



Eastside Christian School

2023-24 TUITION AND FEES (Kindergarten-8th)

FEES	NEW Student Application Fee	\$75 per student, payable upon submission of application <i>Non-refundable, one-time fee</i>
	Family Enrollment Fee <i>Non-refundable annual fee</i>	\$375 per returning family during Priority Reenrollment (January) OR \$750 per returning family on or after February 1. \$750 per NEW family

- Enrolled families are financially responsible for Payment #1, unless a written Notice of Withdrawal is submitted by May 1.
- Tuition Payment #1 will be withdrawn from your FACTS account on your June payment date (or upon acceptance thereafter).

TUITION	KINDERGARTEN	8:40 am to 3:00 pm	\$17,170/ year \$1,717 per month x 10 months
	1st - 3rd GRADES	8:40 am to 3:05 pm	\$17,820 / year \$1,782 per month x 10 months
	4th - 5th GRADES	8:40 am to 3:15 pm	
	MIDDLE SCHOOL 6th—8th grades	8:40 am to 3:15 pm	\$19,010 / year \$1,901 per month x 10 months

TUITION Payment #	Withdrawn from FACTS in
1	June
2	July
3	August
4	September
5	October
6	November
7	December
8	January
9	February
10	March
ALL TUITION IS NON-REFUNDABLE & NON-TRANSFERABLE	

The annual cost of education is determined annually by the ECS School Board. Tuition is divided into ten equal payments per school year (unless another arrangement is made with the Finance office) and is paid three months in advance. There is no discount for paying the entire tuition in advance. There is no tuition reduction for absences due to illness or vacations of any length.

ECS uses a tuition-remittance program called FACTS for tuition and fee payments. Tuition payments are automatically withdrawn during the first 10 days of the month. (See *NEW* payment schedule to the left.)

TUITION DISCOUNTS AVAILABLE:

Multiple Student Discounts (2nd child-15%, 3rd-30%, 4th-45%)
Financial Aid · Staff Discounts · Pastor Discounts

International Student tuition schedules available upon request

Kindergarten -5th grade Extended Care

After-school care will be available from 3:00- 5:30 p.m., Monday-Friday.
Registration will open on August 1 at <https://ecswa.org/extracurriculars/>.

- **Additional fees** may be requested to help cover the cost of field trips, class projects, classroom supplies, etc. Middle School electives may also have reasonable fees attached. Other *optional* expenses include hot lunch, school pictures, yearbooks, Eagle Club, after-school classes, and sports.
- **Reenrollment Fees:** A family's account must be current in order to confirm re-enrollment for the following school year. Once reenrolled, the family is financially responsible for Tuition Payment #1 for the following year (unless a Notice of Withdrawal is received by May 1). If Payment #1 is not received by June 10, ECS cannot guarantee enrollment.
- **Withdrawal Policy:** To withdraw, parents must submit a *Notice of Withdrawal* (available from the ECS office). All tuition and fees are non-refundable.
- **Transfer Students who start on or after the 15th** of a month will be charged one-half the tuition payment for that month. If the student's first month of enrollment consists of four or fewer school days, then tuition will be waived for that month. Students who transfer on or after Feb. 1 and reenroll for the upcoming school year will pay only one family enrollment fee for both school years.
- **Preschool Class Change Fee** is \$50 for each occurrence and must be submitted on the **Preschool Class Change Request Form**.
- **Property and/or campus damage (accidental or intentional)** - It is the responsibility of the family involved to make proper restitution for damages.
- **Late Student Pick Up Fee - \$1 per minute** after closing time
- **Late Payment Fee - \$35** after the 10th of the month, in addition to a minimum FACTS fee of \$30.
- **NSF Fee - \$35** assessed for ANY check paid to ECS that is returned "Not Sufficient Funds"
- **Failure to pay past due accounts:** If payment arrangements are not made within 30 days of an account becoming delinquent, student enrollment may be cancelled and student records withheld from parents and requesting schools until full payment is made. If necessary, the account may be referred to a collections agency.
- **Unmet Volunteer Hours - \$30/Hour** Every family with a full-time student is asked to volunteer 30 hours per school year. Unmet hours will be billed in May at \$30/hour but are reversible if additional hours are reported by June 30. Part-time preschool families are asked to fulfill the following hours based on number of days per week in attendance:
3 mornings = 9 hrs, 4 mornings = 12 hrs, 5 mornings = 15 hrs; 3 full days = 18 hrs, 4 full days = 24 hrs, 5 full days = 30 hrs.
- **Annual Financial Statement** is available upon request from the Finance Department.

Fundraising and Donations: Because of a deficit between tuition and operating expenses, fundraising and donations are needed to maintain an excellent Christian education program. Your support of our annual *Auction* provides additional resources for our students and helps to maintain and improve our facilities. Participation in our *Fun Run/Trike-a-thon*, sponsored by our PTF, supports academic programs and community-building events and also makes it possible to bless and support ECS staff and teachers throughout the year. Your donations to the *Eagle Legacy Fund* ensure that the mission of ECS will continue for future generations. You may donate online or via checks or cash. Please give generously as the Lord leads you.

Other Giving Options: For info on estate planning, endowments, stocks, etc., please contact the Finance Office.

Matching Funds for any gift are encouraged. Please check with your employer about program participation.