

Diocese of Sioux City Catholic Schools

Website Privacy Policy

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Privacy

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This privacy policy is subject to change without notice. When changes are made, we will revise the "modified" date at the top of this policy. We encourage you to visit this page periodically so that you are aware of the most recent privacy terms. This privacy policy reflects The Diocese of Sioux City current practices.

By using our sites, software, or mobile applications you acknowledge that any information provided by you is provided voluntarily and is subject to this privacy policy, to which you consent.

Information Collection and Use

We collect information from you when you use our web-based tools, when you subscribe to certain services, when you follow posts and comments, or fill out a form.

When communicating with us through our websites, software, or mobile applications for these purposes you may be asked to enter your name, email address, mailing address, or phone number.

Any of the information we collect from you may be used in any of the following ways:

- To facilitate our ministry;
- To administer our business, including charitable giving;
- To improve our website based on the information and feedback we receive from you;
- To respond to your service requests and support needs; or
- To evaluate and respond to your guest post submissions.

You may send us personal information in an email or in an online form. We will use this information to respond to your requests and may forward it to others who are better able to answer your inquiry.

Information Sharing and Disclosure

Except as explained below, we do not sell, rent, trade, or otherwise transfer to third parties your personally identifiable information. The exception is where the information is shared, provided to or accessed by school affiliates or trusted parties who assist us in operating our website, or responding to your requests for service. We may provide information to trusted parties, such as our affiliates and business partners, in compliance with our privacy policy and confidentiality and security requirements. We may also release your information when we believe release is appropriate to comply with the law, enforce our site policies, or protect ours or others' rights, property, or safety.

Our trusted partners, such as our student information system provider, Infinite Campus, may be signatories to the Student Privacy Pledge. You may access that information through the third party's website. <https://www.infinitecampus.com/audience/parents-students>

Please keep in mind that if you directly disclose personally identifiable information or personally sensitive data through The Diocese of Sioux City website (such as via public message boards) you do so at your own risk and this information may be collected and used by others.

Security of your Personal Information

Although no system can be absolutely secure, the Diocese of Sioux City utilizes commercially prudent business procedures such as secured networks, to guard your personal information from unauthorized access, use or disclosure. When personal information (such as a credit card number) is transmitted to other websites, it is protected through the use of encryption, such as the Secure Socket Layer (SSL) protocol.

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Cookies are small text files that a site or its service provider uses via your web browser (if you allow) to enable the systems' to recognize your browser and capture and remember certain information. We may use cookies to aggregate data about site traffic and site interactions in order to offer a better website experience. Third parties, such as Google Analytics may be used to track such information on our behalf. No personal information is exchanged via cookies.

Google Analytics

We use Google Analytics to help analyze how visitors use our sites. Google Analytics uses "cookies," to collect standard internet log information and visitor behavior information in an anonymous form. The anonymous information generated by the cookie about your use of the website (including your IP address) is transmitted to Google. This information is then used to evaluate visitors' use of the website and to compile statistical reports on website activity for the Diocese of Sioux City.

We do not use Google Analytics to track or to collect any personally identifiable information. We will not associate any data gathered from this site with any personally identifiable information from any source, unless you explicitly submit that information via a fill-in form on our website.

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choose to decline cookies, you may not be able to fully experience the interactive features of the Diocesan services or websites you visit.

Other Terms and Disclaimers

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Governing Law

The applicable law governing the content and use of this site and any disputes arising from the use of this site is Iowa law, without regard to its conflicts of laws rules. Any and all disputes will be subject to the exclusive jurisdiction of the courts in Sioux City, Iowa. By using Diocesan websites, you irrevocably consent to, and waive any objections to, such jurisdiction.