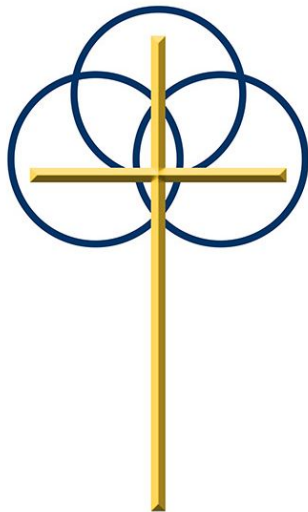


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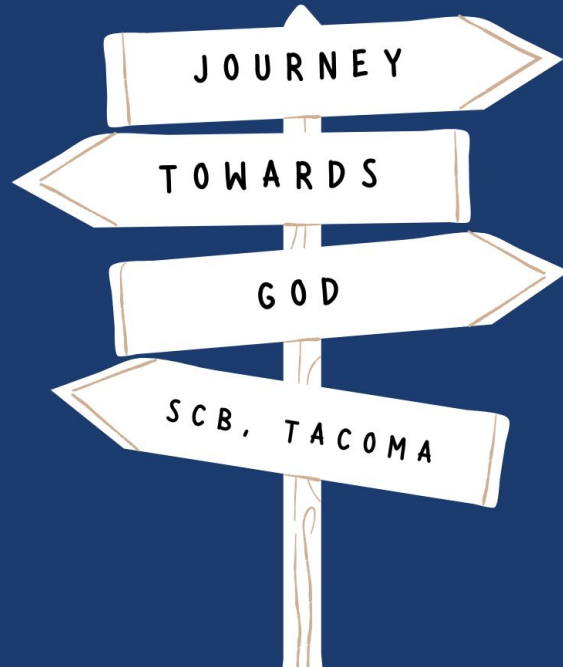
Back to School Night

Fall 2025



ST. CHARLES
BORRROMEO
CATHOLIC SCHOOL

2025-2026 Schoolwide Theme



Teachers

Heather Allen / Mrs. Allen

I have been teaching and in childcare for 16 years. I have a BA in early childhood and elementary education from CWU. I also hold an endorsement for Curriculum Development.



What makes this grade special?

- Kindergarten is special because it provides a crucial foundation for a child's holistic development, fostering academic readiness, vital social-emotional skills, and a love for learning in a nurturing, structured environment.
- Kindergarten is FUN!



Academics

- **Religion:** *Allelu!, Saints, Bible Stories*
- **Language Arts:** *Amplify*

Knowledge and Skills. This includes reading, fluency, comprehension and writing.

- **Math:** *Houghton Mifflin Harcourt*

Counting, adding and subtracting and shapes.

- **Science:** *Nancy Larson Science*

Exploring My Five Senses, Investigating Healthy Habits, Identifying Characteristics of Pets, Examining of Objects, Exploring Forces that move objects, Observing the growth of plants and Identifying Seasons and weather conditions.



Grading

- 3 = Content mastered
- 2 = Progressing towards mastery
- 1 = Difficulty understanding, needs support



= Check for understanding

- Report cards will come home at the end of each trimester.



Classroom Etiquette and Expectations

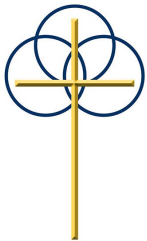
- Be Kind
- Be Honest
- Be Caring

While rules are important, it is also essential to nurture a positive classroom community where students feel safe, respected, and valued.



Testing

- DIBELS Testing (Reading)
(fall, winter and spring)
- Mastertrack Math
benchmark assessment
- Amplify Beginning of the
Year Assessment
- Teacher observations
- Grade level prayer testing

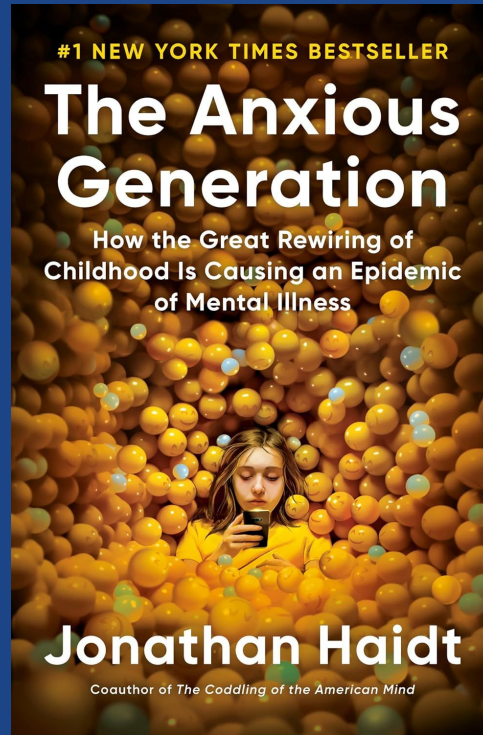


Conferences

- Please make a note on your calendar that conferences are scheduled for Thursday, October 23 and Friday, October 24. A Sign Up Genius will be sent home via email.
- If at any time you have questions or concerns about your child's progress, I am happy to meet with you to set your mind at ease and a game plan. If I have a concern or anything I need to share with you, I will contact you ASAP.



Must Reads



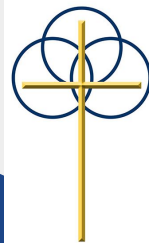
Communication

- Friday Folders
- Classroom Newsletter
- Homework Folder
- Google Classroom
- School Website & Monday principal newsletter
- Email: hallen@stcharlesb.org



Fall Reminders

- A Sign Up Genius will be sent home in the next week or so for parent volunteers.
- Conferences - October 23/24
- November 3 Kindergarten Saint Performance after Mass
- Noon dismissals: Sept. 24, Oct. 29 and Dec. 19.



Thank you!



Sticker Bank

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