

HEARTLIGHT FEES

Heartlight Monthly Tuition: The Board of Directors of Heartlight sets the monthly fee, based on room and board, counseling and academic services, and program and activity expenses, as well as anticipated gifts and donations to the Heartlight program. The Heartlight Fee structure accounts for 70% of the total Heartlight Ministries budget. **Each month's tuition is \$4,750.** The monthly tuition is **due by the 5th of every month.** If a family wants to secure an opening for their child (pending the interview) they may pay in advance of the interview and placement date. **The first month's tuition is non-refundable upon receipt even if the child leaves the program within the first month following arrival to Heartlight.**

Admission Fee: Heartlight assess a \$950 admission fee that covers the admission assessment, interview and intake. This fee is payable at time of the scheduled interview, prior to intake. Heartlight desires families to come and visit the facility, meet the staff, at the time of the required interview with their child.

Expense Account: An expense account is set up for each child to cover the cost of personal items such as toiletries, school supplies, medical & dental expenses, special events, extra-curricular school activities, and clothing needs. Monthly statements are sent with receipts showing how monies were spent. Heartlight asks that this account be reimbursed monthly, keeping a **\$400 balance** at all times.

Academic Expenses: Heartlight residents who attend **school on site** using the Texas Tech Extended Studies Curriculum will have additional costs. The Heartlight monthly tuition fee covers the cost of the Heartlight teachers and most core curriculum textbooks. Parents will pay the **course fee** for each course your child enrolls in. Currently the cost is **\$110.** Parents will also cover the costs of textbooks for any electives or classes that Heartlight does not maintain in the standard inventory. In the event that a Heartlight resident needs additional **tutoring** for any class on-site or at the Hallsville Public School, parent will be contacted for approval of costs, to be **charged to their expense account.**

Heartlight is willing to discuss alternative financial arrangements to cover the cost of a child's participation in the Heartlight program. This may be through the generation of scholarship funds to assist in with child's monthly fee, assessing medical insurance benefits, possible victim's assistance funds, or loan programs. Please don't hesitate to discuss any possibilities, as we desire to help as many as possible, yet remain "fiscally fit" in our operation of the ministry.