



# The Schools of SAINTS JFX

ST. JOSEPH Early Childhood ST. FRANCIS XAVIER Kindergarten through 8th

## 2021-2022 *Admissions Overview*

Thank you for your interest in the Schools of Saints JFX. Please review the following guidelines regarding the application process for Preschool through Kindergarten programs on the St. Joseph Campus, and Kindergarten through 8th grade programs on the St. Francis Xavier School Campus.

### SCHEDULE A TOUR DURING THE FALL/WINTER MONTHS

Get to know us with a personal tour led by a member of our leadership team. In the interest of safety and in accordance with Archdiocesan guidelines, we are currently scheduling 1:1 tours after school hours only. Students applying for admission to grades 1-8 are typically asked to schedule a shadow day. Due to COVID-19 protocols, we regret we are unable to offer shadow days at this time.

### RELEASE OF 2021-2022 APPLICATIONS

Applications for prospective students are released in November 2020. Interested families are invited to visit [sfx-school.org/admissions](http://sfx-school.org/admissions) on the SFX Campus and [stjosephwilmette.com/information](http://stjosephwilmette.com/information) on the St. Joseph Campus to complete an online application.

### PRIORITY APPLICATION DEADLINE IS FEBRUARY 1, 2021

Applications for 2021-2022 admission, a \$350 per family application fee, and birth and baptismal certificates as noted on the application are due by February 1, 2021. Student applications are not considered complete until these items are submitted.

### ACCEPTANCE LETTERS

Acceptance letters are mailed by February 15, 2021. Families should confirm their intent to enroll by March 1st or within 2 weeks of acceptance. Instructions regarding enrollment confirmation, tuition, forms and records required prior to the start of the school year will follow.

### MID-YEAR ROLLING ADMISSIONS

Following the admissions deadline, applications continue to be accepted on a rolling basis at the Principal's discretion. Families considering a mid-year enrollment should contact Colleen Barrett Halaburt on the SFX Campus and Amy Butterworth on the St. Joseph Campus.

### SELECTION CRITERIA

The Schools of Saints JFX are committed to providing an accessible and affordable faith-based education. Families of all faith backgrounds are invited to apply; however, priority is given to applicants according to the following criteria: siblings of current students, Catholic children of alumni, Parishioners, Catholic students from other Parishes, and non-Catholic students. Saints JFX Parishioners are registered in the Parish, attend Sunday liturgies on a regular basis, participate actively in Parish events and initiatives, and make a regular financial contribution in support of Parish operations and ministries. If your child has attended a previous school, the Schools of Saints JFX reserve the right to review academic records prior to admission.