

The following information must be completed in order to be considered for admission to Saint Patrick Catholic School. Please contact the Admissions Office at 213-0847 with questions about the required elements detailed below.

○ **Application by January 15th**

date sent: _____

Upon receipt of completed application, we will call you to schedule a tour and interview. Applications received by January 15th will receive priority consideration. Applications will be accepted and processed on an "as space permits" basis after January 15th.

○ **Snapshot Informational Tour**

date and time: _____

Our tours are designed to provide parents with the best possible opportunity to experience our unique educational setting. The tour will serve as an introduction to our curriculum that is structured around the intentional total formation of every student. First semester Snapshot dates are listed below:

- September 8, 22, 29 (8:00 am)
- October 6, 13, 20, 27 (8:00 am)
- November 3 (8:00 am)
- December 15 (11:30 am)
- January 5, 12 (8:00 am)

Email jbrown@stpcs.org to reserve your spot.

○ **Family Interview**

date and time: _____

Your interview with a member of the Admissions team will serve as an opportunity to develop your understanding of the Saint Patrick Catholic School philosophy. It will also allow us to begin a dialogue of parent collaboration that is the cornerstone of our belief that parents are the primary educators. Parents are encouraged to bring any pertinent educational information and evaluations. Plan to spend approximately 60 minutes during this visit. Please bring the following documents to the Family Interview:

- Applicant's original birth certificate
- \$50 application fee (per applicant, cash or check only)
- Parent Survey (this will be emailed prior to your interview)
- Photo of the applicant

○ **Academic Records and Teacher Recommendation**

date: _____

Academic records from the applicant's previous school and a teacher recommendation from the child's current teacher is required.. The teacher can choose to write a letter of recommendation or complete the teacher recommendation form that Saint Patrick Catholic School will mail to the applicant's school. Schools mail these records and the recommendation directly to Saint Patrick Catholic School.

○ **Admissions Assessment ***

date: _____

- Pre-Kindergarten applicants will participate in a classroom experience on a Saturday, February 11th. Plan to spend approximately 60 minutes.
- Pre-Kindergarten applicants are often observed in their current preschool setting as a part of the "Admissions Assessment" as well.
- Testing is scheduled by appointment for rising Kindergarten through third grade students during January and February. Plan to spend approximately 75 minutes for these assessments.
- Grades 4-8 are given the ERB during January and February. Plan to spend approximately 3 hours for this assessment.

Applying students are often invited to spend a day as a "shadow" at Saint Patrick Catholic School as part of the admissions process. We also may require applicants to complete additional assessments.