



St. Matthew Catholic School

School Tuition Policy

2019-2020 School Year

Tuition

St. Matthew Catholic School certainly understands the demands on and sacrifices made by families to afford a Catholic education. We also have to be good stewards of our parish resources, so we have to insist that tuition be paid on a timely basis. It is the responsibility of the parents or guardians to arrange for a tuition plan with the Business Manager prior to the beginning of the school year.

Tuition agreements and non-refundable tuition pre-payments are due by May 1, 2019 (or within two weeks of enrollment or receipt of agreement thereafter).

Tuition Payment Plans:

- Annual Payment Plan: Tuition balance due July 31, 2019
- Semi-Annual Payment Plan: Two payments due July 31, 2019 and January 31, 2020
- Installment Payment Plan: Monthly payments contracted through the FACTS Tuition Management Company.

Financial Assistance:

Depending on income parameters, families may be eligible for an Indiana Choice Scholarship (Voucher), a Tax Credit Scholarship (SGO) or Parish Financial Assistance (available for active parish families only (see guidelines below). Applications provided upon request.

Delinquent Tuition

Families may be asked to withdraw their student(s) during the school year if they are grossly in arrears in their financial obligations, including but not limited to tuition, technology fees, lunch fees, and extended care fees. All financial deficiencies must be resolved prior to enrollment for the next school year and/or transferring of student records to another school.

Tuition Rates for the 2019-20 school year.				
	One Student	Two Students	Three Students	Four Students
* <u>Active Parish Family Rate</u>	\$5,140	\$8,475	\$10,500	\$11,500
Catholic Rate	\$6,455	\$9,800	\$11,815	\$12,300
Non-Catholic Rate	\$8,650	\$13,080	\$16,420	\$20,550

There is also an additional registration fee of \$100 per student per year, a technology fee of \$100 per student per year, and a PFA fee of \$50 per year.

** An Active Parish Family is one that is Catholic; is registered in St. Matthew Parish; regularly attends Mass at St. Matthew Church; regularly contributes to St. Matthew Church using Sunday envelopes or through the Faith Direct Program; AND actively participates and volunteers in St. Matthew Church and School ministries and events (all St. Matthew School families are expected to give 12 hours of service per year to the parish and/or school).*