



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
10:40 – 10:55 a.m.	Recess
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”)

Note – 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.

Tuition Scale for 2009-2010 School Year

Note: The current-year rates are provided as a reference point. Tuition typically increases a few percentage points each year. In the past four years, it increased between 2-5% each year. The 2010-2011 Scale will be communicated in late April, 2010.

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 \$43.00.

Student Fee:

There is a \$400.00 student fee per student per year. This fee is in addition to the annual tuition and includes: curriculum costs, textbooks, technology updates, diocesan administrative charges, testing program costs, student accident insurance, and the Catholic Telemedia Network fee.

Annual Tuition Rates:

<u>In Parish</u>		<u>Inactive or Out of Parish</u>	
1 child	\$5,470	1 child	\$5,945
2 children	\$9,847 (\$4,924/child)	2 children	\$10,702 (\$5,351/child)
3 children	\$13,678 (\$4,560/child)	3 children	\$14,863 (\$4,955/child)
4 children	\$16,964 (\$4,241/child)	4 children	\$18,427 (\$4,607/child)
5 children	\$20,240 (\$4,048/child)		

Families with children who are not Catholic: \$7,596 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.

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 2009/2010 school year is \$3500.00 per family or \$1750.00 for single parent families. Of this amount, \$1000 (\$500 for single parents) must be “paper Scrip.”

Tuition Assistance:

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 in January. A 2009 completed tax return and all supporting documentation is required for the application to be considered. The deadline for the 2010-2011 school year is February 8, 2010. The pastor and principal coordinate this program. All communications remain confidential.