



VENERINI ACADEMY

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Dear Members of the Venerini Family,

Through the generosity of the Venerini Alumni, parents and friends, a financial aid program has been established to assist students in need. If you perceive that your family's financial situation makes you unable to afford a Venerini education, we encourage you to apply for financial aid. We do not want finances to serve as a deterrent to your child's ability to obtain a Venerini education. Awards are based solely on a family's assessed financial need and the funds available through Venerini's financial aid program and also the Diocese financial aid program.

Because family circumstances may change from year to year, we require that you apply for financial aid each year. Venerini Academy uses an outside agency (FACTS) for the Diocese financial aid program which will need to be filled out online; a paper application is used for the Venerini financial aid program.

Parents are encouraged to file for financial aid as soon as possible. In addition to the financial aid application, Venerini also requires a copy of the parent's Federal Form 1040 Tax Form (Pages 1 and 2) to be attached to the application. **Please submit these forms to the Business Office.** The Financial Aid Committee will review the applications when complete and notify parents of the awards. Please note, you will not be considered unless all above materials are received. Please address any questions to Mrs. Ensom in the Business Office.

APPLICATION PROCESS:

1. Complete the financial aid form:
 - a. Diocese Financial Aid – Online at www.factstuitionaid.com and follow the directions.
 - b. Venerini Financial Aid – Paper application can be obtained in the administrative office at the school.
2. Parents are encouraged to file their application as early as possible.
3. In order to qualify for financial aid you must be enrolled in the school and have signed a completed tuition payment plan form.
4. Diocesan Applications need to be submitted on or before March 10th.
5. Venerini Financial Aid Applications need to be submitted on or before April 14th.
6. Financial aid process should take about 4 - 6 weeks.

We give thanks for our benefactors and hope that your family can benefit from their generous financial support. **In the spirit of Thanksgiving, we would strongly encourage you to write a letter of appreciation to our benefactors so that they truly understand the impact of their contribution to the Venerini Academy Financial Aid Program. Letters may be sent to the Business Office. They will be forwarded.** Please keep our benefactors in your thoughts and prayers.

God's blessings to you and your family. We hope that this financial aid package will encourage you to be part of the Venerini community.

Paul Jourcin and Sister Carol
Venerini Academy Admissions Office