

Tuition Assistance & Scholarships FAQ



Financial Aid and Scholarship Informational Meeting

Wednesday, January 20, 2027 at 6:00 p.m.

Cathedral Prep, Student Life Center

250 W. 10th St. Erie, PA 16501

If you cannot attend this meeting, a recording will be posted on our website. In addition, a short video on how to apply for Cathedral Prep financial aid through FACTS is currently posted on our website to help you with that application process.

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Q: How much is available in tuition assistance & scholarships, and how do I apply?

A: \$2.5 million in tuition assistance and scholarships was awarded for the 2026-2027 school year. Applications for tuition assistance are available online after January 1, 2027, and are due March 1, 2027. Applications received AFTER March 1 will not be considered for tuition assistance awards. Each application must include Federal tax returns for both parents.

Q: When are tuition assistance applicants notified of awards?

A: Award letters to accepted students will be emailed in early April.

Q: Are there other sources of financial aid?

A: Other sources of financial aid include Junior Achievement, Hispanic scholarship (St. Stephen's Parish), Knights of Columbus, local parishes, and other community organizations.

Q: Are there any tuition discounts?

A: Tuition discounts are available for children of Prep and Villa alumni, siblings of current students, Early Admission, students of coaches, and international student host families.

Q: When is tuition due?

A: Tuition invoices are mailed in late May, and payment plans must be finalized by June 23. See payment options below.

Q: What payment options are available?

A: Cathedral Prep offers three payment plans through FACTS: pay in full, pay by semester (includes a \$25 fee), or monthly payments (includes a \$55 fee). Details regarding these options will be emailed with the tuition invoices in late May.

Q: Are there additional fees besides tuition on the annual bill?

A: If your child chooses to participate in one sport, there is a \$230 fee. If your child participates in two sports, the total fee is \$260. A student participating in three sports will be charged a \$280 fee. All other fees are included in the tuition. Each year, the Board of Directors will determine the fees for the following year.