



INCARNATE WORD HIGH SCHOOL ACTIVITIES 2010 ~ 2011

SHAMROCK SPORTS



We invite our students to strengthen their bodies by participating in physical education classes and a variety of sports, which include soccer, volleyball, basketball, tennis, golf, cross country, track, softball, dance and cheerleading. Incarnate Word participates in the Texas Association of Private and Parochial Schools (TAPPS). Approximately one-half of the students at IWHS participate in the school's athletics program. Success in the classroom is a prerequisite to participation in athletics.

SHAMROCK CLUBS



In addition to the school's athletics program, Incarnate Word offers an increasing number of clubs and organizations. Activities include club participation in the areas of drama, speech and debate, Spanish, Japanese, Latin, school newspaper staff, yearbook staff and National Honor Society and Student Council, among others. It is recommended that a student participate in at least one of the clubs or organizations offered at IWHS.

CAMPUS MINISTRY



Incarcate Word High School was founded by the Sisters of Charity of the Incarnate Word. In that same spirit of love, compassion and Judeo-Christian values we strive to provide our students with many opportunities to grow in their faith.

Our community shares in Mass together at least once a month including all major feast days and school celebrations. We invite the students to participate in all aspects of the worship services as lectors, musicians, Eucharistic ministers or greeters. Each class attends a day long or overnight retreat. This is another way for the girls to see one another in the light of Christ. Every year a group of our students participate in a Service Trip. This service trip introduces our young women to other people's ways of life. Campus Ministry is designed to encourage and foster the faith lives of our students while encouraging and providing opportunities for service to the school and the wider community. When needed, each student is given assistance to discern her gifts and how she can best serve others.

In the spirit of Christian service that encouraged and influenced the first Sisters of Charity of the Incarnate Word, Incarnate Word High School seeks to "foster a sensitivity to and a recognition of social problems and injustices, and to engender a responsibility and an inclination toward corrective action voluntarily undertaken." (Mission Statement of Congregation) The graduation requirement of one hundred service hours is one way for the students to share in this spirit of Christian service and social justice. The goal is to serve in light of the mission of Christ. In deciding what specific activities fulfill the service requirement, the most important criterion is one of need. Students are encouraged to identify needs in the community and to commit the greater percentage of service hours to those needs.

For more information, calendars, photos, service documentation, etc. log on to:
<http://www.incarcatewordhs.org/campusministry/index.htm>