

# Admissions Guide 2022-23

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# Our Core Values

## LIVING FAITH

- We believe the Holy Spirit inspires all that we do
- We embrace the Gospel of Jesus Christ and encourage a personal relationship with God the Father
- We acknowledge the diversity of others and their beliefs

## ACCEPTING RESPONSIBILITY

- We lead through example and are accountable for our actions
- We believe and promote our Catholic values
- We affirm good judgment and trustworthy behavior

## **PROMOTING TEAMWORK**

- We communicate honestly, openly, and consistently
- We build community by cooperating in the classroom and in all co-curricular activities
- We work together to achieve common goals with all members of our school and parish community

## ACHIEVING EXCELLENCE

- We respond to challenges and pursue continuous improvement
- We nurture a love of learning that will last a lifetime
- We strive for academic growth in all subject areas

## **INSPIRING LEADERSHIP**

- We prepare students for leadership and service in church and society
- We celebrate integrity and seek fair choices
- We honor the Regis Catholic Schools' tradition...

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## **OUR MISSION**

Regis Catholic Schools is dedicated to educating students of all faiths in a Catholic, Christ-centered environment. We are united by Our Core Values of *Living* Faith, *Accepting* Responsibility, *Promoting* Teamwork, *Achieving* Excellence, and *Inspiring* Leadership.

## **OUR VISION**

Inspired by our Catholic tradition, Regis Catholic Schools will provide the highest quality programs possible from early childhood through high school to nourish the body, mind, and soul of each student, and help them become faithful servants of Christ the King.





The essence of an education at Regis Catholic Schools is reflected in Our Core Values, which are integrated into our curriculum in a variety of ways. We depend on these values to not only inspire quality instruction, but to serve as a guide for our students to follow in life. *Living* Faith, *Accepting* Responsibility, *Promoting* Teamwork, *Achieving* Excellence, and *Inspiring* Leadership are reflections of the importance of our Catholic identity in an obligation to live a faith-filled life dedicated to excellence and service.

As a Catholic school system, we appreciate the trust you place in us. We are honored to have the opportunity to teach in partnership with our parents and the most valuable gift from God, their children. Regis Catholic Schools is known for its high academic and co-curricular success. In addition, each year we complete a number of community service projects that benefit the citizens of the Chippewa Valley and beyond. This is all done with Our Core Values as a guide.

As you look through this information, please do not hesitate to contact us with any questions you may have. We would be happy to answer them. We understand there is a unique commitment to sending your child to Regis Catholic Schools. Our buildings have a positive, valuesbased environment that fosters a growth in mind, body, and spirit.

We invite you to join together with us on your child's educational, faith-filled journey.

Gratefully,

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Carisa Smiskey Interim President

The mind of the intelligent gains knowledge, and the ear of the wise seeks knowledge. Proverba 12:15

# Why Regis Catholic Schools?

## FAITH. VALUES. ACADEMIC EXCELLENCE.

What makes us special? We are a Christ-centered, Catholic school system that focuses on educating the whole child -- mind, body, and spirit. Our school system is known for its excellent educational offerings and for developing community leaders.

Regis is a family. Our administrators, educators, and support staff operate as a community to provide the best learning experience for our students.

Our elementary schools have a strong core academic program, complemented with well-balanced enrichment classes. In addition to a regular classroom teacher for all K-5 students, we have specialized teachers who teach art, Spanish, phy-ed, guidance, computers, and library.

Regis Middle School is a smaller middle school where students don't get lost in the shuffle. We believe that teaching the whole child, especially during this unique stage of adolescent development, will help the student grow and learn in ways that academics alone cannot.

Regis High School is committed to offering demanding and interactive academic programs. Regis offers advanced placement, honors, college credit, and distance learning courses for students who want to be challenged further. Regis also offers tutoring and individual support for students who need additional help with subjects.

We require all of our students to complete community service hours and to learn about the importance of serving the local community.



Student Transit offers busing for families in the Eau Claire Area School District and the Altoona School District. oday, Leading Tomorrow Le eading Tomorrow Learnin

# Open To All Faiths

REGIS CATHOLIC SCHOOLS IS OPEN TO FAMILIES OF ALL FAITHS WHO IDENTIFY WITH OUR CORE VALUES. WHILE RESPECTING THE DIVERSITY OF OTHERS AND THEIR BELIEFS, WE TEACH THE BIBLE AND MORALITY FROM OUR CATHOLIC TRADITION.

In our schools, all students are expected to attend and participate in prayer, the Mass, and religious education classes. During the course of the year, students participate in special activities that help us celebrate the different seasons of the Catholic Church. Students celebrate the true meaning of Christmas and Easter, observe the seasons of Advent and Lent, and learn about and honor the saints, holy men, and holy women who are role models for us in our journey of faith.

For non-Catholic students, the focus is on deepening personal relationships with Jesus Christ and developing a greater **constraint of the second state of the second s** 

## OUR SCHOOLS DO NOT TRY TO CONVERT STUDENTS OF OTHER DENOMINATIONS. OW Learning Today,

"I enjoy being a student at Regis Catholic Schools because God is always put first. All of my teachers show us how to be examples of Christ while teaching us valuable life lessons every day. I receive an outstanding education, and I am taught how to face the morld with God on my side."

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## ading Tom EARLY CHILDHOOD PROGRAMS omorrow Le



 Our facilities provide a Christian environment Leading Tomor for children ages 6 weeks through 12 years.
 A hands-on approach to learning is the basis of a curriculum that engages
 and excites young children to grow g and develop.

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- Open Monday-Friday from 6:30 a.m. to 6:00 p.m.
- State licensed centers
- Caring, nurturing teachers who are all

certified and trained in CPR, First Aid, and SIDS prevention

- Ongoing child assessments with parent/teacher conferences twice per year
- Age-appropriate curriculum
- Infant/toddler sign language
- Outdoor and indoor play areas
- Safe and secure buildings
- 4-year-old kindergarten sessions

## FAITH-BASED PRESCHOOL PROGRAMS





Our preschool classrooms at St. James Elementary School and St. Mary's Elementary School are bright and engaging! We offer play-based learning for children ages 3-5 in a faith-filled environment as your little one prepares for kindergarten.

**St. James Elementary School 3 Year Old Program** The preschool class is on Tuesdays and Thursdays from 8:30-11:00 a.m.

**St. Mary's Elementary School 3 Year Old Program** The preschool class is on Mondays and Wednesdays or Tuesdays and Thursdays from 8:30-11:00 a.m.

**St. James Elementary School 3-4 Year Old Program** The preschool class is on Mondays, Wednesdays, and Fridays from 8:30-11:00 a.m.

St. James Elementary School 4-5 Year Old Program The preschool class is on Mondays-Thursdays from 12:45-3:15 p.m.

**St. Mary's Elementary School 4-5 Year Old Program** The preschool class is on Mondays-Thursdays from 8:30-11:30 a.m.

Our Regis Child Development Center and Genesis Child Development Center offer 4K education as a partner with the Eau Claire Area School District.

#### **Regis Child Development Center 4K Program**

The Regis Child Development Center has two Eau Claire Area School District 4K classes - one morning and one afternoon. The classes are Monday-Thursday and wrap-around care is available.

#### **Genesis Child Development Center 4K Program**

The Genesis Child Development Center has two Eau Claire Area School District 4K classes - one morning and one afternoon. The classes are Monday-Thursday and wrap-around care is available.





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## ELEMENTARY SCHOOLS (GRADES K-5)

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As fully-accredited Catholic elementary schools, we strive to make Christ the center of all that we do. Our kindergarten through 5th grade students participate in daily religion lessons, attend all-school Masses, and engage in monthly service projects inspired by the virtues.

We believe you will find our schools to have a family-oriented environment with dedicated staff ready to meet the individual needs of our students. As a school community, we partner with families to help every child reach their full potential and grow in mind, body, and spirit. The partnership between home and school is what makes our schools truly remarkable.

Why send your child to one of our elementary schools?



## STANDARDS BASED INSTRUCTION

Regis Catholic Schools uses state standards in all content areas including mathematics, English-language arts, science, social studies, art, music, technology, physical education, guidance, and explorator Spanish. Our teachers use current curricular resources to enrich the learning environment for all students.



## SMALL CLASS SIZES

With an average classroom ratio of 16:1, teachers are able to give individual attention to each student, meeting them where they are physically, emotionally, academically, and spiritually.



#### DATA-DRIVEN

Regis Catholic Schools utilizes standardized and normed benchmark test results to develop learning goals for each student.

# "I love Regis Catholic Schools because we have the best teachers in the world and all sorts of books. I love my school because we do all kinds of

things for others and we have fun events for all sorts of kolidays." - Norah L. | Student



## **CHRIST-CENTERED**

Our faith-filled school environment provides our students with the moral compass to handle the challenges and demands of today's society.



## **COMMUNITY SERVICE**

Students are encouraged to contribute to society by donating their time, talents, and treasures during monthly service projects.



# FAMILY ENGAGEMENT

our students, we believe the connection between home and school is essential to student success. There are various throughout the year and weekly



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## MIDDLE SCHOOL (GRADES 6-8)



The middle school years are a crucial time for social and emotional development. During this growth stage, students are gaining independence and are beginning to make choices for themselves.



Regis Middle School understands that relationships and rigor go hand-in-hand. Our teachers create strong relationships with our students, naturally enhancing learning motivation. Our Christ-centered classrooms set high academic standards, promote selfdiscipline, and provide your child with a loving environment to nurture their social, emotional, and spiritual well-being.

## Why send your child to Regis Middle School?



## ACADEMIC EXCELLENCE

Regis Middle School sets the educational foundation to excel in challenging high school courses. A strong core curriculum has been established through our middle school grade level objectives, which can be found online at www.RegisCatholicSchools.com/parents-students/academics/.



## SMALL CLASS SIZES

Our classroom ratio of an average of 1:20 allows students to engage in hands-on learning and cooperative experiences. It promotes student engagement and allows for opportunities to differentiate learning.



## **POSITIVE STUDENT-ADULT RELATIONSHIPS**

Small class sizes allow our teachers to create genuine connections with students built on trust.

"I think Regis is a good school because of the countless opportunities it provides. The staff is always willing to help because they care about the students. The community is so welcoming and easy to build strong relationships in. I especially like how we can learn about God every day and attend Mass. Regis has helped me make a close relationship with God and I'm thankful to get the chance to go here."

- Bella B. | Class of 2026

One of the greatest gifts we can give our children is an education that supports the whole child.



#### **CHRIST-CENTERED**

Students are provided with spiritual nourishment through weekly Mass, daily prayer, and annual retreats.



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Community service encourages students to connect with their community and give back. It allows students to develop civic responsibilities and gain a richer perspective on our world. Regis students perform 1,600+ hours of community service annually.



## **CO-CURRICULAR OPPORTUNITIES**

A vast assortment of athletics, clubs, and social events provide students with leadership opportunities.



# TECHNOLOGY

Students are issued personal Chromebooks and taught to use technology responsibly. Teachers routinely use technology to enhance and extend learning objectives within their classrooms. Leading Tomorrow Learning Today, Leading Tomorrow

# Our Schools

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## HIGH SCHOOL (GRADES 9-12)

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Regis High School offers an outstanding education while supporting values that lead to a lifetime of service and leadership habits. Our teachers prepare students for the rigor of college-level courses by creating a solid foundation of writing skills and critical thinking.

> Our Christ-centered instruction provides students with the moral compass to stand up for what they believe in and emotionally handle the transition to higher education.

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## Why send your child to Regis High School?



## **RIGOROUS ACADEMICS**

Students are encouraged to take college-level courses that provide dual high school and college credit. Our rigorous academic standards translate to high college placement rates. (Courses offered include Honors, AP, Distance Learning, CVTC Academy, Early College Credit, and Start College Now.)



## SMALL CLASS SIZES

With an average classroom ratio of 1:17, students are provided with a greater level of individual attention within their classrooms.



#### **PERSONAL ATTENTION**

Students plan their schedules with their future goals in mind. They can meet 1:1 with staff to schedule courses based on their interests and post-high school plans.



#### DATA-DRIVEN

Regis High School students consistently score higher than the state average on ACT testing. Higher test scores and a competitive average GPA provide our students with more post-high school options. Learning Today, Leading Tomorrow Learning Today, Lea

"Regis Catholic Schools has given me the skills needed to become the person I am today. My school has taught me lessons in responsibility, leadership, and the importance of community.

I would not have achieved the things I have without the help of the teachers and the whole Regis Catholic Schools system."

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REGIS 5-Year ACT Scores

Graduation Year	REGIS Total Tested	REGIS Composite Score	STATE Composite Score
2021	53	22.0	20.0
2020	62	23.5	20.1
2019	42	23.3	20.3
2018	59	24.7	20.5
2017	53	23.1	20.5

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#### **CHRIST-CENTERED**

Our faith-filled school environment provides our students with the moral compass to handle the challenges and demands of adulthood. Students attend Mass weekly, pray daily, and attend annual retreats.



## **COMMUNITY SERVICE**

Students are encouraged to contribute to society by completing service hours. Our high school students collectively perform 11,500+ hours per year. In conjunction with demanding academics, Regis High School instills the value of service to others.



## TECHNOLOGY

Through the use of 1:1 Chromebooks, students at Regis High School have consistent access to technology. Learning to use technology appropriately and effectively is essential to educational success and workforce development.



#### ATHLETICS

As with our academics, our athletes are supported within our system. Our coaches are part of our school and support the nurturing of the whole child in body, mind, and spirit. Our athletes have a long-standing record of success. Each student's education is the foundation for a strong journey leading to adulthood. Students at Regis High School have valuable opportunities to receive an education that will prepare them thoroughly for post-secondary success. By remaining grounded in Christ, along with hard work and a positive attitude, students have the tools needed for lifelong success, both personally and professionally!

# College

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**Students at Regis High School are strongly encouraged** to take advantage of the excellent academic course offerings available by challenging themselves to enroll in courses that align with their Godgiven strengths and passion. Being involved and strongly encouraging academic persistence with challenging coursework is one of the best ways to ensure success for a student's next steps in their journey.

It is important for you to know that Regis High School offers many college-level rigor courses that provide dual high school and college credit. We challenge every student to take one or more of these college-level classes during their high school experience.

# credit **opportunities** include:



## ADVANCED PLACEMENT COURSES

These are college-level courses taught within our building. Students may receive college credit if they score a 3, 4, or 5 on AP Exams. Credit varies by post-secondary institution.

Courses Include: AP Literature, AP Chemistry, AP U.S. History



## DISTANCE LEARNING COURSES FOR COLLEGE CREDIT

These courses may be offered through CVTC, Northcentral Technical College, Western Technical College, UW-College, or local Wisconsin high schools. Students enrolled in college-level courses are eligible for both college and high school credit.

Courses Include: UWSP English 101 and 202, CVTC Introduction to Psychology and Introduction to Sociology

## COOPERATIVE ACADEMIC PARTNERSHIP PROGRAM (CAPP)

CAPP courses provide a convenient and affordable way for students to earn high school and UW-Oshkosh college credit. *Courses Include: Health 106, History 202* 

## **CVTC ACADEMY**

Students who successfully complete an Academy earn both high school and technical college credit. *Courses Include: Medical Terminology, Anatomy & Physiology* 

## EARLY COLLEGE CREDIT AND START COLLEGE NOW PROGRAMS

Early College Credit Program allows Wisconsin high school students to take one or more courses at an institution of higher education for high school and college credit. Start College Now allows junior and senior students to take courses at a technical college.

# Class of 2021

REGIS HIGH SCHOOL GRADUATES ATTEND PRESTIGIOUS COLLEGES AND UNIVERSITIES BOTH LOCALLY AND AROUND THE COUNTRY.

- Arizona State
- Boston College
- Creighton University
- Drake University
- Everett Community
   College
- Marquette University
- Milwaukee School
   of Engineering
- Michigan Tech
- Montana State
   University
- Samford University
- Texas Christian
   University
- UC Berkley
- UCLA
- UW-Eau Claire
- UW-Green Bay

- UW-Madison
- UW-Milwaukee
- UW-River Falls
- UW-Stevens Point
- UW-Stout
- University of Mary
- University of Minnesota
- University of Notre Dame
- University of
   San Francisco
- University of St. Thomas
- University of Washington
- Viterbo University
- West Point ....and More



#### Participation in School Activities & Athletics



Graduation Rate



Attended a College, University or Technical College



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Our Elementary Dress Code (Immaculate Conception Elementary School, St. James Elementary School & St. Mary's Elementary School) and our Regis Campus Dress Code (Regis Middle School & Regis High School) are both available online.

www.RegisCatholicSchools.com/parents-students/dress-code/

Regis Catholic Schools partners with Lands' End to offer dress code-approved items.

Parents can also easily find dress codeapproved clothing items at many major retailers, including Old Navy, The Children's Place, Kohl's, etc.

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**REGIS CATHOLIC SCHOOLS** OFFERS A NUMBER OF ATHLETIC AND CO-CURRICULAR PROGRAMS. THESE GIVE STUDENTS AN OPPORTUNITY TO EXPLORE THEIR INTERESTS AND SHOWCASE THEIR TALENTS.

## **REGIS MIDDLE SCHOOL**

## **Athletics**

Girls Volleyball (Grades 5-8) Boys & Girls Basketball (Grades 5-8) Dance (Grades 5-8) Wrestling (Grades 5-8) Boys & Girls Cross Country (Grades 6-8) Boys & Girls Tennis (Grades 6-8) Boys & Girls Track & Field (Grades 6-8) Football (Grades 7-8) Boys & Girls Soccer (Grades 7-8)



# Co-Curricular Activities

Art Club (8th Grade) Brains & Brawn Forensics Spanish Club Pep Club



## **REGIS HIGH SCHOOL**

# Boys Athletics

Baseball, Basketball, Cross Country, Football, Golf, Hockey, Soccer, Tennis, Track & Field, Wrestling

# Girls Athletics

Basketball, Cross Country, Dance Team, Golf, Soccer, Softball, Tennis, Track & Field, Volleyball

# Co-Curricular Activities

Multi-Cultural International Club Environmental Club Pep Club Campus Ministry SADD Sturgeon Bowl Academic Challenge YLEC Pro-Life National Honor Society Student Council Math Team Forensics

"I really enjoy going to Regis because it has something for everyone. The sports programs are very fun, academic classes are very engaging, and there are a bunch of great after-school activities. Regis is great!"

Dominic S. | Class of 2026





## THE REGIS CAMPUS IS HOME TO A BEAUTIFUL PHYSICAL EDUCATION AND ATHLETIC COMPLEX.

## The improvements were finished in the spring of 2018 and we are proud of the impact it has on all of our students!

This complex features an all-weather synthetic turf field, a six lane track, resurfaced tennis courts, and upgraded fencing. This much-needed improvement allows for our physical education classes and athletic programs to use the facility more often and for longer periods of time. Students at the elementary level also get to use the facility on occasion as part of special events. We also invite various community organizations to use this facility.

"The completion of our track and field on the Regis campus has created a modern and contemporary facility Regis Catholic Schools can truly take pride in. Students of all ages and across our entire school system will benefit academically and athletically for generations to come."

Andy Niese | Phy-Ed Teacher

# Our Faith & Service To Others

## **OUR FAITH** INSPIRES US TO SERVE OTHERS.

Each year, students from all age levels participate in ongoing community service projects and activities. They provide countless hours of service in our community and raise thousands of dollars for various local, national, and international needs.

> Regis Catholic Schools is financially and spiritually supported by the following local Catholic parishes.

Immaculate Conception | Eau Claire Newman | UW-Eau Claire Sacred Heart of Jesus -St. Patrick | Eau Claire St. James the Greater | Eau Claire St. Olaf | Eau Claire St. Mary's | Altoona

"We are so grateful for hom our son's teacher is discipling him in his faith. We are deeply grateful for all the educators mho encourage him in his love for Jesus."

Claire Wilson | Parent

## **OUR DEDICATED** TEACHERS AND STAFF ARE ENTHUSIASTIC, ACCOMPLISHED, AND CARING EDUCATORS

They are committed to helping and supporting your child in the learning process with individual attention and group exploration.

Regis Catholic Schools has a dynamic and dedicated leadership team working behind-the-scenes to provide your child a great education. They care deeply about your student's success and strive each day to do what is best for them and for your family.

In addition, we are home to a friendly team of support staff. From administrative assistants to custodians - they are all part of our Regis Catholic Schools family.





**Our Faculty & Staff** 



"I love being part of the Regis Catholic Schools family because we get to help students grow in their faith in Ĝod as well as participate in the joy of learning and growing. This is a family who takes care of each other with great compassion. We help each other grow to contribute to the world

Sue Daggett | Elementary School Teacher



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Our Organization

## Regis Catholic Schools is led by the President. Farming That person has two main areas of focus. Arming Today,

**1. System Administration & Comprehensive Advancement** Under the direction of the President, the Regis Catholic Schools Central Office provides for the financial management, financial advancement, enrollment management, communications,

personnel administration, and general operations of Regis Catholic Schools.

## 2. Education Administration

Each school is served by a principal and the early childhood programs are led by an administrator. Those people work in collaboration under the direction of the Regis Catholic Schools President. They are responsible for the daily operation of their buildings and directly serve the staff, students, and parents of Regis Catholic Schools.

#### **EDUCATION COMMISSION**

The Regis Catholic Schools Education Commission provides input and guidance on various topics and issues to the system President, Dean, and supporting parishes. It serves as an advisory body and does not make decisions regarding school matters.

Regular members of the Education Commission include the Dean, supporting Pastors, the Regis Chaplain, the Regis Catholic **ading To** Schools President, school administrators, one representative from each supporting parish, and a representative from the Regis Catholic Schools Foundation.

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## FINANCE COMMITTEE

The Finance Committee reviews financial statements and budgets, provides solutions to financial challenges and facility needs, and capitalizes on opportunities available to Regis Catholic Schools. Regular members of the Finance Committee include the Dean, supporting Pastors, the Regis Catholic Schools President, the Regis Catholic Schools Controller, one representative from each supporting parish, and a representative from the Regis Catholic Schools Foundation.

## **REGIS CATHOLIC SCHOOLS FOUNDATION**

The Regis Catholic Schools Foundation, Inc. is a tax exempt, charitable corporation with the purpose of providing financial support to Regis Catholic Schools. The Regis Catholic Schools Foundation is led by a Chairperson and a Board of Directors and is an independent organization. The school system and the Regis Catholic Schools Foundation work together with a sense of shared responsibility to ensure the viability, sustainability, and growth of Regis Catholic Schools.

"Choosing Regis Catholic Schools for our daughter was the best decision we could have made for her education. We enjoy knowing that she benefits from a smaller-sized class, which encourages her to develop lasting and meaningful relationships with her peers and teachers. We know that while she is at school, she is treated like a valued member of a family and she receives a quality education that focuses on her mind, body, and spirit."



- Nicole Meldahl | Parent

## 2022-23 Tuition Rates

ELEMENTARY (GRADES K-5) \$4,041 (\$337/Month) ADDITIONAL STUDENT | \$3,641

MIDDLE SCHOOL ( GRADES 6-8) \$4,192 (\$349/Month) ADDITIONAL STUDENT | \$3,792

## HIGH SCHOOL (GRADES 9-12) \$6,299 (\$525/Month) ADDITIONAL STUDENT | \$5,699



## NON-PARISH MEMBER FEE: \$1,200 Per Family

The non-parish fee applies to families who are not registered members of a parish that supports a Catholic school. Parish membership is verified on an annual basis. The fee will be waived for new families the first year.

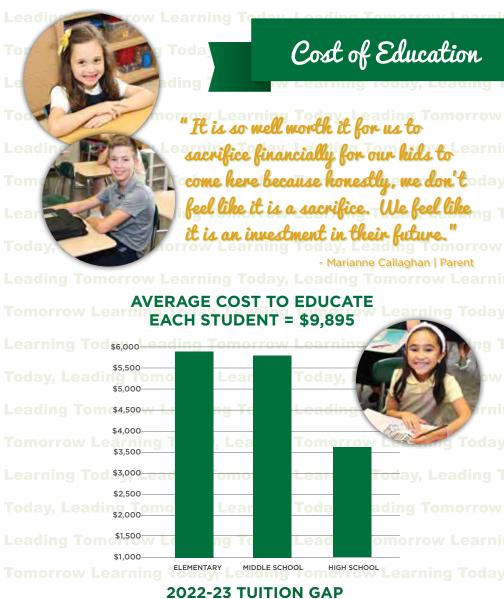
Beginning with the second year of enrollment, families are responsible for this fee if not a supporting parish member. If you feel that you cannot afford this fee, we encourage you to apply for the Regis Catholic Schools St. Benedict Tuition Assistance Scholarship.

## FAMILY FEE: \$250 Per Family

Families can earn credit towards the fee by purchasing Scrip gift cards. The remaining balance owed will be invoiced in April 2023 for the 2022-23 academic year. The balance will be due in May 2023. A \$25 late fee will be added if received after the due date.

Co-curricular activities and athletics have participation fees. If your child participates in any activity with an additional fee, you will be given instructions on how to pay the fee. Participation fees must be paid in full before your child can participate in the activity.

Tuition, yearbook, and graduation fees are all included in the tuition rates listed above. Tuition and the Non-Parish Member Fee (if applicable) will be billed before the school year begins.



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\* COST OF EDUCATION BASED ON REGIS CATHOLIC SCHOOLS AUDIT Because the tuition rates our families pay does not cover the entire cost to educate each student, we must bridge that gap through direct subsidy from our supporting parishes and private donations. We thank our generous supporters for helping us keep our tuition increases to a minimum.

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## ALL TUITION ARRANGEMENTS FOR

# Important Tuition

STUDENTS ATTENDING REGIS CATHOLIC SCHOOLS ARE TO BE MADE THROUGH THE REGIS CATHOLIC SCHOOLS CENTRAL OFFICE. ANY QUESTIONS WITH REFERENCE TO TUITION ARE TO BE DIRECTED TO OUR ENROLLMENT & TUITION COORDINATOR AT (715) 830-2273, EXT. 1400.

## FACTS TUITION MANAGEMENT

Regis Catholic Schools utilizes the FACTS Tuition Management Company to manage the collection of tuition and fees. The FACTS Tuition Management Company allows families access to view their account balance, review transaction history, receive payment reminders, and set up automatic payments via credit card or automatic bank draft.

New Families: In July, you will receive an email and letter from FACTS with instructions on how to set up your tuition payment account online and select your payment schedule.

Returning Families: Regis Catholic Schools will keep you on the same payment schedule as the current school year. If you would like to change your payment schedule, you can request changes when you enroll your child. Regis Catholic Schools will mail a tuition billing review in early June.

## **Tuition Payment Options:**

- 1. Payment in Full | No Plan Fees
- 2. Two Payment Plan | \$10 Plan Fee
- 3. Quarterly Payment Plan | \$45 Plan Fee
- 4. 10 Month Payment Plan | \$45 Plan Fee
- 5. 12 Month Payment Plan | \$45 Plan Fee
- 6. Weekly Payment Plan | \$45 Plan Fee

# Information

"I have attended Regis since kindergarten and I have loved every year ever since. Not only do I love the community, I also love and appreciate the staff and the hard work they put into giving me a fantastic education I cannot find anywhere else. If you're looking for success, it starts at Regis!"

Carly B. | Class of 2025

## **END OF SCHOOL YEAR BALANCES**

It is the expectation of Regis Catholic Schools to have all tuition and fees paid no later than June 30.

At the end of June, the family will receive written notification that their account is past due, along with a copy of our policy. If there is still a balance by July 31, the student(s) will not be permitted to participate in co-curricular activities or attend class in the fall until the balance has been paid in full.

If the balance is paid by August 31, the student(s) can re-enroll and will be eligible to participate in co-curricular activities.

Families not returning to Regis Catholic Schools for the next academic school year will have their account turned over to a collection agency.

Any grievance by a parent/guardian against the school of its employees shall be resolved through Diocesan Administrative Recourse. (See Diocesan Policy DSP 1391/1392)

#### **TUITION REIMBURSEMENT (STUDENT WITHDRAWAL)**

Our operating budget is determined, in part, by the tuition paid for enrolled students. In the case of a student's early withdrawal - whether initiated by the family or by the Regis Catholic Schools administration - tuition will be charged through the end of the academic quarter in which the student is enrolled. If a student withdraws before the first day of school, a full refund will be given, minus any enrollment or FACTS plan fees.



WE ARE COMMITTED TO HELPING ALL FAMILIES SEND THEIR CHILDREN TO REGIS CATHOLIC SCHOOLS, REGARDLESS OF FINANCIAL ABILITY.

## APPROXIMATELY 50% OF OUR STUDENTS RECEIVE SOME FORM OF FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE.

## ST. BENEDICT TUITION ASSISTANCE SCHOLARSHIP

The St. Benedict Tuition Assistance Scholarship is a needs-based financial award. Families in need of tuition assistance are encouraged to apply for the St. Benedict Scholarship through FACTS Grant & Aid each year. During the 2021-22 school year, Regis Catholic Schools awarded approximately \$100,000 in tuition assistance via the St. Benedict Tuition Assistance Scholarship. (Apply February 1 – May 17, 2022)

## **REGIS CATHOLIC SCHOOLS SCHOLARSHIPS**

A Regis Catholic Schools Scholarship guide is published each year and includes opportunities for PreK-12th grade scholarships. Regis Catholic Schools is very fortunate to have many generous donors who make these scholarships available. (Apply March – April)

## **EARLY ENROLLMENT TUITION VOUCHERS**

Two (2) \$1,000 tuition vouchers for grades 1-12 will be randomly awarded for families who enroll by our early enrollment deadline of March 18, 2022. Enrolling early helps Regis Catholic Schools plan for the following school year.

"Regis is home. It is where my family attended school; it is where my faith life was reinforced; it is where I feel a part of a larger community. My parents sacrificed so we received a great education. We participated in many extra-curricular activities and it has become my passion."



#### **TUITION REFERRAL BONUS**

Regis Catholic Schools offers a tuition referral bonus to thank our current families for sharing their experience with others. If at least one student from the new family is entering grades K-12, both the new family and the referring family will receive a \$500 referral discount off of tuition for the corresponding school year.

In order to be eligible, the family new to Regis Catholic Schools must complete our Referral Form, available online at **www.RegisCatholicSchools.com/tuition-referral-bonus/**. Only one referral discount will be applied for each family per school year. The \$500 tuition bonuses will be given as a tuition credit. There is no cash value. Preschool is not eligible.

## TAX DEDUCTIONS

The state of Wisconsin offers an income tax deduction for K-12 school tuition expenses. Taxpayers will be able to claim any paid private school tuition expenses on their Wisconsin income taxes each year.

## SCRIP PROGRAM

Scrip is a gift card fundraising program. Regis Catholic Schools buys gift cards from local and national vendors at a discount and sells them at face value. The profits are split 50/50 between you and Regis Catholic Schools. Your profit goes toward your \$250 annual family fee. If you exceed your family fee, any additional amount goes toward tuition for next year!

Please contact our Enrollment & Tuition Coordinator at (715) 830-2273, ext. 1400 to discuss your options.

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## APPLY FEBRUARY 1 - APRIL 21, 2022 BY 4 PM

The Wisconsin Parental Choice Program (WPCP) allows families within the income requirements to apply for a tuition voucher. If your child is selected by the state, he/she would receive free tuition to attend Regis Catholic Schools during the 2022-23 school year. Those chosen for a voucher do not have to pay any books, enrollment fees, or family fees.

#### 2022-23 ADJUSTED GROSS INCOME LIMITS\* (220% of the Federal Poverty Level)

Family Size	Single	Married (+\$7,000)	
	\$28,336		
2	\$38,324		
3	48,312	\$55,312	
4	\$58,300	\$65,300	
5	\$68,288	\$75,288	
6	\$78,276	\$85,276	

For each additional family member, add \$9,988.

\*As determined by the Adjusted Gross Income (AGI) on the federal income tax return for the prior calendar year (2021 for the 2022-23 school year).

## **APPLICATION INSTRUCTIONS**

If your family meets the income requirements, you may apply for the Wisconsin Parental Choice Program. NOTE: If your child is already attending Regis Catholic Schools during the 2021-22 school year and is NOT already in the Choice program, the student must be entering kindergarten, 1st, or 9th grade in order to apply. (Incoming transfer students in any grade are eligible to apply.)

# Choice Program



**STEP 1 | Complete Online Application** https://sms.dpi.wi.gov/ChoiceParent/

**STEP 2 | Submit Income Verification and Residency Documentation to the Regis Catholic Schools Central Office** (2728 Mall Drive, Ste 200 | Eau Claire)

## DEADLINE = April 21, 2022 at 4 PM

## **INCOME VERIFICATION**

Documentation required will be based on your online application. When you submit your online application, you have the choice of how you want Regis Catholic Schools to verify your income. Please be sure the information you provide to RCS matches your online application.

## **RESIDENCY DOCUMENTS**

Documentation can only be dropped off at the Regis Catholic Schools Central Office. Documentation dropped off at our school buildings will not be accepted.

YOUR ONLINE APPLICATION IS CONSIDERED INCOMPLETE UNTIL ALL REQUIRED DOCUMENTATION IS SUBMITTED TO THE REGIS CATHOLIC SCHOOLS CENTRAL OFFICE. LATE APPLICATIONS AND REQUIRED DOCUMENTATION WILL NOT BE ACCEPTED FOR ANY REASON.

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## Commonly Asked Questions

#### WHO MAY APPLY?

Any public school student in grades K-12 who meets the income requirements, any student who in the previous school year was not enrolled in school, any non-voucher student currently attending a private or religious school may apply to the program only when entering kindergarten, 1st, and 9th grade, any student who participated in the Milwaukee Parental Choice Program or Racine Parental Choice Program the previous school year

## WHAT IF MY INCOME INCREASES IN SUBSEQUENT YEARS?

The "once in, always in" provision means your child keeps his or her voucher even if family income rises. Family income is determined for each student in the year they enter the program. Families could have some children qualify and others that do not qualify depending on family income in the year each child seeks entry into the program. The "once in, always in" provision applies only if a student continues to attend a school in the Wisconsin Parental Choice Program and does not voluntarily leave the program.

## CAN I BE CHARGED ADDITIONAL FEES?

You can be charged reasonable fees for:

- Personal items such as towels, gym clothes, or uniforms
- Social and extracurricular activities as long as the activity is not a part of the required curriculum
- Musical instruments
- Meals
- High school classes not required or credited for graduation
- Transportation
- Before-school and after-school child care

## What can we accept?

## **INCOME VERIFICATION**

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#### **Option #1: DPI (Department of Instruction) Method (Recommended)**

The DPI income determination method is based on the 2021 income. You will need to enter the adjusted gross income on the return (1040, 1040A, or 1040EZ) in your online application. PROVIDE RCS A COPY OF YOUR 2021 FEDERAL TAX RETURN 1040 (FIRST TWO PAGES ONLY). COPY MUST BE SIGNED AND DATED (BOTH TAXPAYERS SIGNATURES NEEDED WHEN FILING JOINTLY). The amount entered into the online application must match the income documentation provided to RCS.

#### **Option #2: DOR (Department of Revenue) Method**

All parent(s)/guardian(s) listed on the application must provide their social security number (SSN) or taxpayer ID number to the Regis Catholic Schools Central Office in order for income to be verified by the DOR. When using this method, please be certain you meet income eligibility for both 2020 and 2021 or your application could consequently be ineligible.

#### **RESIDENCY DOCUMENTS**

- 1. Utility Bills: Water, Gas, Electric, Cable, Satellite or Landline Phone (Cell Phone Bills NOT Acceptable)
- 2. Wage Statement or W2 Year-End Earnings Statement
- 3. Lease Agreement (Signed and Dated) The lease must have a term that includes the date the parent/legal guardian applies to the school (must be complete and legible) that is the name of one of the parents/legal guardians at the address on the student application. If a month-to-month lease is used, it must be dated within three-months prior to the start of the open application period in which you submit the online application to the school and the end of that open application period. Expired leases and rent receipts are NOT acceptable residency documents.
- 4. Governmental Correspondence: Property Tax Bill, Supplemental Security Income "SSI", Wisconsin Works "W2", FoodShare, United States Postal Service, Housing Assistance Letter (Printed statements from Access.gov can be used as residency support if the statement is during the required period.)

ONLY THE ABOVE LISTED DOCUMENTS ARE ACCEPTABLE. WE WILL NOT ACCEPT DOCUMENTS OUTSIDE OF THIS LIST. All residency documentation must be dated within three (3) months of when you submit your online application. Full name on application must exactly match the residency document you provide. (No shortened or nicknames are allowed.) For joint applicants, we only require residency documents to have one (1) of the applicant names. The full street address, including city, state, and zip code, must exactly match the online application. **Foday, Leading Tomorrow Learning Today, Leading Tomo** 

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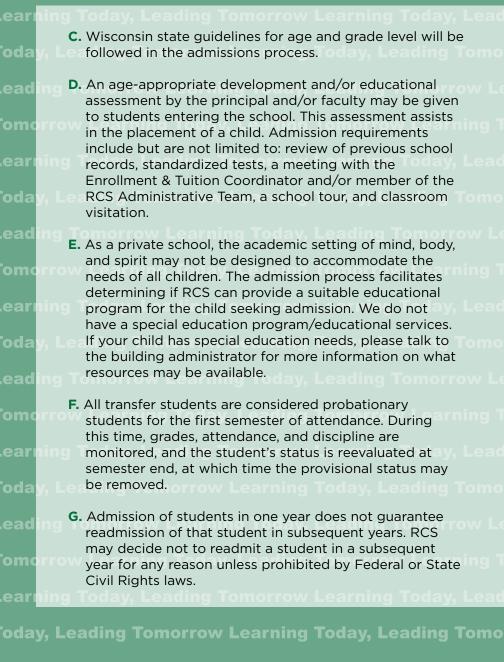
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<ol> <li>Students accepted into the Wisconsin Parental Choice Program (School Voucher) who are new to RCS cannot displace other currently enrolled students from a building. Accommodations will be made to make sure there is room for the new students to be in a grade-appropriate class.</li> </ol>	Tomo Lear
Regis Catholic Schools respects the dignity of God's children. All children have a right to a quality education. In addition to the pursuit of academic excellence, a Regis education will support their relationship with God and guide them to live and work with others in accord with Gospel values.	Toda Lead Tomo
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The educational institutions of the Catholic Diocese of La Crosse are subject to the limitations of the Title VII of the Civil Rights Act of 1964 as amended, Title IX of the	Toda
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# Important Dates

## **JANUARY 24, 2022**

**Enrollment opens**. Register your student(s) and submit the \$100 enrollment fee between January 24 and March 18, 2022.

## **FEBRUARY 1, 2022**

**Wisconsin Parental Choice Program** (School Voucher) application opens. Eligible families must apply online at https://sms.dpi.wi.gov/ChoiceParent/ and turn in required documentation to the Regis Catholic Schools Central Office by April 21, 2022 at 4 p.m. in order for your application to be included in the Wisconsin DPI drawing.

Regis Catholic Schools St. Benedict Tuition Assistance Scholarship application opens. Apply through FACTS Grant & Aid at https://online.factsmgt.com/signin/3FDS3 and submit required income documentation and fee to FACTS Grant & Aid by May 17, 2022.

## MARCH 18, 2022

**Early enrollment deadline**. Enrollment fee increases to \$150 on March 19, 2022 for all families who choose to enroll on or after that date. (Early enrollment puts families into a drawing to win tuition certificates and helps Regis Catholic Schools to plan for next year.)

## APRIL 21, 2022

**Wisconsin Parental Choice Program** (School Voucher) required documentation is due to the Regis Catholic Schools Central Office on April 21, 2022 by 4 p.m. (No extensions!) The online application available at https://sms.dpi.wi.gov/ChoiceParent/ needs to be submitted online before documentation is turned in to the Regis Catholic Schools Central Office.

## MAY 17, 2022

**Application and required income documentation** for the Regis Catholic Schools St. Benedict Tuition Assistance Scholarship due to FACTS Grant & Aid. Apply through FACTS Grant & Aid at **https://online.factsmgt.com/aid** and submit required income documentation and fee to FACTS Grant & Aid.

Questions? Contact the Enrollment & Tuition Coordinator at (715) 830-2273, ext. 1400.

What's Next?

#### **APPLY ONLINE**

www.RegisCatholicSchools.com/admissions/online-enrollment/

#### **ENROLLMENT CHECKLIST**

Enrollment is processed at the Regis Catholic Schools Central Office, located at 2728 Mall Drive, Ste 200 in Eau Claire.

## Enroll your child online.

✓ Pay \$100 enrollment fee via PayPal during online enrollment OR pay by check or cash at the Regis Catholic Schools Central Office. (Please note, the enrollment fee increases to \$150 for all families on March 19, 2022.)

**Kindergarten Students** | Proof of age (birth certificate) must be presented at the Regis Catholic Schools Central Office. Student must be 5 by September 1.

✓ **Transfer Students** | Parents must complete the Student Records Release Form and return it to the Regis Catholic Schools Central office. Please contact our Enrollment & Tuition Coordinator at (715) 830-2273, ext. 1400 for more information.

You will receive an enrollment confirmation email upon completion of all of the steps applicable to you.

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Las escuelas católicas Regis están dedicadas educar en un ambiente centrado en Cristo. Fomentamos el amor por el aprendizaje que dura toda la vida y preparamos estudiantes para liderazgo y servicio en la comunidad. También las escuelas de Regis forman una comunidad de fe que celebra la diversidad de varias culturas.

Kayla Bahnub es la directora de Immaculate Conception (primaria) y también trabaja con nuestras familias hispanohablantes. Llámala para:

- Organizar una visita a nuestras escuelas
- Traducción entre la escuela y su familia
- Explicar el programa Choice de Wisconsin para ver si califican asistir nuestras escuelas privadas sin pagar cologiatura y ayudarlos registrar.
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"Mis hijas se cambiaron a las escuelas católicas y las tratan con más respeto. Me gusta que usan uniforme. Se ven más presentables y

respetuosas y lo más importante es que les

hablan de Dios y van a misa.'

- Carmen Solis, Mama añana Aprendiendo Hoy, Guiando Mañana Aprendiendo Hoy, G

# Our Facilities



GENESIS CHILD DEVELOPMENT CENTER 418 N Dewey Street, Eau Claire, WI 54703 | (715) 830-2275

REGIS CHILD DEVELOPMENT CENTER 2114 Fenwick Avenue, Eau Claire, WI 54701 | (715) 830-2274

IMMACULATE CONCEPTION ELEMENTARY SCHOOL 1703 Sherwin Avenue, Eau Claire, WI 54701 | (715) 830-2276

ST. JAMES ELEMENTARY SCHOOL 2502 11th Street, Eau Claire, WI 54703 | (715) 830-2277

ST. MARY'S ELEMENTARY SCHOOL 1828 Lynn Avenue, Altoona, WI 54720 | (715) 830-2278

2100 Fenwick Avenue, Eau Claire, WI 54701 | (715) 830-2272

REGIS HIGH SCHOOL 2100 Fenwick Avenue, Eau Claire, WI 54701 | (715) 830-2271 Regis Catholic Schools is accredited by Wisconsin Religious and Independent Schools Accreditation (WRISA) for grades K-12.

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