

Admissions Guide 2024-25



Learning Today, Leading Tomorrow

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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, values-based 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,

Paul Pedersen

Paul Pedersen '89 President

The mind of the intelligent gains knowledge, and the ear of the mise seeks knowledge. Proverbs 18:15



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, technology, 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.

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 understanding between Christian churches.

OUR SCHOOLS DO NOT TRY TO CONVERT STUDENTS OF OTHER DENOMINATIONS.

"The chance to have a small environment was important for all of our hids, along with the opportunity to have values and faith as part of their day-to-day experience. My hids love it here...and as parents, we do, too!"

Nicole Berschback | Parent

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EARLY CHILDHOOD PROGRAMS





Our facilities provide a Christian environment 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 and develop.



- · 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
- Outdoor and indoor play areas
- · Safe and secure buildings
- 4-year-old kindergarten sessions





FAITH-BASED PRESCHOOL & 4K PROGRAMS

Our preschool and 4K classrooms at St. James Elementary School and St. Mary's Elementary School are bright and engaging! We offer play-based learning in a faith-filled environment as your little one prepares for kindergarten.

NEW FOR 2024-25!

Full-Day 4K Program | St. James Elementary School (\$3,800/Year)

This new full-day 4K class runs Monday - Friday from 8:30 a.m. to 3:30 p.m. Students must be 4 years old on or before September 1 and potty trained. Before/After School Care offered for an additional fee and based on availability.

3 Year Old Preschool | St. Mary's Elementary School (\$145/Month)

This preschool class is on Mondays and Wednesday OR Tuesdays and Thursdays from 8:30 to 11 a.m. Students must be 3 years old on or before September 1 and potty trained.

Half-Day 4K Program | St. Mary's Elementary School (\$220/Month)

This 4K class runs Monday - Thursday from 8:30 to 11:30 a.m. Students must be 4 years old on or before September 1 and potty trained.

CHILD DEVELOPMENT CENTER 4K PROGRAMS

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 wraparound care is available for a fee.

Genesis Child Development Center 4K Program

The Regis Genesis Child Development Center has two Eau Claire Area School District 4K classes; one morning and one afternoon. The classes are Monday - Thursday and wraparound care is available for a fee.



ELEMENTARY SCHOOLS (GRADES K-5)







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, Englishlanguage arts, science, social studies, art, music, technology, physical education, guidance, and exploratory 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 me have the best teachers in the morld and all sorts of books. I love my school because me do all kinds of things for others and me have fun events for all sorts of holidays."

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

As parents are the primary educators of our students, we believe the connection between home and school is essential to student success. There are various volunteer opportunities for families throughout the year and weekly communications are distributed



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 self-discipline, and provide your child with a loving environment to nurture their social, emotional, and spiritual well-being.





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 RegisCatholicSchools.com/parents-students/academics/.



SMALL CLASS SIZES

Our classroom ratio of an average of 20:1 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.



COMMUNITY SERVICE

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.

HIGH SCHOOL (GRADES 9-12)

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Regis High School offers an outstanding education while arming Today, Leading Tomorrow Learning 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.

"A student at Regis is never a number. The families that
enroll here at Regis know that they're part of something
bigger. They're not fust sending their kids to a
9-12)
school, they're joining a community."

Christi Machler | Regis Middle School & Regis High School Principal



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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 AP, Distance Learning, CVTC Academy, Early College Credit, and Start College Now.)



SMALL CLASS SIZES

With an average classroom ratio of 17:1, 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.



CHRIST-CENTERED

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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.

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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.



College Preparation

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!





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.



College credit opportunities include:

ADVANCED PLACEMENT COURSES

These are college-level courses taught within our building or online through Wisconsin Virtual School. Students may receive college credit if they score a 3, 4, or 5 on AP Exams. Credit varies by post-secondary institution. Regis currently offers 22 AP Course options.

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

DISTANCE LEARNING COURSES FOR COLLEGE CREDIT

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

College Transfer Courses Offered at Regis High School Campus Include: Spanish 1, Spanish 2, English Composition 1, English Composition 2, Calculus & Analytic Geometry 1, Intro to Psychology

CVTC ACADEMY

Students who successfully complete an Academy earn both high school and college credits.

Examples of Academy Programs Include: Certified Nursing Assistant, Culinary Management, Emergency Medical Technician, HVACR, Residential Construction, Welding

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.

"Attending Regis is a wonderful opportunity to be part of a small school environment where every student is known personally and nurtured to find belonging in a tight-knit community. It is a true joy to teach in an environment where every child comes from a family that values the well-rounded education that a private school has to offer."

Michael Bruning | Teacher

CVTC Ocademy Graduates

Four of our Regis High School students earned a degree from the Chippewa Valley Technical College (CVTC) High School Academies during the 2022-23 school year.

Brayden Albee

Welding Technical Diploma

Mason Nuesse

IT Software **Development Specialist** Technical Diploma

Nash Cullinan

IT Software Development Specialist Technical Diploma

Henry Sollberger

IT Software **Development Specialist** Technical Diploma



Regis High School is committed to helping our students prepare for their future success during their time as a Rambler!

"I wanted to take IT courses because they are something I m good at. I ve learned coding languages that have helped me further understand how technology works. I liked that I had the time built into my schedule to do my coursework and work on mebsite and technology issues at Regis High School."

> Mason Nuesse (Future Plans: Air Force ROTC, Embry-Riddle Aeronautical University)

Youth Apprenticeship Program

REGIS HIGH SCHOOL IS PROUD TO PARTNER WITH THE EAU CLAIRE AREA CHAMBER OF COMMERCE AND LOCAL BUSINESSES TO PROVIDE STUDENTS WITH HIGHLY DESIRABLE EMPLOYMENT AND OCCUPATIONAL SKILLS THROUGH THE WISCONSIN DEPARTMENT OF WORKFORCE DEVELOPMENT YOUTH APPRENTICESHIP (YA) PROGRAM.

Regis High School YA Pathways Include:

- · Architecture & Construction Leading Tomorrow Learning
- Finance
- · Health Science
- · Information Technology
- Manufacturing
- · Science, Technology, Engineering & Mathematics (STEM)

Student benefits of participation in the YA Program include exposure to industry-developed standards, paid on-the-job work experience, engaging course curriculum, and state-issued skill certification.



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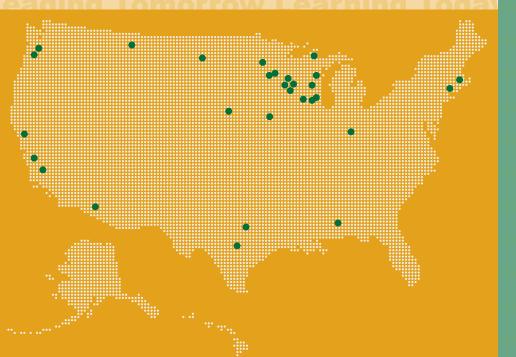
Class of 2023

REGIS HIGH SCHOOL GRADUATES

ATTEND PRESTIGIOUS COLLEGES AND UNIVERSITIES BOTH LOCALLY AND AROUND THE COUNTRY.

- Arizona State
- Boston College
- Creighton University
- Drake University
- Dunwoody College of Technology
- Embry-Riddle
- Aeronautical University
 Everett Community College
- Marguette University
- Milwaukee School of Engineering
- · Michigan Tech
- Montana State University
- Iowa State University
- Samford University
- St. Norbert College
- Texas Christian University
- UC Berkley
- UCLA

- UW-Eau Claire
- UW-Green Bay
- UW-Madison
- UW-Milwaukee
- UW-River Falls
- UW-Stevens Point
- 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 Texas at Austin
- University of Washington
- Viterbo University
- West Point ...and more!





Graduation Rate



Attended a College, University or Technical College



Felt They Received Challenging Subject Matter at Regis High School



Felt Their Teachers Had High Expectations for Quality Work



Participation in School <u>Activities & A</u>thletics









Our Activities & Athletics



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

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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) **Battle of the Books Brains & Brawn Cribbage Club Chess Club Forensics Get Crafty** Pep Club SAFE Spanish Club **Tech Club**



REGIS HIGH SCHOOL

Boys Athletics

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

Girls Athletics

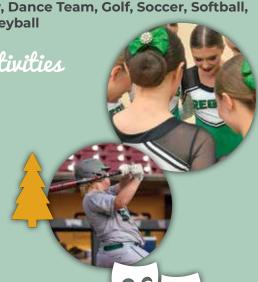
Basketball, Cross Country, Dance Team, Golf, Soccer, Softball, Tennis, Track & Field, Volleyball

Co-Curricular Activities

Academic Challenge Campus Ministry Environmental Club Forensics Math Team National Honor Society Pep Club Pro-Life SAFF **Student Council Sturgeon Bowl YLEC**

"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!





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

Claire Wilson I Parent

Our Faculty & Staff

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.

Parent Involvement

Parents are the first and most important educators in a child's life and all of our schools value and appreciate the strong partnership we have with our families.

We welcome and encourage parental involvement at our schools and in our classrooms. You will find we offer numerous opportunities for you to get involved in your child's education.

These opportunities also allow our families to get to know each other and build strong relationships as the years progress.

"Volunteering is an excellent opportunity to see all the fantastic things your child gets to experience each day at school. Through volunteering, I have created impactful relationships with the teachers and staff, which have made my volunteer experience more enjoyable and impacted our children and their learning."

Courtenay Bydash | Parent



Our Organization & Leadership



REGIS CATHOLIC SCHOOLS ADMINISTRATION

Regis Catholic Schools is led by the President.
That person has two main areas of focus:

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 Schools President, school administrators, one representative from each supporting parish, and a representative from the Regis Catholic Schools Foundation.

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

2024-25 Tuition Rates

ELEMENTARY (GRADES K-5) \$4,455 (\$372/Month)

ADDITIONAL STUDENT | \$4,055

MIDDLE SCHOOL (GRADES 6-8) \$4,620 (\$385/Month) ADDITIONAL STUDENT | \$4,220

HIGH SCHOOL (GRADES 9-12) \$6,945 (\$579/Month)

ADDITIONAL STUDENT | \$6,345



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 the spring of 2025 for the 2024-25 academic year. 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.

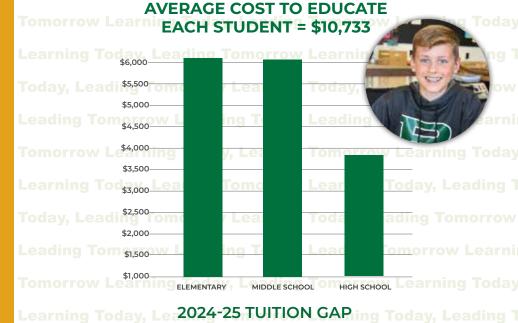
Tuition, yearbook, and graduation fees are all included in the tuition rates listed above. Tuition and the Non-Parish Member Fee (if applicable) will be billed before the school year begins.



"It is so well worth it for us to sacrifice financially for our kids to come here because konestly, we don't feel like it is a sacrifice. We feel like it is an investment in their future."

larianne Callaghan | Parent

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ELEMENTARY (K-5) | \$6,278

Today, Leading To MIDDLE SCHOOL (6-8) | \$6,113

MIDDLE SCHOOL (6-8) | \$6,113 Leadin HIGH SCHOOL (9-12) | \$3,788

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

Tomorr from our supporting parishes and private donations. We thank our generous g Today supporters for helping us keep our tuition increases to a minimum.

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Tuition Payments

ALL TUITION ARRANGEMENTS FOR

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. 1404.

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 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 complete your tuition and fees agreement in May.

Tuition Payment Options:

- 1. Payment in Full | No Plan Fees
- 2. Two Payment Plan | \$15 Plan Fee
- 3. Quarterly Payment Plan | \$50 Plan Fee
- 4. 10 Month Payment Plan | \$50 Plan Fee
- 5. 12 Month Payment Plan | \$50 Plan Fee
- 6. Weekly Payment Plan | \$50 Plan Fee

"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. Any other applicable fees will be due in full for any student that withdraws after the start of the school year. Fees will not be prorated.

Tuition Affordability

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

MORE THAN 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 2023-24 school year, Regis Catholic Schools awarded approximately \$95,000 in tuition assistance via the St. Benedict Tuition Assistance Scholarship. (Apply February 1 – April 18, 2024)

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)

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. 1404 to discuss your options.

REGIS CATHOLIC SCHOOLS OFFERS A TUITION REFERRAL BONUS TO THANK OUR CURRENT FAMILIES FOR SHARING THEIR EXPERIENCE WITH OTHERS.

PROGRAM DETAILS

- Current families referring new families to RCS are eligible for a one-time tuition credit of \$500 per referred family, plus an additional \$250 for every additional student the new family enrolls for the same school year. For example, if the new family you refer to enroll at Regis Catholic Schools enrolls three (3) new students, the current (referring) family would receive the following tuition credit: \$500 (First New Student) + \$250 (Second New Student) + 250 (Third New Student) (\$1,000 TOTAL)
- The new family referred to enroll at RCS will also receive a one-time tuition credit of \$500.
- ** If the referring family or the new family participates in the Wisconsin Parental Choice Program (WPCP), they are ineligible for the one-time tuition credit. In that instance, a one-time \$100 credit towards Ramblers merchandise sold at the Regis Ramblers school store will be issued.
 - These incentives will be awarded as tuition (or merchandise) credits. There is no cash value and no carryover of any credit that exceeds your family's annual tuition bill.
 - Preschool is not eligible to receive the tuition credit. The current RCS family must have at least one (1) child enrolled in K-12 for the upcoming school year to be eligible for any credits.
 - This program is for referral of new families who have students eligible for K-12 that have not least one year.

The family new to Regis Catholic Schools must complete and submit our Referral Form to allow us to properly credit the Tuition Referral Bonus.

Wisconsin Parental Choice Program

APPLY FEBRUARY 1 - APRIL 18, 2024 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 2024-25 school year. Those chosen for a voucher do not have to pay any books, enrollment fees, or family fees.

2024-25 ADJUSTED GROSS INCOME LIMITS* (220% of the Federal Poverty Level)

Family income includes the income of the student's parent(s)/legal guardian(s) that reside in the same household as the student applicant. If the student's parents/legal guardians that reside in the same household are married, their income is reduced by \$7,000 when determining income eligibility for the program. (i.e. married family income minus \$7,000). For example, if a family of four with parents that are married has an income of \$60,000, subtract \$7,000 from their income and compare that amount (\$53,000) to the income limit for a family of four in the table below. Family size includes parents/legal guardians and their children by birth, marriage or adoption that reside in the same household as the student applicant.

Family Size	Maximum Yearly Income	For each additional family member, add \$11,308.
	\$32,076	*As determined by the
2	\$43,384	Adjusted Gross Income
3	\$54,692	(AGI) on the federal income
4	\$66,000	tax return for the prior
5	\$77,308	calendar year (2023 for the
6	\$88,616	2024-25 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 2023-24 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.)

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 18, 2024 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.



Wisconsin Parental Choice Program

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 2023 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 2023 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.

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 2022 and 2023 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.

ADMISSIONS POLICIES AND PROCEDURES:

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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. ALL FAMILIES WHO IDENTIFY WITH THESE CORE VALUES ARE INVITED TO ENROLL IN OUR SCHOOLS. REGIS CATHOLIC SCHOOLS HAS THE FOLLOWING ADDITIONAL

- A. Students are accepted without regard to race, color, or national or ethnic origins. Children of all faiths are welcomed and expected to share in religious education.
- B. Enrollment for the next school year will open in January. The specific dates will be announced via school communications/ calendars and on the Regis Catholic Schools website.
 - a. Current RCS families will be provided a two-week priority enrollment period in January to re-enroll for the coming school year. Current families will have the opportunity to enroll current students and siblings (new students) during this time.
 - i. Once this two-week priority enrollment period has closed, current RCS families are no longer guaranteed enrollment within the system.
 - **b.** Following the priority enrollment period for current RCS families, enrollment for the next school year will open for families new to the Regis Catholic Schools system.

NOTICE | Regis High School students will not be allowed to register for dual-credit courses until their Regis Catholic Schools enrollment process has been completed for the coming school year.

After the two-week priority enrollment period for current RCS families has ended, classes will be filled based on the date of application under the following order of priority.

ORDER OF PRIORITY

If there are more enrollments than available grade level capacity, the following will be considered in order of priority:

1. Children of Regis Catholic Schools employees.

- 2. Active members of our supporting parishes (Immaculate Conception, Sacred Heart/St. Patrick, St. James the Greater, St. Mary's, St. Olaf, Newman Parish at UWEC) who are practicing Catholics.
- 3. Kindergarten through 4th grade students wishing to transfer from one RCS elementary to another.
- 4. Students at one of our RCS tuition-based preschool or 4K programs.
- 5. Children enrolled at one of our RCS Child Development
- 6. Children enrolled in a RCS-based Eau Claire Area School District 4K program.
- 7. Transfer from another Catholic school outside of the RCS
- C. Wisconsin state guidelines for age and grade level will be followed in the admissions process.
- D. An age-appropriate development and/or educational assessment by the principal and/or faculty may be given to students entering the school. This assessment assists in the placement of a child. Admission requirements include but are not limited to: review of previous school records, standardized tests, a meeting with the Enrollment & Tuition Coordinator and/or member of the RCS Administrative Team, a school tour, and classroom visitation.
- E. As a private school, the academic setting of mind, body, and spirit may not be designed to accommodate the needs of all children. The admission process facilitates determining if RCS can provide a suitable educational program for the child seeking admission. We do not have a special education program/educational services. If your child has special education needs, please talk to the building administrator for more information on what resources may be available.
- F. All transfer students are considered probationary students for the first semester of attendance. During this time, grades, attendance, and discipline are monitored, and the student's status is reevaluated at semester end, at which time the provisional status may be removed.

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G. Admission of students in one year does not guarantee readmission of that student in subsequent years. RCS may decide not to readmit a student in a subsequent year for any reason unless prohibited by Federal or State Civil Rights laws.

- **H.** Class size is guided by the Enrollment and Class Offerings Policy and determined by the President. When a class is at capacity, all waiting list requests will continue to be considered by application date for future admission.
- I. 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.

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.

NON-DISCRIMINATION POLICY

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 Education Amendments of 1972, the Age Discrimination and Employment Act, the Equal Pay for Equal Work Act, the Rehabilitation Act of 1973, and the Wisconsin Fair Employment Practices Act and do not discriminate on the basis of race, religion, color, sex, national origin, age, handicap, arrest and/or conviction record, marital status or sexual preference, except as permitted by law.

HOME SCHOOL/STUDENT TRANSFERS

All transfer students must meet our Regis Catholic Schools academic and behavior standards. The principal will recommend the academic standing for each transfer or home school student. Home school students will be placed in the grade where their age

chronologically fits unless evidence is shown via standardized tests or some other objective instrument that the student should be advanced a grade or should begin instruction at a lower grade.

ENROLLMENT PROCEDURES

Enrollment is handled through the Regis Catholic Schools Central Office, located at 2728 Mall Drive, Ste 200 in Eau Claire, Wisconsin. A student is not considered enrolled until the enrollment form, enrollment fee, and transfer form (when applicable) have been submitted and processed.

CUSTODY AGREEMENT

As a condition of enrollment, a copy of that portion of the custody decree that indicates who has primary placement and a copy of the current custody agreement must be on file at the school your child attends. Both parents have a legal right to be listed in the school directory, receive school progress reports and report cards, participate in parent/teacher conferences, and communicate with school teachers and administration unless specifically stated differently in the custodial agreement.



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Dress Code

A dress code promotes a positive school atmosphere, which emphasizes academics and promotes good behavior.

Dress codes have proven to increase student achievement by encouraging them to concentrate more on their studies and less



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.

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

Regis Catholic Schools partners with Lands' End and The Chippewa Store to offer dress code-approved items. Parents can also easily find dress code-approved clothing items at many major retailers, including Old Navy, The Children's Place, Kohl's, etc.

"I love Regis because everybody is so friendly and it's a mix of learning and fun. Everyone is also helping and supportive."

Madeline M. | Class of 2027

Important Dates

January 15, 2024

Priority Enrollment Opens (Current Regis Families)
 Register your student(s) and submit the \$150 enrollment fee.

January 28, 2024

Priority Enrollment Ends (Current Regis Families)

January 29, 2024

Enrollment Opens (New Families)
 Register your student(s) and submit the \$150 enrollment fee.

February 1, 2024

- Wisconsin Parental Choice Program Enrollment Opens
 Eligible families must apply online at
 https://sms.dpi.wi.gov/ChoiceParent/ and turn in the required
 documentation to the Regis Catholic Schools Central Office by
 April 18, 2024 by 4 p.m. in order your your application to be
 included in the Wisconsin DPI drawing.
- Regis Catholic Schools St. Benedict Tuition Assistance Scholarship Application Opens
 Apply through FACTS Grand & Aid at https://online.factsmgt.com/signin/3FDS3 and submit required income documentation and fee to FACTS Grant & Aid by April 18, 2024.

April 18, 2024

- Wisconsin Parental Choice Program Enrollment Closes
- Regis Catholic Schools St. Benedict Tuition Assistance Scholarship Application Closes

Questions? Contact the Enrollment & Tuition Coordinator at (715) 830-2273, ext. 1404.

What's Next?

APPLY ONLINE

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 \$150 enrollment fee during the online enrollment process OR pay by check or cash at the Regis Catholic Schools Central Office.
- ✓ 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 | Before your enrollment request can be processed, you must complete a Pre-Admission Inquiry Request Form allowing us to review your child's current school records. Additional placement testing may be required. Please contact our Enrollment & Tuition Coordinator at (715) 830-2273, ext. 1404 for more information.

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



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

REGIS MIDDLE SCHOOL

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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