

February 8, 2024

Dear Pope John Paul II High School Parents/Guardians,

As PJP continues with a fulfilling 2023-2024 school year, the administration and the board have been busy with budget planning for the 2024-2025 school year. PJP's budget has been approved by the Office of Catholic Education at the Archdiocese of Philadelphia.

For the 2024-2025 school year, tuition will increase by \$375, and the school fee will remain at the same rate as it has been for the last two school years. This tuition increase equates to a \$34 monthly increase to this year's rate. As such, tuition for the 2024-2025 school year will be \$10,225. The school fee for the 2024-25 school year remains at \$1,850.

In determining the tuition and school fee, it is important for families to know that we do our best to strike a balance between affordability and providing the maximum number of learning opportunities for all students. Unfortunately, like many educational institutions PJP is also faced with navigating a continuing high inflationary period. Please know that during our deliberation we never lost sight of the financial sacrifices all our families are making to prioritize Catholic education.

The first tuition payment for the 2024-2025 school year will be due in June of 2024. For those families interested in finding out if they are eligible for financial assistance, that process starts with the submission of a FACTS application.

PJP also uses FACTS for processing tuition and school fees. FACTS charges a \$42 annual enrollment fee for its monthly payment plan and a \$10 annual enrollment fee for its semi-annual payment plan. There is NO annual enrollment fee for families who make payments in full for a given school year. **Additionally, families who sign up to make automatic payments each month through FACTS will receive a \$120 discount to their overall tuition.** This discount will be applied to the last payment of the 2024-2025 school year.

On behalf of the faculty, staff and administration of PJP who are committed to providing each and every student with a quality educational experience in a faith-based environment with a goal of having each student become the best version of themselves, I thank you for your continued commitment and belief in Catholic education.

With much appreciation and gratitude, Vincent F. Cazzetta President