

State of Misconsin 2011 - 2012 LEGISLATURE



2011 ASSEMBLY RESOLUTION 20

February 13, 2012 - Introduced by Representative Zepnick. Referred to Committee on Rules.

Relating to:	proclaiming	Catholic	Schools	Week.
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Whereas, Catholic schools in the Archdiocese of Milwaukee have a rich tradition of serving children in schools, families, and other parish activities, and are the cornerstones of many South Side Milwaukee neighborhoods; and

Whereas, the Catholic Schools of the Milwaukee Archdiocese operates 101 elementary schools and 14 high schools with a 2010–11 enrollment total of 31,984 students in the Milwaukee area; and

Whereas, Marquette University formed the oldest Catholic high school in Milwaukee, founded in 1857; as an academy not only to educate Catholic immigrants in their faith, but also to aid their families and the community by encouraging productive employment and civic involvement; and

Whereas, nearly all students that attend a Catholic school in the Milwaukee Archdiocese go on to graduate from high school; and

Whereas, a vast majority of students in the Milwaukee Archdiocese go on to pursue some form of higher education; and

Whereas, a Catholic high school senior achieves an average ACT score of 23.6,
which consistently ranks at or above both the state average and the national average;
now, therefore, be it
Resolved by the assembly, That the assembly proclaims the week of January
29 through February 5 to be Catholic Schools Week.
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