

For Each New Student Only- Fill out the New Student Application online (one per student registering) on our school website: [www.gaylordstmary.org](http://www.gaylordstmary.org) under the Admissions tab. (By completing this student online application, the office will provide you access to your Online Enrollment Packet).

For New and Current Students:

- 1)** Fill out the Online Enrollment Packet for **EACH** child through ParentsWeb/RenWeb found online at [gaylordstmary.org](http://gaylordstmary.org).
- 2)** As part of the Online Enrollment Packet, you will be directed to complete a FACTS profile. Here, you will determine your payment plan through FACTS and apply for Tuition Assistance and Scholarships. **All families are required to have a FACTS Account and selected payment plan. You will also be asked to pay your \$100 registration fee when your Online Enrollment Packet is submitted.**

**Tuition Rates:**

**St. Mary Cathedral School is a ministry of St. Mary Cathedral Parish and the rates below include a contribution made by the parish to support each family.** St. Mary Cathedral Parish contributes between \$1,500-\$3,900 per student depending on family size and parishioner status

- The Parishioner Rate below is offered to registered parishioners who attend Mass regularly and practice active stewardship at their parish. Those who contribute \$750 or more **each calendar year by December 31<sup>st</sup>** to their Catholic parish are eligible.
- To support the gap between what it costs to educate a child and what tuition covers, and in an effort to ease the tuition burden, families are required to sell 10 packets of 4 Cash Raffle Tickets. Families with only Pre-K students are assigned 12 tickets. Tickets are \$25 apiece. Families are encouraged to sign up to sell their tickets after the weekend Masses. See page 2 for more information. If tickets go unsold, the remaining balance will be charged to the families FACTS account.

**Preschool Tuition Rates:** 3-Year-old program  
3 Days/Week (full day, M, W, F): \$2,750/year  
2 Days/Week (full day, T/TH): \$1,950/year  
(Preschool does not participate in Cash Raffle Ticket Sales)

**Kindergarten through 8<sup>th</sup> Grade:**  
Parishioner Rate: \$3,600/year  
Non-Parishioner Rate: \$5,100/year  
(plus \$1,000 Cash Raffle Ticket obligation)

**Pre-K Tuition Rates:** 4-5 year-old program  
5 days a week (full day M-F): \$3,600/year  
(plus \$300 Cash Raffle Ticket obligation)

**High School:**  
Parishioner Rate: \$4,100/year  
Non-Parishioner Rate: \$5,830/year  
(plus \$1,000 Cash Raffle Ticket obligation)

**The Good News!** Discounts are offered for families that have multiple students enrolled. For specific multiple student discounts please contact the school office. **Please see back page for examples.**

**Parishioner Multi Student Rate**

2 in K-8 <sup>th</sup> :	\$5,760
3 or more in K-8 <sup>th</sup> :	\$7,560
2 in High School:	\$6,560
3 or more in HS:	\$8,610
1 in HS and 1 in K-8 <sup>th</sup> :	\$6,260
1 in HS and 2 in K-8 <sup>th</sup> :	\$8,060
2 in HS and 1 in K-8 <sup>th</sup> :	\$8,360

**Non-Parishioner Multi Student Rate:**

\$8,160
\$10,710 for 3 + \$2550 for each student after 3
\$9,328
\$12,243 for 3 + \$2915 for each student after 3
\$8,890
\$11,440
\$11,878

**Did you know?** It costs approximately \$7,500 to educate a child at St. Mary Cathedral School.  
**The role of fundraising and community support is essential to our long-term success.**

## **Ways to Manage and Reduce Tuition Costs:**

**Easy payment plans** to fit any family budget size. Our goal is to work with families to plan and manage tuition. For more details please visit your FACTS Account online through [gaylordstmary.org](http://gaylordstmary.org).

**Tuition Angel Scholarships and Assistance** are an integral part of the St. Mary Cathedral School Legacy. On average, about \$100,000 is awarded to students and their families each school year. Scholarships are awarded to K-12 students on the basis of financial need as determined by the successful completion of a FACTS Needs Assessment (which is completely confidential and managed by a third-party vendor to ensure family privacy and security of information).

Tuition Scholarships are awarded in the following order of priority, once financial need has been determined.

**1).** Currently enrolled students whose families are parishioners in good standing at St. Mary Cathedral, have pre-registered and paid the registration fee—awards up to 75% of tuition. **2).** Children of registered and contributing members of other Roman Catholic parishes—awards of up to 60% of tuition. **3).** Children of non-Catholic families—awards up to 50% of tuition.

**Free Tuition for One Quarter** for all new K-12 families.

**Refer students to St. Mary Cathedral School.** Families that refer new families, who in turn become enrolled students, will receive a one-time tuition credit. For more details please contact the school office.

**SCRIP** earns money to help pay your tuition. This is a program where gift cards are purchased and used for the full-face value and a percentage is given back as tuition credit. Apply online at [www.raiseright.com](http://www.raiseright.com) or contact the school office. **Our school enrollment code is: 1D83D8DA8723.**

Be sure to **sell your raffle tickets and meet your parishioner stewardship commitment** to keep tuition rates low.

***It is important to know** that tuition is essential to the successful operations of our school. As a result, if tuition is not current, students will be unable to participate in extracurricular activities, receive a report card, participate in graduation, enroll in the upcoming year, or have permanent records transferred to another school. Before those situations arise, plan to meet with our Principal to create a manageable plan for your family.*