## International Admissions

For International Admissions, English proficiency is not necessary. The school provides an extra English Instruction Program.

The first step to becoming a C.S.H.M. Cardinal is completing the Admissions Process. All of the following must be submitted to be considered for acceptance:

- 1. <u>Completed application form</u> with the \$50.00 non-refundable application fee submitted to the Main Office at C.S.H.M. Your application may be mailed/faxed/emailed or turned in manually—whatever works for you.
- 2. <u>A copy of your immunization records with your application.</u>
- 3. Letterhead recommendation by your current principal or head of school.
- 4. <u>Two additional recommendations</u>: one from your <u>current Mathematics</u> <u>teacher</u>, and the other from your <u>current English teacher</u> (if applicable). If you are not taking an English class, submit a recommendation from a teacher of your choice.
- 5. <u>An official high school transcript</u>. Your transcript must be properly translated into English and notarized. All grade levels should be numbered (9<sup>th</sup>, 10<sup>th</sup>, 11<sup>th</sup>); final/semester grades must be in English equivalent letter grades ("A, B, C, D, F"), and/or an equivalency scale must be provided. Specific level of Mathematics (Algebra I, Geometry, Algebra II, Pre-calculus, etc.) on official translated transcript is preferable.

<u>Students will be notified of acceptance through mail, phone, or email by the</u> <u>Registrar (mblanco@cshm.org</u>). After acceptance, completed registration forms are to be turned in with the required registration fee of \$375.00.

## VISA INFORMATION:

The following must be submitted to apply for I-20 visa:

- a. Copy of passport
- b. Copy of parents' financial statement
- c. Statement from parents designating student's guardianship/place of residence (Statement must be notarized.)
- d. Money order payment of \$500.00 made out to the Department of Catholic Schools.

The <u>I-20 will be mailed to the party designated on official forms</u>.