



SCHOOL OF ST. MARY

To Learn, To Serve, To Lead

TUITION AND FEES SCHOOL-YEAR 2025 – 2026

NEW FAMILY APPLICATION FEE: \$325 for NEW Families: One fee per family.

RE-ENROLLMENT FEES:

- **\$225 for RETURNING Families:** One fee per family if paid prior to March 1, 2025
- **\$325 for RETURNING Families:** One fee per family if paid after March 1, 2025

COMPREHENSIVE FEES: (Due May 1, 2025)

- Comprehensive Fee *per Student* (Grades K – 8) \$ 1,050
- Comprehensive Fee *per Student* (Preschool) \$550
- Graduation Events Fee (Grade 8) \$400

PROGRAM

NON-PARISHIONER

PARISHIONER

RATE

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Early Childhood Preschool Programs (PK2, PK3, PK4)

Tuesday, Thursday Mornings	\$5,745	\$4,490
Monday, Wednesday, Friday Mornings	\$7,360	\$5,900
Monday – Friday Mornings	\$9,425	\$7,810
Monday – Friday Full Day	\$14,745	\$12,265
Lunch Bunch (PK3 & PK4)	\$1,250	\$1,250

Elementary & Middle School Programs (Kindergarten – 8th Grade)

1 Child	\$11,650	\$8,780
2 Children	\$22,930	\$16,780
3 Children	\$33,810	\$24,035
4 Children	\$44,170	\$30,200
5 Children	\$54,280	\$35,900

*Youngest child attends tuition free for in parish families with 6 children attending the School of St. Mary.

*Active-duty military families are eligible for an additional 15% discount on tuition.

Parishioner Rate

The parishioner rate for tuition is available to those Roman Catholic families who are registered and participating members of the Church of St. Mary. In addition to being registered, the families must also regularly participate in Sunday Mass at the Church of St. Mary while supporting the mission of the parish by donating their time, talent, and financial resources. Financial donations in the church Sunday offertory can be made through the use of the parish offertory envelope system or Push Pay. Families who benefit from the parishioner rate for the school must regularly contribute to the offertory collection of the parish. Families new to both the Church of St. Mary and School of St. Mary will be charged the non-parishioner rate for the first six months of being new registered parishioners. At that time, the Business Office will review the level of active participation in that six month time period, communicate with these families who are active parishioners and adjust the balance of tuition for the remainder of the school year to Parishioner Rate. The final determination on active parishioner status and tuition rate rests with the Pastor of the Church of St. Mary. The average cost of educating a student at the School of St. Mary exceeds the tuition & fees charged. The School of St. Mary Parents' Association Annual Fund and the Church of St. Mary subsidy offset the difference between tuition and actual educational costs. Active parishioners of St. Patrick Church are eligible for the parishioner rate with the approval of their Pastor.

As of 5.7.2025

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