



Tuition & Fees 2026-2027

Contributor Tuition K-8

St. Mary's Catholic School is a foundational ministry of St. Mary's Catholic Church. As such, the parish contributes financially to the operation and upkeep of our school. Families who wish to be billed the Catholic Contributor rate must be registered members of St. Mary's or St. Joan of Arc parishes. This includes being on the parish roll, attending Sunday mass, and participating in parish events and ministries. In addition, all students' Catholic Baptismal certificates must be on file in the school office.

All families receiving this rate are required to tithe either through monthly online bank draft, or the use of collection envelopes. This allows for all contributions toward the minimum tithe to be tracked accordingly. All tithes are verified by the parish office in June and December of each academic year. Each tithe deadline is for the following semester. For example, families wishing to have the Catholic Contributor rate for the Fall 2026 semester must have tithed a minimum of \$750 to St. Mary's or St. Joan of Arc parishes by June 30, 2026 and then again by December 31, 2026. The minimum tithe for St. Mary Parish families for the 2026-2027 school year will be \$1,500 (\$750 due 6/30/26, \$750 due 12/31/26). Families who fail to meet their tithe requirement will be charged the Non Contributor rate for the following semester.

Rate Type	Tuition	Monthly (11mos)	Full Payment (5%)	Semi Annual (2%)
Contributor	\$7,500	\$682	\$7,125	\$7,350

**Multi-child discounts will be applied for via FACTS Financial Aid application and pastor approval*

Non-Contributor K-8

Families who do not tithe to St. Mary's or St. Joan of Arc parishes will be charged the Non-Contributor rate.

Rate Type	Tuition	Monthly (11mos)	Full Payment (5%)	Semi Annual (2%)
Non-Contributor	\$11,500	\$1,046	\$10,925	\$11,735

Preschool

Rate Type	Tuition	Monthly (11mos)	Full Payment (5%)	Semi Annual (2%)
Preschool	\$7,915	\$720	\$7,519	\$7,757

Fees

Registration

Registration fees are due by May 31, 2026 for existing families. Registration fees for new families are due at time of registration.

See Fee Payment Deadline below

Registration Fee	
First Child	\$150 per child
Each Additional Child	\$100 per child

Operational Fees

All families will be billed upfront for their child's family, student and consumable fees. These fees are due in June.

- *PTO Family Fee*- The fee covers the cost of PTO sponsored events such as Teacher Appreciation Week, faculty support, and PTO sponsored projects.
- *PTO Student Fee*- This fee covers the cost of classroom parties and teacher appreciation
- *Grounds & Facilities Maintenance Fee*- This fee covers the cost of maintaining our buildings and campus grounds.
- *Archdiocese Pupil Fee*- This fee is collected for all students enrolled in catholic schools across the archdiocese.
- *Archdiocese Rediker Fee*- This fee is collected by the Archdiocese of Mobile to cover the cost of our archdiocese wide registration and records software.

Family Fees	
PTO Family Fee	\$20 per family
Student Fees	
PTO Student Fee	\$10 per student
Grounds & Facilities Maintenance Fee	\$50 per student
Archdiocese Pupil Fee*	\$50 per student
Archdiocese Rediker Fee*	\$45 per student
Textbook/Consumable Fee	Based on grade level. Published by 3/31/26
Supply Fee	Based on grade level. Published by 3/31/26

*Archdiocesan Fees

Textbook/Consumable Fees			
Grade	Fee	Grade	Fee
Preschool	TBD	4 th Grade	TBD
Kindergarten		5 th Grade	
1 st Grade		6 th Grade	
2 nd Grade		7 th Grade	
3 rd Grade		8 th Grade	

Supply Fees			
Grade	Fee	Grade	Fee
Preschool	TBD	4 th Grade	TBD
Kindergarten		5 th Grade	
1 st Grade		6 th Grade	
2 nd Grade		7 th Grade	
3 rd Grade		8 th Grade	

Fee Payment Deadlines

Registration Fees are due at the time of registration for new families and by May 31, 2026 for existing families.

Registration Payment options for existing families: Registration fees will be added as an Incidental Expense in FACTS. Within 10 days of your registration, your registration fees will be added with an email generated from FACTS letting parents know it is added. Parents will need to log in and make payments or add a payment method for automatic draft. Total registration fees must be paid by May 31, 2026.

Operational Fees will be drafted from your FACTS account in June.

- Students will not be placed in a homeroom until all fees have been paid.
- All fees are due in June regardless of parental choice scholarships or financial aid.