

NOUVEL CATHOLIC CENTRAL

We are Nouvel Catholic Central, called by Christ to learn, love and lead... courageously.

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Greetings, Nouvel Catholic Central families -

As we enter the season of Advent, I pray that our students, families and faculty are filled with hope, peace, joy and love. While we continue to enjoy all that this season brings, I, along with our Board of Trustees, wanted to take a moment to reflect and give thanks for all that Nouvel has experienced this year.

We are grateful for each and every one of our students and families, choosing Nouvel. We consider it a privilege to educate the students in our care each and every day and to partner with your family to raise the next generation of leaders. Nouvel is proud to be a leader in academic excellence. Our students are prepared for success at the next level and to be productive members of society. We educate the mind, body and spirit in a rigorous faith-based environment.

Points of Pride

We have recently experienced significant growth in our early elementary programs. To accommodate the needs of our families and growing Nouvel community, we now have three preschool/Montessori programs to offer our littlest Panthers, as well as additional sections of both young fives and kindergarten. The transition of the 7th & 8th graders to the high school/junior high campus has been incredibly successful. We feel blessed to continue improving our campus security, as evidenced by providing a School Resource Officer at each building. We continue to support our students' mental health by providing additional counseling support staff at each building. Additionally, we have been working with our curriculum coach to increase the rigor and alignment of our teaching and learning process across each campus. The participation in our performing arts and athletics programs continues to be a bright spot for us. In short, this is a great time to be part of the Panther family!

Continuous Enrollment

To ensure adequate time for our administrators to plan effectively for the following school year, continuous enrollment information will be communicated during Catholic Schools Week (January 29). Updated family commitments, as well as tuition assistance applications, will be due by March 1, 2024. Reenrollment for preschool families will begin on January 10th, one week before open preschool enrollment.

Tuition Update

Through collaboration with the finance committee, Nouvel administrative team and the Board of Trustees, we are sharing the 2024-25 tuition updates ([view here](#)). In order to deliver an

outstanding student experience and learning environment, a modest tuition increase is necessary.

- There was a 1.9% increase for Y5-8th tuition and 2% increase for 9-12 tuition, an average monthly increase for families, over 10 months, of \$15 per student.
- There are no longer any registration fees or comprehensive fees associated with enrollment or reenrollment.
- A \$250 tuition deposit will be collected at the time of registration to secure student enrollment and eligibility for summer athletic, band and extracurricular activity participation. This deposit will be applied as a credit on family tuition accounts in July 2024.
- While no individual student/family pays the true cost to educate, we are fortunate and grateful to our supporting parishes for their contributions. They provide over \$2,000 per student to support our operating budget. We humbly ask that you thank your parish priest for their commitment to Nouvel.

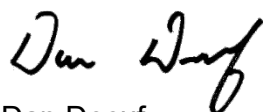
Needs-Based Aid/Tuition Assistance

As we shared in a community update on November 6, 2023 ([view here](#)), Nouvel has streamlined our needs-based tuition assistance process by working with FACTS, a grant and aid assessment tool. It is our goal to make every effort to increase accessibility to a Nouvel education.

- FACTS is an independent third-party provider that a vast majority of private schools in the country use. Applications for aid/awards are completed online, directly through FACTS, a secure and verified site.
- This service will provide our tuition assistance committee with verified information to best assist in the disbursement of our needs based financial aid dollars.
- Many families have already completed this process to be eligible for Catholic Community Foundation of Mid-Michigan scholarships.
- Nouvel will be hosting opportunities on each campus for families to receive one-on-one assistance while completing their FACTS application.
- More information on FACTS can be found online at www.NouvelCatholic.org/Tuition

Choosing the best education for your family, in a safe, nurturing environment, is an investment and a commitment that has a profound impact on your child. Our desire is to continue to partner with you for your child's education. We thank you for your continued partnership and entrusting the education of your child to Nouvel Catholic Central.

Wishing you a blessed and joyous Advent season,



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2024-25 TUITION OVERVIEW FOR YOUNG FIVES - 12TH GRADE

AN EDUCATIONAL INVESTMENT

To deliver on our mission of "...called by Christ to learn, love and lead... courageously," we are dedicated to making a Nouvel Catholic Central education an opportunity for all. We are confident that an investment in Nouvel will provide children with a safe and nurturing, learning environment, as well as pay dividends for their future.



FULL TUITION RATE

Half-day Young Fives	\$3,375
Young Fives through 8th Grade	\$6,750
High School	\$8,900

TUITION ASSISTANCE

Offering needs-based tuition assistance is a means of helping families afford a Nouvel education. Through our partnership with FACTS, the aid process will use income, assets, unusual expenses and family size to help determine tuition.

After completing the online FACTS application, Nouvel will be able to determine your family's actual tuition cost. Each application and corresponding financial analysis provided by FACTS will be reviewed by the Tuition Assistance Committee. Awards are based upon the availability of funding and the number of verified applicants. Families will use either the minimum per student cost of \$2,750 or the determined tuition amount, whichever is higher.

Additionally, families that qualify for tuition discounts or scholarship support, such as multi-student discounts or St. Gerard Society support, will still be able to do so through this process.

Each family will be responsible for an annual tuition deposit of \$250, due on March 1, which will be applied toward your family's tuition. There are no longer any registration or comprehensive fees associated with enrollment or reenrollment.

AFFORDABLE TUITION

Affording a private education can be intimidating, but not impossible. At Nouvel, we make every effort to provide a best-in-class education for all who desire it.

Our ability to offer needs based aid/assistance is made possible by our supporting parishes, generous donors and scholarship programs.

Flexible payment options are available to help meet the needs of various household budgets.

Continuous Enrollment Deadline

Tuition deposit and paperwork must be submitted by **March 1, 2024** to effectively plan for the school year.

Notice of Tuition Assistance

On or before the week of April 15, 2024 with completion of all paperwork.

WE INVITE YOU TO BE OUR GUEST

Visiting Nouvel Catholic Central is the best way to experience all that our programs offer! Admissions Director, Kelly Breasbois, is here to provide a personalized family tour, campus visit or assist with any questions that you might have.

Contact Kelly Today!



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