

## The Diocesan Tuition Assistance Program 2025-26 School Year

**Diocesan Tuition Assistance** is granted annually to families with children enrolled in our Catholic schools for grades K-8. Awards are based on financial need, and families applying may receive up to half of the school's in-parish tuition rate.

**Determining Financial Need:** The assessment is based on the information provided in the application and supporting documents. A specialized formula, tailored for families with children in Catholic schools, is used. FACTS conducts a thorough review and verification process to ensure data accuracy.

### **How to Apply (One application per family):**

Applications will be available online starting November 1, 2024, at <https://online.factsmgt.com>. Online applications are offered in both English and Spanish.

- An application fee of \$35 is required at the time of submission. This fee will be added to your tuition assistance award if you qualify for Diocesan assistance.
- Please allow approximately two weeks for FACTS to process each uploaded document. If additional information is required, you will receive an email from FACTS. All applications marked as "Complete" by the deadlines will be considered for the Diocesan Tuition Assistance Program.

### **For Grades K-8:**

- Applications submitted by March 1, 2025, will be reviewed in Round 1. A 2023 Federal tax form is necessary. Award notifications will be emailed to all families with a "COMPLETE" application on April 10. You must "Accept" the award and register with the school or decline by May 10.
- Applications submitted by May 12, 2025, will be reviewed in Round 2. A 2024 Federal tax form is necessary. Award notifications will be emailed on June 11 to families with a "COMPLETE" application. You must "Accept" the award and register with the school or decline by July 15.

### **For Grades 9-12:**

- Awards are evaluated on a rolling basis. Notifications will be sent directly by the high school. Please check your high school's website for further details.

### **Contact Information:**

- **FACTS Customer Care:** 866-315-9262
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