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St. Mary Catholic Middle School to Offer 5th Grade Visit Day and Shadow Days

(Neenah) St. Mary Catholic Middle School (SMCMS) is offering a 5th-grade visit day and several shadowing opportunities for interested fifth grade students.

At the **visit day** on **Tuesday, November 3**, fifth grade students will spend the morning at St. Mary Catholic Middle School and learn about academics, co-curricular activities and the one-to-one laptop program on our new campus, located at 1000 Zephyr Drive in Neenah.

A **shadow day** is the perfect opportunity for a student to gain knowledge and insight into the school atmosphere of SMCMS. These shadow opportunities are structured to give fifth graders a glimpse of middle school courses, meet the faculty and allow participants the opportunity to view the school from a student's perspective. Each guest is matched with a current SMCMS student who has similar academic and co-curricular interests.

Each shadow day runs from 7:45 a.m. to 11:00 a.m., and interested families should choose between **Monday, November 9; Tuesday, November 10; Monday, November 16 or Wednesday, November 18**. SMCMS can accommodate up to 12 students on each shadow

day. Register online!--click on the "5th Grade Visit and Shadow Days" box on the middle school webpage to access online registration.

Contact SMCS Pre3-8 Admissions Coordinator Shannon DeShambo at sdeshambo@smcatholicschools.org or 920-722-7796 ext. 870 with inquiries or to make other arrangements if the shadow day dates do not work for your family.

St. Mary Catholic Middle School (SMCMS) is part of [St. Mary Catholic Schools \(SMCS\)](#). The system also includes St. Mary Elementary Schools (St. Margaret Mary and St. Gabriel in Neenah, and St. Mary in Menasha), as well as St. Mary Catholic High School in Neenah. SMCMS is dedicated to the individual development of each student by providing an education focused on faith, academics and service.

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