

IMMACULATE CONCEPTION CATHOLIC SCHOOL

NEED BASED TUITION ASSISTANCE 2026-2027

Through a gift from a most generous benefactor, a strong believer in the mission of Catholic Schools and the high achievement of Catholic elementary graduates, we are fortunate to announce a tuition assistance program for students attending Immaculate Conception Catholic School in **grades 1-8** for the 2026-2027 academic year. The tuition assistance is by application, which is available in both the IC school and parish offices. Applications for the 206-2027 school year may be turned in to the parish office, attention: Father Joe Esper, through May 15, 2026.

The applicant/family must:

- 1) Be a registered parishioner at a Blue Water Catholic parish and/or a current Immaculate Conception Catholic School family (Kindergarten through Grade 7).
- 2) Have a strong desire to have your child educated in a Catholic faith-based environment and support the mission of the school and parish.
- 3) Fill out and return the 2026-2027 IC Financial Assistance application with a copy of the first page of your Federal Tax form 1040 for the most recent 2 years and an estimate for the 2026 tax year.
- 4) The student must have an academic record equivalent to an A, B or C+ grade point average, with exemplary citizenship and effort, either earned at IC or transferring from another school.
- 5) First consideration will be given to families who have also applied for *Archdiocesan Tuition Assistance Grant*.

The tuition assistance may be renewable with

- 1) Continued meeting of academic and citizenship standards
- 2) Continued parent support
- 3) Continued evidence of financial need

Questions? Please contact Principal, Lawrence Ricard, (586-725-0078) or Father Joe Esper (586- 725-3051).

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FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE APPLICATION

In order to apply for an Immaculate Conception Tuition Grant, first priority will be given to families who also apply for the *Archdiocese of Detroit Tuition Assistance Grant*. Please attach a copy of that application to this form. Complete both sides of this application and return to "The Pastor - Confidential". Also include the first page of your Federal Tax Form 1040 for the past two years. Financial aid applications will not be considered without the above information.

Please attach a separate sheet of paper if additional space is needed to respond to or explain any extenuating circumstances that should be considered by the committee. All information is confidential.

PLEASE PRINT OR TYPE

Student(s) Name _____ Home Phone _____

Address

School Currently Attending _____ Current Grade Level ____ _

TUITION GRANT: Student must have a 2.0 grade point average or higher and must have an A, B, or C in conduct.

Father, stepfather or guardian
(With whom student resides)

Name

Mother, stepmother or guardian
(With whom student resides)

Name

Occupation

Employer

Years with current employer _____

Occupation

Employer _____

Years with current employer _____

We declare the information on this application to be true, correct and complete, to the best of our knowledge. We authorize the confidential use of this information by the Financial Aid Committee only for the purpose of determining our qualification of the Tuition Grant.

Student Signature

Date

Father Stepfather Guardian Signature

Date

Mother Stepfather Guardian Signature

Date

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HOUSEHOLD FINANCIAL INFORMATION

Annual Income	2024	2025	2026 (Estimate)
Salary/Wages-Father			
Salary/Wages-Mother			
Interest/Dividends earned			
Net Profit (Loss) Business			
Alimony			
Child Support			
Pension			
Social Security			
All other household income			
TOTAL HOUSEHOLD INCOME			

MONTHLY EXPENSES: (Exclude tuition, utilities, insurance premiums, etc.)

Type of Credit	Balance Owed	Monthly Payment
Mortgage/Rent		
Auto		
Auto		
Credit Card		
Credit Card		
Credit Card		
Credit Card		
Other		
Other		
Other		

Dependents:

Name	Age	School	Current Tuition	Financial Aid Received
Name	Age	School	Current Tuition	Financial Aid Received
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