

# Highlights of our School

## Third Grade



### BCS Third Graders study:

- New Testament, Greece, and Rome
- General Science topics of animals, weather, force and motion, astronomy, Greek scientists, and volcanoes
- Biblical Timeline of Judges through Kings, Catechism, and Virtues
- Language Arts subjects of Spelling, English Grammar, Writing, and Cursive Penmanship
- Literature books including: *Because of Winn Dixie*, *Babe The Gallant Pig*, *Little Pilgrim's Progress*, *Charlie and the Chocolate Factory*, *Detectives in Togas*, *The Horse and His Boy*, *Theras and His Town*, *D'Aulaires Book of Greek Myths*, and *Aesop's Fables*
- General mathematical skills and facts
- Latin vocabulary, grammar, and prayers

### BCS Third Graders participate in:

- Weekly Chapel Service
- Latin Classes 3x per week teaching a beginning knowledge of vocabulary, noun declensions, and Latin prayers
- PE Class 1x per week learning more about archery, basketball, fitness circuits, soccer, football, volleyball, running, and softball
- Music class 1x per week learning music history, vocal technique, and music theory
- Art Class 1x per week creating art in various mediums while studying ancient artwork, mosaics, paper mache, and Greek architecture
- Greek Olympics class competition
- Spelling Bee
- Roman Feast Day with costumes, recitations, craft projects, and themed feast

### Field Trips

- George Wallace Tunnel Field Trip
- GulfQuest Museum Field Trip
- Lillian Olive Grove Field Trip
- Five Rivers Delta Field Trip
- Homestead Village Visit

### Memory Work

- Scripture passages from Psalms, Philippians, Romans, and "The Apostles Creed"
- New City Catechism questions and answers
- Latin vocabulary, declensions, and prayers
- Shurley Grammar Jingles
- Multiplication Facts
- Poetry selections
- Phonemes and Spelling Rules