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Consortium Families,

Our board has approved the tuition rates for the 2020-2021 school year. In considering tuition rates for this year, we conducted a study of tuition rates across the Archdiocese; the rates we studied were those reported for the 2019-2020 school year; Twelve schools shared their rates with us; of those, seven were East of Interstate 680. We learned that our single student rates are at a level that is consistent with the schools in our study. Therefore, we are only making a minimal increase of \$84 for single student tuition this year.

Our rates for multiple students are significantly below the schools in our study. The average tuition collected for two students is \$6,213 (those E of 680 averaged \$5868); our rate was \$4996. The average rate for three students in our study was \$8623 (those E of 680 averaged \$7868); we charged \$6411. The study rate for four students was 10,112(those E of 680 were \$8612); the OCSC rate was \$7191. There were only four schools west of 680 that reported a rate for 5 students, and the average was \$11,740; our rate was \$7861.

It is our intent to make gradual increases to our multi-child rates over the next few years so that it isn't as much of a burden to our families. The attached tuition rate table will show the approved tuition rates for the 2020-2021 school year. Preschool and PreK rates were increased at approximately 5% and are included on the tuition rate table.

As a reminder, financial aid is available for all families. We require that all families first apply for Children's Scholarship Fund, if your income falls within their guidelines. Many of our parishes also provide financial aid to families who are active parishioners. The dates for these vary, so please reach out to your school of preference, or watch the school newsletter for details on aid.

We are proud to partner with you in the education of your child(ren). We know you have many schools to choose from and we are honored to partner with you.

In Service to You,

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