



## 2026-2027 Elementary Tuition and Fees

### ● Tuition

The annual tuition rate is \$3,750 per student (or \$3,000 annually with fulfillment of the monthly volunteer incentive - see the volunteer commitment agreement below.) A tuition discount of \$1,000 per student may be offered for the third and successive students enrolling from one family.

#### Tuition Payment Options:

The school offers the following options for tuition payments:

#### 1. Lump Sum Payment (1 payment)

- Pay the entire tuition on or before August 1st.
- \$3,000 tuition rate per child (*with the monthly volunteer commitment fulfilled.*)
- Monthly non-participation volunteer fees (\$75 **per family** per month / \$750 annually) applied *if monthly volunteer hours are not completed* (see below).

#### 2. Monthly Payments Plan (10 payments)

- Tuition may be paid over 10 months, August through May.
- Payments are due on or before the 1st day of each month for that month.
- Payments should be placed in the dropbox on the south side of the school to avoid confusion or payments being misplaced. Payments may also be mailed to Providence Academy at PO Box 53, Shipman, IL 62685.

### ● Late Fees

A \$50 late payment fee will be applied to any payment made after the 6th of the month. If you have an outstanding late payment that is not paid by the 1st of the following month, the school reserves the right to pause student attendance until tuition is made current. Late fees are due with the following month's payment..

*Please note: Families that are experiencing financial difficulties should contact the Education Director immediately.*

## ● Parent Volunteer Commitment Agreement

To help our school operate efficiently and continue providing a high-quality learning environment, each family is asked to volunteer in the classroom at least once per month. **Family participation plays an important role in keeping our tuition rates as affordable as possible.** Families who complete at least one full volunteer day (6–7 hours) per month are eligible for a \$75 monthly tuition incentive. When the volunteer commitment is fulfilled, is reduced to \$300 per month, or \$3,000 annually for all students in the family. If the volunteer requirement is **not** met in a given month, tuition for that month will revert to the standard rate of \$375 per student. The additional \$75 non-participation amount will be due with the following month's tuition payment.

Volunteer requirements and expectations are outlined below:

## ● Volunteer Tuition Incentive

To qualify for the \$75 monthly tuition discount:

- Only one volunteer per family per month is required.
- A background check for every volunteer is required and must be paid for by the volunteer. (See Background Check Information below)
- The designated parent, guardian, or approved family representative must volunteer once per month.
- Volunteer service should total approximately 6–7 hours per month (equivalent to one full school day).
- Volunteer hours must be fully completed within the same month the discount applies.
- Volunteer assignments must be scheduled in advance and approved by the volunteer coordinator and/or education director.
- Volunteer hours must be completed and verified before the last day of each month.
- Missed volunteer hours may not be rolled over to future months unless approved in writing by the volunteer coordinator and/or the education director.
- Volunteer hours are non-transferable between families unless approved by administration.
- The school reserves the right to determine whether volunteer expectations have been satisfactorily met.

● **Application & Assessment Fee: \$100\***

\*Fee is due upon acceptance of submitted application at time of academic assessment

● **Book Fee: Projected \$109-\$121\* (Finalized by July 2026)**

\*Exact amount varies by grade level. Please see Curriculum Fee schedule in the Welcome Packet for exact amount and for instructions on which Math level curriculum to order from [www.thegoodandthebeautiful.com](http://www.thegoodandthebeautiful.com).

● **Families are required to sell the equivalent of 10 Adult Tickets (value \$300); unsold amount will be assessed at the end of the semester**

● **Spring Fundraiser TBD**

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