

Lunch Program

The students bring their own lunches and eat in the classrooms while being supervised by their teachers. The school participates in the Maryland State Special Milk Program. The HASA sponsors a hot lunch twice a month.

Health Services

The school health room is staffed by a full-time registered nurse licensed by the Maryland State Department of Health and Mental Hygiene.

Vision, hearing, and scoliosis screenings are done by the Baltimore County Health Department annually.

In an emergency, the school is serviced by several community fire departments equipped with ambulance services.

The health facility is a suite of three rooms located on the first floor of the school building convenient to the office, main entrance, and playground. The suite contains a treatment room, sick room, and an office.

Extended Day Care Service

Saint John Extended Care is licensed by the State of Maryland, Department of Human Resources, Child Care Administration. The program is run by the school for registered **Saint John** students. The staff consists of a director and two aides. The hours of operation are:

After all PK and K classes	11:15 am - 3:00 pm
After school	3:00 pm - 6:00 pm

Occasionally on holidays or when school is closed, full day care is offered provided there is a minimum of six children signed up. Daycare is provided immediately following noon dismissal.

Guidance

The Counselor Program makes available a counselor from Catholic Charities two days a week. The counselor's purpose is to act as a resource person for teachers, parents, and students. Students may be referred by the principal, teacher, parent, or themselves.

Parent/counselor communication is an essential part of the program. The counselor conducts relevant classroom instruction on topics of mental health and social issues.

Remedial

Students identified with special needs in reading and math are placed in small groups with instruction suited to their needs.

Students who experience extreme learning difficulties are recommended for referral to their local public school or private testing for the Admission, Referral, and Dismissal (ARD) process. Based on ARD recommendations, classroom accommodations, and modifications may be made for students with special learning needs.

Transportation

There is no school-sponsored or public transportation available. Students travel by car pool. Teachers make transportation arrangements for class field trips. Chartered buses are contracted in the name of the school.