

CATHOLIC SCHOOL

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Catholic schools in the Archdiocese of Denver are accredited by the North Central Association of Colleges and Schools. As part of accreditation, all teachers in Catholic schools must possess a valid State Teacher's License or qualify for Colorado certification through the Alternative Licensure Program. In addition, all teachers are required to have catechist certification.

A few statistics regarding archdiocesan school teachers include:

- Pupil-to-teacher ratio = 13 to 1
- 762 full-and part-time teachers
- 735 are lay men and women
- 27 are religious brothers and sisters
- 84% are Catholic
- 83% of teachers hold a current State teacher's license
- 7% of teachers currently hold an Alternative Teacher License
- The State of Colorado does not provide certification for teachers of Religion, early childhood, and some specialties.
- 28% of teachers have a Master's degree or higher

The average length of service for a teacher in the Archdiocese of Denver Catholic schools is 8 years. On average, they have 13 years of teaching experience.



The Archdiocese of Denver's Catholic Schools are an investment in the future of our children and our Catholic faith.