

»Catholic schools encourage life-long learning«

Schooling in a Catholic school is something special. I think there are a lot of things, which are beneficial for pupils. There is also something that encourages pupils to learn for life. But they have to decide for this. Each one for him-/ herself.

To begin with, in Catholic schools it is very important the relation among pupils and the relation between a pupil and a teacher. If this relation is founded on the right values, then the pupil realizes that he has to learn for life and not for marks only. Secondly, teachers on Catholic schools try to tell pupils that they are not learning for teacher's satisfaction also in conversation about teaching and schooling. Thirdly, pupils are stimulated to work independent thus they can get a feeling how important the knowledge is.

On the other hand Catholic schools are just like other schools. Firstly, pupils have to learn a lot and they can not imagine that they are learning for life. Secondly, average pupil usually does not deliberate about things which are not really necessary for his existence.

To sum up, atmosphere in school is for pupils very important. I think that it depends on a pupil how he can make good use of appropriate school environment. Environment on Catholic schools is certainly one of the most appropriate for discovery that you have to learn for your own life.

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