

Victory Christian Academy

Small Christian School Sees Large Increase in Test Scores with Ignitia

Nestled in the heart of the Iron Range in Northern Minnesota, Victory Christian Academy expanded in 2010 to open its doors to secondary students. Two years later, the non-denominational school was eager to make the transition to Ignitia, AOP's online Christian curriculum. Since then, lead secondary teacher Kristyn Sinnott notes that high test scores have remained high, while lower scores have increased across the board. In fact, some students who were testing below their grade level have advanced up to two grade levels in a single subject on the SAT.

At-a-Glance School Profile



Location: Hibbing, MN



Established: 1983



Enrollment: 89

How Ignitia Helped VCA

- **Test Success.** Ignitia's online curriculum allows students to study at the grade level and pace that suit them best. Some VCA students have experienced test score increases of up to two grade levels on the SAT.
- **Hands-on Learning.** With over 50,000 multimedia elements, Ignitia offers VCA a learning format today's students crave. "It's the videos, the games, the interactivity of the curriculum that we really, truly love," Sinnott said.
- **Courses for All Ages.** VCA is thankful it can now provide students with the opportunity to attend Christian education through 12th grade and offer over 150 rigorous online courses through Ignitia.
- **Flexibility & Accountability.** With Ignitia, VCA has eliminated much of the extraneous paperwork educators typically encounter when opening or closing a school year. Plus, tools such as the built-in calendar and progress reports keep students informed on due dates and growth.
- **Ease of Use.** VCA was able to switch to Ignitia in just one summer. "I thought the whole transition to the program was easy," Sinnott said. "It was flexible, and it's a solid curriculum."



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The training they gave us was fantastic. Any time I had a question, from tech support to other topics, they were tremendous about helping us through the curriculum.

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— Kristyn Sinnott, Lead Secondary Teacher

Call AOP at 877-688-2652 to learn how your school can grow with Ignitia!