



## Admissions Policy for International Students at Assumption Catholic School

1. Complete our registration form, which can be printed, scanned, and returned. Submit \$250 application fee by wire transfer.  
**Note - when entering student information, please indicate you are an international student.**
2. Complete the **supplemental forms**. Please submit the following by sending a hard copy to 2116 Cornwall Ave., Bellingham, WA, 98225, USA.
  1. Copy of passport
  2. English proficiency exam if available or a Skype interview on record.  
*Students in second grade or below will not have an English proficiency requirement.*
  3. Transcripts or report cards for the past 2 years (for entering grade 3 and above)
  4. Transcript translation provided.
  5. Teacher recommendations (at least two from separate teachers)
  6. Writing sample (for entering grade 3 and above)
  7. Bank statement verifying family's ability to pay one year's tuition plus living expenses.
3. Once the application is complete and all of the forms have been submitted, an I-20 application will be sent by mail to the foreign address the school has on file. With the I-20 application, an additional letter will also be sent to show proof of acceptance into Assumption Catholic School.

**After paying the I-901 application fee at <https://www.fmjfee.com/index.html>, please take the completed I-20 application and acceptance letter to the nearest embassy where they will issue the F1 student visa.**

## Tuition Fees for International Students

- The registration fee is \$350 per student, per year.
- For international students, the school charges an additional annual fee to cover application costs, mailings, and processing fees. The annual fee per family is \$1450. For example, in 2017-2018, an out-of-parish non-subsidized tuition is \$6,468. With the additional international student fee, this cost for one child would be \$7,918.
- It is also recommended that because of language and other potential challenges, parents/guardians should consider buying out of fundraising and volunteer hours. The cost for this is an additional \$1,450. This same student would then be at \$9,368.
- Each additional child is charged at the regular tuition rate for subsidized or non-subsidized tuition including a 10% discount per child.

The application **deadline is May 30, 2017** for the 2017-2018 school year to begin in August 2017.