

ST. MARY OF THE SNOWS CATHOLIC SCHOOL TUITION POLICY

St. Mary of the Snows Catholic School, as a non-public school, operates on a tuition basis. Educational services are offered through parish subsidy and tuition payment by parents.

1. **Registered Catholics** pay “Catholic rate” for tuition.
In this policy, **Registered Catholic** is defined as:
 - a) At least one parent and all children attending St. Mary School must be Catholic and currently registered at a Catholic Church.
 - b) Contribute financially to the support of the Parish to the best of your ability.
 - c) Support Parish life by offering their time, talent and treasure.
2. **Non-Registered Catholics** pay full tuition rate for tuition, as determined annually. It should be noted that all students are eligible to apply for scholarships and that the total educational cost of a child is not assumed by parents.
3. St. Mary Parish subsidizes the educational cost of every child enrolled in our school.
4. Any parent experiencing a financial hardship may apply for Tuition Assistance.
5. In order to receive “sibling discount”, siblings must reside in the same household.
6. All families registered for the current school year must sign a Tuition Agreement Form stating their tuition payment responsibilities.
7. **Refund Policy:** The school year is divided on a quarterly basis, both academically and financially. A student attending any part of an academic quarter is not eligible for a tuition refund for that particular quarter. Refunds are based only on unused school quarters. The Registration Fee is non-refundable.
8. Any account that is sixty (60) days past due and no arrangements have been made with the Principal or Pastor, will result in student’s dismissal from St. Mary School.