

ST. LAWRENCE CATHOLIC SCHOOL

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2024 - 2025 Application Requirements

Early Childhood 3-year-old program: Children must be 3 years of age on or before September 1, 2024

Full Day Program Meets Monday - Friday 8:00 AM – 3:05 PM

Early Childhood 4-year-old program: Children must be 4 years of age on or before September 1, 2024

Full Day Program Meets Monday - Friday 8:00 AM – 3:05 PM.

Kindergarten program: Children must be 5 years of age on or before September 1, 2024

Full Day Program Meets Monday - Friday 8:00 AM – 3:05 PM.

Student Assessment is required for Kindergarten students following acceptance.

Entering Grade 1 Children must be 6 years of age on or before September 1, 2024 and have

completed Kindergarten in an accredited public or non-public school.

Entering Grade 1 – 7 There is an admissions test for each grade level.

Required Forms

If you are enrolling your child for the first time, the following forms must be submitted at the time of application:

- Copy of Original Birth Certificate
- Copy of Baptismal Certificate
- Copy of First Holy Communion Certificate
- Copy of First Penance Certificate
- Copy of Confirmation Certificate (if applicable)
- Current DH680 State of Florida Certification of Immunization Form or from current state if transferring
- Current DH3040 State of Florida School Entry Health Exam Form or from current state if transferring
- Current school year report card
- Current standardized test results
- Applicant Essay Form for Students Entering Grades 6 7 8
- Copy of all student evaluations and/or support plans
- Parish Affiliation Form completed by Pastor or parish Administration (if Catholic)
- Custodial court documents, if applicable
- Principal and Teacher Recommendations (provided by student's current school)

MANDATORY IMMUNIZATION REQUIREMENTS

Proof of immunization recorded on a **DH680 Florida Certification of Immunization**, and physical examination records for all **Early Childhood**, **Kindergarten**, and 7th **Grade** students must be given to the school at the time of application. **Applications cannot be reviewed until appropriate documents are received.** Students applying for the first time and students from out of state must have a DH680 Florida Certification of Immunization Form and physical examination completed by a Florida doctor or clinic presented at the time of application. The Diocese of St. Petersburg <u>does not recognize a Religious Objection to Immunizations</u> and therefore we will not accept students who are not fully immunized.

SINGLE, DIVORCED, AND SEPARATED PARENTS

Single, divorced, and separated parents must provide the school with a notarized copy of the custody section of custodial, divorce, or separation decrees.

The school respects the rights of non-custodial parents. In the absence of a court order to the contrary, St. Lawrence Catholic School will, upon request, provide the non-custodial parent with access to academic records and to other school related information regarding the child. If there is a court order specifying that there is to be no information given, it is the responsibility of the custodial parent to provide the school with an official copy of the court order.

Our Mission Statement: St. Lawrence Catholic School community is dedicated to the creation of a Christ-centered environment in the Roman Catholic tradition which allows students to learn to serve God and others, to develop their unique talents and skills, to strive for academic excellence, and to become life-long learners.