

OF OUR LADY OF HOPE

Chesterton Academy of Our Lady of Hope is committed to offering an outstanding Catholic, Classical high school education at an affordable cost to families. Through the fundraising efforts conducted throughout the year we are able to subsidize the per student tuition cost for families in need of assistance. It is our strong desire that no deserving student should be deprived of a Chesterton education because of limited financial resources. Please consider this resource as a guide to the opportunities available to help afford education at Chesterton Academy.

TUITION SCHOLARSHIPS

Thanks to generous donors need-based tuition assistance is available to select students. Families in need should submit an application through the FACTS financial aid application available at chestertonri.org/financial-aid. FACTS is a nationally recognized tuition and financial assessment company used by all schools in the Diocese of Providence. Awards will be determined by a family's financial need and financial aid resources available, and can directly reduce the tuition owed Chesterton Academy.

DIOCESE OF PROVIDENCE ASSISTANCE

All families that submit the FACTS financial aid application by February 18th 2024 are eligible for consideration of tuition assistance from the Diocese of Providence. No separate application is required. Families will be notified by Chesterton Academy of any diocesan assistance.

PARISH ASSISTANCE

Local parishes are strong supporters of Catholic education and have funds earmarked to support their parishioners in securing a quality Catholic education for their children. While the exact steps vary by parish, we strongly encourage families to enquire what the process is at their parish. Parish assistance plays a significant role for many Chesterton families.

LOCAL ORGANIZATION SCHOLARSHIPS

Most local non-profit and religious organizations, such as the Knights of Columbus, may offer scholarships for students attending Catholic high schools. Families should reach to the Grand Knight of their local Knights of Columbus council to see if they have a scholarship program.

GRANDPARENTS, GODPARENTS, AND CLOSE FRIENDS

While education is the primary responsibility of the parents, families will often find that grandparents and godparents are eager to help ensure a student doesn't miss out on the opportunity of an authentically Catholic education - they only need to be asked.

UNIQUELY AFFORDABLE

AUTHENTICALLY CATHOLIC

TUITION & FEES

Tuition \$8,200 Book & Supply Fee \$600 Uniform \$200-\$300

FACTS ID: 40348

WE ARE HERE TO HELP

If you need help navigating the tuition assistance opportunities or have any questions please reach out.

PHONE: 401.287.2280 EMAIL: info@chestertonri.org WEBSITE: chestertonri.org

Did you know?

529 Savings Plans, previously only for higher education, can now be used for private elementary and high school tuition. Rhode Island offers income tax deductions for up to \$1,000 in contributions to CollegeBound Saver 529 savings plan. Consult your tax adviser for advice related to your specific situation.

PAYMENT PLANS

All families are eligible to select from a variety of payment plan options. This is a popular method of making the overall cost of tuition feel more affordable. A convenience fee of \$55 is charged by the TADS tuition management system when electing one of these options. Any tuition assistance, scholarships, or other aid received will reduce these payments.

MONTHLY \$684 FOUR PAYMENTS \$2.050

TWO PAYMENTS \$4.100

ONE PAYMENT \$8.200