

## ✓ Academics

Through small group instruction, we tailor academic programs to each student's individual level of achievement promoting mastery and academic growth.

## ✓ Social Skills

Specialized curriculum focuses on social thinking and helps students develop skills to communicate effectively and express themselves creatively.

## ✓ Students and Teachers

A trusting, supportive student-teacher relationship is foundational for academic success. Our low student-to-teacher ratio allows students to bond with their teachers and they know that their teachers are their most enthusiastic fans!

## ✓ Therapy Services

In addition to educational therapy, Students benefit from the integration of educational therapy and music therapy to support their individual goals.



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#### PRINCIPAL OF SPECIAL EDUCATION

BS, Management  
Purdue University

Educational Therapist

National Institute of Learning Development (NILD)

MS in progress

Special Education Cognitive/  
Developmental Disabilities, Autism Disorders  
Univ. of North Dakota

Specialized Training

Applied Behavioral Analysis, Barton Reading  
and Spelling, Feuerstein's Instrumental Enrichment

## A School Within a School

Trinity Classical Academy was founded in 2001 with 28 students in grades K-2. We have now grown to over 560 students in grades TK-12.

From the beginning, Trinity was dedicated to providing all students with a challenging, high quality education as well as educating students with learning disabilities. After building a comprehensive program to address the learning challenges of students in the general education population, in 2011 we launched the Imago Dei School for students with developmental and learning disabilities. By all measures it has been a tremendous success! Imago Dei students are learning, thriving and succeeding in their education. They are valued members of our vibrant Trinity culture, using their gifts and talents to impact their school and beyond. Imago Dei students have been thoroughly embraced by their peers, as together they strive to reach their God-given potential.



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# A HOPE AND A FUTURE

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## Who We Serve

The Imago Dei School serves a wide variety of students. Most Imago Dei students have been diagnosed with learning and/or developmental disabilities. Many students are also diagnosed with associated learning challenges such as ADHD, sensory processing disorder, speech and language delays and executive functioning disorder. The commonality between all of our students is that they learn best in a specialized learning environment with individualized attention.

## Imago Dei Families

*"We have never felt so optimistic about our son's future as we have since he's been attending Imago Dei. It is wonderful to see God at work in our son's life through the faculty and staff."*

*"Imago Dei is like no other school experience! The Lord has led us to Imago Dei and we feel we are getting the VERY BEST for our son. If I had to, I would move across the country just to be in this special school."*

## A Caring, Challenging Learning Environment:

- ✓ Low student-teacher ratio
- ✓ Individualized Education Therapy
- ✓ Integration of faith and learning
- ✓ Strong academics combined with lifeskills, adaptive and social skills

*"Imago Dei has been such a blessing to our entire family. My children are now closer than ever before. The way that all of the Trinity children have loved and welcomed my son has had a tremendous impact on him."*

The Imago Dei School education is designed to meet the individualized learning and developmental needs of each student. In Grammar School, language arts and math are taught in small groups with peers of similar abilities.

Most students mainstream for academics such as history and science, and co-curriculars such as art, music and physical education.

In Upper School, students receive modified academics with an increasing emphasis placed on life skills and vocational preparation. Students are encouraged to participate in sports and fine arts offerings as we prepare our students to become independent, responsible citizens, reaching their God-given potential.

## School Integration

Integration with general education students in art, music, PE, athletics, electives, field trips, chapel and events

## Transitional Programs (18-22 years)

Unique transitional program with vocational training, internships, travel training, and vocational technology courses

