May 2020

Dear Parents and Guardians:

The Board of Trustees has reviewed and approved our operating budget for the School Year 2020-2021. The Board continues to make every effort to keep costs down while still providing the high-quality Franciscan education for which Saint Anthony's is known. The Board recently approved freezing the annual tuition at its current level of $10,950 for all students, whether attending in person or virtually. We have also Frozen the Salaries of our Faculty and Staff. This is the FIRST TIME in 20 years that Saint Anthony’s has frozen tuition. In addition the school will provide every child with an iPad and Keyboard. We are planning for all students to return to campus in September. However, if at any time we need to revert to operating remotely, ALL Major Subjects will conduct daily, LIVE 40-minute classes for the students. In this way, we will be able to provide a vibrant Catholic Franciscan Secondary Education while maintaining close contact with your child on a daily basis.

Please know that while our tuition will be $10,950.00, the actual cost of educating each student next year is $14,750. The difference of $3,800 between the actual cost and the tuition rate is offset by income from sources including the Franciscan Brothers’ contributed services, New York State Mandated Services (which we believe will be significantly reduced next year), Alumni and Annual Fund contributions, Fathers’ and Mothers’ Guilds fundraising, and special events hosted by the Development and Alumni Offices. Saint Anthony’s is balancing these financial conditions through several cost reduction measures including an early retirement incentive plan for faculty and staff. We are grateful to everyone who contributes in any way to keeping Saint Anthony’s a vital source of Franciscan education for the young men and women we serve.

I thank you for all your sacrifices to maintain a quality education for your children. May the God who is so good continue to bless you and keep you.

In Saint Anthony, Our Patron,

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Brother David Anthony Migliorino, OSF
Principal