

Father Lopez Catholic High School Continues 50 years of Accreditation



Continuing a 50 year tradition of accreditation, the Quality Assurance Review team from Advanced today recommended accreditation for Father Lopez. Chairperson John Clarke, Principal of Cardinal Newman High School in West Palm Beach, led a team of educators from around the state in a systematic review of the programs and processes in place here

at Lopez. The team members were Frank MacKritis, Assistant Principal at Saint Francis Catholic

High School in Gainesville; David Yazdiya, Principal of Bishop John J. Snyder High School in Jacksonville; and Margie Scott, Student Activities Director at Saint Thomas Aquinas High School in Fort Lauderdale. The team interviewed the administration, faculty, staff, students, and parents while analyzing a mound of evidence in order to determine our adherence to the seven standards for quality schools. We are pleased to report that we met or exceeded expectations for each of those standards! A complete accreditation report will be made available on the Father Lopez website once it is received from the SACS-CASI state office.

A special “thanks” goes out to the faculty and staff who worked so hard on our Standards Assessment Report and who make Father Lopez the great school it is. Thanks also to our amazing students and supportive families who have helped us in the process of continuous school improvement.

Accreditation may be secured, but the work of making Father Lopez Catholic High School the best school it can possibly be continues each and every day. With God’s blessing, we will continue our Tradition of Excellence.

