



# CATHOLIC EDUCATION

## AN OPTION FOR ALL FAMILIES

### IT'S WHO WE ARE

*By reason of our evangelizing mission, we believe Catholic schools should be available to all people who desire a Catholic school education for their children. We strive to do everything in our power to manage available resources and seek innovative options to ensure that Catholic school education is geographically, programmatically, physically, and financially accessible for our families.*

NSBECS, Defining Characteristics of Catholic Education

### DID YOU KNOW

Tuition assistance is available for qualifying families. Talk to the School Principal to learn more about the options available for your family.

**Catholic Schools in the Diocese of Baton Rouge**  
proudly partner with the following organizations  
to provide need-based scholarships

### SCHOOL TUITION ORGANIZATIONS (STO)

**ACE SCHOLARSHIPS**  
[www.acescholarships.org](http://www.acescholarships.org)

Applicants must be:  
A resident of Louisiana  
Income below 250% Poverty Guidelines  
Meet one of the following criteria:  
-Entering Kindergarten for first time  
-Transferring from a public school  
-Prior year participant of STO or SEE

**ARETE SCHOLARS**  
[www.aretescholars.org](http://www.aretescholars.org)

**SAN DAMIANO SCHOLARS**  
[sandamianoscholars.com](http://sandamianoscholars.com)

**LOUISIANA STATE SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM**  
[louisianabelieves.com](http://louisianabelieves.com)

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**DIOCESE OF BATON ROUGE AND BLACK & INDIAN MISSION FUND**  
[www.csobr.org](http://www.csobr.org)

Assistance available for qualifying new and returning families. Ask the School Principal for information on how to apply.

*Evangelizing Hearts. Educating Minds. Encouraging Talent. Embracing the Future.*



The Roman Catholic Diocese of  
**BATON ROUGE**  
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