amazing achievement.

The teachers here have taught me so much and have offered not only many sport options, such as basketball, volleyball, cross country, and track, but also many clubs that are both entertaining and useful to our lives. Some of those clubs include a cooking class called sticky fingers, chess club, a running club called Girls on the Run, which is incredibly self- uplifting, Scholastic bowl, French and Mandarin classes, student council, and so many more! With these clubs available to us, I have interacted with so many different people, and because of this, I have learned what kindness is and who I can really trust in my life.

Overall, I, as a student who has been here since preschool, have gained so much, and I feel so incredibly prepared for high school. When you send your child to Saint Anne, you will see how outstanding our teachers are and realize how Saint Anne, with its anti-bullying system, is the best fit for any child. Without all that I have gained by being here, I would not be where I am today, and I have Saint Anne School to thank for that. I have been blessed with being in such a welcoming environment for my whole life, and by sending your children here, you will certainly feel blessed. Though my time here is coming to a close, I would like to thank everyone at Saint Anne for being there for me, and when your child goes here, you will never feel a sense of regret. Saint Anne Parish School is the best option for any one of God's children.