

# Elements of Formation

- ✓ Academics
- ✓ Faith
- ✓ Social/Communication/Life Skills
- ✓ Service to Others
- ✓ Transitioning from the Academy to Adulthood



## Our Mission

The Academy of St. Louis assists K-12th grade students with cognitive learning disabilities. We provide each student with a safe and nurturing environment, individualized and challenging curriculum, social integration skills, and faith formation. The Academy of St. Louis aids each student in reaching their highest potential providing them with the confidence and knowledge to succeed in life.

## Program Highlights:

Grades K-12  
Catholic Faith  
Individual Academic Curriculum  
3:1 Student to Teacher Ratio  
Trauma-Informed (relationship-based)  
Wilson Reading Specialist  
Speech & Language Therapy On-Site  
Transition Program  
One-on-One Instruction  
Life Skills/Social Skills  
Sensory Room  
Playgrounds/Gym  
After School Programs:  
Running Club,  
Speech & Debate, &  
S.T.O.P. & Relax Club



## Our Unique Approach

The Academy of St. Louis is accredited by Cognia and the National Association of Private Catholic Schools and it is recognized by the Archdiocese of St. Louis. Specializing in providing an individualized curriculum for students in K-12 grade with learning challenges and developmental delays, the Academy fills the gap for students who do not develop and learn well in other special education schools or classrooms.

Each student functions at a different academic level in many subjects. The Academy of St. Louis will individualize the education plan for your child which allows acceleration in areas of strength and assistance in areas of challenge. Detailed accommodations are possible due to the 3:1 student-to-staff ratio with one-on-one Speech & Language Therapy through our partnership with Saint Louis University Doisy College of Health Sciences, math, and a certified Wilson Reading Specialist on staff.



# ASTL Transition Program



The number one fear of most parents, and you are probably no different, is "What will my child do after high school?" The Academy of St. Louis provides a personalized and challenging academic curriculum, helping your student successfully transition from the Academy of St. Louis either by continuing their education at the post-secondary level, a trade school, or gaining employment. Our team has partnered with the University of Missouri, KC to educate our staff using their framework to help organize your child's ideas, vision, and goals. Helping your student reach their maximum potential and life goal is our number one priority.

*"This is the true measure of our success; providing each student with the necessary tools to succeed in life."*

-Mrs. Terri O'Daniel  
Executive Director



**ACADEMY OF ST. LOUIS**

*Providing Hope, Promise & Opportunities  
For Students with Learning Challenges*

## Financial Aid and Scholarships Available

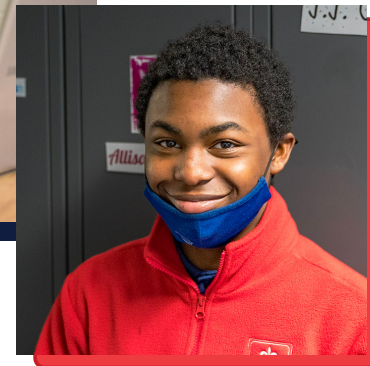


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Since 2004**



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accredited K-12 Catholic school in St. Louis for  
students with learning challenges specializing  
in students with Autism Spectrum Disorder and  
Developmental Delays.*

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