

# Oak Grove School 2023-2024 Tuition and Fee Schedule

The Oak Grove School Board thoughtfully considers annual increases to the tuition based on the rate of inflation, local cost of living, compensation for our staff and faculty, and ensuring the school remains financially strong. Increases in tuition result in a proportional increase in financial aid.

## PRESCHOOL

<b>ANNUAL TUITION</b>	\$ 13,545
<b>SUPPLEMENTAL FEES</b>	\$ 600
<b>SCHEDULE</b>	9:00-12:00

## PRESCHOOL - EXTENDED DAY

<b>ANNUAL TUITION</b>	\$ 16,555
<b>SUPPLEMENTAL FEES</b>	\$ 800
<b>SCHEDULE</b>	9:00-2:30

## KINDERGARTEN

<b>ANNUAL TUITION</b>	\$ 16,555
<b>SUPPLEMENTAL FEES</b>	\$ 800
<b>SCHEDULE</b>	9:00-2:30

## PRESCHOOL - KINDERGARTEN BEFORE CARE

<b>ANNUAL TUITION</b>	\$ 0
<b>SUPPLEMENTAL FEES</b>	\$ 0
<b>SCHEDULE</b>	8:15-9:00

## ELEMENTARY - GRADES 1-5

<b>ANNUAL TUITION</b>	\$ 16,555
<b>SUPPLEMENTAL FEES</b>	\$ 800
<b>SCHEDULE</b>	8:15-2:30

## MIDDLE SCHOOL - GRADES 6-8

<b>ANNUAL TUITION</b>	\$ 20,965
<b>SUPPLEMENTAL FEES</b>	\$ 1,050
<b>SCHEDULE</b>	8:15-2:45

## HIGH SCHOOL - GRADES 9-12

<b>ANNUAL TUITION</b>	\$ 26,550
<b>SUPPLEMENTAL FEES</b>	\$ 1,500
<b>SCHEDULE</b>	8:30-3:15 / 4:30

## MANDATORY TRIP FEES - GRADES 7, 8, 12 ONLY

<b>GRADES 7-8</b>	\$ 1,980
<b>GRADE 12</b>	\$ 3,850

## DOMESTIC BOARDING - GRADES 9-12

<b>ANNUAL TUITION</b>	\$ 61,650
<b>SUPPLEMENTAL FEES</b>	\$ 6,900
<b>SCHEDULE</b>	SEVEN DAY

## INTERNATIONAL BOARDING - GRADES 9-12

<b>ANNUAL TUITION</b>	\$ 61,650
<b>SUPPLEMENTAL FEES</b>	\$ 6,900
<b>INTERNATIONAL STUDENT FEE</b> (includes health insurance)	\$ 12,000
<b>I-901 NEW STUDENT VISA</b>	\$ 350
<b>SCHEDULE</b>	SEVEN DAY

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LEARNING RESOURCE PROGRAMS	
ELEMENTARY AND MIDDLE SCHOOL	\$ 4,700
HIGH SCHOOL	\$ 5,700

OPTIONAL HOT LUNCH	
GRADES 1-12	\$ **

\*\* To be announced.

A vegetarian hot lunch is available for students from 1st through 12th grade. It is provided on Monday, Tuesday, Thursday, and Friday. Parents may sign their child(ren) up for this optional program for an additional fee. No lunch is served on Wednesday or any other day when school is dismissed at noon.

## ENROLLMENT FEE

Due – March 1, 2023, for priority re-enrollment  
(New students refer to due date on contract)

## PAYMENT PLANS for tuition balance

<b>Annual Payment</b> (no finance charge)	Due July 1, 2023
<b>Semi-Annual</b> (\$230 finance charge per family)	Due July 1 and November 1, 2023
<b>Monthly</b> (\$330 finance charge per family + \$50 FACTS Tuition fee per student)	10 payments May 2023 to February 2024 **

\*\* If admitted after April 1, monthly payments start one month later and are divided equally among beginning month and February 2024. Example: contract processed in early July has 7 monthly payments, August 2023 – February 2024.

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## **SUPPLEMENTAL FEES:**

This annual fee supplements a number of hard costs such as instructional supplies, school publications (including yearbook), field trips and camping trips, and other miscellaneous fees. These fees do not include consumable student materials such as paper, pens, binders, etc. which are supplied by families. Periodically, additional fees may be charged.

## **FINANCIAL AID:**

Each year Oak Grove School has a limited amount of need-based financial aid for families with children from Preschool through 12th grade. There are not sufficient funds to give aid to all who apply, and the amount of aid may not match the determined need. Priority will be given to returning families. For those families who have applied and been granted aid, the amount of financial aid is indicated on the Enrollment Contract.

The ability to meet the needs of new families varies from year to year. The priority application deadline for the following school year is mid-January. Families who are in need of aid may apply at any time, although the school's ability to assist is limited after contracts are issued in February.

## **ANNUAL GIVING:**

Independent schools base tuition on several factors, including keeping tuition affordable and competitive among local, independent schools. For many families, keeping tuition low allows them an opportunity to support their child's education in the form of a tax-deductible donation. Tuition is not tax-deductible. Tuition at Oak Grove School covers 80% of what it actually costs to educate each student.

All independent schools rely on the current parent body to provide the majority of donated income. Oak Grove School is no exception. Corporations, foundations, and alumni parents often ask about the parent participation rate. A high level of Annual Fund parent participation is an indication of a parent body taking the primary responsibility for the education of their children. Consequently, we stress the importance of every parent making a contribution to the Annual Fund. During the time your child is a student, we ask you to make Oak Grove School a charitable priority.

**FUNDRAISING EVENTS:** Families are encouraged to participate in the following fundraising events:

- **HARVEST PARTY:** This annual festive event supports the Parent Council's work throughout the year. It allows Parent Council to fund projects on campus like educational speakers, upgrades to the campus, and refreshments for school events. Funds raised also support faculty appreciation efforts and our student-led initiatives.
- **DAY OF READING:** Day of Reading is the ONE opportunity for our students to raise money to support their school. In the past, our students have purchased many needed items through this annual fundraiser, including two of our vans, instruments for the music programs, LCD projectors for our classrooms, water fountains, and computers. On the actual Day of Reading, students, faculty, staff, and participating parents come to school in their jammies, along with a favorite stuffed toy and a treasured book. Older students are paired with a buddy in the younger grades, and the day is spent exploring the magic of words and images.
- **ANNUAL FUNDRAISING TEA:** While this is an invitation-only event, it is open to anyone wishing to support Oak Grove School. Contact our Development Office at (805) 646-8236 ext. 110 to be added to the guest list.

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