

Campus Ministry: Application for 2010-2011

Campus Ministry offers seniors a unique opportunity to combine the academic requirements of senior theology and its study of Catholic principles and teachings on social justice with a “practicum” which seeks to apply these principles to real-life situations. In addition to studying basic Catholic social teachings and the rationale(s) behind them, students will plan, coordinate, and implement:

1. Community Outreach (e.g., Haunting for the Hungry, the Thanksgiving Food Drive, Advent Giving, and so forth)
2. Liturgy (Masses and prayer services)
3. Retreats (for middle-schoolers and underclassmen)

Beyond these responsibilities, Campus Ministers undertake numerous odd tasks and have a great number of leadership opportunities and responsibilities throughout the school year; these extend well beyond the requirements of the classroom. You will do a lot of behind-the-scenes work and will provide serious input throughout the school year regarding issues related to our Catholic identity as a school. As a Campus Minister you will be required to miss some school--be certain that you will be able to handle this.

Application Process:

Monday, January 25 - Application Due. Turn it in to Mrs. Zimmermann in the Office- *Due to technical difficulties the deadline has been moved to Tuesday, January 26th – Absolutely No Later*

Saturday, January 30 - Super Saturday 9:00 a.m. to noon, interviews in the Aquinas Room

Tuesday, February 2 – we will notify you by mail of the results.

To Apply:

1. Create a cover sheet for all of the materials that follow.
2. Write an essay that explains why you want to be a Campus Minister. This should be thoughtful, well-organized, and an honest assessment of your abilities and interests. In the past, applicants have written on the relationship of faith, service and leadership; the ways in which Campus Ministry can make a difference; and, what you personally can bring to Campus Ministry and *why* that is an important contribution.
3. Submit a completed recommendation form from one of your teachers *no later than noon on Friday, January 29.*
4. Reserve the morning of Saturday, January 30, for your interview. You will be interviewed by several current Campus Ministers and by Father O’Brien.

Please submit all materials in typed format.

Campus Ministry Application Teacher Recommendation

Teacher Evaluation. Please write whatever you think is important about this student including a description of academic and personal characteristics. We are particularly interested in the candidate's intellectual promise, motivation, integrity, independence, originality, initiative, leadership potential, capacity for growth, special talents, enthusiasm, concern for others, respect toward others, and reaction to setbacks.

 Print Campus Ministry Applicant's Name

 Print and Sign Teacher's Name

Ratings. Compared to other students in his junior class, how do you rate this student in terms of:

	Below Average	Average	Good	Very Good	Excellent	One of the top Few
Creative Thought						
Motivation						
Integrity						
Initiative						
Intellectual ability						
Academic Achievement						
Leadership						
Effective class discussion						
Discipline						