



## Wisconsin Parental Choice Program 2020-21

Also known as the School Voucher Program

GRACE participates in the Wisconsin Parental Choice Program, which allows eligible students who reside in Wisconsin and meet the state requirements to attend Catholic school tuition-free.

### When to Apply

Apply online between **February 3 – April 16, 2020**. Apply early! Late applications for the voucher program will not be accepted for any reason by the state.

### How to Apply: New Families

The following who meet the eligibility requirements may apply for the 2020-21 voucher program:

- Any new incoming student entering kindergarten through seventh grade;
- Currently enrolled GRACE students entering into kindergarten and first grade;
- New incoming or currently enrolled GRACE students entering into the 4K preschool program at Holy Family Catholic School, St. Bernard Catholic School or St. Thomas More Catholic School.

1. Complete the online application.
  - Apply online: <https://dpi.wi.gov/sms/choice-programs>.
  - **GRACE families:** visit the “Enrollment-Private School Choice Program” page at [gracesystem.org](http://gracesystem.org) to link directly to the DPI application page.
2. Provide proof of residency to the GRACE office.
  - Proof of residency paperwork can be a utility bill, cable bill or landline phone bill (cell phone bills are not accepted).
  - This paperwork must show the parent’s name and mailing address.
  - This paperwork must be current and dated within three months of the application period.
3. Provide income documentation to the GRACE office.
  - Income documentation can be a copy of your most recent taxes or W2.

The application and all documents must be received in the GRACE office between **February 3 – April 16, 2020**. The office will be closed **April 10 (Good Friday) and April 13 (Easter Monday)**.

In addition to applying to the voucher program, families must also complete the required admission and enrollment procedures to the school for the 2020-21 academic year. Please note, the Wisconsin Parental Choice Program is not available at St. John Paul II Classical School.

### FAMILY ELIGIBILITY

To qualify for the program in the 2020-21 school year, a student must have a family income equal to or less than 220% of the federal poverty level income limits shown below.

Family Size	Single Family	Married Family
2	\$37,202	—
3	\$46,926	\$53,926
4	\$56,650	\$63,650
5	\$66,374	\$73,374
6	\$76,098	\$83,098

For each additional family member, add \$9,724. Income levels are Adjusted Gross Income (AGI).

#### For more information, please contact:

##### GRACE families:

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#### For more information from the Wisconsin Department of Public Instruction (DPI), contact:

Private School Choice Programs  
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➔ **For a list of commonly asked questions and more details, visit <http://dpi.wi.gov/sms/choice-programs>.**