

## ICC PREP Work Sheet/Rubric for Confirmation Saint's Name Report\* 2021-2022

### Assignment & Due Dates:

- 11/1/21 Saint Report Worksheet/Rubric questions assigned
- 11/8/21 Hard copy of completed Saint Report Worksheet/Rubric due in class & Rough Draft/Outline assigned
- 11/22/21 Hard copy of Rough Draft/Outline due in class & Final copy assigned
- 12/20/21 Final Copy (typed per rubric directions) of Saint Report due to Google Classroom

We read in scripture, when God gives someone a special task, he gives them a new name for the mission with which he is entrusting them. God's plans and stories do not end in scripture. YOUR story is part of God's plan too and when you receive the sacrament of Confirmation, you are sealed with the Holy Spirit...and God sends YOU on a new mission. What do you think your mission will be? What gifts has God given you so far, that he will strengthen at Confirmation? God will also give you gifts at Confirmation that you do not yet possess.

To accomplish this mission, you will need a friend in faith with whom you can connect and will provide you inspiration. You will find your parents to be important role models, as well as your Confirmation Sponsor; they are surely praying for you during your Confirmation preparation journey. You must have a conversation with Jesus and ask him to help you discern what he desires from your co-mission with him; just remember a conversation is two ways...you need to talk...*and listen!* And you will also need to find a friend in faith from someone who has lived a holy and good life on earth, and who can pray for you from heaven; a Saint. You should choose your Confirmation Name after the Saint with whom you make a connection and whom inspires you; someone you would like to emulate. This Saint can be someone the Church recognizes as a saint, but it can also be a Catholic person you know who's earthly life has ended, and who now lives with God.

### Your Confirmation Saint's Name Report must be:

- One, to one and one half, pages total; consisting of 3 - 6 full paragraphs
- Single spaced
- Font: Times New Roman; size 12
- Margins: 1"
- Include a Bibliography at the end of the report, or on it's own, final page
- 750 words or more
- Do not overuse adjectives to increase your word count (ex. Very, very old) ☺
- Written in complete sentences, including the use of grammar and punctuation to the best of your ability
- ***Out of the highest awe and respect, God, Jesus, Holy Spirit and Trinity, must always be capitalized or your report will be returned to you as incomplete.***
- In your own words (*as a reminder: Cutting and pasting is plagiarizing; Plagiarizing is stealing; Stealing is not only illegal, but it breaks the 7<sup>th</sup> Commandment and is a sin.*) ***We do check for plagiarism and plagiarized reports will be marked incomplete and returned to you.***
- You may choose your first name, your middle name or a completely new name
- Regardless of your gender, you may choose a male or a female Saint name
- You should discuss your chosen Saint's name with your parents
- You must complete your report at home
- Students: Please name your document with your personal info: Student's Last name, First Name- Catechist Name (*Eg. Smith, John - Mr. Catechist*)
- For ideas try: [www.americancatholic.org](http://www.americancatholic.org)  
[www.catholic.org](http://www.catholic.org)  
[www.catholicmom.com](http://www.catholicmom.com)  
[www.catholic-saints.info](http://www.catholic-saints.info)  
google: "Catholic Saint \_\_\_\_\_"
- **DO NOT USE WIKIPEDIA**
- No cover sheet or photo is required or necessary
- Please follow the rubric/worksheet on the attached
- ***Through Google Classroom, PARENTS must complete and return a photo of the final page of this document, along with the Final Copy of the Report ("Parent Approval Form for Final Copy of Confirmation Saint's Name Report")***

Please center your Report title on top of the page:

**Saint** \_\_\_\_\_

**By Your first and last name**

**Date: MM/DD/Year**

**Catechist's Name and Session (Monday Afternoon or Monday Evening)**

**In at least 3 Sentences, tell me about yourself (include the answers to A, B, C & D in these three sentences.)**

A. What is your name?

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B. When and where were you born?

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C. When and where were you Baptized?

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D. Who are your parents and godparents?

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**Tell me about your Saint.**

A. Does your Saint have a feast day in the Church? If yes, when is it?

\_\_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_\_  
Month Day

B. In one sentence, tell us: When was your Saint born? When did your Saint die? Where did your Saint live?

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C. What 2 or 3 event(s) in the life of your Saint most impress you? What is extraordinary about your saint?

**Note:** If your Saint had a parent or a child who was of importance in the life of the Church, you should include this information in this section. Ex: Saint Ann was the mother of the Blessed Virgin Mary. If you need more information, please contact the PREP office or your Catechist.

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I want to know why you chose this saint. You should feel some kind of connection to the Saint you choose. This Saint should be like a friend; someone you aspire to be like, someone you desire to reach out to talk to, and ask them to pray for you, and to help guide you in your daily life....for the rest of your life.

**This paragraph:**

- should be the longest part of your report (at least 1 – 2 paragraphs).
- should show me that you have a connection with your Saint.
- Tell me why you are drawn to this Saint and how you aspire to be like this saint.
- By answering the below questions, you should be able to tell me:

**“I chose this Confirmation Saint’s name because...”**

A. In what way was this Saint most like Jesus?

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B. Name at least one way this Saint showed love for others.

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C. What special virtue (a virtue is a good habit that enables a person to act with moral excellence, according to God’s will) did the Saint have (talents, faith and love of God, service to others)?

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D. How does this virtue inspire you? \_\_\_\_\_

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E. How do you relate to this virtue in your own life? \_\_\_\_\_

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F. How will you strive to grow in holiness towards this virtue?

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# Parent Approval Form for Final Copy of Confirmation Saint's Name Report

**Due with Saint Report:**

**December 20**

**Note:** Along with the final copy your Child's Confirmation Saint's Name Report, this below completed form needs to be sent to your child's Catechist by either of these methods: 1) scanned, signed, completed copy placed in Google Classroom, or 2) Photograph of signed, completed copy place in Google Classroom, no later than the final report due date.

- *Students must complete their typed report at home*
- *Students must complete their report in their own words.*
- *Students & Parents: Please name this report/document with your student's personal info: Child's Last name, First Name – Catechist Name (Eg. Smith, John – Mr. Catechist)*

*I am the parent of the below mentioned child and have read, and approved my child's Confirmation Saint's Name Report to ensure it meets the standard of the rubric provided.*

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Student's Name *(please print)*

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Date

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Parent's name *(please print)*

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Parent's Signature