

Tuition Payments

- Payment is either paid in full at the beginning of the school year or monthly payments can be electronically transferred from a checking or savings account through **FACTS Tuition Management**.
- For families that make one payment at the beginning of the school year, these payments must be paid when due. If a family has not made their payment within the month, they will be automatically referred to **FACTS Tuition Management**.
- There is a registration for all families enrolling students at The School of Sacred Heart St. Francis. For those choosing to make one payment of tuition, the fee is \$75. For families choosing monthly payments, the fee is \$125. ***This is a non-refundable fee and it does not apply toward your tuition.***
- All non-Catholics and non-registered Catholics **must participate** in fundraising activities or they will be assessed the full tuition cost.

Providing excellence in academics and a deepening faith in God and Gospel Values in an environment that is caring, challenging, and respectful, striving to develop in every student the habits of thinking critically and acting responsibly in daily life.

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Tuition Information

2021-2022

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Tuition for 2021-2022

Timely payment of tuition is critical for the effective and efficient operation of Sacred Heart St. Francis School. Our school's tuition policy is as follows:

- The tuition for Preschool-8 for the 2021-2022 school year will be \$5300 (for 1st child) / \$5100 (for 2nd child) / \$4900 (for 3rd child). Rates may vary for Preschool depending on schedule options.
- The “actual” cost of educating a student at The School of Sacred Heart St. Francis for the 2021-2022 school year will exceed \$6000.
- Families will be assessed the tuition cost to educate each child at Sacred Heart St. Francis and if there is a need for scholarship assistance, a financial aid package is available.
- The process to determine a family's need for assistance will be through a third party evaluation done by the FACTS Grant and Aid Assistance Program. To keep confidence and honor a family's privacy, only the Principal will know what each family will be paying for tuition.
- Financial aid from our school is not available for any student attending our Preschool program, but some Preschool families may be eligible for the Vermont Child Care subsidy
- Catholics who are registered in other parishes are also eligible to apply for assistance. These sending parishes provide some assistance through the Diocese of Burlington to Sacred Heart St. Francis for the children of families that they have registered in their respective parishes.
- Families that not Catholic may also apply for tuition assistance and are required to participate in fundraising activities.
- Assistance amounts will be announced in April. Each family applying for aid will receive a tuition contract announcing their scholarship amount.
- FACTS Tuition Management has a toll free number if you need help filling out your application. You must file your application on-line. There are no paper applications.
- Our scholarship pool is significant. You are encouraged to take advantage of the assistance that is being offered.



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