

Sample Questions for Diocesan Assessments

Fourth Grade

We know and believe that Jesus is

- A. God the Father.
- B. God the Son.
- C. God the Holy Spirit.
- D. A Holy Prophet

The CLOSEST union we can have on earth with Jesus is

- A. in our moments of personal prayer.
- B. being united with Jesus in Holy Communion.
- C. enjoying God's creation in a beautiful place.
- D. reading the words of Jesus in the Gospels.

"Honor thy father and thy mother" is one of the

- A. beatitudes.
- B. commandments.
- C. proverbs.
- D. counsels.

The "Glory Be To The Father" is a prayer to God in which we

- A. give thanks
- B. give praise
- C. ask for help
- D. say we are sorry

Eighth Grade

Which of the following statements about Jesus is correct?

- A. He is God and did not become a man
- B. He became a man but is not God
- C. He is God and became a man
- D. He is a man and became God

That God is the principal author of Sacred Scripture and that the human authors are the instrumental authors means

- A. God dictated the Scriptures word for word to the human authors.
- B. God inspired the human authors as He guided and shaped the message.
- C. The human authors wrote whatever they wished to be put into the Bible.
- D. The human authors had visions to guide their writing.

Catholics believe that sanctifying grace within the soul is

- A. a share in God's life
- B. doing good works
- C. a gift we give to each other
- D. our caring for one another

In which sacrament does the Holy Spirit infuse the gifts of faith, hope and charity and the gifts of the Holy Spirit?

- A. Reconciliation
- B. Matrimony
- C. Holy Eucharist
- D. Baptism

We need to pray every day for all of the following reasons EXCEPT:

- A. we need to speak with and listen to Jesus daily.
- B. any friendship builds on frequent communication.
- C. without daily prayer, our friendship with Jesus weakens.
- D. praying every day makes us better than others.

Tenth-Eleventh Grade

To say that we are created in the ‘image and likeness of God’ fundamentally means

- A. we share in the attributes of God.
- B. we are able to create our own reality.
- C. we have an intellect and a will.
- D. in a poetic sense that we are special.

We needed Jesus to come as our Savior for all of the following reasons EXCEPT:

- A. To perform miracles so that people would be healed from their sicknesses.
- B. Jesus is God and only He could overcome sin and death.
- C. God the Son became man to reunite God and humanity separated by sin.
- D. Jesus gave us the Catholic Church through which we receive the sacraments.

Because the popes can be traced back to St. Peter in a direct and unbroken line, we speak of the Church as

- A. catholic
- B. one
- C. holy
- D. apostolic

Which of the following is associated with the virtue of temperance?

- A. controlling the emotions of fear and daring.
- B. self control regarding physical desires.
- C. consistently giving to others what is their due
- D. choosing the greatest good and making a plan to attain it

Which statement about the sanctifying grace of Christ received in the sacraments is correct?

- A. We earn grace by our good works.
- B. We can gain Heaven without grace.
- C. Grace is sharing in God’s Divine Life
- D. We can never refuse grace.

What is the highest form of prayer for Catholics?

- A. the Mass
- B. the Rosary
- C. the Our Father
- D. the Sacrament of Reconciliation