



## Aquinas Program

The Aquinas Program is a Christ-centered, quality academic education with a Catholic school environment for young adults with learning disabilities. Students are encouraged to work to their full potential and to be respectful of others. Emphasis is placed on helping students gain self-confidence and develop a positive attitude toward academic achievement.

Students are scheduled into regular high school classes, with the exception of one period a day. For one period students are scheduled in the resource room for instruction in organizational and study skills. The teacher/student ratio is approximately 1:3. Students have a full academic schedule; modifications and adaptations are developed through consultation between the Aquinas Program teacher and the subject area teachers. These adaptations are specified on the students' Individual Instructional Program (IPs)

Admission into the Aquinas Program is determined through interview and review of educational testing. For further information on the Aquinas Program, please speak with the principal, Mr. Lucrezi, at 610-868-1431, extension 112; Deputy Superintendent for the Diocese of Allentown, Dr. Cortese-Tesche at 610-866-0581, extension 25; or Assistant Principal, Ms. Welsh at 610-868-1431, extension 114.