



Shrine of St. Anne
Christ, Knowledge, Tradition

Shrine of St. Anne Catholic School

INFORMATION PACKET

FOR 2025-2026

MISSION STATEMENT

The Shrine of St. Anne School is a Catholic community rooted in Christ, in Knowledge, and in Tradition. Under the patronage of St. Anne, we strive to educate the whole child spiritually, academically, physically, and socially.

CORE BELIEFS

We believe that all children embody Jesus Christ, our savior and are gifts from god. We believe that all children are learners. We believe that through a faith-filled community, core instructional practices, and a structured environment, we can help every child who walks through our doors make great progress towards, meet, or exceed their potential

GENERAL INFORMATION

The application for admission to the Shrine of St. Anne School indicates membership in an authentic Roman Catholic community. This includes ongoing participation in at least Sunday liturgy, and regular support of the parish and school in time and resources, to the best ability of parents. (Non – Catholics applying for admission must indicate that they will adhere to the mission of membership in the faith community.)

NEW STUDENT ADMISSION POLICIES

According to Archdiocesan Policy #2000: “All Catholic preschools, elementary schools and Archdiocesan high schools are open to students who sincerely seek a Catholic education and meet the requirements listed below. Because every Catholic child has a right to religious instruction and formation in the Catholic faith, preference is given to Catholic students.

- A. No person shall be admitted as a student in any Catholic school unless that person and his/her parent(s) subscribe to the school’s philosophy and agree to abide by the educational policies and regulations of the school and the Archdiocese. Whether Catholic or non-Catholic, the student must agree to attend religious classes and the religious activities conducted in the school.
- B. No student shall be admitted to any Catholic school unless s/he is deemed to have reasonable hope of successfully completing that school’s program. In doubtful cases, students may be admitted on a probationary basis with dates and criteria of evaluation clearly established in writing.
- C. Students shall not be denied admission to an Archdiocesan school because of a

disability unless this disability seriously impairs the student's ability to complete successfully the school's academic accommodation for the disabled child."

NEW STUDENT ADMISSION PROCEDURE

Step 1: Completion of application form with the accompanying documentation:

Kindergarten:

- A copy of the child's birth certificate. According to Archdiocesan Policy, incoming Kindergartners must be 5 years old by October 1, 2025.

Grade 1:

- A copy of the child's birth certificate. According to Archdiocesan Policy, incoming First Graders must be 6 by October 1, 2025.

A copy of the child's most recent Kindergarten assessment/report card from this school year.

Grades 2-8:

- A copy of the child's most current report card for this school year.
- A copy of the child's report card from last school year.
- A copy of the child's most recent standardized achievement test scores (May not be available for Grade 2).

Step 2: Evaluation of Incoming Students:

Kindergarten:

Children will have an individual, informal assessment time with his/her Kindergarten teacher the last week of May. For summer registrations, this testing will be done in August (prior to the start of the school year).

Grades 1-5

There will be a three week evaluation period for all new incoming students in 1st -3rd grades. After the three week period, the teachers will confer with the Principal. If there are concerns regarding academics, behavior, or other factors, parents will be contacted to schedule a meeting.

Grades 6-8:

- The new incoming student will have an admissions interview with the principal.
- If the student has a satisfactory interview, there will be a three week evaluation period. After the three week period, the teachers will confer with the Principal who will then contact the parents.

NOTES:

- Ordinarily, no new student transfers are accepted for Grades 7 & 8, except under special circumstances.
- No new admissions in any grade will be accepted for the third grading period except in a special circumstance as determined by the Principal.
- Any new 8th grader accepted will be accepted on a probationary status. The middle school team and school administration will determine if the student will be taken off probationary status at the time of the Fall Conferences.

Curriculum Guidelines:

The primary goal of the program of instruction in the schools of the Archdiocese of Denver is to provide learning experiences which most effectively inculcate worthwhile attitudes and impart the knowledge and skills necessary for the spiritual, intellectual, emotional and physical development of the student.

The Office of Catholic Schools provides courses of study/curriculum guides for mandatory use in all Archdiocesan and Parish Catholic schools.

Curriculum evaluation committees consisting of teachers, principals and/or other curriculum experts are charged with the responsibility of assisting the Associate Superintendent in reviewing, revising and developing

implementation for individual subject areas of the curriculum. Changes to curriculum areas are made according to a set subject rotation, as determined by the Associate Superintendent for Curriculum and Staff Development with the approval of the Superintendent.

Elementary School Course of Instruction

The basic program in kindergarten through grade three shall include catechesis, language arts, mathematics, music, art and physical education. Concepts of social studies, science, health, and safety should be incorporated into the basic program. Use of technology should be integrated into the instructional program. Inclusion of foreign language is recommended but optional.

The basic program in grades four through eight shall include catechesis/theology, mathematics, language arts, history, science, physical education, health, and safety. Use of technology should be integrated into the instructional program. Inclusion of foreign language is recommended but optional. Shrine of St. Anne offers technology and spanish to students in K-8.

THANK YOU FOR CHOOSING THE SHRINE OF ST. ANNE SCHOOL! TUITION AND REGISTRATION INFORMATION FOR THE 2025-2026 SCHOOL YEAR.

- COMPLETE YOUR TUITION CONTRACT.
- PAY THE \$300 REGISTRATION FEE WHEN YOU SUBMIT YOUR ENROLLMENT PACKET ON FACTS.
- PAY THE \$60 PTO FEE. THIS WILL BE CHARGED TO YOUR FINANCIAL ACCOUNT ON FACTS IN JULY.
- IF YOU CHOOSE THE 10 MONTH PAYMENT PLAN, THE TUITION IS MADE BY AUTOMATIC WITHDRAWAL FROM YOUR BANKING INSTITUTION. THIS WILL BE SET UP WHEN YOU ENROLL ON FACTS.
- **TUITION: ANY DISCOUNTS WILL BE FORFEITED IF PAYMENTS ARE NOT RECEIVED ON THE DATE THEY ARE DUE PER CONTRACT. I.E., \$100 DISCOUNT FOR EACH STUDENT WHEN TUITION IS PAID IN FULL. \$50 DISCOUNT OR EACH STUDENT WHEN TUITION IS PAID IN TWO EQUAL PAYMENTS.**
- SHRINE OF ST. ANNE PARISH AFFILIATION FORM FOR STUDENTS ENTERING KINDERGARTEN THROUGH 8TH GRADE. THOSE FAMILIES WHO ARE MEMBERS OF SHRINE OF ST. ANNE PARISH NEED TO HAVE A COMPLETED FORM TO THE PARISH OFFICE. UPON APPROVAL YOU WILL QUALIFY FOR THE AFFILIATED RATE.
- OUT-OF-PARISH AFFILIATION FORM FOR STUDENTS ENTERING KINDERGARTEN THROUGH 8TH GRADE. THOSE FAMILIES WHO ARE MEMBERS OF ANOTHER CATHOLIC PARISH NEED TO HAVE COMPLETED AND SUBMITTED THIS FORM TO THE SCHOOL OFFICE. UPON APPROVAL YOU WILL QUALIFY FOR THE AFFILIATED RATE.
- PARISH AFFILIATED FAMILIES ARE ELIGIBLE FOR FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE. GENERAL GUIDELINES INCLUDE GIVING OF TIME, TALENT AND TREASURE. WITH PARISH AFFILIATION, FAMILIES MAY APPLY FOR TUITION ASSISTANCE THROUGH FINANCIAL AID INDEPENDENT REVIEW (VARIABLE TUITION).

** The tuition for 2025-2026 will come out in January.

TUITION FOR THE 2024-2025 SCHOOL YEAR

FOR FULLY AFFILIATED FAMILIES GRADES K-8

- First Child.....\$6370
- Second Child.....\$5840
- Third Child.....\$5480
- Fourth Child.....\$3160

FOR NON-AFFILIATED FAMILIES GRADES K-8

- First Child.....\$7580
- Second Child.....\$6920
- Third Child.....\$6665
- Fourth Child.....\$5535



The Archdiocese of Denver's Catholic Schools are an investment in the future of our children and our Catholic faith.