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**Stats from the 2018-19 State of the Schools Report   
Office of Formation and Education, Diocese of Cleveland**

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* **Facts:**
  + The Diocese of Cleveland has **176** Catholic schools
    - **69** of the elementary schools have a Pre-K program within their schools
    - **87** elementary schools
    - **19** secondary schools
    - **1** Kindergarten - 12
  + The Diocese of Cleveland has **40,610** students attending its Catholic schools
    - **2,925** pre-K students
    - **25,345** elementary school students
    - **12,340** secondary school students
  + 97% of Catholic high school seniors in the Diocese of Cleveland went on to higher education.
  + Our Elementary schools surpassed the national norms on MAP assessments for supporting student growth in Language Arts for all students in K-8.
  + 76% of Catholic school eighth graders entered Catholic high schools.
  + Graduating seniors from twenty high schools across the Diocese were awarded   
    over $270,467,000 in college scholarships.
  + The Diocese of Cleveland Catholic schools employ 3,099 staff members in their elementary   
    and secondary schools.
* **Diocesan Tuition Assistance**
  + Number of applicants: **10,500**
  + Number of award recipients: **3,503**
  + Total amount distributed: **$2,457,600**
    - Range of awards:
      * Elementary: **$350 to $800** based on need
      * Secondary: **$500 to $1,400** based on need
* **Emergency Tuition Assistance:** 
  + Total amount distributed: $86,962.34
  + Total number of families: 60
* **9 schools have received the “STEM” designation** from the Ohio Department of Education and   
  **12 were recognized with “Thomas Edison Awards for Excellence in STEM Education.”**
* **Better Together, an initiative directed towards providing exceptional Catholic education for every student,** has expanded to include 60 schools which are receiving the knowledge, procedures, and physical resources to assist in welcoming students with mild to moderate disabilities.