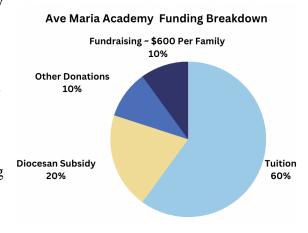


Dear Ave Maria Academy Families,

With our 2023-2024 school year approaching, we are excited to introduce a new fundraising model to our

school. Beginning in the upcoming year, we are adopting a Family Share fundraising program for our families of Ave Maria Academy.

The budget for our school year is broken down into funding based on tuition, regional diocesan subsidy, donations and fundraising directly from our school community. This operating budget is critical to the success of our school in order to meet the needs of all our students. Every regional school holds their own fundraising responsibility, and it is based on 10% of our entire operating budget.



We rely on our families to support the mission of the school through fundraising. Family Share within our fundraising goal will not only allow us to identify a strong purpose in fundraising, but also meet the **total school goal of \$360,000**. Ave Maria Academy will meet the needs of our school together.

In order to meet our school goal and foster growth for our entire school community, it is our hope and expectation for the upcoming school year that each K-8 family will raise \$600.00, each Pre-Kindergarten Full Day family will raise \$500, each 4 yr. old Preschool family will raise \$200, and 3 yr. old family will raise \$150 through our fundraisers. These goals can be achieved by ongoing participation in our AMA fundraisers which will be tracked across the school yearEach of our existing fundraisers will serve as an avenue to raise this amount which include; AMA Night at the Races, Dance-A-Thon, Spring and Fall Flower Sales, Sarris Candy Orders, Royals Ball Gala and Auction, Shamrock Shuffle, and annual Golf Outing.

We encourage families to Find Your Fit by filling out the form here: https://forms.gle/3jiTFAs6Ao5TMbKp6

Ave Maria Academy continues to be a place that fosters Catholic Values and Academic Excellence; where our entire community builds a path for that success. We are looking forward to another amazing school year!

Principals
Leslie Krueger and Lynne Lynch