JOIN A SPORT IN WHICH YOUR MIND IS YOUR GREATEST ASSET.

WE INFORM

WE PERSUADE

WE DEBATE

WE INTERPRET

WE ARE ST. AGNES ACADEMY SPEECH AND DEBATE (FORENSICS)

Join a dynamic and growing team that competes and wins. We are a nationally-recognized, one-hundred-plus member team from all grades, ranked in the top twelve percent of nearly 4000 high school teams in the country. We can train you in class or in after-school practices. You choose which local tournaments you want to attend. Tailor our schedule to yours.

LEARN SKILLS THAT WILL HELP YOU IN YOUR OTHER SUBJECTS, YOUR FUTURE COLLEGE CAREER AND YOUR FUTURE CAREER ITSELF.

We qualify members every year to NSDA District, TFA State, TAPPS State and NSDA Nationals. You can choose to focus on local tournaments or set your sights on bigger things. We will help you reach your goals, whatever they are.

PUBLIC FORUM DEBATE, LINCOLN-DOUGLAS DEBATE, CONGRESSIONAL DEBATE.

ORIGINAL ORATORY, INFORMATIVE SPEAKING,
EXTEMPORANEOUS SPEAKING, (DOMESTIC & FOREIGN).
HUMOROUS AND DRAMATIC INTERPRETATION,
DUO ACTING, PROGRAM ORAL INTERPRETATION.

Listen for an announcement in August about an orientation & info meeting! THIS SUMMER:

Beginning Competitive Speech & Debate. (June 14 – July 2; 8:00am – 12:00pm. ½ credit in communications. \$400) Get a head start on a successful fall season. Learn PF debate, exempt and oratory. Open to rising 9th and 10th graders. No experience necessary. Fulfils communication credit requirement.

Communications Applications (June 14 – July 2; 12:30 pm- 4:30 pm. ½ credit in communications; \$400) This course explores the many ways we communicate with each other, from non-verbal to interpersonal to formal speech. Students will become more effective communicators, focusing on listening as much as speaking. Units in interviewing, famous speeches, informative and persuasive speaking, debate, and dramatic reading will be included.