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## **Celebrating Catholic Schools Week!**

**Waterbury, CT - (January 25, 2022)** Catholic Academy of Waterbury is gearing up for Catholic Schools Week! This is a time to celebrate our STREAM Academy.

Career Day will bring our greater community into our school to showcase various professions our students can aspire for as they continue their studies.

Olympics coding is the focus with our *CAW-lympics*, where students will engage in STREAM activities and use Dash, one of our robots, to accomplish a winter olympics-themed challenge!

Our school community is celebrating *Faith-filled Spirits Day* with a Mass from the Basilica of the Immaculate Conception, along with class activities to bring to light the Catholic identity of the school.

Author Chrysa Smith will be joining us as we celebrate *Love for Literacy Day*. Book tastings and literacy activities will be held in classroom centers as students dress up like they're going to a fancy restaurant!

Each class will also be adopting a community partner for *Charitable Kids Day* and work together to create and deliver a showing of gratitude.

"Catholic Schools Week is my favorite time of the academic year at Catholic Academy. As a school family, we recognize that there is something very unique about us! Whether our children are Catholic or not, we all know and embrace the love of our Lord and the love of our school family, and we celebrate that in the most creative ways," shared Principal Christa Chodkowski.



On Wednesday, February 2, 2022, we will be hosting an evening open house for new and interested families who would like to learn about our school and consider enrollment for next year. Last year, we received over 170 applications for admissions and had 20 more students apply for Kindergarten than we had seats available. There's even a waiting list for Grade 1 already forming! We are Waterbury's STREAM Academy and it's truly the place to be! Please give us a call at 203.756.5313 so we can know to expect you.

Catholic Academy of Waterbury is home to over 200 students in Pre-K (age 3) through Grade 8. As a STREAM school, the staff of master teachers meaningfully integrate Science, Technology, Religion, Engineering, the Arts, and Math into all curricular areas, positioning each student for success in academics and as productive citizens in the greater Waterbury community. CAW warmly welcomes new families to apply for admission. Schedule a visit or apply online at catholicacademywaterbury.org.

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