ALL THINGS IGNATIAN

Celebrating Mission at Creighton University

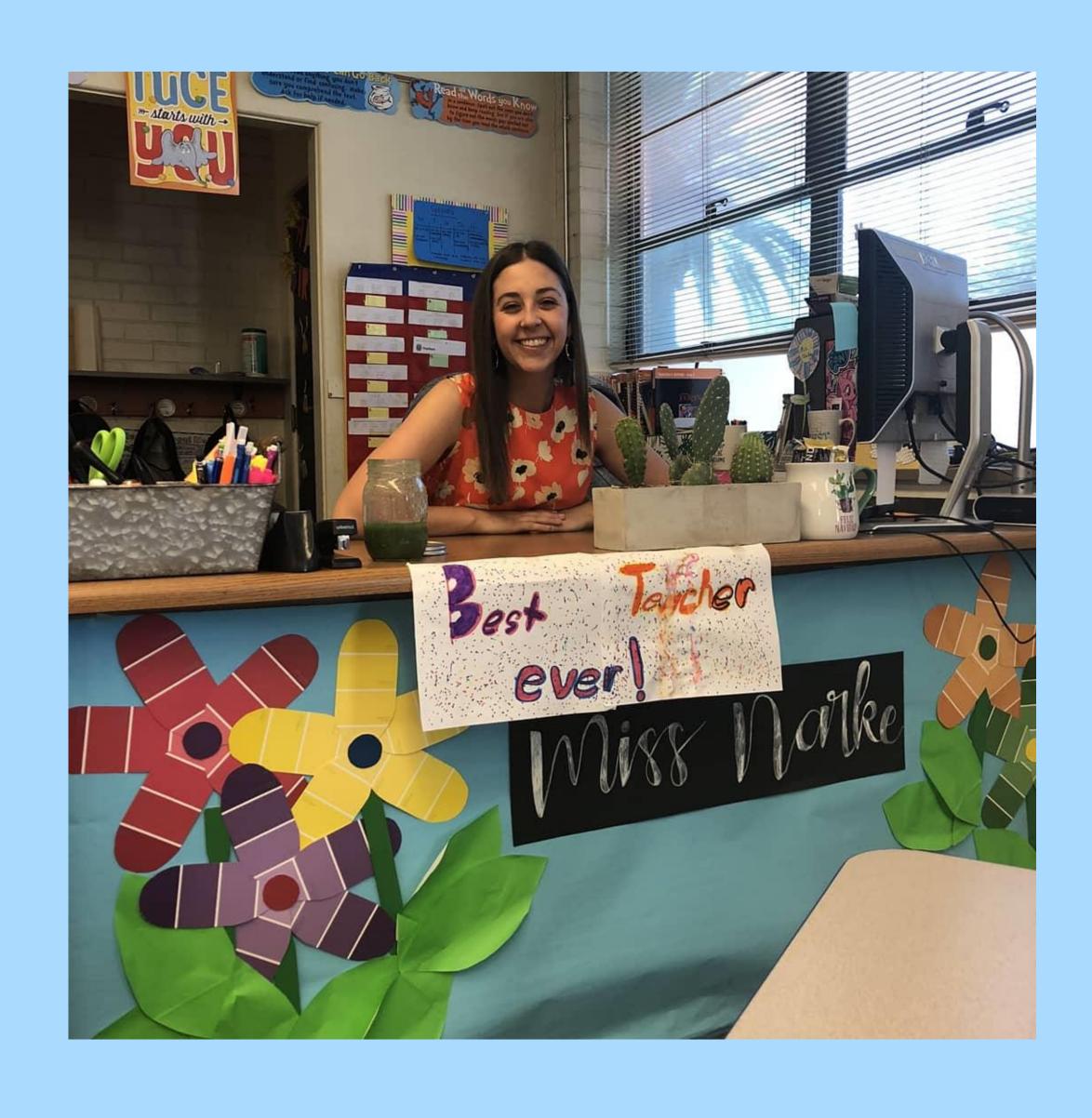
Magis Catholic Teacher Corps

Magis Catholic Teacher Corps (Magis) is a two-year post-graduate service teaching program at Creighton University. Magis strives to form a corps of talented, highly motivated, and faithfilled educators to teach in Catholic elementary and secondary schools. While Magis teachers teach in Catholic schools, they earn their graduate degree through the Education Department at Creighton University, live in intentional Christian community with other members of the program and participate in ongoing spiritual, professional, and personal formation.

Spirituality

Jesuit values are at the forefront of the Magis Catholic Teacher Corps' identity. Spiritual formation is an a very important aspect of the program. Magis teachers both work on spiritual growth themselves and also aim to foster it in their students.

Ignatian values in accordance with the Jesuit Universal Apostolic Preferences shape Magis teachers' curriculum, as well as their approach in the classroom. Magis teachers participate in at least two spiritual retreats a year. Teachers also grow in faith communally through group reflection, meditation, and prayer.





Graduate Coursework & Teaching

During the summer term, Magis teachers attend rigorous coursework on-campus at Creighton University and continue working towards their degrees during the school year.

While at the head of the classroom, Magis teachers aim to become effective teachers, counselors, and administrators in order to help nurture and support students in becoming their best selves.



Community

Magis teachers live in intentional Christian community with each other during the academic year in the tradition of Jesuit educators.

Many Magis teachers contribute even more deeply to their school's community by taking on additional duties outside the classroom such as leading student organizations and driving busses.

Caring for our common home by living simply and sustainably is also an integral part of the Magis ethos. Magis teachers make conscious efforts towards protecting the environment of all sizes, be it participating in service projects, recycling within their communities as much as possible, shopping secondhand, or opting for a reusable water bottle.





