

Counseling Services

Our counseling philosophy is to support students through a relationship-based, holistic approach to become strong, self-determined, resourceful and resilient.



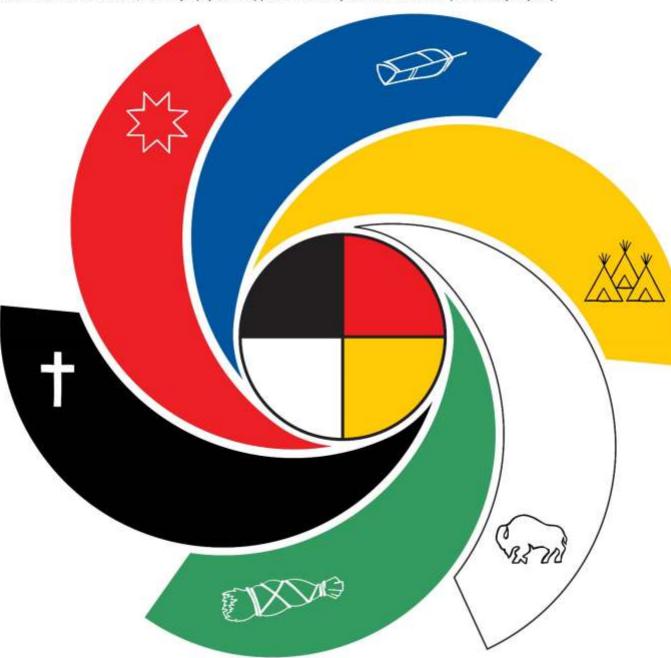
Founded by the Priests of the Sacred Heart, our spiritual philosophy is to provide students with a rich base of Catholic faith and Native American tradition upon which they can draw for a lifetime, finding Thunkášila in all things.



Our health and wellness philosophy is to safely meet the health care needs of all of our students. We provide on-site health and wellness services and facilitate access to specialized care.

Circle of Care.

St. Joseph's Indian School educates for life -- mind, body, heart and spirit. Our approach embraces Catholic teaching alongside Native American spirituality and relational worldview. The wraparound environment honors each student as an individual with specific needs that are met through the combined efforts of the student, their thiyoʻspaye, our supporters and every staff member on campus. Mitákuye Oyas'in.





Our cultural philosophy is to celebrate and embrace our students' Native American heritage through the study and practice of language, ceremony, dance and other activities.



Our residential philosophy is to develop collaborative relationships with students and families using a strength-based, developmental approach that teaches life skills and fosters lifelong learning through the values of belonging, mastery, independence and generosity.



Our educational philosophy is student-centered. Through a variety of instructional methods, we strive to develop a love for learning; instill habits of mind and heart; and promote faith and culture.