

December 5, 2011

Dear Parents,

Every family whose child is enrolled at FATIMA demonstrates their concern about the well being of their children -- especially their education. Your child's Catholic education is a visible investment in their future, ensuring that they become successful and caring contributors to society. As a Catholic educational institution, FATIMA is keenly aware of the many sacrifices parents willingly, although often with great difficulty, make to send their children to a Catholic school.

FATIMA delivers a quality education, a strong preparation for further education, provides a safe and nurturing environment, good stewardship of resources and demonstrates concern for each student as an individual. More importantly, FATIMA also models a framework of moral and religious values that will guide and sustain your children throughout their lives.

Your decision to select FATIMA as your child's learning environment during the turbulent and formative teenage years reflects well on your desire to keep them safe as well as academically and spiritually prepared for the college years and beyond.

I want to assure you that FATIMA also still remains an excellent value at the cost of only \$8.50 per hour -- less than the cost of most movie tickets or childcare. It is almost impossible to believe that sometimes we have to compare and contrast the costs of everyday things to highlight the cost/benefit ratio of top-quality Catholic education; however, sometimes such a comparison makes it easier for us all to see the worthiness of what we are striving toward.

As conscientious and loving parents, you are commended for all you do on behalf of your children. FATIMA, as your partner in educating and caring for your children, promises to continue working diligently for their individual success now, and in the future.

We are all struggling during these very difficult economic times and FATIMA truly understands and shares the additional pressures many families are facing today. With this in mind, FATIMA continues to make every effort to keep Catholic education affordable.

As an early re-registration incentive, all full tuition paying students will be eligible to receive a \$100.00 deduction on their tuition for the 2012 – 2013 school year if registered by December 30, 2011.

The enclosed material contains all the necessary information for the coming year. If you have any questions or concerns, please feel free to call me.

Sincerely,

Sr. Mary Margaret Souza, S.S.D.
Principal