



Daily Schedule and Tuition Scale

Grades 1 – 8

- **Daily Schedule**

8:00 a.m.	Yard supervision begins
8:13 a.m.	Morning assembly with prayer, announcement and flag salute
10:20 – 10:35 a.m.	Primary recess grades 1-3
10:40 – 10:55 a.m.	Recess for the upper grades
12:30 – 1:00 p.m.	Lunch and recess
3:00 p.m./ 2:30 p.m.	Dismissal (Wednesday, 2:30 p.m. dismissal)

- **Minimum Day Schedule**

8:13 a.m. – 12:30 p.m.

Kindergarten:

- **Monday, Tuesday, Thursday and Friday**

8:13 – 11:15 a.m.	Morning Session
11:55 a.m. – 3:00 p.m.	Afternoon Session

- **Wednesday**

8:13 – 11:15 a.m.	Morning Session
11:30 a.m. – 2:00 p.m.	Afternoon Session

- **Minimum Day**

8:13 – 10:55 a.m.	Morning Session (includes all-school “Family Groups”)
10:00 a.m. – 12:30 p.m.	Afternoon Session (includes all-school “Family Groups”)

The separation into morning and afternoon kindergarten sections allows for a remarkably low teacher-student ratio of 6:1 to 4:1 for instructional purposes. The kindergarten schedule on 12:30 Wednesdays allows for participation in the “Family Groups” activities by all students. Field trips are taken as a full class as well.

Pre-K Program:

- **Daily Schedule**

8:00 – 9:00 a.m.	Pre-K is open for student arrival and free play
9:00 a.m. – 12:00 p.m.	Pre-K Curricular program
12:00 – 3:00	Optional structured activity afternoon session

The Pre-K program features a warm, fun, and energetic atmosphere that links seamlessly with our Kindergarten program. Students will learn and play together within a comprehensive curriculum that includes concepts of language arts, math, science, and creative arts. Each day, students will have the opportunity to build relationships, practice self-discipline, and develop both large and small motor skills, all within a strong, cheerful, faith-based school “family.”

Tuition Scale for 2011-2012 School Year

Note: The current-year rates are provided as a reference point. Tuition typically increases a few percentage points each year in response to Diocesan salary and insurance scales, and to strategic program and facility development on campus. The 2012-2013 Scale will be communicated in April, 2012.

Application Fee:

Each application must be accompanied by a non-refundable fee, in the form of a check, made payable to St. Lucy Parish School in the amount of \$45.00.

Student Fee:

There is an annual fee of \$415.00 per Pre-K and Kindergarten student, and \$490 per student in grades 1-8. This fee is separate from the annual tuition and includes: curriculum costs, textbooks, technology updates, diocesan administrative charges, testing program costs, student accident insurance, SchoolSpeak online communication and grading program renewals, and the Catholic Telemedia Network fee.

Pre-K Annual Tuition Rates:

8:00 – 12:00 regular program	\$5400
12:00 – 3:00 extended program option	\$2700

K-8 Annual Tuition Rates:

<u>In Parish</u>		<u>Inactive or Out of Parish</u>	
1 child	\$5,880	1 child	\$6,391
2 children	\$10,586 (\$4,924/child)	2 children	\$11,505 (\$5,351/child)
3 children	\$14,704 (\$4,560/child)	3 children	\$15,978 (\$4,955/child)
4 children	\$16,964 (\$4,241/child)	4 children	\$19,809 (\$4,607/child)
5 children	\$18,236 (\$4,048/child)		

Families with children who are not Catholic: \$8,166 per child

The tuition is structured to acknowledge those families who are registered in St. Lucy Parish, contributing to its financial support and taking part in parish life, as well as those families who are registered and active in another Catholic parish. St. Lucy Parish families who contribute to the parish are supporting parish ministries, of which the school is one, and thus their tuition reflects this practical financial reality.

Scrip:

Scrip is a type of gift certificate that is purchased in advance and used like cash at participating merchants. St. Lucy purchases Scrip at a discounted rate and sells it at full face value, retaining the discount amount as the fundraising income. It is a simple way to raise money for the school while purchasing everyday items like food, clothing, and other essentials without an added expense.

The Scrip commitment for the 2010/2011 school year is \$3500.00 per family or \$1750.00 for single parent households. Of this amount, \$1000 (\$500 for single parents) must be “paper Scrip.”

Tuition Assistance for Pre-K – 8th Grade:

In 1991, St. Lucy Parish established a tuition assistance fund for school families. The Diocese of San Jose has a scholarship fund for Catholic elementary students as well. St. Lucy Parish families may apply for a scholarship each spring through the PSAS student aid plan. Applications are available through the school office beginning on January 3, 2012. A 2011 completed tax return and all supporting documentation is required for the application to be considered. The deadline for the 2012-2013 school year is January 13, 2012. The pastor and principal coordinate this program. All communications remain confidential.

Families who are new to the school for the 2012-2013 school year may apply for the BASIC Fund, a privately funded multi-year scholarship administered in San Francisco. To obtain a 2012-2013 application, go to www.basicfund.org starting in December of 2011.