



Dear Parents,

One tremendous benefit of Catholic education that is so much a part of the fabric of Nativity is the strength and support of the school community. In a Catholic School, members who share a common belief in Christian values are brought together for the common purpose of educating children in a Christ-filled environment. Members of this unique community include not only the students and teachers, but also the parents, alumni, friends and parishioners who support the school.

As you know, parenting is an awesome responsibility. It is comforting to know that there are others who are willing to be partners with you in the growth and education of your children. Parents who choose a Catholic School for the education of their children also choose to be part of a powerful network of people who share common beliefs and values. Children achieve greater academic and social gains when they spend their school days in an environment where they are supported by the greater Catholic community. Having selected Nativity Catholic School for the education of your children, you have also selected this added benefit for your family.

Below is a list of the important registration deadlines:

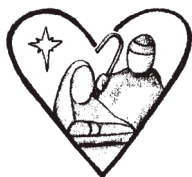
**Week of January 31** – Registration is open to currently enrolled families (Early Bird nonrefundable registration fee of \$100 through Feb. 28th, \$125 nonrefundable registration fee beginning March 1st). The PreK nonrefundable registration fee is collected separately from the K-8 family registration fee.

**Week of February 7** – Registration is open to Nativity Parishioners

**Week of February 14** – Open registration

To re-enroll your children at Nativity Catholic School (grades K-8 ), please complete and return the attached re-enrollment form. For siblings who will be new to Nativity, we will also need a full registration packet completed, which includes submitting a copy of their birth certificate and immunization record. In March, the school commission will begin to look at the registration numbers and determine a final tuition schedule for the 2022-23 school year. Tuition can be paid in full, in two installments (July 2022 and January 2023) or in ten monthly installments from July 2022 to April 2023.

If you have any questions or concerns, please feel free to contact Ms. Bianchini at [tbianchini@nativityindy.org](mailto:tbianchini@nativityindy.org) or Diane Lee at [dlee@nativityindy.org](mailto:dlee@nativityindy.org).



# Nativity Catholic School

## K-8 Re-Enrollment

Welcome! We are so happy to have you as part of our Nativity family! Please complete the form below to register for the 2022-2023 school year.

- Current Nativity School families may register for grades K-8 beginning Monday, January 31st.
- Nativity Parishioners may register beginning Monday, February 7th.
- Non-Parishioners will have the opportunity to enroll beginning Monday, February 14th.

From January 31st to February 28th, current school families will have an early bird discount nonrefundable enrollment fee of \$100.00 per family. Beginning March 1st, the nonrefundable registration fee will be \$125. Registrations can be submitted to the school office or online. Visit <https://school.nativityindy.org/re-enrollment-forms> for online registration. The cost of **online** registration is \$105 until February 28th and \$130 beginning March 1st.

If you are paying the full tuition by July 1st, you are not required to enroll in FACTS. The new link for the 2022 FACTS enrollment will be on the school website as soon as it becomes available. Families new to FACTS must register by **May 1<sup>st</sup>**. Daniel Dixon and Diane Lee will input the tuition amount. Questions? Please contact Daniel Dixon (317-357-1200) or Diane Lee (317-357-1459).

Nativity Catholic School prides itself on having teachers who are professional, knowledgeable, and caring individuals who focus on meeting the needs of each individual child. Each year, the faculty of the school spends numerous hours and uses all resources available, including student learning styles, interpersonal relationships, social dynamics, role modeling, and balance of gender, to determine the mix of students in a class that will allow the highest rate of success for all.

Because we are confident of this process and the wisdom of our teaching staff, we believe that requests for specific teachers and/or classmates would potentially create imbalances that would adversely affect the educational environment. Thank you for understanding and allowing the staff at Nativity Catholic School to provide the best educational setting available for your child!

There are priorities listed in our school admissions policy giving enrollment priority to currently enrolled families. *Current school families should return this form no later than **Friday, February 4th** to guarantee enrollment for next year.*

Please enroll the following children in grades K-8 for 2022-23. Use the grade the child will be in next year.

<u>Family Name</u>	<u>Child's Name</u>	<u>Grade for 2022-2023</u>
_____	_____	_____
	_____	_____
	_____	_____

Primary Tuition Contact \_\_\_\_\_ Email \_\_\_\_\_

Tuition Payment Plan ☐ 1 payment in full, due July 1

☐ 2 payments, July & Jan—FACTS

☐ 10 monthly payments—July-April FACTS

Parishioner: ☐ Yes ☐ No

In order to qualify for the parishioner tuition rate, a family must be an active participating parishioner.

# **Nativity Catholic School**

## **Fundraising Background, Rationale, & Policy**

### **Background & Rationale**

Nativity Church is firmly committed to the value of Catholic education as it is offered through Nativity Catholic School. As a parish community, we view our school as an important ministry through which we share our Catholic faith with our families and their children.

The cost of providing a quality Catholic education is an ever-increasing reality. Because of the great value that is associated with our Catholic school, the cost is a shared responsibility between our parish (subsidy) and school parents (tuition). Each year the parish invests over \$200,000 in our students. The sacrifice that is made by our parish community and school families is extraordinary, but it is a sacrifice that is very worthwhile because of the many blessings which are received through Nativity Catholic School.

To keep tuition at an affordable level, fundraising is a necessary component of the overall financial structure of our school. As a member of our school community, each school family is expected to support the major fundraising effort that is offered each year to support Nativity Catholic School.

### **Policy**

- For the 2022-2023 school year, the per family fundraising support will be \$150.
- Each school family will have the opportunity of reaching the \$150 goal by obtaining donations toward the annual Walk-a-thon.
- A family may “opt-out” of obtaining donations by contributing \$150 to Nativity Catholic School.
- The total of donations under the goal of \$150 will be counted as a family’s fundraising balance.
- A family’s fundraising balance must be paid to Nativity School or it will be added to the family’s registration fee for the following school year.
- The fundraising balance for families of an 8<sup>th</sup> grade student must be paid prior to graduation for the student to participate in the graduation ceremony.



## TUITION ACCOUNT INFORMATION

FACTS is the tuition management company that Nativity Catholic School uses for tuition payment collection.

If you are paying the full tuition by July 1<sup>st</sup>, you are not required to enroll in FACTS but must notify Daniel Dixon (ddixon@nativityindy.org) or Diane Lee (dlee@nativityindy.org) by sending an e-mail.

Families new to Nativity Catholic School need to follow the link below and enter the following data: name, address, account information, payment date, etc. The tuition amount will be entered by Daniel Dixon and

Diane Lee after the account is set up. Please return back to your account a day or so after setting it up to review the tuition amount.

In June, the \$45 annual fee from FACTS will be withdrawn. An e-mail will notify you of the pending withdrawal. The ten monthly tuition payments will begin in July (on the date you choose – the 5<sup>th</sup> or the 20<sup>th</sup>) and run through April.

For two payments, a \$10 annual fee will be withdrawn in June. The first payment will be withdrawn in July and the second payment will be withdrawn in January. An e-mail will notify you of the pending withdrawal.

Additionally, FACTS offers an optional service called *Peace of Mind*. To learn more information about this program, please visit the FACTS website.

The FACTS link is: <https://online.factsmgt.com/signin/3CW34>

Phone # 1-866-441-4637

Nativity School Calendar  
2022-2023

August 3, 4, 5	Professional Days
August 8	First Day of School for Students
August 12	No School (Augustravangza)
September 5	Labor Day - no school
October 10 - 14	Fall Break
November 23 - 25	Thanksgiving Break
December 22 - January 4	Christmas Break
January 16	MLK Day - no school
February 20	Presidents' Day - no school
March 27 - March 31	Spring Break
April 10	Easter Monday - no school
May 24	Last day of school