

# Strategic Plan

2022-23

LA LUMIERE SCHOOL

*Character • Scholarship • Faith*





## MISSION

At La Lumiere School, we form character, cultivate scholarship, and explore faith in order to grow into more complete versions of ourselves.

## VISION

To be a community of learners who are ablaze with curiosity, confident of our value, and driven to serve others. Inspired in this way, Lakers will illuminate the world and set a new standard for excellence in education.



# Strategic Plan Overview

*A proactive plan that builds on our established reputation as the premier boarding & day school in the Midwest.*

## Center student experiences around genuine encounter

- With one another—participation in the campus community
  - Kinship with peers from all walks of life
  - Mentorship from caring adults
- With the world around them
  - Connection with the natural world and environment
  - Involvement with the local community
  - Interaction with the global community
  - Engagement with the alumni community
- With the divine—exploration of faith
- With themselves—reflection through retreats and mindful practices

## Achieve renown for our distinct approach to high school education

- Reinforce writing, public speaking, active reading, and research as defining characteristics of a La Lumiere education
- Stimulate civil discourse, epistemic humility, critical thought, a spirit of inquiry, and a sense of wonder across the curriculum
- Design instruction and assessment with transfer and application of knowledge as the goal
- Empower all students to understand, navigate, and contribute to the digital world; develop an intentional relationship with technology
- Continue to emphasize environmental stewardship through “learning-in-place”

## Refine and elevate the arts, athletics, and all co-curricular offerings

- Grow the arts by involving more students and using the arts as a vehicle for engagement with the community around us
- Discern the proper slate of activities, then invest in coaching, equipment, and facilities for each
- Seek appropriate balance of participation and competition for each program

## Advance our mission

- Craft a comprehensive campus plan, including:
  - New commons for daily assemblies and community gatherings
  - Updated athletic complex
  - Better use of entire campus landscape
  - Revamped residence halls and academic buildings to foster student flourishing
- Manage enrollment to strengthen fiscal sustainability while prioritizing the close-knit dynamic among faculty and students
- Develop and support our people
- Explore alternative revenue streams which leverage and showcase our campus