



2012-2013

REGISTRATION REQUIREMENTS FOR STUDENTS IN PRE-K 3, PRE-K 4 (VPK), KINDERGARTEN and GRADES 1-8:

Pre-K 3 – child must be 3 years of age on or before September 1, 2012.

Pre-K 4 (VPK) – child must be 4 years of age before September 1, 2012.

Kindergarten - child must be 5 years of age on or before September 1, 2012.

For all students:

- Complete Student Registration Form.
- Provide copies of birth and baptismal certificates.
- Provide copies of yearly report cards including present school year's report card, plus yearly standardized test scores (Grades 1-8).
- **Florida Certificate of Immunization (Form 680)** – Florida Statute 232.032 requires a Florida Certificate of Immunization of all new students before entering school. This certificate may be obtained from a private doctor or the Lee County Health Department (239-332-9601). The Religious Exemption must be obtained from the Health Department.
- **School Entry Health Exam (Form 3040)** – Florida Statutes 232.0315 requires a school entry health examination upon initial entrance to a Florida school completed within one (1) year prior to enrollment.
- *Registration fee* is due when you receive the school's letter of acceptance for your child.
- *Proof of primary residential responsibility* if student does not live with both parents (legal court document).
- *Parish-affiliated Catholic families* are registered members of a local parish who attend Mass and use the weekly church offering envelopes.

ADDITIONAL REQUIREMENTS FOR TRANSFERRING STUDENTS WITHIN THE STATE OF FLORIDA (outside of Lee County) and OUT-OF-STATE STUDENTS (Pre-K 4 through Grade 8):

- If your family is Catholic, please ask the pastor of your present parish for a letter of recommendation (outside of Lee County).

- If your children are presently in a Catholic school, please ask your school principal for a family recommendation.
- Once you have received St. Francis' letter of acceptance for your child, the following are required by Florida law:
 - (1) Florida Certificate of Immunization (Form 680) – Florida Statute 232.032 requires a Florida Certificate of Immunization of all new students before entering school. These certificates may be obtained from a private doctor or the Lee County Health Department (239-332-9601). These records may be obtained from your previous school (within the State of Florida).
 - (2) School Entry Health Exam (Form 3040) – Florida Statute 232.0315 requires a school entry health examination upon initial entrance to a Florida school completed within one (1) year prior to enrollment. These records may be obtained from your previous school (within the State of Florida).

Students in Grades Pre-K through Grade 8 who are making their initial entry into a Florida school from another state must present a record of a physical examination completed within the past 12 months. A Florida school entry form 3040 is preferred. For students transferring to a Florida school a comparable form from another state would be acceptable if completed within 1 year of enrollment.

In addition to these routine requirements for Grades K through 8:

- Four or five doses (age appropriate) of diphtheria, tetanus and pertussis vaccine
- Three or four or more doses (age appropriate) of polio vaccine (final dose of polio (IPV) must be administered at age 4 or greater.
- Two doses of measles, mumps and rubella vaccine (MMR)
- Three doses of Hepatitis B vaccine

The following will be required:

ADDITIONAL IMMUNIZATION REQUIREMENTS FOR 2012-2013:

- All students in Kindergarten must have the final dose of Polio administered at 4 years of age or older
- All students in Preschool and Grades 5 thru 8 are required to have 1 dose of varicella vaccine or documented proof of varicella (chicken pox) disease.
- All students in Kindergarten through Grade 4 are required to have 2 doses of varicella vaccine or proof of varicella disease.
- All students entering Grades 7 and 8 need proof of a tetanus-diphtheria-pertussis (Tdap) vaccine.

SFX 2012-2013 SCHOOL YEAR TUITION (per student)

Registration Fee: \$350.00

Parish-affiliated Catholic families registered in a local parish:

- Kindergarten through Grade 8 - \$5,900
- Voluntary Pre-K 4 (VPK)*
 - 5 full days/week \$5,900
 - 5 days/AM only \$3,715
- Pre-K 3
 - 5 full days/week \$5,900
 - 3 full days/week \$3,715
 - 5 days/AM only \$3,715

Non-Catholic families or Non-Affiliated Catholic families:

- Kindergarten through Grade 8 - \$6,900
- Voluntary Pre-K 4 (VPK)*
 - 5 full days/week \$6,900
 - 5 days/AM only \$4,715
- Pre-K 3
 - 5 full days/week \$6,900
 - 3 full days/week \$4,715
 - 5 days/AM only \$4,715

*If a Florida Voluntary Pre-K Eligibility and Enrollment Certificate is granted, that amount will be subtracted from the total amount owed. The child must be 4 years of age, but not yet 5, before September 1, 2012, to qualify for the voucher.

Need-based tuition assistance may be available for Catholic families through their parish. Applications for assistance must be made through the FACTS Grant and Aid Assessment Program. Applications are available in the school office or may be made online at www.factstuitionaid.com.