

# TUITION SETTING

*A look at how we determine annual rates*



WALDORF SCHOOL  
ORANGE COUNTY

Each year, the Budget Mandate Group, comprised of Board members, Staff and Alumni Volunteers, project several income and expense models for the upcoming school year. These models are considered and the Board of Trustees votes to approve one of them.

Both projected income and expenses are considered as we find a balance between the needs of the school and the needs of our families. It is our goal to share the fiscal burden in order to support the important work of educating our students with the Waldorf curriculum.

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*"An investment in knowledge pays the best interest."*

-Benjamin Franklin

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## PRINCIPLES OF OUR WORK

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### Balance of Income & Expense

Meeting the needs of our families as well as the needs of the school to support the school's long-term health

### Care of Families

Consideration of the short and long-term impact of tuition and fee rates to support family budgets

### Care of Faculty & Staff

Maintaining salaries and benefits to support wellness and meet current cost of living expenses

### Supporting Economic Diversity



#### Did you know?

WSOC supports families with verified financial need by offering tuition adjustments

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## OUR GOAL

**To reduce the impact to all families, while maintaining the health and integrity of the WSOC educational experience.**

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**TUITION & FEE SCHEDULE  
2022-2023**

Nursery 2-Day	\$6,300	Pre-K 4-Day	\$16,925	Grades 1 - 3	\$20,850
Nursery 3-Day	\$9,500	Pre-K 5-Day	\$17,800	Grades 4 - 8	\$21,575
Nursery 5-Day	\$15,500	Kindergarten	\$18,500	High School	\$27,600

- Paid annually in 1, 2, 9 or 11 payments
- ACH fees of \$1-5 per ACH draw are currently covered by the school
- All payments will be auto-deducted
- Credit cards are not accepted

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**REGISTRATION FEE**

New Families		\$500 per year
Returning Families	Before Reg Week	\$500 per year
	After Reg Week	\$1,000 per year

Non-refundable and due at time of registration

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**SUPPLY & ACTIVITY FEES**

These are included in your tuition

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**TUITION PAYMENT OPTIONS**

	<u>One Payment</u>	<u>9 Payments</u>	<u>11 Payments</u>
Nursery 2-Day	\$6,300	\$700	\$572.73
Nursery 3-Day	\$9,500	\$1,055.55	\$863.64
Nursery 5-Day	\$15,500	\$1,722.22	\$1,409.09
Pre-K 4-Day	\$16,925	\$1,880.55	\$1,538.64
Pre-K 5-Day	\$17,800	\$1,977.78	\$1,618.18
Kindergarten	\$18,500	\$2,055.56	\$1,681.82
Grades 1 - 3	\$20,850	\$2,316.67	\$1,895.45
Grades 4 - 8	\$21,575	\$2,397.22	\$1,961.36
High School	\$27,600	\$3,066.67	\$2,509.09

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**SIBLING DISCOUNTS**

- 10% reduction for first sibling
- 15% reduction for additional siblings
- Parents may waive this discount for a tax-deductible donation

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**REGISTRATION QUESTIONS**

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