



Tuition Schedule 2017-2018

GRADES K-12 - Tuition Schedule				
Registration fee, per student (non refundable) \$250				
<i>(Due at Registration - Maximum \$500 per family, includes all ages)</i>				
Facilities Fee (non-refundable) \$500				
<i>One-time fee, per family (K-12)</i>				
Technology Fee (non-refundable) \$50				
<i>Annual Fee, per student (K-12)</i>				
Child within family				
Annual Tuition	First	Second	Third	Additional
Elementary (Grades K - 5)	\$ 7,603	\$ 6,843	\$ 6,082	\$ 5,322
Elementary (6th Grade)	\$ 7,841	\$ 7,057	\$ 6,273	\$ 5,489
Middle School (7th - 8th)	\$ 9,142	\$ 8,228	\$ 7,314	\$ 6,400
High School (9th - 12th)	\$ 10,590	\$ 9,531	\$ 8,472	\$ 7,413
Athletic Fees: (grades 7 - 12)		*\$175 per sport, per student		
		*\$250 Football Fee		
<i>Fees other than those listed may be assessed for special activities, football program, services, or administrative fees. Note: Tuition/fees do not change with emergency school closures. See Financial Policies (on reverse side) for further information.</i>				

PRESCHOOL & CHILDCARE Fee Schedule				
Annual Registration fee*, per student (non refundable) \$150				
<i>(Maximum \$500 per family, includes all ages)</i>				
Junior Kindergarten (JK) & Preschool Classes				
<i>Jr. Kindergarten or Preschool Only fees are monthly fees based on the school year.</i>				
<i>Fees are paid in advance or by monthly FACTS payments. Pro-rations for changes may apply.</i>				
<i>Note: Tuition/fees do not change with emergency school closures.</i>				
Preschool or JK ONLY - Monthly Tuition	First	Additional		
JK-5 days	\$ 392	\$ 346		
2's / 3's & JK - 3 days/week	\$ 270	\$ 242		
2's / 3's - 2 days/week	\$ 209	\$ 183		
Fulltime Child Care (includes Preschool & JK) year round				
<i>These are monthly fees based on school calendar. Pro-rations may apply.</i>				
Monthly (July - June)	First	Additional		
Toddlers 12-36 months	\$ 1,065	\$ 950		
3's, 4's & JK	\$ 985	\$ 850		
Partial week all-day childcare, if available	Contact Campus			

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Rainier Christian Schools	
Administrative Office	425-255-7273
Kent View Elementary	253-852-5145
Little People Preschool/Childcare	253-852-7590
Maple Valley Elementary & Preschool/Childcare	425-226-4640
Rainier Christian Middle School	253-639-7715
Rainier Christian High School	253-735-1413

Elementary BEFORE/AFTER School Childcare		
<i>These fees are annual fees, and are based on the school calendar</i>		
<i>Fees are paid in advance or by monthly FACTS payments.</i>		
<i>Pro-rations for changes, withdrawals, or mid year enrollment may apply.</i>		
Annual Fees based on school year	First	Additional
Gold Plan (>15 hrs/wk, plus non-school days)	\$ 3,556	\$ 3,070
Excludes holidays (See school calendar)		
Blue Plan (7.5-14.5 hrs/wk)	\$ 2,532	\$ 2,532
Pink Plan (< 7.5 hrs/wk)	\$ 1,347	\$ 1,347
Other Fees:		
Non-school days, by pre-arrangement only	\$ 60.00	per day
Tan Card - 10 hrs, punched per 1/2 hr*	\$ 70.00	per card
After 6:00 p.m. (late fee) paid at pick up**	\$ 13.00	ea. 5-min
Drop-in rate (no plan or card) pd at pick up**	\$ 13.00	per hour
Change of childcare service will be allowed one time per year. Additional charges will incur a transaction fee of \$30 for both preschool and school-aged childcare programs.		
<i>*Tan Card - Time is rounded to the next 1/2hour.</i>		
<i>*Late fees are charged by 5 minute increments.</i>		
<i>**Drop in fees are rounded up by the hour.</i>		
<i>Refer to "Elementary School Childcare Options" brochure for details of plans. Available online and in campus offices.</i>		

*** See reverse side for Financial Policies ***

Rainier Christian Schools Financial Policies

Fees

- **Registration Fee** - The full registration fee must be paid for each student enrolling in childcare/preschool through grade 12, up to the family maximum. All students are charged this fee to cover the costs of enrollment processing, interviewing, evaluation and testing. **The fee is non-refundable and must be paid prior to the first day of school.**
- **Facility Fee** - All enrolling families entering grades K-12 are charged a one-time facility fee per family, due upon registration. This fee helps maintain and improve RCS facilities and is **non-refundable**.
- **Technology Fee** - The technology fee must be paid for each student enrolling in K-12. This fee is for the ongoing technological advances throughout our campuses' infrastructure. The fee is non-refundable and must be paid prior to the first day of school.
- **Athletic Fees** - Please see "Athletic Fee Schedule Agreement."

Responsibility for Payment of Fees

The parent or legal guardian(s) who sign(s) the Financial Agreement upon enrolling the student for the school year is fully responsible for payments of all fees according to established payment schedules of Rainier Christian Schools. Parties who agree to share responsibility for fees must both (all) sign the financial agreement.

Payment Terms/Methods

Parents must select a payment plan at the time of enrollment. Monthly payments of annual tuition and fixed monthly fees (transportation, childcare) must be paid by electronic fund transfer (EFT) payments through FACTS Tuition Mgmt with the balance paid in full by June 20th. There is a fee charged by FACTS Tuition Mgmt for this service. See FACTS brochure for further information and payment policies. An advance payment directly to RCS may be required depending on the number of months' payment plan chosen and the processing time required. For 12 month plan, must register by June 1; for 11 month plan, must register by July 1; for 10 month plan, must register by August 1.

Annual tuition payments received at the RCS Administrative Office on or before August 1 qualify for a 3% discount (cash/check only). **Semi-Annual tuition** paid in full in two equal installments, received on or before August 1, and January 2 respectively, qualify for a 1.5% discount (cash/check only). Annual and semester tuition payments, as well as variable fees billed by RCS, may be paid by credit card (Visa or Mastercard) with no discount given.

Result of late payments/NSF checks/Delinquent accounts

A \$25.00 late fee may be charged monthly for accounts more than 15 days past due. A \$25.00 fee will be assessed for each check returned for insufficient funds, etc. A late fee will be assessed by RCS through FACTS Tuition Mgmt, after the second consecutive time a scheduled payment is unsuccessful.

NOTE: Accounts must be current for students to participate in extra-curricular activities.

Pro-ration/Withdrawals/Late Enrollment

Variable fees such as bus, monthly childcare plans, and preschool only classes are annual fees based upon the school calendar. A billing adjustment may be necessary for initiation, termination, or change in service during the school year and are determined based on a pro-ration schedule.

Parents must provide advance notice in writing at least five (5) days prior to a student's withdrawal. Tuition pro-ration is based upon the last day the child attends school per the enrollment schedule. As tuition is stated as an annual fee, pro-ration may result in an additional amount due, based on the number of school days attended.

Should the school initiate the withdrawal, the tuition pro-ration will be determined by the effective date of termination. A detailed schedule of dates and percentages is available upon request. All tuition payments received in excess of withdrawal fees or pro-rated tuition will be refunded.

When a student enrolls on or after the first day of classes, tuition is pro-rated based on the portion of the grading period to be completed. During the first 10 days of the school year, 100% of the tuition is charged. Following the first ten days, tuition is charged per the enrollment schedule.

Condition of Attendance

On the first day of school, a child may not be admitted to class unless the registration fee, application fee and at least one-tenth of the annual tuition has been paid. (For second semester, one-fifth of the semester tuition must be paid.) Students may be denied admission to class when an account is 45 days or more past due. Failure to maintain timely payments, or pay past due amounts after repeated requests, per the financial arrangements agreed upon with RCS, may jeopardize the child(ren)'s enrollment and/or result in an account being turned over to an outside collection agency. This does not reduce, eliminate, or waive any obligation to pay amounts owed to RCS. School records may be retained by RCS until all account balances are paid in full. **NOTE: Accounts must be current for students to participate in extra-curricular activities.**

Vacations, Holiday, Illnesses, etc.

Children enrolled in full-time, year-round childcare, may request a one-week vacation credit after 6 months, and another one-week credit after 9 months. Maximum vacation credit per year is 2 weeks, per full time, year round student. Credit for each child is 20% of the monthly fee.

Credits for tuition, childcare, preschool and other variable fees are not available for vacations, holidays, illnesses, or unscheduled school closures (snow, power, etc).

Multiple Child Discounts

RCS tuition rate schedules provide discounts for multiple children in a family. The student enrolled in highest grade within RCS is considered first child. All children must be legal dependents of the same parent(s) to be eligible for discounts.

Financial Aid

A limited amount of need-based financial aid is available each school year. Financial aid will be handled by FACTS management system.

Before and After School Childcare-Grades K-6

Prepaid childcare cards and monthly fee plans are available for before and after school childcare at our elementary schools. See the elementary childcare brochure, which describes the options available and the policies that apply to these programs. Childcare option fees will be added to your monthly FACTS Tuition Mgmt plan. Changes in plans will only be done on or before the first of the month, with the approval of Childcare Director.

Other Variable Charges

RCS campuses charge various fees in addition to those published in the fee schedule, such as athletic participation, meals, tan cards, etc.