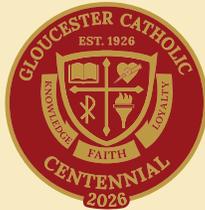


## GLOUCESTER CATHOLIC ADVISORY BOARD PRESENTS FIVE-YEAR STRATEGIC PLAN



As Gloucester Catholic High School celebrates its Centennial year, we are honored to introduce our **2026–2031 Strategic Plan: *Rooted in Faith. Focused on the Future.*** While we proudly look back on nearly a century of excellence, we also look ahead with purpose and vision for the next generation of Catholic education.

This five-year plan reflects months of extensive research, thoughtful collaboration, and prayerful discernment. To support this process, Gloucester Catholic partnered with Meitler, a nationally respected Catholic education consulting firm, to conduct research, facilitate listening sessions, and help develop a strategic vision that honors our traditions while positioning the school for continued growth and innovation.

At the heart of this plan is our unwavering commitment to forming young people who are grounded in faith, prepared for academic and professional success, and inspired to serve others with compassion and integrity. Through focused investments in campus ministry, academic innovation, student opportunities, community partnerships, and responsible stewardship, we are positioning Gloucester Catholic to thrive in an evolving educational landscape while remaining true to our mission.

This plan is more than a roadmap for the next five years; it is a reaffirmation of who we are, what we value, and the future we are building together as a Ram family.





## Our Four Strategic Priorities

### 1. Deepen Catholic Identity

- Expand Campus Ministry programming
  - Strengthen faculty faith formation
  - Integrate Catholic mission throughout school life
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### 2. Elevate Academic Excellence

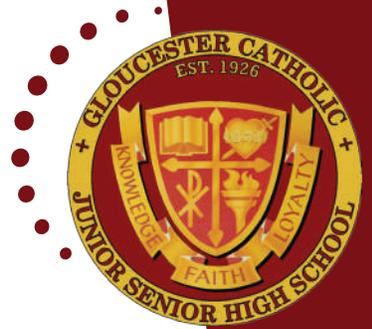
- Strengthen science and STEM programming
  - Improve instructional technology
  - Expand electives and extracurricular offerings
  - Increase academic rigor and student accountability
  - Enhance support for diverse learners
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### 3. Grow Enrollment Strategically

- Strengthen professional admissions practices
  - Expand marketing and storytelling
  - Deepen partnerships with feeder schools and parishes
  - Increase accessibility through scholarships and financial aid
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### 4. Ensure Long-Term Sustainability

- Improve facilities and learning spaces
- Strengthen alumni engagement and philanthropy
- Maintain responsible financial stewardship
- Strengthen governance to support long-term sustainability



# What This Means for Our Community

## For Students

1. Stronger academic programs and STEM opportunities
  2. Expanded clubs and leadership experiences
  3. Improved facilities and technology
  4. Continued emphasis on faith, service, and character
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## For Families

1. A clear, focused 5-year roadmap
  2. Responsible financial planning
  3. A safe, mission-driven environment
  4. A competitive Catholic education rooted in community
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## For Alumni & Supporters

1. Renewed engagement opportunities
2. Clear funding priorities
3. Stronger connections to students and programs



## Looking Ahead

Gloucester Catholic's greatest strengths — faith, community, resilience, and personalized attention — remain at the heart of this plan.

Over the next five years, we will build upon that foundation to ensure Gloucester Catholic remains a vibrant, sustainable, and mission-driven Catholic high school for decades to come.

