



St. Ignatius

College Preparatory School

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Dear Parents,

Welcome to St. Ignatius College Preparatory School and the new Academic Year!

My name is Victor Nguyen. It is my privilege as principal to share with you our unique new school. St. Ignatius has been my father, Mr. Oanh Nguyen, and his twelve children's dream for many years. It is the expression of our desire to "pay back" to the country that took us in as refugees, fed us, clothed us, and educated us. To realize this dream, several of us went back to school to acquire the knowledge necessary to teach in and operate an educational institution after making our living as doctors, engineers, etc. for many years. Several professionals in the Metroplex have heard about us and joined with us in our dream. With this preparation and help from other exceptionally qualified volunteers, St. Ignatius College Preparatory School proudly opened its doors in the fall of the 2005. In May 2009 we will graduate our third graduation class composed of our first true freshman class.

All of these wonderful professionals volunteer their time and talent selflessly to benefit the future of our youth. They teach while sharing the love in their hearts. That is the true meaning of *teacher*.

We attend Mass weekly and go to confession once a month. Every day begins and ends with prayer and the Angelus is prayed at noon. Our classical curriculum, Catholic theology, and strong science and math emphasis give our students the best preparation possible for academic excellence in college, and the ability to effectively compete in their careers.

We emphasize personal responsibility, leadership, citizenship, and community service through the Venturing program of Boy scouts of America. Student-directed activities allow for fun, competition, and adventure in a wholesome, adult-supervised environment.

For the upcoming academic year, we are looking for students with involved parents who are serious about education. We invite you to look us over, talk to our teachers, students, and parents. Enjoy a little food and little fun with the Iggies.

Sincerely,

Victor T.D. Nguyen
Principal