

# Tuition and Fee Schedule 2015-2016

Program:	Annual Tuition:	nual Tuition: 10 Monthly Payment	
Early Childhood/Mixed-Age Kindergarten*			
3-Half Days (8:15AM - 1:00PM MTW)	\$4893.00	\$489.30	
4-Half Days (8:15AM - 1:00PM MTWTh)	\$5503.00	\$550.30	
5-Half Days (8:15AM – 1:00PM M-F)	\$6115.00	\$611.50	
Extended and After Care options for 3-, 4-, or 5-	-Half Days:		
Extended Care until 3:15pm	\$1224.00 add'l/yr.	\$122.40 add'l/mo.	
Extended & After Care until 5:30pm	\$2448.00 add'l/yr.	\$244.80 add'l/mo.	
Note that Extended Care and After Care tuitio	n costs are flat rates regardless of your e	enrollment in 3–, 4–, or 5–days.	
5–Full Days (8:15AM – 5:30PM M-F)	\$7950.00	\$795.00	
Grades			
1 <sup>st</sup> – 7 <sup>th</sup> Grade	\$7950.00	\$795.00	
(8:15AM – 3:15PM, Friday dismissal at 1:00PM)			

<sup>\*</sup> Kindergarten parents please note that children who will turn 6 years old by March 1, 2015 may be expected to attend 5— days/wk in preparation for grades school (half day, extended, or full day is still optional). If you have concerns or questions about how this relates to your child please feel free to discuss this with your Enrollment Coordinator or your child's teacher.

Fee Schedule:	Amount:	Due Dates:	Refundable	
New Student Application Fee	\$50.00	With initial application	No	
Tuition Deposit	Equal to 10% of total tuition due	With signed enrollment contract (new enrollments)	Yes, see below	
Annual Affiliation/Equipment Fee:		Due June 1, 2015. Or,	No, see below	
Early Childhood/Mixed-Age Kdg	\$400.00	can be divided up to be		
Lower School (1st-3rd Grades)	\$400.00	half due June 1st, and the		
Lower School (4th/5th Grades)	\$500.00	rest rolled into monthly		
Middle School (6th/7th Grades)	\$550.00	payments. See office.		

## Your Affiliation and Equipment Fee supports your child's education as follows:

Roughly, 50% of the fee goes to your child's class teacher to spend on the year's class supplies and any necessary classroom furniture and equipment (i.e. chairs, desks). In the case of the early childhood and mixed-age kindergarten classes, some of this money will be allotted to the food budget. In the case of the 4th/5th Grades, \$300 will go to the class teacher to help fund the class's participation in the regional Waldorf school events, the Pentathlon and/or the Medieval Games. In the case of the Middle School \$350 of the total fee goes to the class teacher to fund Middle School-specific activities. These fees are reevaluated each year and are subject to change from one year to the next.

The other 50% is divided up between the purchase/maintenance of equipment and consumables within the overall school budget and the school's membership dues for AWSNA (Association of Waldorf Schools of North America) and WECAN (Waldorf Early Childhood Association of North America). It also pays for the evaluation of our program and teachers by WECAN, and other AWSNA-approved evaluators necessary to maintain accreditation as a developing member school.

*NOTE*: The Affiliation/Equipment Fee will not be refunded once school has begun.

#### **Tuition Deposit**

- A deposit equivalent to 10% of the annual tuition is required with a signed enrollment contract. Any tuition deposit will be applied to your tuition balance at the time of withdrawal from the school. Upon receipt of the contract and tuition deposit a place will be held for your child in the class.
- No deposit is required of continuing families who have already made tuition deposits, except when the 10% minimum is not met, due to changes in enrollment.

**Tuition and Fee Payment:** Your child's tuition is an Annual Tuition, not a monthly tuition. For your convenience Prairie Moon offers one- and two-payment plans as well as a 10-month payment plan through FACTS Tuition Management Payment program (www.online.factsmgt.com/). Payment through FACTS will begin with the July payment. Prairie Moon Waldorf School pays the FACTS Tuition Management Fee for monthly payments. However, if the tuition payer opts for the "Peace of Mind" benefit they will be required to pay the \$14 fee separately.

**Tuition Assistance Applications:** Contact the school if you plan to apply for Tuition Reduction. The fee for making a tuition reduction/assistance application is now \$20 for the 2015-16 school year.

10-month payment plans will be debited through FACTS Tuition Management beginning in July and ending in April. All supplemental fees must be paid in full by the first day of school.

Tuition for students who enroll after the first 2 weeks of school will be prorated on the basis of number of program days remaining, which may result in payments that are slightly different than those listed above for the 10-month payment plan. Likewise, for families who disenroll during the school year, the amount of funds remaining to be paid to the school or the family will be prorated based on the number of program days enrolled plus the 30-program-days written notice.

## **Full Tuition Payment Schedule:**

Full payment of tuition amount is due by July 2015.

#### 2 Payment Schedule Plan:

First half of tuition payment is due by July 5, 2015. Remaining half of tuition payment is due by December 5, 2015.

#### 10 Payment Schedule:

1<sup>st</sup> payment: July 2015 2<sup>nd</sup> payment: August 2015 3<sup>rd</sup> payment: September 2015 4<sup>th</sup> payment: October 2015 5<sup>th</sup> payment: November 2015 6<sup>th</sup> payment: December 2015 7<sup>th</sup> payment: January 2016 8<sup>th</sup> payment: February 2016 9<sup>th</sup> payment: March 2016 10<sup>th</sup> payment: April 2016