



ST. THOMAS THE APOSTLE CATHOLIC SCHOOL

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St. Thomas School Offerings for Current Homeschool Families: 2026-2027

Questions on any of what follows may be directed to the headmaster, Michael Sauter:
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Scholarships Available for Current Homeschool Families: Full-time enrollment

- Any current homeschool family wishing, for the first time, to enroll at least one student full-time in grades K-12 at St. Thomas School for the 2026-2027 school year is eligible for an **annual homeschool family scholarship towards the total K-12 tuition owed** (see our website, sta2.org/school for current tuition rates). This scholarship will also be applied each successive school year after next school year.
 - This scholarship is forfeited if the family unenrolls all their children.
 - **Homeschool families must enroll for the 2026-2027 school year by June 1st, 2026 to receive this annual scholarship.**
- The Diocese of Lansing is offering one-time **new family grants of \$500 (per family) for K-8 and \$1000 (per family) for 9-12**. Any family that attends a diocesan parish and seeking to enroll at a diocesan school for the first time is eligible. This amount would be in addition to the school scholarship explained above.
- Any current homeschool family who could not otherwise afford grades K-12 at St. Thomas but wishes, for the first time, to enroll their child(ren) full-time is eligible to receive a **need-based scholarship in addition to the offerings above**. This is available, pending and based on an annual financial aid application, on a yearly basis for the duration of full-time enrollment.

Homeschool Track Options: Upper-School part-time enrollment/à la carte

Available Upper-School (9-12) Classes

-Note: All classes run the duration of the academic year, between August 24th and June 4th.

- Natural Sciences (\$1,000 per course; texts subject to change)
 - 9th Grade Introductory Physics (MW, 8:55-10:05; F, 10:30-11:15)
 - Text: [Novare Science Introductory Physics](#)
 - 185 minutes per week
 - Mrs. Claire Jackowski
 - 10th Grade Biology (TTh, 10:05-11:15)
 - Text: [Novare Science General Biology](#)
 - 140 minutes per week
 - Mr. Daniel Votel
 - 11th Grade Chemistry (MW, 10:05-11:15; F 12:50-1:35)
 - Text: [Novare Science General Chemistry](#)
 - 185 minutes per week
 - Mrs. Claire Jackowski
 - 12th Capstone Science (M-Th, 12:05-12:50)
 - Text(s) TBD
 - 180 minutes per week
 - Mrs. Claire Jackowski

- Latin (\$900 per course—135 minutes per week; texts subject to change)
 - 9th Latin I (MWF, 12:05-12:50)
 - [Lingua Antiqua per se illustrata: Familia Romana, pars 1](#)
 - Instructor: Mr. Christopher Woods
 - 10th Latin II (MWF, 12:05-12:50)
 - [A Primer of Ecclesiastical Latin](#)
 - Instructor: Dr. Ed Peters
 - 11th Latin III (MWF, 12:05-12:50)
 - Various primary source selections
 - Ms. Angèle van Diessen
 - 12th Latin IV (MWF, 12:50-1:35)
 - Various primary source selections
 - Ms. Angèle van Diessen

- Math (\$1,000 per course—180 or 185 minutes per week; texts subject to change)
 - 9th/10th Geometry (Mon-Thurs, 12:50-1:35)
 - Text: [Harold Jacobs Geometry](#)
 - Instructor: Ms. Jessica Wood
 - 10th/11th Algebra II (Mon-Thurs, 12:50-1:35)
 - Text: [Masterbooks Principles of Algebra II](#)
 - Instructor: Mrs. Claire Jackowski
 - 11th Pre-Calculus (TTh, 10:05-11:15; W, 1:35-2:20)

- Text: [BJU Precalculus](#)
- Ms. Jessica Wood
- 12th Calculus (TTh, 10:05-11:15; W, 1:35-2:20)
 - Text: TBD
 - Mrs. Claire Jackowski

Upper-School Sports

- Possible school-run options for next school year include tennis and rock-climbing, both of which would be open to homeschool families as well. We are exploring further options to offer.
- Sports will typically run 2-3 days per week during their respective seasons, with practice times from 3-4:30.
- Fees charged will be equivalent to the per-student fee charged to full-enrollment students (TBD).

Part-Time Enrollment Expectations

- Each interested family is asked to come in for a short interview with the headmaster as a preliminary to enrolling at St. Thomas.
- Families are responsible for purchasing their own textbooks (some still TBD).
- Homeschool-track students will be expected to complete the same course of work as the full-time students, including midterm and final exams.
 - As is the case with all new students, each student enrolled will be on a probationary period over the first term (quarter) to ensure that he/she is keeping up with the work, maintaining good decorum, and regularly attending scheduled classes.
- We will not be able to accept homeschool-track students needing extra support or accommodations due to learning disabilities.
- Homeschool-track students are expected to follow our school calendar. Extended absences may jeopardize continued enrollment.
- Families and students that enroll are expected to abide by our family handbook and enrollment commitments.
 - Homeschool-track families and students are not expected to attend any schoolwide events (e.g. back-to-school night, art and poetry nights), though they are welcome to do so.
 - Homeschool-track students are expected to dress in a manner comparable in “dressiness” to the upper-school uniform. An exact match is not necessary.
- Families will enroll at St. Thomas through our FACTS online portal. A \$250 registration fee is due with the submission of an enrollment packet. More information on enrollment will be available at the interview.
- Tuition payment plans will also be set up through FACTS.