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## **St. Hubert Catholic School in Hoffman Estates, IL Earns Blue Ribbon School Nomination**

HOFFMAN ESTATES, IL – February 11, 2014 – St. Hubert Catholic School, a pre-K through eighth grade parochial school serving Hoffman Estates, Schaumburg, and the surrounding suburban communities, was one of fifty nation-wide schools nominated by the Council for American Private Education (CAPE) to be a 2014 National Blue Ribbon School.

The National Blue Ribbon designation is given by the U.S. Department of Education (ED) and recognizes public and private elementary, middle, and high schools where students perform at very high levels or where significant improvements are being made in students' academic achievement. According to the ED website, a National Blue Ribbon Schools flag overhead has become a mark of excellence in education recognized by everyone from parents to policymakers in thousands of communities.

This nomination is certainly an achievement for St. Hubert Catholic School. School principal Vito DeFrisco said, "St. Hubert Catholic School has a long and rich history of providing a solid academic program to the families we serve. We are always looking for ways to improve our programs while encouraging our students to do their best." Marcia Larson, the school's assistant principal added, "This formal nomination validates the expertise and dedication of our faculty as well as the exceptional students attending St. Hubert Catholic School."

The school is now in the process of making its formal application submission to the U.S. Department of Education, which will make its final decision on the schools to receive the National Blue Ribbon designation in September 2014.

### About St. Hubert Catholic School

Founded in 1961, St. Hubert Catholic School provides a caring, nurturing environment with a challenging curriculum designed to develop each child spiritually, academically, physically and socially. St. Hubert students develop a solid foundation, which enables them to assume responsible and productive roles in society while living out the values of the Gospel. St. Hubert School is a pre-K through eighth grade Catholic school serving Hoffman Estates, Schaumburg and the surrounding suburban communities. The school is accredited by the Illinois State Board of Education and the Archdiocese of Chicago. To learn more about the school, please visit <http://sthubertschool.org>.

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