



## 2023 - 2024 Tuition & Fee Schedule

	5 Day Program		3 Day Program		2 Day Program	
	Full Year Tuition	12 Month Payment Plan	Full Year Tuition	12 Month Payment Plan	Full Year Tuition	12 Month Payment Plan
<b>Grades 1-8</b>						
Tuition	\$15,365	\$1,280				
Enrollment fee*	\$400					
<b>Early Childhood</b>						
Morning 8:20 - 12:30pm	\$10,690	\$891	\$6,965	\$580	\$4,645	\$387
Full Day 8:20 - 3:00pm	\$13,960	\$1,163	\$8,965	\$747	\$5,780	\$482
Enrollment fee*	\$400		\$400		\$400	
<b>Aftercare 3 - 5pm</b>						
Prepay (\$10/hr)	\$3,500	\$292	\$2,100	\$175	\$1,400	\$117
Drop-in (\$15/hr)						

\*Enrollment fee is due when the contract is submitted and is non-refundable.

### Affordable Tuition Program

The Affordable Tuition Program starts a dialogue about what a family can afford to pay and works with the family's circumstances and supporting documentation.

Our Affordable Tuition Program is managed by a third-party called FACTS. To apply for a tuition adjustment, you will need to submit an application on our website, visit this page: [waldorfschoolofcapecod.org/tuition](http://waldorfschoolofcapecod.org/tuition) to get started with your application.

When your application is complete, the Tuition Adjustment Committee will review it. You will receive an email through our FACTS system when your application has been reviewed.

### Payment Plan

All families are eligible to pay tuition in full or make monthly payments through FACTS, a third-party payment management service. Tuition payments are automatically withdrawn each month. The standard payment plan is a 12 month plan, 10 month is also available. Tuition must be paid in full by June 31st of each school year.

### Sibling Discount

In recognition of the commitment to enroll more than one child to the Waldorf School of Cape Cod in the same year, we offer a **10% sibling discount for a second child, and 75% for a third child. There is no cost to enroll a 4<sup>th</sup> and all subsequent children when a family is not participating in the Affordable Tuition Program.**

## Siesta & Aftercare Programs

Siesta is the afternoon program for Early Childhood students. Children who stay in school for the full day transition from the morning program to the siesta program at 12:30pm and are picked up at 3:00 pm on the Early Childhood playground.

The Aftercare program serves all students and is available Monday - Friday from 3:00 pm - 5:00 pm. Families who will use aftercare every day can prepay the fees at a reduced rate and have the amount included in the monthly FACTS payment. Aftercare can also be used on a drop-in basis, billed monthly (min. charge 1 hour).

## Additional Costs

- **Application Fee:** Families that are applying to the school will pay a \$75 application fee when the application is submitted. The fee will be waived for any family with a child currently enrolled in the school as well as families who have participated in any of the Parent-Child programs during the current school year.
- **Musical Instruments:** Parents are responsible for buying or renting musical instruments in grades 3 through 8.
- **Field Trips & Services:** Parents are also responsible for the expense of field trips, after-school programs, tutoring, external consultation or evaluations, and any other special services deemed necessary for the student to perform at grade level.

## It Takes More than Tuition

Tuition and fees account for roughly 90% of the total operating budget at the Waldorf School of Cape Cod. The remainder is raised through direct contributions and special fundraising activities. All parents, teachers, and administrative staff are requested to participate in these efforts by making appropriate commitments of time, financial support, and talent.

- **Gifts to Annual Giving:** Monies gifted through Annual Giving supplement tuition to support educational programs in the school. Contributions have typically ranged from \$5 to \$10,000, and every school family is asked to participate at an appropriate level.
- **Fundraising Events:** Our November Holiday Fair and Spring Fundraiser offer many opportunities to contribute time, goods, and services to deepen relationships by working with fellow parents and teachers. Without every family's commitment to work a 4-hour shift at the Holiday Fair, the event would not be possible. Other fundraising initiatives are also coordinated by the school.
- **Volunteer and Community Service Opportunities:** In addition to fundraising events, parents and teachers support the school by community service and volunteering for many other tasks. Periodically, parents are surveyed to help the school match interests, skills, and availability with the opportunities for meaningful volunteer work. Prior to enrollment, the Enrollment Director and/or the Administrator will have a conversation with you about these community building opportunities.
- **Friend-Raising:** Parents sharing their experiences at the Waldorf School of Cape Cod with other families are the best form of public relations. By inviting interested friends and family to the Holiday Fair, Arts Night, class plays, Open Houses, and other such events, you can positively influence our community, enrollment, and budget.