



What is the Annual Fund?

Our Annual Fund is the most important fundraiser at Nouvel. No student at Nouvel is asked to pay the full cost of education. How is this possible? Tuition makes up about 44% of the cost to educate and our participating parishes and generous donors help close the gap. A strong Annual Fund helps us keep tuition costs down making Catholic education a reality for more people.

What does the Annual Fund pay for?

Think of it this way, your household income pays for mortgage/rent, utilities, groceries and other basic household expenses. Sometimes, you make large purchases like updated appliances, furniture or technology for your home. You may even want to add onto the original building itself.

- Tuition, Parish Contribution and the Annual Fund are Nouvel's household income.
- Fundraising Events help pay for the extra things on our wish lists or goals.
- A capital campaign is a separate fund that goes toward campus expansion/renovation.

Specifically, your gift to the Annual Fund:

- Enables Nouvel to recruit and retain the highest caliber of teachers who serve as role models for our students, as well as new student recruitment with transfer grant availability;
- Contributes to the cutting-edge technology, newly wired computer lab, iPads and computer cart and others state-of-the-art learning tools used in the classroom;
- Provides upkeep and maintenance of our campus including a new boiler system in the elementary, refinishing both gymnasium floors, system-wide new copiers and phone systems;
- Instills in students a deep awareness of God's presence in their lives through a dynamic religion program;
- Offers students the opportunity to uncover hidden talents through our fine arts offerings

Why should I contribute to the Annual Fund?

We always aim for 100% parent, faculty/staff and student participation. High participation is an example of the stakeholders supporting the mission of Nouvel. It also greatly influences outside income sources when we apply for grants.



How much should I contribute to the Annual Fund?

All gifts, great and small, make a difference. Nouvel truly appreciates every gift received, no matter the size.

How can I make the most of my Annual Fund gift?

Does your employer have a matching gift program? If so, that is an easy way to potentially double the size of your gift. Please contact your company's HR department or our office to see if a matching gift is a possibility.

Is the Annual Fund different from the other fundraisers at Nouvel?

Yes. We are very lucky to have an active school community, including our Home and School Committee and robust Athletic Associations. The funds raised by Home and School events provide extra programs, services and events not covered by the Annual Fund. Only Annual Fund gifts go towards unrestricted operating expenses, tuition assistance, building improvements and faculty compensation.