

# SUNCOAST WALDORF SCHOOL TUITION AND FEES, 2019-2020

APPLICATION FEE: \$75

NEW STUDENT REGISTRATION FEE: \$200

| Program Options   |             | FEES & COMMITMENTS   |                        |  | TUITION (will be prorated after start of school) |                                   |  |  |   |
|---|-------------|--|------------------------|--|--|-----------------------------------|--|--|---|
|   |             | Supply Fee   | Fundraising Commitment | Parent Engagement  | Pay in Full                                      |                                   | Two Payments                                     | Ten Payments                                     | Twelve Payments                                   |
| <b>Early Childhood</b>                                  |             | <i>Due upon enrollment</i>   | <i>Per Family</i>      | <i>Per Family</i>  | <i>Before 6/1 + \$20 FACTS fee</i>               | <i>After 6/1 + \$20 FACTS fee</i> | <i>Aug &amp; Jan \$20 FACTS fee + 2 pymts of</i> | <i>Aug – May \$50 FACTS fee + avg. mo. pymt.</i> | <i>June – May \$50 FACTS fee + avg. mo. pymt.</i> |
| Nursery<br><i>Age 3 by 1<sup>st</sup> day of school</i> | 2 Half Days | \$275  | \$300                  | 15 hours   | \$3,396  | \$3,575                           | \$1,788  | \$358  | \$300   |
|   | 3 Half Days | \$330  |                        |  | \$4,710  | \$4,960                           | \$2,480  | \$496  | \$415   |
| Pre-K<br><i>Age 3.5 by 1<sup>st</sup> day of school</i> | 2 Half Days | \$275  | \$300                  | 15 hours   | \$3,396  | \$3,575                           | \$1,788  | \$358  | \$300   |
|   | 2 Full Days |  |                        |  | \$4,210  | \$4,440                           | \$2,218  | \$444  | \$370   |
|   | 3 Half Days | \$330  |                        |  | \$4,710  | \$4,960                           | \$2,480  | \$496  | \$415   |
|   | 3 Full Days |  |                        |  | \$5,966  | \$6,280                           | \$3,140  | \$628  | \$525   |
|   | 5 Half Days | \$385  | \$500                  | 20 hours   | \$7,600  | \$8,000                           | \$4,000  | \$800  | \$667   |
|   | 5 Full days | \$440  |                        |  | \$9,880  | \$10,400                          | \$5,200  | \$1,040  | \$867   |
| Kindergarten<br><i>Age 6 by 7/1/2020</i>                | 5 Half Days | \$440  | \$500                  | 20 hours   | \$7,600  | \$8,000                           | \$4,000  | \$800  | \$667   |
|   | 5 Full Days |  |                        |  | \$9,880  | \$10,400                          | \$5,200  | \$1,040  | \$867   |
| <b>Grade School</b>                                     |             | <i>Due 3/20 as Deposit</i>   |                        |  | <i>Due 4/1 + \$20 FACTS fee</i>                  | <i>Due 6/1 + \$20 FACTS fee</i>   | <i>Aug &amp; Jan \$20 FACTS fee + 2 pymts of</i> | <i>Aug – May \$50 FACTS fee + avg. mo. pymt.</i> | <i>June – May \$50 FACTS fee + avg. mo. pymt.</i> |
| Grades 1 - 3  |             | \$440  | \$500                  | 20 hours   | \$10,830   | \$11,400                          | \$5,700  | \$1,140  | \$950   |
| Grades 4 - 6  |             |  |                        |  | \$11,020   | \$11,600                          | \$5,800  | \$1,160  | \$967   |
| <b>Class Trip Fee*</b>                                  |             | Grades 3, 4, 5   | \$200                  | <i>The Class Trip Fee funds the 3<sup>rd</sup> Grade Farm Trip, 4<sup>th</sup> Grade Florida Trip, and 5<sup>th</sup> Grade Pentathlon. Any costs above the \$200 can be raised by the class with approved fundraising activities.</i> |  |                                   |  |  |   |
| <b>Aftercare</b>  |             | <b>Annual cost:</b> \$375 – 1 day /wk.<br>\$775 – 2 days     \$1125 – 3 days<br>\$1450 – 4 days    \$1700 – 5 days |                        | <b>Month-to Month contracts will be billed at \$15 per day of the contracted month. Drop in care is open on a first-come-first served basis and billed monthly at \$25/day used.</b>   |  |                                   |  |  |   |

*In addition to tuition and the fees listed here, you may incur additional costs, including but not limited to activity fees, instrument rental or purchase, or others. The amount of these fees will vary and will be announced as they occur. When necessary the School may, at parent or guardian expense, recommend and expect tutoring, external consultations, or special services which the School does not provide.*

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| <p><b>PAYMENT PLANS &amp; PAYMENT</b></p>                  | <p>Payment may be made by credit card (fees apply) or automatic bank withdrawal to FACTS. Monthly, semi-annual, and annual payment plans are available. There is a nominal enrollment fee charged by FACTS depending on the chosen plan. Any payment(s) not received or returned within 15 days of the due date will be subject to fees.</p>   |
| <p><b>SUPPLY FEE DEPOSIT</b><br/><i>Non-Refundable</i></p> | <p>The <b>non-refundable supply fee</b> is due <b>on March 20, 2019</b> as the deposit for the 2019-20 School Year. This fee covers supplies purchased for use by the children, most of which are purchased prior to the start of the school year.<br/><i>Families enrolling after March 20 will pay supply fee upon payment plan setup during enrollment.</i></p>   |
| <p><b>FUNDRAISING COMMITMENT</b></p>                       | <p>Five-day Kindergarten through 5<sup>th</sup>/6th Grade parents are required to commit to the raffle fundraising project with responsibility for \$500 per family. Nursery-only-parents and parents of 3-day and 2-day programs (no children in K – 6) are required to commit to the fundraising project with responsibility for \$300 per family. This is in addition to Annual Giving and other fundraising activities.</p>  |
| <p><b>PARENT ENGAGEMENT HOURS</b></p>                      | <p>Waldorf schools traditionally operate with generous contributions of volunteer hours, talents, and donations from their families. This responsibility not only enhances the running of the school but also strengthens the diversity and fabric of our school community. At SWS we require a minimum number of parent engagement hours per family based on the program in which their oldest child is enrolled; 20 hours per year for the grades and 5-day Kindergarten programs, and 15 hours per year for Nursery program and 2 to 3 day mixed aged Kindergartens. For families with children in multiple programs, total required hours are not cumulative but based on the program of the oldest child. Parent Engagement hours can be fulfilled with a wide range of activities both on and off campus. Some examples include: attending parent meetings, community meetings, and conferences, school event planning and execution, committee work, maintenance projects, clerical work, or grounds care. At least 20% of your hours must be contributed at the Holiday Faire. Engagement hours not completed will be billed at the rate of \$10.00 per hour to be paid at the end of the school year.</p> |
| <p><b>DISCOUNTS</b></p>                                    | <p><b>Sibling Discount:</b><br/>A <b>10%</b> sibling discount may be requested if you are enrolling two or more children.<br/><i>Families receiving tuition assistance will not be eligible for discounts.</i></p>   |
| <p><b>TUITION REFUND POLICY</b></p>                        | <p>When a student's enrollment is withdrawn before the end of the school year, the tuition refund policy will apply. Students who withdraw prior to course completion are charged a withdrawal fee of \$150.00 and are responsible for a percentage of remaining contracted tuition depending on the time enrolled. Please refer to the Tuition Refund Policy brochure for further details.</p>  |