

# Enrollment Process/Tuition & Fees

## APPLICATION FOR ADMISSION

### **Applications Available - Thursday, January 5, 2012**

#### **Feeder Schools:**

- *Applications for students attending Carencro Catholic, Immaculate Heart of Mary, St. Bernard, St. Genevieve, and Sts. Leo-Seton will be delivered to those schools for distribution. Follow individual guidelines.*

#### **Non-Feeder Schools:**

- *Applications will be available at TCH.*

#### **Important:**

***When remitting the application, include all required documents and signatures. Failure to do so will result in the application being returned to you for completion, thereby delaying the admissions process. Please do not send original documents.***

***Siblings of students currently enrolled at TCH must follow these same procedures and comply with the deadlines. Failure to remit an application by the deadline will result in the student being placed in line with others on the waitlist.***

***There is no application fee; registration fees are due at registration, following acceptance to TCH.***

## **Friday, January 27, 2012**

Deadline for all applications at TCH Admissions Office.  
(Check with your feeder school and church parish for their individual guidelines.)

### **DEADLINES**

*Due to the volume of applications, all deadlines will be strictly enforced. If you have any questions, please contact Maria Hanes @ 235.5711, ext. 1.*

### **Registration for Qualified Applicants (Notification by Mail in late February)**

*Wednesday, February 29, 2012*

*9:00 a.m. - 3:00 p.m.*

*5:00 p.m. - 7:00 p.m.*

*Thursday, March 1, 2012*

*9:00 a.m. - 3:00 p.m.*

*5:00 p.m. - 7:00 p.m.*

*Friday, March 2, 2012*

*9:00 a.m. - 12:00 p.m.*

***It is mandatory that all students register within the specified dates to assure their enrollment status.***

## **REFUNDS**

Tuition is refunded on a quarterly basis. Registration, building fund, yearbook, class and bus fees are not refundable.

## **PAYMENT OPTIONS**

At the time of registration, two payment plans are available. One option is to pay the registration fee, tuition and all other fees in full; the second option is to pay the registration fee and sign a promissory note for all or part of the tuition and other fees, with the balance payable over a specified length of time. A late fee of \$25 will be assessed once the account is 10 days past due, and students with accounts 60-days or more past due will not be allowed to participate in extra-curricular activities. All accounts must be current in order for a student to take mid-term or final examinations.

## **FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE**

### **Work-Study Grants**

Families may apply for assistance with tuition through an annually awarded work-study grant. An application is available *during registration* for the following year. Determination of the grant is need-based, with a maximum award being 50 percent of tuition. Determination of the grant is made by anonymous committee members from the TCH Advisory Council; notification of grant awards is by letter from Teurlings Catholic's principal. Decisions made by the Committee are final. Grant application is yearly; renewal is not automatic.

Ninth-grade grant recipients are required to complete work hours on campus between June 1 and July 31. Upper-classmen may be assigned to teachers or staff members but must complete all grant work by May 1. The following guidelines also apply:

- ◆ *The student must maintain a minimum GPA of 1.7. If, after completion of one year, the student fails to maintain a 1.7 GPA, he or she will not be eligible to apply for a grant the following year.*
- ◆ *The assistant principal/discipline will make a recommendation in May, based on the following for each grant applicant: effort, attitude, discipline record and school attendance.*
- ◆ *Approved family members may contribute to the reduction of a student's work hours by volunteering to work at school, e.g., concession stands, clerical, tutoring, groundskeeping.*
- ◆ *It is the responsibility of each work-study student and his or her parents to ensure that all requirements of the grant program are met.*

## TUITION & FEES

Following are the 2012-2013 school term tuition rates, as determined by the Advisory Council and approved by the Board of Pastors:

<i>Catholic In Parish</i>	<i>Catholic Out of Parish</i>	<i>Non-Catholic</i>
\$5,550	\$5,650	\$5,800

*A payment plan and need-based financial assistance are offered to assist families who are committed to the investment of a TCH education. (See "Financial Assistance" section of "Enrollment Process/Tuition & Fees" for details.)*

There are additional fees for registration and other expenses, which vary by grade and activity:

Registration Fee	
<i>one student</i>	\$ 400
<i>each additional student</i>	50
Late Registration Penalty	200
Growth Fee	200
Senior Fee	200
Activity Fee	30
Bus Fee ( <i>optional</i> )	600/800
Lunch Fee ( <i>optional</i> )	300
Raffle Ticket ( <i>optional</i> )	100

### ***Explanation of Fees***

- Tuition:** Parents of Catholic students must be registered, active, and contributing for the period of at least one year in one of the official owner parishes of TCH in order to qualify for the in-parish tuition rate. Tuition cost includes yearbook fee, class fee, Rebel Academic Backers dues, retreat fee for underclassmen, religion book, RenWeb fee, student I.D., locker rental, and drug testing fee.
- Registration:** Non-refundable and due and payable at the time of registration. To participate in try-outs for the upcoming school term, applicant must be registered.
- Late Fee:** A late registration penalty of \$200 will be assessed should you fail to register your child within the specified registration dates (in accordance with the policy adopted by the School Board in April 1999).
- Growth Fee:** An annual payment per student for the perpetual maintenance and growth of the Teurlings Catholic physical plant.
- Senior Fee:** Required fee for students registering for twelfth grade.
- Activity Fee:** Funds student admission to athletic events and theatrical productions.
- Bus Fee:** Fee is based on current fuel costs. \$600 fee per student for riding the Teurlings Catholic bus; route is provided among Breaux Bridge, Teurlings Catholic and St. Genevieve Elementary and Jr. High schools. \$800 fee per student for riding the Teurlings Catholic bus to or from St. Martinville. The maximum fee per family is \$1,200.
- Lunch Fee:** Basic cost (no extras included) for students who eat in the school cafeteria. Amount is subject to change by Diocese. Expense may be paid with tuition or monthly to the cafeteria.
- Raffle ticket:** Admits two adults to this fund-raising activity, sponsored by Teurlings Catholic and the Teurlings All Sports Club.
- Debts:** Delinquent accounts may prohibit your child from attending TCH the second semester. All financial obligations must be met before diplomas, transcripts and/or school records can be released to schools, colleges and employers.

*Additional, optional charges depend on the degree to which the student is involved in extra-curricular activities, e.g., club-specific t-shirts required for various tournaments and activities; sports equipment; SAT and ACT test fees.*

# Admissions Policy

## **ADMISSIONS PRIORITY POINT SYSTEM:**

Applications must be completed and returned to Teurlings Catholic by the deadline. Please refer to Tuition and Fees for further information. (Points earned by each applicant is held in confidence by TCH Administration and Admissions Office)

### **Legacy**

- Applicant will earn points for each grandparent (maternal or paternal) who is a graduate of TCH.
- Applicant will earn bonus points if he/she is a direct third generation TCH student to enroll.

### **Alumni**

- Applicant will earn points if one parent is a graduate of TCH, additional points if both parents are TCH graduates.

### **Sibling Attending TCH**

- Applicant will earn points for each TCH sibling.

### **Parishioners of Owner Catholic Church Parishes**

- Territorial – Lives within the geographical boundaries of the parish
  - Registered
  - Registered, Attends Regularly
  - Registered, Attends Regularly, Involved in Parish and/or Financially Supportive
- Each pastor will sign applications of new applicants. His signature will determine the amount of points earned.

### **Parishioners of Other Catholic Church Parishes**

- Territorial – Lives within the geographical boundaries of the parish
  - Registered
  - Registered, Attends Regularly
  - Registered, Attends Regularly, Involved in Parish and/or Financially Supportive
- Each pastor will sign applications of new applicants. His signature will determine the amount of points earned.

### **Official Feeder School**

- Applicant will earn points for each year completed at one of the official feeder schools.

## **Other Catholic Schools**

- Applicant will earn points for each year completed at Catholic Schools other than feeder schools.

## **Grade Point Average**

- Final GPA for previous school year
- Semester GPA for current school year

## **Complete Battery Percentile**

- Points on national standardized test taken most recently – 9.9 points maximum.

## **Student Involvement**

- Extra-curricular and co-curricular activities for church, school, and civic community.

## **Student Discipline**

- Major school disciplinary infractions and/or excessive minor classroom infractions; classroom conduct grade below average (D-F)
- Few minor school disciplinary infractions; few minor classroom infractions; average classroom conduct grade (B-C)
- Never been sent to the office; no major school disciplinary infractions; classroom behavior above average (A-B)

## **ADMISSION TO TEURLINGS CATHOLIC**

The number of openings at Teurlings Catholic High School is typically fewer than the number of qualified applicants.

Teurlings Catholic High School does not discriminate on the basis of race, color or national or ethnic origin in its educational policies, financial aid programs, or other school-administered programs. Admission at every grade level is based on a point system of priority ranking, coupled with selection criteria, such as standardized testing scores, previous school records and transcripts. Applicants are encouraged to begin the admissions process in January of the preceding school year for which they are applying.

# Quick Facts About TCH

**Founded:** 1955 (co-ed, Catholic)

**Grades:** 9<sup>th</sup>-12<sup>th</sup>

**Administration:**

Chancellor	The Reverend Hampton Davis, III Our Lady Queen of Peace Church
Principal	Michael Boyer
Assistant Principal	Bruce Baudier
Assistant Principal/Academics	Marty Heintz
Director of Development	Aline Norwood
Director of Athletics	Sonny Charpentier
Director of Faith Formation	Josette Surratt

**Church Parish Owners:**

Immaculate Heart of Mary Church  
St. Bernard Church  
St. Elizabeth Seton Church  
St. Genevieve Church  
St. Leo the Great  
St. Patrick Church  
St. Peter Church  
Our Lady of The Assumption Church

**Enrollment:** 650

**Alumni:** 4,186

## ACCREDITATION & MEMBERSHIP

Louisiana State Department of Education  
Southern Association of Colleges and Schools  
Diocese of Lafayette  
National Catholic Education Association  
Louisiana High School Athletic Association  
Association for Supervision and Curriculum Development  
National Association of Secondary School Principals  
Louisiana Associations of Principals  
Kiwans International  
National Honor Society  
National Beta Club  
Catholic Forensic League  
National Forensic League  
Fellowship of Christian Athletes  
Citizens for Educational Freedom  
Lafayette Chamber of Commerce

## GRADUATION REQUIREMENTS

**Graduation Requirements:** A minimum total of 26 units is required for a Teurlings Catholic High School diploma; 24 units are required for a Diocese of Lafayette diploma and for participation in all TCH graduation exercises.

**Course Units for a Teurlings Catholic diploma:**

English	4 Units
Theology	4 Units
Math	4 Units
Social Studies	4 Units
Science	4 Units
Physical Educ.	2 Units
Electives	6 Units

**College Acceptances:** Teurlings Catholic graduates annually amass multi-million dollars in scholarship opportunities from colleges, universities, and organizations including the Louisiana Tuition Opportunity Program for our Students (TOPS). TCH students have received offers and acceptances to numerous colleges and universities such as but not limited to:

Auburn University  
Baylor University  
Birmingham Southern College  
Christian Brothers University  
Duke University  
Emory University  
Florida State  
Fordham University  
Franciscan University  
Georgia Institute of Technology  
Holy Family University

Julliard School  
London University  
Louisiana College  
Louisiana State University  
Louisiana Tech  
Loyola University  
Marymount  
McNeese State University  
Millsaps College  
New York University  
Northwestern State University  
Oglethorpe University

Ohio State University  
Our Lady of the Lake  
Oxford University  
Plattsburg State University  
Rice University  
Rhodes College  
Roanoke College  
Savannah College of Art & Design  
St. Joseph Seminary  
Seton Hall University  
Spring Hill  
Syracuse University

Texas A&M  
Texas Christian University  
Tulane University  
U.S. Air Force Academy  
U.S. Naval Academy  
University of Arizona  
University of Louisiana (Laf. & Monroe)  
Univeristy of Notre Dame  
University of Southern Mississippi  
University of Texas  
Xavier University

# Academics

## Grading Scale

A	94 - 100
B	87 - 93
C	78 - 86
D	70 - 77
F	Below 70
I	Incomplete

## Honors/Advanced Placement Courses

### Placement into 9th Grade Honors Courses:

- A student must have earned a 90% average or higher in the selected course at the end of the 8th grade first semester with no conduct grade lower than “C”.
- **Math (H) and/or Science (H):** Using the most recent standardized test scores, a student must have scored at the 90th percentile or higher in Math and Science.
- **English (H):** Using the most recent standardized test scores, a student must have achieved an average of 90% using the reading and language NPR.

## COURSE OFFERINGS

<p><b>Business</b> Intro. to Busi. Computer Apps. LVSDigital Graphics &amp; Animation LVS Computer Science LVS Web Mastering</p> <p><b>English</b> English I English I (H) English II English II (H) English III English III (H) English III (Dual Enrollment) English IV English IV (Dual Enrollment) Publications I (Yearbook) Publications II/III (Yearbook)</p> <p><b>Fine Arts</b> Art I Art II/III</p>	<p>Theatre I/II, Advanced Theatre Interpersonal Communications Fine Arts Survey</p> <p><b>Foreign Language</b> French I French II French III French III (Dual Enrollment) Spanish I Spanish II LVS Spanish III LVS Latin I LVS Latin II</p> <p><b>Mathematics</b> Algebra I Algebra I (H) Geometry Geometry (H) Algebra II Algebra II (H) Advanced Math</p>	<p>Advanced Math (H) Financial Math Calculus (H)</p> <p><b>Physical Education</b> Health &amp; PE I PE II Athletic PE III/IV PE III/IV PE III/IV (Dual Enrollment) Introduction to Sports Medicine</p> <p><b>Science</b> Physical Science Physical Science (H) Biology I Biology I (H) Chemistry I Chemistry I (H) Chemistry II (H) Biology II Biology II (H) Physics (H)</p>	<p>Human Anatomy &amp; Physiology (H) LVS Environmental Science LVS Earth Science LVS Astronomy</p> <p><b>Social Studies</b> World Geography Civics Civics (H) American History American History (Dual Enrollment) World History World History (Dual Enrollment) United States in the 21st Century Psychology Sociology</p> <p><b>Theology</b> Theology I Theology II Theology III Theology IV</p>
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\*(H) denotes Honors

# Student Life

## **EXTRACURRICULAR**

4-H Club  
4-H Skeet Shooting Team  
Art Club  
Beta Club  
Campus Ministry Club  
Cheerleaders  
(Varsity & Junior Varsity)  
Drama / School Play  
Drum Line  
Fellowship of Christian Athletes  
French Club  
Key Club  
Leadership LFT  
Literary Rally Team  
Math Club  
Music Ministry  
National Honor Society  
Quiz Bowl Team  
Rebel Ambassadors  
Rebel Revue Dance Team  
Rebellion (Good Life Choices)  
Retreat Team

Spanish Club  
Speech and Debate  
Student Council  
Students Against Destructive  
Decisions  
XL Program  
Yearbook

## **ATHLETICS**

Baseball  
Basketball  
Bowling  
Cross Country  
Football  
Golf  
Soccer  
Softball  
Swimming  
Tennis  
Track - Indoor & Outdoor  
Volleyball  
Wrestling

## **CAMPUS MINISTRY**

- Enables students to intergrate faith with daily living.
- Provides for students' needs in:
  - Liturgies
  - Prayers
  - Retreats
  - Pastoral counseling
  - Religious education
- Offers community service:
  - Retreat Ministry
  - Campus Outreach
  - Community Outreach
  - Pro-Life Ministry
  - Prayer and Worship
  - Good News

## Seventh Heaven in '11

Cheerleaders SCA National Champions  
Cheerleaders 3<sup>rd</sup> in National Contest of Champions  
National Hip-Hop Dance 5<sup>th</sup>, Pom 10<sup>th</sup>  
National Beta Club Scholarship Winner  
ESPN Rise National All Star Girls Soccer  
3<sup>rd</sup> Ranked Region II Girls Soccer  
State Champion Girls Soccer, Wrestling  
State Dance Pom Champions  
State Runners-up Hip Hop Dance, Speech and Debate, Softball  
3<sup>rd</sup> State Boys Golf  
1<sup>st</sup> Girls Golf State Qualifier  
State Semi-finalist Football  
State Quarterfinals Volleyball, Baseball, Boys Bowling  
6<sup>th</sup> State Boys Cross Country  
10<sup>th</sup> State Girls Swimming, 11<sup>th</sup> Boys Swimming  
7 State Wrestling Champions: 105, 112, 125, 135, 140, 152, 215  
State Speech and Debate Champion  
State Shot Put, Speech and Debate Champion  
State Trap and Stand Champion  
3 State Runners-up Wrestling: 130, 145, 160  
State Runners-up Speech and Debate  
State 3<sup>rd</sup> Boys Javelin, Wrestling 119  
State 3<sup>rd</sup> Girls 50 and 100 Free, Boys 500 Free  
3 State 3<sup>rd</sup> Speech and Debate  
4<sup>th</sup> State Girls High Jump  
5<sup>th</sup> Wrestling 171  
6<sup>th</sup> State Girls 3200 Meter, Boys 200 Free, Wrestling 189  
Boys Golf Regional Champions  
Girls Tennis Regional Runners-up  
Boys Tennis 3<sup>rd</sup> Regional  
Parish Skeet Champions, Girls Parish Skeet Individual Champion  
Baseball, Girls Soccer, Softball Undefeated District Champions  
Boys Cross Country District Champions  
Boys Soccer District Champions  
Baseball District Champions  
Boys Bowling District Champions  
District Runners-up Girls Bowling, CFL Speech & Debate  
District 3<sup>rd</sup> Girls Cross Country  
Girls and Boys Golf League Champions  
1 Composite Academic All State Volleyball

4 Academic All State Baseball  
3 Academic All State Football, Boys Track  
2 Academic All State Boys Cross Country, Girls Swimming  
2 Academic All State Girls Basketball, Softball, Boys Track  
1 Academic All State Girls Soccer, Boys Basketball, Boys Soccer  
6 All State Girls Soccer  
3 All State Football, Boys Soccer, Softball  
2 All State Baseball  
Girls Soccer State MVP  
ESPN Rise State Softball Nominee  
3 All Star Girls Soccer  
2 All Star Softball, Baseball  
1 All Star Football, Boys Soccer  
6 All Acadiana Softball  
5 All Acadiana Baseball  
4 All Acadiana Football  
3 All Acadiana Girls Soccer, Boys Golf  
2 All Acadiana Boys Soccer  
Girls Soccer All Acadiana MVP  
13 All District Girls Soccer  
11 All District Football, Boys Soccer  
10 All District Softball  
9 All District Baseball  
6 All District Volleyball  
5 All District Boys Bowling  
2 All District Girls Bowling  
All District Girls and Boys Basketball  
All District Defensive Team Girls and Boys Basketball  
Girls Soccer Overall District MVP  
Girls Soccer Offense and Defense District MVP  
Softball District MVP  
District Beta Governor  
District Beta Talent and T-Shirt Champions  
8 District Literary Rally Champions  
State Coach of the Year Girls Soccer, Softball  
All Star Baseball Head Coach  
American Baseball Coaches Assoc. Regional Coach of the Year  
All Acadiana Coach of the Year Girls Soccer, Softball  
District Coach of the Year Boys Cross Country, Softball  
District Coach of the Year Boys & Girls Soccer, Golf

# Statistical Profile

	ENGLISH	MATH	READ	SCIENCE	COMP
<b>National 2011</b>	<b>20.6</b>	<b>21.1</b>	<b>21.3</b>	<b>20.9</b>	<b>21.1</b>
<b>Louisiana 2011</b>	<b>20.4</b>	<b>19.7</b>	<b>20.3</b>	<b>20.1</b>	<b>20.2</b>
<b>TCH 2011</b>	<b>22.2</b>	<b>20.4</b>	<b>21.2</b>	<b>21.2</b>	<b>21.4</b>
TCH 2010	22.4	20.6	21.5	20.8	21.5
TCH 2009	22.8	20.9	22.2	21.3	21.9
TCH 2008	21.9	20.4	21.4	20.4	21.2
TCH 2007	22.0	20.3	21.6	20.9	21.3

Comparison of Teurlings Catholic Average Scores with Louisiana and National Average Scores for ACT-tested College-bound students

## Mission Statement:

Teurlings Catholic develops each individual's ability **To Channel His Spirit** for the glory of God.

For additional information about Teurlings Catholic High School contact **Maria Hanes** in the **Admissions Office: (337) 235.5711 Ext. 1** or **mhanes@tchs.net**.

You can also visit our website: **www.tchs.net**