



A 1,500-year tradition in preparing young men for life

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Dear Benedictine Parents and Guardians,

Thank you for your continued investment in your son's development to prepare him to be the future leader of his family, businesses, and communities. We value your choice of Benedictine to partner with you in the development of your son and to prepare him for college and for starting a meaningful career. Knowing that a significant investment such as this requires planning, I would like to share that the Benedictine High School Board of Trustees has approved an increase in tuition for the 2021-22 school year to \$12,900 (a 3.4 percent increase).

We strive to continue providing efficient and affordable education for your son. Tuition allows us to have the best possible faculty continually improve programs that deliver our mission and opportunities for your son to grow. Still, tuition covers only about 69% of the cost of a Benedictine education. The additional contributions that make up the difference come from those that donate their time and money to support our young men's development. Additional funding comes from our alumni, families, and friends' financial gifts to our Annual Fund, our Blue and White Gala, the monks and staff who donate part of their compensation back to the school, and the Birthday Bucks raffle. Our dedicated volunteers provide valuable resources too.

We are pleased that our tuition includes value-added programs for your son's education. For example:

- **College Credit Plus (CCP)** opportunities give your son access to college courses taught on campus that can involve state funding. Credits may translate into lower college costs or accelerated academic programs for your son.
- Our **Ben-X curriculum** adds career professionals and experiential learning opportunities in Engineering, Medicine, Entrepreneurship, and Media. These programs also add targeted new classes.
- We also offer access to the many **character-building sports, extra-curricular activities, and clubs**.

Tuition assistance is available for families with financial need. To request financial assistance, you must complete the online FACTS form before April 15, 2021. Consistent with our commitment to helping more students afford a Benedictine education, we will assess the need relative to available Benedictine financial aid. Please contact Ms. Terri Wysocki, Business Manager, with questions at (216) 421-2080 x339 or wysocki@cbhs.edu.

Thank you for your continued support.

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