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ST. PHILP NERI CATHOLIC SCHOOL EXPERIENCES INCREASED ENROLLMENT, ADVANCEMENTS IN TECHNOLOGY AND A NEW MISSION TO SUCCEED

August 13, 2015, *Midwest City, OK*: St. Philip Neri Catholic School opened its doors for the first day of school today with an impressive growth of its student body along with exciting new technological opportunities and focused mission for the future.

The school caters children ages three years old to eighth grade. Enrollment numbers show early-childhood grades were up 25-percent. 166 students are enrolled for the 2015-2016 school year.

Principal Brenda Tener is very pleased with the spike in attendance, "St. Philip Neri is a school focused on nurturing the child's mind, body and spirit. As a former student, I not only recognize, but encourage the attention each individual child receives along with gaining an education tailored for greater academic achievement from our skilled staff of educators." This is Principal Tener's second year in her role as the leader of the school.

During the last school year, technological improvements were made including a complete overhaul to the building's infrastructure accommodating faster and better internet service. There are currently two Smart Boards in classrooms, but exciting new advancements are forthcoming according to Principal Tener, "We anticipate every single middle school student to have a brand new Chromebook this year allowing them personal and portable access to all the educational tools they need to succeed."

The school also released their new mission statement which reads, "St. Philip Neri Catholic School promotes charity, humility, and excellence through a Christ-centered education." This statement was a collective effort of the school faculty and School Advisory Council. The declaration is geared to produce guidelines for all upcoming decisions of the school. "Our future is bright." Principal Tener proclaims, "I invite anyone to be a part of our success."



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