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### **Celebrating Excellence: GRACE Holy Cross Catholic School Teacher Mrs. Jamie Sheehy Receives Top Wisconsin Teaching Honor**

GRACE Holy Cross is proud to announce that Jamie Sheehy has been named as a **Wisconsin 2026 Herb Kohl Educational Foundation Teacher Fellowship** recipient. This state-wide honor is reserved for only 100 educators who demonstrate superior innovation and leadership in their craft of teaching. As a middle school English and Social Studies teacher, Mrs. Sheehy has performed transformative work, specifically through the 'CatholicLink Middle School Student Leader Program', a curriculum she co-developed to empower students to lead through character and service. As a Kohl Teacher Fellowship recipient, Jamie will receive a stipend of \$6,000 for her classroom and teaching use and a matching \$6,000 grant for GRACE Holy Cross Catholic School. Mrs. Sheehy envisions these funds further enhancing the school's learning environment with resources and tools that foster the same creativity and independence she champions in her own classroom every day.

For Mrs. Sheehy, representing Holy Cross Catholic School as a Herb Kohl Educational Foundation Teacher Fellowship recipient, is deeply personal. "This school helped me discover my purpose, rebuild my confidence, and grow into the educator I am today," Jamie shared, noting that she could not imagine achieving this recognition without the support of the Holy Cross School family as a community. From witnessing an eighth-grade civic discussion to watching a student gain newfound confidence through reading growth, Mrs. Sheehy's classroom is a place where relationships come first. We congratulate GRACE educator Mrs. Jamie Sheehy on this well-deserved honor and thank her for her unwavering commitment to the high standards and mission of GRACE and the GRACE Holy Cross community.

Learn more about the Wisconsin Herb Kohl Educational Foundation and its mission to celebrate teaching excellence: [LINK](#)



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**About Green Bay Catholic Education (GRACE)**

*Green Bay Catholic Education (GRACE) School System consists of nine schools. We focus on the development of each student grounded in our foundation of Catholic faith for grades PK3-10.*

*Our mission continues to evolve in these unique times as we embrace new technologies, deliver innovative teaching and learning strategies, and hire exceptional faculty and staff dedicated to the vocation of education. Our current GRACE Strategic Plan outlines action steps in the areas of faith, academics, vitality and experience that have assisted us to enjoy enrollment growth over the past five years.*

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