

Dear Prospective St. Paul Lutheran School Family,

Thank you for taking the time to inquire about St. Paul Lutheran School. Since our beginnings more than 125 years ago, we have dedicated ourselves to raising up the next generation of faithful Christian disciples while providing excellent academic education. Most recently, our school has witnessed to our largest student body and record numbers of new families. Our school is growing, our mission outreach is expanding, and we invite your family to be a part of our thriving St. Paul Family!

This school year has flown by, and it is hard to believe it is already time to share information about the 2016-2017 application process. The following letter is organized into question and answer form for ease of reading.

What is the registration fee for next school year? When do we enroll?

Priority Registration is March 1-31 for current school families. Registration fee is \$300 per student for families who register during this time. Registration fee increases to \$350 per student April 1.

New families who submit their application and registration fee March 1-31 are eligible for the Priority Registration discount. While new school families may submit an application and registration fee at any time, we will hold paperwork and payment until April 1. We will notify the family the first week of April to either confirm registration, or let them know of a waitlist for the class.

What is new for next year?

One very exciting change is the implementation of a new student information system. We are partnering with PraxiSchool to offer an all-inclusive system to our families. This will allow you to have real-time, online access to lunch accounts, tuition and fee accounts, grades, teacher communication, online payments, and much more. Following registration, you will receive information from the school regarding online enrollment for next year. In less than 10 minutes, you can complete much of the "summer enrollment" paperwork of the past, and ensure we are set-up and ready to roll by August.

We are also excited to announce our new Mother's Day Out program! This is perfect for families who are looking for part-time childcare options, or wish to introduce their three or four-year-old child to a structured school setting. Mother's Day Out is Mondays and Wednesdays from 8:00 am to noon and follows our Pre-K structure, schedule, and curriculum.

It is a privilege and a blessing to serve at such an outstanding school and be a part of what God is doing here at St. Paul. As always, I welcome any questions you may have, and I look forward to welcoming your family to an even brighter year in 2016-2017!

Serving Him & You,

Mr. Corey Moss, Principal
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MARCH 1-31
APRIL 1
APRIL-AUGUST
AUGUST 1

Priority Registration
Registration Opens to Public
Families Complete PraxiSchool Enrollment
All Forms, Fees and Tuition Due

St. Paul Lutheran School Thorndale, TX

Our Mission
Reaching out...we grow in Christ's love.

Application for Admission

Date _____

Please register your child according to his/her age and grade on **September 1, 2016**. All new families will be scheduled for an enrollment interview with the principal, and new students are admitted under a six-week trial period. \$350 Registration Fee is due with application submission.

Application to Enter Grade:

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|--|--|--|
| <input type="checkbox"/> Pre-K 3 Half Day | <input type="checkbox"/> Pre-K 4 Half Day | <input type="checkbox"/> Mother's Day Out (3 and 4 year-old) |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Pre-K 3 Full Day | <input type="checkbox"/> Pre-K 4 Full Day | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Kindergarten | <input type="checkbox"/> 1 st Grade | <input type="checkbox"/> 2 nd Grade |
| <input type="checkbox"/> 3 rd Grade | <input type="checkbox"/> 4 th Grade | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> 5 th Grade | <input type="checkbox"/> 6 th Grade | <input type="checkbox"/> 7 th Grade |
| | | <input type="checkbox"/> 8 th Grade |

Student's Information (Please Print)

Legal Name: First _____ Middle _____ Last _____

Nickname: _____ Male Female

Date of Birth: _____ Home Phone: (_____) _____

Physical Address: _____ City/ST _____ Zip _____

Mailing Address: _____ City/ST _____ Zip _____

Church Attends (If Any): _____
Name City, ST

Student's Educational Background

Previous School(s) Attended (If Any):

Please note: Previous schools may be contacted during the admissions process.

	Name of School (Or "Home School")	City, ST	Dates Attended
Preschool			
Kindergarten			
Elementary (Which Grades?)			

Why has or why will the student leave his or her present/previous school?

Why would you like your child to attend St. Paul?

Through what grade level do you expect your child to attend this school?

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|---|--|--|--|
| <input type="checkbox"/> Mother's Day Out | <input type="checkbox"/> Kindergarten | <input type="checkbox"/> 3 rd Grade | <input type="checkbox"/> 6 th Grade |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Pre-K 3 | <input type="checkbox"/> 1 st Grade | <input type="checkbox"/> 4 th Grade | <input type="checkbox"/> 7 th Grade |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Pre-K 4 | <input type="checkbox"/> 2 nd Grade | <input type="checkbox"/> 5 th Grade | <input type="checkbox"/> 8 th Grade |

Why? _____

If this application is for grades K-8, please attach copies of your child's most recent standardized test results (e.g. achievement test) and most recent report card or other school evaluation. Please also answer the following:

Describe the applicant's academic abilities.

Describe special educational services received by your child (if any).

Explain discipline or behavioral concerns about which the school should be aware.

Has the child ever been suspended from school? Yes No
Expelled from a school? Yes No

If yes to either question, please attach a description of circumstances.

Family Information

Child's parents are:

Married and living together Separated Divorced

Other (please explain) _____

Is the applicant adopted? Yes No

If "yes", is the child aware of his or her adoption? Yes No

Applicant lives with:

Mother Father Stepmother Stepfather

Other (please explain) _____

Please describe custodial arrangements if natural parents are not in the same household. Copy of custodial agreement must be submitted with this application, and on file in the office.

Natural/Legal Father of the Applicant

Legal Name: First _____ Middle _____ Last _____

Email: _____

Occupation: _____ Employer: _____

Church Attends (If Any): _____

Check if same address and home phone as student applicant. Otherwise, please complete:

Physical Address: _____ City/ST _____ Zip _____

Mailing Address: _____ City/ST _____ Zip _____

Home Phone: (____) _____ Cell Phone: (____) _____

Natural/Legal Mother of the Applicant

Legal Name: First _____ Middle _____ Last _____

Email: _____

Occupation: _____ Employer: _____

Church Attends (If Any): _____
Name City, ST

Check if same address and home phone as student applicant. Otherwise, please complete:

Physical Address: _____ City/ST _____ Zip _____

Mailing Address: _____ City/ST _____ Zip _____

Home Phone: (____) _____ Cell Phone: (____) _____

Information About Other Adults Such As Step-Parent(s), Legal Guardian

Relationship to the Applicant: _____

Legal Name: First _____ Middle _____ Last _____

Email: _____

Occupation: _____ Employer: _____

Church Attends (If Any): _____
Name City, ST

Check if same address and home phone as student applicant. Otherwise, please complete:

Physical Address: _____ City/ST _____ Zip _____

Mailing Address: _____ City/ST _____ Zip _____

Home Phone: (____) _____ Cell Phone: (____) _____

Sibling Names (First and Last)	Birthdate	School Attending (if any)	Living In Same or Different Household?

To complete the application process, please:

- Attach to this application your check for the Registration Fee (\$350).** The Registration Fee is not refundable if this application has been accepted by the school. Make your check payable to *St. Paul Lutheran School*.
- If this application is for grades 1-8, please **attach a copy of the most recent standardized test results (e.g. achievement test) and a copy of the most recent report card.**
- As appropriate, please **attach a description of the circumstances of the applicant’s suspension or expulsion from another school.**
- If this application is for grades 1-8, please **attach a letter of recommendation from a previous educator.**
- Provide signatures of all persons with legal responsibility for the child. **Signatures of all persons with legal responsibility for the child are required before acceptance of this application for admission into this school.**
- Deliver this application, payment and supporting documents to School Office.**

My signature below confirms:

- To the best of my knowledge, the information provided on this form is accurate and true.
- I support the mission statement of this church and school: Reaching out...we grow in Christ’s love.
- I certify that I am a parent with legal custody or a legal guardian of the child for whom application is made.

Notice of Nondiscrimination

St. Paul Lutheran School admits students of any race, color, national and ethnic origin to all the rights, privileges, programs and activities generally accorded or made available to students at the school.

Signature _____ Date _____

Signature _____ Date _____

Signature _____ Date _____

Office Use Only: Application Rec’d Date: _____ Interview Date: _____ Tour Date: _____		
<input type="checkbox"/> Registration Paid	<input type="checkbox"/> Birth Certificate	<input type="checkbox"/> Report Card
<input type="checkbox"/> Test Report	<input type="checkbox"/> Immunization Rec’d	<input type="checkbox"/> Interview Complete
Other _____	Enrollment Date: _____	