



# Saint Raphael

CATHOLIC SCHOOL

January 2026

Dear School Families,

Registration is now open for the 2026-2027 school year. Tuition is increasing to better cover the cost of educating a student at Saint Raphael School. With the implementation of the EdChoice Expansion program, many families will continue to see a decrease in their tuition obligations. Again, regardless of income, all families are eligible for a scholarship award from the State of Ohio EdChoice Expansion Scholarship.

We aim to continue making Saint Raphael School affordable for all families. With the tuition increase for the 2026-2027 school year, we are also offering all students an Angel Scholarship award of \$400 through the Angel Scholarship program. The EdChoice Scholarship award does not cover your tuition in full, thus we encourage you to submit the online Angel Scholarship Application. We are able to combine both of these scholarship awards to help decrease the cost of your 2026-2027 tuition.

If you have questions or would like clarification about what your tuition obligation will be for the upcoming school year, please reach out to Kate Killeen at (440) 360-7462 or [kkilleen@saintraphaelparish.com](mailto:kkilleen@saintraphaelparish.com)

Sincerely,

Rev. Daniel F. Schlegel, Pastor

Mr. Ken Mitskavich, Principal

Scan here to submit your Saint  
Raphael Angel Scholarship Application





January 2026

Dear School Families,

Registration is now open for the 2026-2027 school year. Following is the approved tuition scale and fee schedule for next school year. The tuition is increasing to better cover the cost of educating a student in the day school. With the implementation of the EdChoice Expansion program, many families will continue to see a decrease in the family tuition obligation. Again, all families, regardless of income, are eligible to apply to the State of Ohio for an EdChoice Expansion Scholarship and the Angel Scholarship.

**Saint Raphael Family Tuition Schedule  
2026 – 2027**

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| <b>1 student</b>  | <b>\$ 6,550</b> |
| <b>2 students</b> | <b>\$12,700</b> |
| <b>3 students</b> | <b>\$18,550</b> |
| <b>4 students</b> | <b>\$24,400</b> |
| <b>5 students</b> | <b>\$30,250</b> |

The annual Saint Raphael Registration Fee per student is non-refundable and is payable at registration. This fee is in addition to and not included in the tuition. No child will be considered registered until the registration fee is paid.

**Saint Raphael Non-refundable Registration Fee  
2026 – 2027**

**Per student      \$100**

Following are important dates regarding re-registration for the 2026-2027 school year. **In order to project class enrollments and determine available openings for new students, current families must re-register by May 15, 2026.** Please note that all tuition and fees for the 2025-2026 school year must be current in order to re-enroll your child(ren) for the 2026-2027 school year. Re-registration for current students after that date will be assessed a \$100 late fee per family.



**Important Re-registration Dates  
for the 2025-2026 school year**

Re-registration opens  
Last day to re-register without fee

February 2, 2026  
May 15, 2026

Please refer to the Saint Raphael School website under Admissions for details regarding the 2026-2027 New EdChoice Request and Renewal Application process as well as the Angel Scholarship Application.

Families of prospective or new students should contact Mrs. Sharyl Fuhrer at 440-871-6761 prior to completing enrollment.

We appreciate your commitment to the quality education you have chosen for your child/children here at Saint Raphael School. Thank you for joining us in our mission to create a community where we learn and live our Catholic faith through an education committed to excellence.

Sincerely,

Rev. Daniel F. Schlegel, Pastor

Mr. Ken Mitskavich, Principal

Saint Raphael Parish School admits students of any race, color, national and ethnic origin to all the rights, privileges, programs, and activities generally accorded or made available to students at the school. It does not discriminate on the basis of race, color, national and ethnic origin in administration of its educational policies, admissions policies, scholarship and loan programs, and athletic and other school-administered programs.



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### **Tuition Payment Plans**

Saint Raphael School partners with FACTS Tuition Management Company to manage our tuition collection. Using FACTS for your tuition payment plan is convenient and secure as your payments are processed securely through either an automatic bank draft or approved credit card. The 1<sup>st</sup> or 15<sup>th</sup> of each month are suggested payment dates.

The final step of the online Enrollment process will take you to the FACTS website to pay the Registration Fees for re-enrolling students and to select your payment plan. A new kindergarten student enrolled after re-enrolling current students will be charged the Registration Fee via "incidental billing". After your FACTS set up is completed, you can return to submit your enrollment packet. Tuition payment plans available are:

#### **Monthly Payments**

10 equal payments beginning September  
\*FACTS processing fee - \$55.00

#### **Semi-Annual Payments**

2 equal payments due September and January  
\*FACTS processing fee - \$25.00

#### **Annual Payment**

Payment in full due September  
\*FACTS processing fee - \$25.00

- ***The \*FACTS processing fee will be charged with your first tuition payment in September.***
- ***Payments made by credit card are assessed an additional charge of 2.85% by FACTS.***
- ***FACTS charges fees for payments rejected for insufficient funds. These fees are not charged by Saint Raphael and cannot be refunded by Saint Raphael***

#### **Important Tuition Set-up Dates**

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| Tuition Payment Plan selection opens         | February 2, 2026        |
| Last day to set-up payment plan without fee* | July 1, 2026            |
| First tuition payment due                    | September 1 or 15, 2026 |



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**Saint Raphael School  
2026-2027 Tuition Payment Terms and Conditions**

All payments owed for tuition will be paid by the due date corresponding to the payment method selected. Each family is responsible for the payments and for ensuring that the tuition is paid in full. Should a payment be late, the following process will be followed:

- 1) FACTS will notify the family of any payment not received.
- 2) The family must contact the school administration within 30 calendar days of nonpayment to have an adjusted payment agreement approved. This must be in writing and signed by the Pastor and school principal.
- 3) All outstanding fees and tuition must be paid before report cards can be issued. RenWeb grades 4-8 will not be accessible as well.

Any family with an unpaid tuition and/or fees for the current school year will not be allowed to register for the 2026-2027 school year. School records, diplomas or transcripts will not be released until all outstanding tuition and fees are paid, unless special arrangements have been made in writing and signed by Pastor and school principal.

Prepaid tuition will only be refunded in full if written notice of cancellation is received by the school before the first day that classes for the 2026-2027 school year are scheduled to start. The Registration Fees is non-refundable.

Once the school year begins, tuition refunds are made on a quarterly basis. Should a student attend school during any portion of a quarter (one day or more), the full tuition amount for that quarter is owed and no portion of that quarter's tuition will be refunded.

All parents/guardians and students agree to abide by the policies and guidelines as stated in the school handbook.

The school will not reserve a place for a student for the 2026-2027 school year until Registration is completed, the Registration fees are paid, and a Tuition Payment Plan has been completed in FACTS.



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## SCHOLARSHIPS & TUITION ASSISTANCE

- 1) **EdChoice Scholarship** - ALL families are eligible and encouraged to apply for an EdChoice Scholarship. *Every student, regardless of income, qualifies for the minimum award of \$616.60 each school year.* The specific amount awarded to each child is calculated based on your family's AGI (adjusted gross income) and the size of your family. Families will be informed of their award amount once they submit their Income Verification information directly to the State of Ohio. Please visit the school website "Admissions / EdChoice" for details on how to apply or renew a scholarship for 2026-2027.
- 2) **Angel Scholarship** – ALL families are eligible and encouraged to apply for an Angel Scholarship. Every student, regardless of income, qualifies for a minimum award of \$400. The specific amount awarded to each child is calculated based on your family's 2025 AGI (adjusted gross income) and the size of your family. Applications are online only and can be found on the school website under "Admissions/Tuition & Financial Aid." Deadline for applying: June 15, 2026.
- 3) **FACTS Financial Aid** – The FACTS Financial Aid Application must be completed to be considered for Diocesan Tuition Assistance. Awards are determined by the diocese based on need. The link can be found on the school website under "Admissions/Tuition & Financial Aid." The Application Fee for 2026-2027 is \$35.00 per family. Deadline for applying: March 15, 2026



- 4) **Saint Raphael Scholarship Fund** - If during the school year a family encounters a financial hardship, please contact the Principal, Mr. Ken Mitskavich.
- 5) **NEW! Saint Raphael Free Lunch Program** - If you would like to be considered for the Saint Raphael Free Lunch Program, please submit the FACTS Financial Aid Application. FACTS determines if you qualify for the program using the National School Lunch Program guidelines for 2026-27. This review process by FACTS may take several weeks and we will notify you if you qualify.

Scan here to submit your Angel  
Scholarship Application



Scan here to submit your  
FACTS Financial Aid Application



*Please Note: All previous years' tuition and fees (including Lunch and Raiders Club costs, if applicable) must be paid in full prior to any tuition assistance granted for the 2026-2027 year.*

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