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Susan R. Nedza named new principal of St. Joseph School, Auburn



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Susan R. Nedza has been appointed as principal of St. Joseph School in Auburn, effective July 1, 2013. She will succeed Kathleen Coye.

Nedza has served since 2008 as Director of Guidance and Counselor at Bishop Grimes Junior-Senior High School in East Syracuse, New York. Prior to that position, she served as a school counselor in the Otter Valley Union High School in Brandon, Vermont, as well as a counselor at Fulton Junior High School in Fulton, New York. Nedza has extensive experience in building administration and strategic planning.

Nedza received a master's degree and certification in educational administration (school district and buildings) from the State University of New York at Stony Brook. Prior to that, she received a master's degree and certification in school counseling from SUNY Oswego, as well as a bachelor's degree in psychology from SUNY Oswego.

"The most rewarding part of my time in Catholic Schools has been the children and families I work with daily," Nedza said. "I know in every part of me that Catholic Schools are the best practice for education and give students an invaluable start in life. I am looking forward to continuing the proud tradition of excellence at St. Joseph's School in Auburn."

ABOUT ST. JOSEPH'S SCHOOL

"St. Joseph School is a Catholic community that celebrates the integration of faith and learning."

St. Joseph's School, 89 East Genesee St., Auburn, is centered upon educating "the whole child" - physically, mentally and spiritually. The three-year-old and four-year-old pre-school programs give children a promising start to their academic career. Children will be taught Christian values as well as small and large motor skills and an introduction to reading skills by caring, certified teachers. The Elementary School has a challenging curriculum that incorporates New York State standards of instruction and assessments in a framework guided by our Christian values and beliefs. "Integrated learning" is the phrase that best describes our elementary program. Our teachers in the elementary department work together to ensure that the work they do lays the groundwork for the next grade as well as reinforcing what was learned in previous grades. The Middle School curriculum prepares our students to meet the challenges of higher education. Students are taught the organizational and study skills that will enable them to succeed in later education. The middle school students participate in Student Council, National Junior Honor Society, Ski Club, Yearbook, Social Activities, and Modified Sports in the Auburn School District. For more information, visit <http://schools.dor.org/stjoauburn/>