Catholic School Facts*
2021 - 2022

Catholic schools provided over $2.18 million of financial aid to over 780 families across the Diocese.

6,607 students PK-12 in 45 Catholic schools
One new school, Divine Mercy Academy, opened this year.
99.8% of students in our Catholic high schools graduate, and 95% of those graduates go on to college.
22% of teachers hold a master’s degree or higher.
Average student/teacher ratio: Elementary schools….. 11:1
                           High schools………………12:1
21% of all students are non-Catholic.

TUITION FACTS – WHAT A BARGAIN!
Avg. parish school tuition for non-parishioners......$ 3,611
Avg. parish school tuition for parishioners.............$ 2,874
This is 58% below the avg. cost per student of ..... $ 6,915

IMPACT ON WISCONSIN TAXPAYERS 2019-2020
Avg. cost per public school student (DPI)....$14, 259
Avg. cost per Catholic school student.........$  7,238
Savings for Wisconsin Taxpayers .................$45.9 million

INCREASING DIVERSITY AMONG STUDENTS
Students of color comprise over 15% of total enrollment. Below are schools with the highest percentage of minority students.

Our Lady of the Assumption, Beloit: 63%
Nativity of Mary, Janesville: 47%
St. James School, Madison: 42%
Holy Family, Waterloo: 37%
St. Dennis, Madison: 30%
Holy Rosary, Darlington 26%
Edgewood Campus, Madison: 26%
Immaculate Heart, Monona: 22%
Watertown Catholic: 22%
Edgewood High School, Madison: 21%
St. John the Baptist, Waunakee: 21%

ENROLLMENT NUMBERS
All Catholic Schools: 6,607*
Edgewood High School: 527

Largest Elementary
Our Lady Queen of Peace: 481

Smallest Elementary
St. Charles Borromeo, Cassville: 8

*Statistics do not include data from Divine Mercy Academy, Oak Lawn Academy or Shoreless Lake School.