



Support a student, support our school...

Give the gift of an academic and spiritual education to a child today



Throughout the history of St. Joseph Catholic School, the tuition rates have remained among the lowest in the state while the parish has subsidized the rest of the cost of education. With a rise in the cost of education, St. Joseph needs to increase tuition, while asking our families to genuinely reflect on their Church title by way of an annual *Stewardship Covenant*.

In 2017-2018 the cost to educate a child is \$6,900. However, our published tuition is set at \$375 plus a \$25 Diocesan fee. Part of our strategic plan is to reduce the amount the parish subsidizes to the school from 90% to 75%. A *Stewardship Covenant* was issued asking our families to tithe \$1,625 per year to achieve our financial goal.

Understandably, this can prove to be financially difficult for some. This program

will add another opportunity to support our school families through the Sponsor-a-Student Program. We need your help so that we can continue to provide Catholic Education to all our families without issuing a financial burden.

How Can I Help?

Whether you're are an aunt, uncle, grandparent, neighbor, friend, parishioner of St. Joseph, alumni, or simply someone who supports Catholic Education, you can help by making a TAX DEDUCTIBLE donation toward this fund. If you choose to support a specific student, your donation will come directly off the amount we are asking from that student. If you choose to support an anonymous student, we will add your donation to the student(s) of greatest need.

Thank you for supporting our students and a Catholic education!

St. Joseph Catholic School Sponsor-a-Student Pledge Card

I would like to help support a student's tuition!

Cost to Sponsor-a-Student:

\$2,025 per year

- Fund one year of school \$2,025
- Fund a student's tithe \$1,625
- Fund Other \$ _____

Name of student you wish to Support:

- _____
- Anonymous Student

Your Name: _____

Phone: _____

Address: _____

Return donation by mail to St. Joseph Catholic School, 420 N 6th St., Beatrice, NE. 68310. Or, hand deliver to School/Parish offices.