

INTERNATIONAL APPLICATION PROCESS

INTERNATIONAL STUDENT ADMISSION

Prospective international students may apply with our online application, which includes a \$75.00 application fee. Currently, we do not work with third-party agencies, provide housing, or host families. The application can be found under the admissions tab of our website at www.nolancatholics.org. Students must submit academic records from their current school and student evaluations from the Headmaster and teachers in English and Math. **These records must be translated into English.** Freshmen are required to take the High School Placement Test. Students transferring to Nolan for other grade levels may need to take a placement test or provide a specific handwriting sample of a prompt selected from our administration.

International students must be proficient in English – reading, writing, and comprehension. Nolan does not offer ESL classes. We require international students to take the TOEFL, IELTS, or SLEP exams. International students will also undergo a virtual family interview with one of our Administrators. This interview is the final step before the admissions review and will not be scheduled until the documentation listed below has been received. Once accepted, students must live with a relative or a host family. *Nolan does not provide host families.*

If accepted by Nolan, the student may then apply for the F-1 Visa. **Nolan does not issue the I-20.** That process and paperwork are handled through the Diocese of Fort Worth. Once your Visa has been issued, your host family will make an appointment with the SEVIS-DSO Representative at the Diocese for issuance of the I-20.

Tuition for the school year is announced each January for the following school year and is due in full by July 31st through a wire transfer. International students are not eligible for any tuition assistance or discounts offered by the school.

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Our admissions committee will review the application when all of the following documents are translated into English and received:

- The online application is complete and submitted
- Immunization record
- Proof of health insurance
- Copy of birth certificate
- Headmaster/Principal recommendation
- English and Math teacher evaluations
- Report cards from the last two years plus the current school year
- If already in High School a transcript will be required
- Final transcripts will be required once the current school year is completed
- High School Placement test required for Freshmen, all grades will have to provide a writing sample
- Standardized testing scores from the last 12 months
- TOEFL, IELTS, or SLEP scores
- Copy of the student passport and Visa
- Copy of the financial statement which was presented when requesting the F-1 Visa
- Virtual family interview (after all documents are received) will be scheduled

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Upon acceptance, a letter will be issued and an online link to enroll the student will be emailed. The enrollment fee is \$1000.00 and is non-refundable. The online Enrollment is due within 10 days of acceptance to Nolan.

To complete the enrollment process, the following documentation is required before July 31st.

All documents must be translated into English

- Copy of F-1 Visa
- Copy of I-94
- Copy of I-20
- Copy of student passport
- Power of Attorney issued to host parent
- Completed school physical, after June 1st and due to our school nurse's first day of school
- Paid in full tuition by July 31st

Upon arrival in Fort Worth, Texas, the student will meet with their Guidance Counselor to work on course selections.