

Welcome

Thank you for considering St. Thomas the Apostle Catholic School for your child's education. We are honored that you have chosen to visit us. Our mission at St. Thomas the Apostle Catholic School is to foster a community of life-long learners, led by the Faith of the Roman Catholic Church, through a transdisciplinary-approach to learning, initiated by inquiry in which the students will think globally and display acts of compassion through service.

St. Thomas the Apostle Catholic School is proud to share our beautiful learning environment with you. Today you will be given a guided tour of the school while classes are in session. This will provide you with the opportunity to have a glimpse of the wide spectrum of learning programs that are available.

Our curriculum is set forth by the Archdiocese of Miami Department of Schools and is implemented in a challenging and motivational manner in the attainment of level goals. The school is fully accredited by the State of Florida and the Florida Catholic Conference.

Attached for your convenience is the Schedule of Tuition and Fees for a New Parishioner and Schedule of Tuition and Fees for Active Parishioners. Please feel free to contact us for further information at the School Office 305-661-8591. For additional information, we invite you to visit our website at <u>www.stamiami.org</u>. Thank you once again for your interest in St. Thomas the Apostle Catholic School and May God Bless you.

In Christ,

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Mrs. Lisa M. Figueredo '89 Principal

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Dear Parents,

The fundamental goal of religious education at St. Thomas the Apostle is to instill in your child the personal love God has for him or her. We arrive at this goal through study, prayer, sacraments, and service. A sacrament is a sacred sign and cause of grace instituted by Christ in the Church to continue the saving action of God through the Holy Spirit. The sacraments will be a part of your child's spiritual formation.

In the event your child has not completed his or her sacraments of initiation (Baptism, First Holy Communion, Confirmation) we will assist you with religious formation so that we can facilitate the inception of the sacraments. This will be done through their daily religion classes and, if necessary, additional classes. Generally, First Holy Communion is received in the 2nd Grade and Confirmation is received in the 7th Grade.

Thank you for considering St. Thomas the Apostle Catholic School for the spiritual formation of your child. I look forward to working with you as we nurture in our students a sincere faith and love for Jesus and his teachings.

In Christ,

Mrs. Jania Dongel

Mrs. Tania Gonzalez Director of Religious Education

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Commitment Letter

School Year 2019 - 2020

I am fully aware of the following commitments as a parent of a student(s) of St. Thomas the Apostle Catholic School:

- 1. My family will attend weekly Sunday Mass.
- We will contribute twenty hours of volunteer service for school events, two of which are at the festival.
- 3. We understand that all families are required to use the FACTS payment system for Tuition, Development Fund, and Incidentals. I will follow the payment guidelines and all regulations provided by FACTS, for example, regards to late payments and NSF.
- 4. We are aware that all financial responsibilities must be current before any report cards, Edline or other school records are released.
- 5. We are aware that all students new to St. Thomas the Apostle School in any grade level will be considered probationary for the first ninety school days.
- 6. Families that have been Active Parishioners at St. Thomas the Apostle Catholic Church for at least 24 months prior to enrollment at St. Thomas the Apostle Catholic School will pay the Active Family Tuition rates and fees. An "Active Parishioner" is a family that is registered at St. Thomas the Apostle and meets the established Mass attendance requirements for the previous 24 month period.
- 7. Families that are New Parishioners for the 24 month period prior to enrollment will pay the New Parishioner Tuition rates and fees for the first academic year.

Family Name	Parish Family Number
Student/s Names	
Entering Grade/s for the school term of 2019 – 2020	
Parent's Signature	Date

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New Families

Pre-Application: \$150.00 per child.

Contract Fees due upon acceptance.

New Family Registration Fee	950.00	Per Family
Raffle Ticket	215.00	Per Family
Materials / Book/Insurance/Supplies for PK3 to 8 th Grade	990.00	Per Child
Materials / Book/Insurance/Supplies for PK2	325.00	

Rates from PK3 to 8th

	1 st Child	2 nd Child	3 rd Child	4 th Child	5 th Child
Family Discount on Tuition	0%	15%	25%	25%	30%
Tuition	9,289.00	7,895.65	7,431.20	6,966.75	6,502.30
Student Fees	1,600.00	1,600.00	1,600.00	1,600.00	1,600.00
Family Fees	1,700.00				
Lunch Included					
	Per 1 Child	Per 2 Children	Per 3 Children	Per 4 Children	Per 5 Children
Total:	\$12,589.00	\$22,084.65	\$31,115.85	\$39,682.60	\$47,784.90

Rate for PK2

Tuition	9,289.00
Student Fees	1,000.00
Family Fees	1,700.00
Lunch Included	
Total:	\$11,989.00

Kinder Graduation Fee: \$125.00

8th Grade Graduation Fee: \$300.00

Fees are nonrefundable

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Returning Families

Registration Fee / Letter of Intent: \$625.00 per family, due on **November 19th, 2018**.

Contract Fees due March 5th, 2019.

Raffle Ticket	\$215.00	Per Family
Materials / Book/Insurance/Supplies for PK3 to 8 th Grade	\$990.00	Per Child
Materials / Book/Insurance/Supplies for PK2	\$325.00	

Rates from PK3 to 8th

	1 st Child	2 nd Child	3 rd Child	4 th Child	5 th Child
Family Discount on Tuition	0%	15%	25%	25%	30%
Tuition	7,945.00	6,753.25	6,356.00	5,958.75	5,561.50
Student Fees	1,600.00	1,600.00	1,600.00	1,600.00	1,600.00
Family Fees	1,700.00				
Lunch Included					
	Per 1 Child	Per 2 Children	Per 3 Children	Per 4 Children	Per 5 Children
Total:	\$11,245.00	\$19,598.25	\$27,554.25	\$35,113.00	\$42,274.50

Rate for PK2

Tuition	7,945.0
Student Fees	1,000.00
Family Fees	1,700.00
Lunch Included	
Total:	\$10,645.00

Kinder Graduation Fee: \$125.00

8th Grade Graduation Fee: \$300.00

Fees are nonrefundable

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Attach 4x6 Family Picture Here

Application Due Date – 11/16/18

(Screening /Testing fee of \$150.00 payable to: St. Thomas the Apostle Catholic School is due with the Application)

Date							Enterin	g Grade _	
Student Information			PLEA	SE PRINT	OR TYPE				
Student Last Name	First		Middle		Month,	/Day/Year of Birth	Place	of Birth	
Student Street Address	City		Zip Code		Studen	t Home Phone	Stude	ent Religio	n
Family Information									
Father's /Guardian's Last	Name Firs	st	Middle	N	/lother's	/ Guardian's Last Na	me F	First	Middle
Father's /Guardian's Stre	et Address	City	Zip Code	N	/lother's ,	/ Guardian's Street /	Address	City	Zip Code
Father's /Guardian's Plac	e of Birth	Reli	gion	_ 	Mother's	/ Guardian's Place c	of Birth	Religio	 on
Father's / Guardian's Occ	upation	Wor	k Phone		Mother's	/ Guardian's Occupa	ation	Work	Phone
Father's / Guardian's E-m	ail	Cell	Phone	-	Mother's	/ Guardian's E-mail		Cell Pl	none
Parish Information									
Registered in this Parish?	Yes	;	No	Saint T	homas th	ne Apostle Church E	nvelope	Number_	
If no, Parish Registered In	1								
Student Sacramental Info	ormation								
BaptismYes	No				Church				
First CommunionYes	No				Church	Name	(City	
					church.	Name	(City	
ConfirmationYes	5No				Church	Name		City	
								,	

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Transfer School Information

Name of last school attended	Grade		
Street Address	City	State	Zip Code
Name of person responsible for tuition and fees			

The Archdiocese of Miami is authorized under Federal law, to enroll non-immigrant alien students and issue I-20 Certificates, in order for students to obtain F-1 status. If you need assistance, please inform the office at the time of registration.

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Family Co	de		(for offic	<u>e use only)</u>			
Student	Informa	ition: S	chool Ye	ar:	Date	Enter	ing Grade:
Name:						Religion:	
Ι	Name: Last First		Middle		-		
Date of Mo. Day Yr.		Yr.	Birth:		Place of Birth:	Age	
				States? Yes / No gration status of			
Is this stu	dent Hispa	nic/Latir	יס?	Yes / N	lo		
American Asia	ne student' Indian/Ala African Am	iska Nat		Native Haward White		er Pacific Islander	_
Student L	ives With:	Both	Parents	_MotherFathe	erGuardian_	Mother/Stepfather	_Father/Stepmother
order and this form a rights rela	/or any oth along with nted to any	er docur complet child as	nentation ed HIPAA a result o	setting forth the /FERPA form. Th f any proceeding	se requiremen is includes any gs whatsoever.	rements/schedules, th ts must be attached to v determination of pare	and submitted with ental and/or custodial
Home Ad	dress:						
Has the s	tudent rece	eived the	e following	g sacraments?			
Baptism:	Yes / No	Nam	ne of Chu	rch		Date_	
First Com	munion:	Yes / N	o Nam	e of Church		Date_	
Confirmat	ion: Yes	/ No	Name of	Church		Date_	
What par	ish does t	he stud	ent's farr	nily attend?			
						nguage Spoken at He	
Has this o	child unde	rgone a	Neurolog	gical, Psycholog	gical (Neurops	ychological and/or P	sycho Educational)
evaluatio	n, IQ, Spe	ech and	Langua	ge evaluation, a	nd/or Occupa	tional therapy evalua	ition. Yes / No
If yes, ple	ease speci	fy					

MATERNAL INFORMATION

Mother's Full Name _		Maiden Name					
Home Address							
		Home E-m	nail				
Home Phone		Cel	Phone				
City St	tate	Occupatio Zip	on (please specify if self-employed)				
			 Title				
Work Phone	W	ork E-mail					
Employer's Address							
City	State		Zip				
	other received the following sa						
	/ No First Communion Yes		nation Yes / No				
·	ther (please check one)						
	Separated	Divorced	Widowed				
If married, year and p	place of marriage						
If married, in the Catl	holic Church? Yes / No Nam	e of Church					
Please fill in if appli							
Employer's Address							

PATERNAL INFORMATION

Father's Full	Name				
Home Addres	SS				
			Home E	mail	
City	State	Zip		Phone	
Occupation (p	please specify if self	-employed)			
Name of Emp	ployer			Title	
Work Phone			Work E-r	nail	
Employer's A	ddress				
City		State		Zip	
Country of Or	rigin				
High School /	Attended				
Father's Relig	gion				
Has the stude	ent's father received	the following sa	craments?		
Baptis	sm Yes / No Firs	t Communion Ye	s / No Confi	mation Yes / No	
Marital Statu	us of Father (please	check one)			
Marrie	edSepar	ated	Divorced	Widowed	
If married, ye	ar and place of mai	riage			
If married, in	the Catholic Church	n? Yes / No Nan	ne of Church_		_
Please fill in	if applicable:				
Name of Step	pmother				
				Title	
Work Phone			Cell	Phone	
Employer's A	ddress				

City

Siblings:

Name		Age	School Attending
If the student has or has had rela	tives in our school, ple	ease list:	
Name of Relative		Relationship	Years Attended
To whom shall school correspon	dence be sent?		
Father and Mother	Father only	Mother only	
To whom should bills be sent?			
Father and Mother	Father only	Mother only	

I / We hereby acknowledge that the information provided in this form is true and accurate furthermore I / We acknowledge that I / We have read, understand and agree to abide by the policies and procedures set forth in the Saint Thomas the Apostle Catholic School handbook as may be amended from time to time.

Parent Signature and Date

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Pastoral Questionnaire (to be completed only if you are not a current parish family)

Parent(s) / Guardian(s) please complete this section

Family Name			Phone		
Address		City	State	Zip	
Name of Church					
Address		City	State	Zip	
Names of children and §	grades for which applyin	g:			
1. (Name)	(Grade)	2. (Name)		(Grade)	_
3. (Name)	(Grade)	4. (Name)		(Grade)	_
5. (Name)	(Grade)	6. (Name)		(Grade)	

Pastor/Church Leader complete this section

The above family has applied to our Catholic School. It is our desire to develop a supportive relationship between home, school, and church. Please assist us by answering the brief questionnaire below. In this way we will gain more insight into the family and you in turn might be able to use any updated material which appears above on our form. Kindly return this form directly to the school within 7 days to aid in the application process. You are free to make a copy of the questionnaire and share its contents with the family if you so desire.

1. Do you personally know the family? For how long?

2. How long has the family been in attendance at your church?

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3. Beyond attendance, how involved is this family in your church's other ministries/programs?

4. Describe their worship service attendance.

5. Describe Sunday school attendance, if applicable.

6. Are members of the family active in the work of the church? Yes ____ No ____ If "yes" please explain.

7. Based on your personal knowledge of this family, would you recommend that we accept this family into our school? Yes ____ No ____ Why?

8. Please feel free to add further comments or suggestions on how we may improve this step of our application process:

Pastor's Signature _____ Date _____

Please mail to: St. Thomas the Apostle Catholic School 7303 S.W. 64th Street Miami, FL 33143

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Academic Year 2019/2020

Dear Parents,

We are very excited about the upcoming year. Please note that our sixth, seventh, and eighth graders participate in a Tablet Program. Once your child has been accepted you will receive additional correspondence in regards to the tablet program – such as Open Box Day, the mandatory meeting in which your child will receive their tablet, costs (lease – year 1 \$700, year 2 \$400, year 3 \$400), and additional training. New 8th graders will be able to rent the tablet as year 1 for \$700.

We look forward to seeing you in the next academic year.

In Christ,

Mrs. Lisa M. Figueredo Principal

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