



St. John the Baptist Catholic School

"Excellence in education since 1996"

January 11, 2021

Dear Parents,

I hope your Christmas season was filled with joy and peace. As you receive the re-registration information, I wanted to share a few thoughts with you. **Thank you for taking time to read this letter.**

The school board is very conscious of the sacrifice families make to send their children to St. John's and consequently works hard to maintain our strong programs with as little tuition increase as possible. **We continue to thrive as a faith-filled learning institution and I thank you for your contribution to continue our mission.** And therefore, want to respectfully request that you consider re-enrolling your student(s) for the upcoming academic year of 2021-2022.

Please note 3 items that pertain to re-registration:

1. This letter
2. A letter from our School Board chair, Chris Protz, and our Pastor, Fr. Bryan, and
3. The form needed to re-register your child(ren).

This note also explains the options for re-registration payment. The first option is to pay the entire amount, \$150.00 per child, immediately. The second option is to pay a defined amount now and the 2nd installment by March 25, 2021.

We respectfully request for you to notify us and re-register by the dates listed above. Registration dates will open to St. John's and Mercy parishioners beginning Jan. 22, 2021. Therefore it is important that we receive your **paperwork and payment** before that date to secure your spot.

Remember there are two options for re-registration payment:

(Please note the K4 program has a registration fee and is a separate tuition program)

Option 1: Pay in full

1 child	\$150.00
2 children	\$300.00
3 children	\$450.00
4 children	\$600.00

Option 2: Pay installment one now and the final installment by March 25, 2021.

NOW		Payment 2 by March 25:	
1 child	\$75.00	1 child	\$75.00
2 children	\$150.00	2 children	\$150.00
3 children	\$225.00	3 children	\$225.00
4 children	\$300.00	4 children	\$300.00

If you have any questions, please contact us at 256-722-0772. Happy New Year!

Regards,

Sheryl B. Lewis
Principal



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Dear St. John's Parents,

As parents and caregivers, our faith calls us to educate and spiritually develop our children. We are their first and foremost teachers. So in partnership with St. John's Catholic school, we strive to educate the whole child – body, mind, heart and spirit.

Our primary goal as members of the School Board is to be responsible stewards of the Catholic Faith by promoting Catholic Education, serving as lay advisors to the Pastor and Principal, and developing policy and plans to bring our vision for our school to reality. In this unusual year the board has continued to meet virtually, we have continued our Family FAITH Nights, the children have continued to serve the community by making Christmas cards for people at local nursing homes and hospice facilities, and the board has evaluated the responses from last year's pulse survey.

Throughout the fall, our Finance committee worked closely with school administration to develop the 2021-2022 budget. Particularly in these challenging times, we needed to ensure that we had a realistic plan to sustain all of our existing programs while also maintaining our faculty and school buildings. In December, the board presented and received approval from the Pastor for the 2021-2022 budget. This budget includes a 2% tuition increase. The registration fee will be \$150 per student.

Registration will open to currently enrolled families on January 12, 2021 and to parish families on January 25, 2021. Included with this letter is your re-registration material. Please fill out all forms and return them, with your re-registration fee of \$150 per student, to the school office by January 22, 2021. As we begin 2021, we will be working closely with the administration to celebrate Catholic Schools Week beginning on January 26th. This will officially begin open registration for the 2021-2022 school year.

The **monthly** tuition rates for the 2021-2022 school year are as follows:

Parishioner-1 student	\$505	Non parishioner-1 student	\$644
Parishioner-2 students	\$864	Non parishioner-each additional student	\$460
Parishioner-3 or more students	\$1,064	Non parishioner – K4 (full day)	\$620
Parishioner – K4 (full day)	\$570	Non parishioner – K4 (half day: M-F)	\$420
Parishioner – K4 (half day: M-F)	\$350	Non-parishioner- K4 (half day: M-W-F)	\$260
Parishioner – K4 (half day: M-W-F)	\$215		

Payment of tuition may be made in full by July 23, 2021 or by participating in the tuition draft option. The tuition bank draft will continue as in the past and you will be provided that paperwork before the end of the current school year. Tuition will be due on the 25th day of the preceding month or on the 1st of the month. For example, the first month's tuition will be due on July 25th or August 1st. Tuition is paid over ten months with the last draft in May.

In choosing to send your child(ren) to St. John the Baptist Catholic School, they are receiving more than a quality education; they are being nurtured spiritually, intellectually and physically in our Catholic Faith. Our school continues to flourish because of dedicated and committed families like yours. One of the reasons we are able to maintain the lowest tuition in the area is because of the volunteer spirit of our parents. We would like to extend a personal note of thanks to you for your dedication. We encourage and appreciate your continued support of St. John the Baptist Catholic School.

God Bless,

Christopher S. Protz, School Board Chair

Very Rev. Bryan K. Lowe, Pastor



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2021-2022 RE-REGISTRATION FORM

FAMILY NAME: _____
Last Name Father Mother

PARISH AFFILIATION: _____
(The parish/church in which you are currently registered)

_____ Will be returning to St. John's Catholic School for the 2021-2022 school year.

_____ Will **NOT** be returning to St. John's Catholic School for the 2021-2022 school year.

Reason: _____

<u>Name of Student(s) Returning</u>	<u>Student(s) grade for 2021-2022</u>	<u>Name of Student(s) NOT Returning</u>
_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____

Two Options for Re-registration Payment:

Option 1: Payment in Full

- (1) Child \$150.00
- (2) Children \$300.00
- (3) Children \$450.00
- (4) Children \$600.00

Option 2: Installment Payments:

<u>Now</u>	<u>Final installment by 03/25/2021</u>
(1) Child \$ 75.00	(1) Child \$ 75.00
(2) Children \$150.00	(2) Children \$150.00
(3) Children \$225.00	(3) Children \$225.00
(4) Children \$300.00	(4) Children \$300.00

_____ Please send a student application form for each new sibling:

<u>Name of each new sibling(s):</u>	<u>Student's grade for 2021-2022</u>
_____	_____
_____	_____

Re-registration fees are non-refundable (except for re-location).

*K4 tuition is separate from K-8 grades.

OFFICE USE ONLY	
Date Received:	F
Amount Paid:	S
Check #:	

Principal – Mrs. Sheryl B. Lewis
Pastor – Fr. Bryan Lowe