



## Eugene Waldorf SCHOOL

### 2020-2021 TUITION AND FEE INFORMATION

**Tuition** for students enrolled 5 days per week is set on a sliding scale based on a family's financial resources. Tuition for students enrolled less than five days per week is set at a flat rate.

Tuition for the school year is:

Early Childhood Programs (2-day)	\$4,053 (not eligible for indexing)
Early Childhood Programs (3-day)	\$5,917 (not eligible for indexing)
Early Childhood Programs (5-day)	\$6,350 to \$9,599
Grades 1-8	\$6,350 to \$12,117

#### **Fees:**

The **application fee** for new students is \$50 per child, due at the time of application submittal, and is non-refundable. This fee covers administrative and interviewing expenses. A teacher will contact parents for an interview once a completed application and enrollment fee are received.

There is a \$225 *per child* **supply fee** for the year. There is a monthly rental fee for families using school musical instruments in grades 4-8. These fees may be paid monthly.

Other nominal fees may apply.

#### **Tuition Deposit:**

A non-refundable **tuition deposit** of \$150 per child is required for new students at the time of acceptance. Tuition deposits will be applied towards the annual tuition obligation.

### FINANCIAL AID

#### **A. Indexed Tuition:**

All interested families who would like to pay on the indexed or sliding scale model must apply through TADS, a third party assessment service. Current families must complete a TADS application by Friday, April 17, 2020 to have tuition calculations under the indexed tuition scale for the 2020-2021 school year.

Newly enrolling families may apply to TADS on a rolling basis throughout the year. All families who apply for TADS by April 17, 2020 will receive tuition determinations by May 1, 2020.

All applications must include the prior year tax return. Please contact the school for information on how to complete at TADS application.

#### **B. Sibling Discount:**

Families who are paying full tuition and are therefore not on the sliding scale model can add an optional sibling discount on their tuition contract. At full tuition the sibling discount is 20% for the second child, 50% for the third child and 70% for fourth and subsequent children. At less than full tuition, sibling discounts are available on a graduated scale by tuition level.

### **ADDITIONAL TERMS AND CONDITIONS**

Tuition pre-paid *in full* by July 31<sup>st</sup> is eligible for a 2% discount. Please refer to the tuition refund policy below.

When families enroll, they are committing to a minimum of a term. Payments can be made monthly, but in the event of early withdrawal, families are financially responsible for the full term.

When families sign the annual contract, they commit to each of these terms unless notice of early withdrawal is given by the deadline of each term. The term enrollment deadlines are as follows:

**August 1 for fall term**

**December 1 for winter term**

**March 1 for spring term**

Families wishing to be exempt from this term commitment can pay a 10% tuition surcharge and have a month-to-month tuition contract.

New students are admitted with a six-week provisional period during which both parents and the school may review the student's progress and compatibility within the class. If the student withdraws during this provisional period for any reason, tuition is due and payable up to and including the date of withdrawal. After the end of the provisional period, the term-to-term contract takes effect, unless this period is extended by the class teacher.

Tuition for students enrolling after school has officially begun will be pro-rated according to the percentage of in-session school weeks the child will attend that year.

### **SCHEDULE OF TUITION PAYMENTS:**

Tuition that is not pre-paid can be paid monthly. Tuition contracts typically run on a 10-month basis from September through June.

Families wishing to pay over 11 or 12 months, may arrange for an individual payment plan from the business office.

### **TUITION REFUNDS:**

The principal expenses of the school do not diminish with the withdrawal of students during the year. However, we also realize that life's circumstances can change without our control. Consequently in the event of early withdrawal, parents are responsible for payment for the remainder of the current school term. Any payment that has been received for future terms is fully refundable, subject to the school's receipt of written notification by the enrollment deadline of the term. In the event of early withdrawal, the parent must inform the office in writing of intention to withdraw. Withdrawal is not official until and unless this written notification is received by the school. The period of enrollment will then end on the final day of the term.