

REGISTRATION AND FEES

All fees are non-refundable.

NEW STUDENTS

Application Fee (K4)	\$50	Matriculation Fee (K4)	\$150
Application Fee (K5-12)	\$150	Matriculation Fee (K5-12)	\$350

All new students will pay an application fee with their completed enrollment information. Upon acceptance, the matriculation fee is due within 10 days. Payment of this fee secures the student's place for next year.

RETURNING STUDENTS

Matriculation Fee (January 9th to February 19th)	\$350
Matriculation Fee (After February 20th)	\$450

Payment of the matriculation fee and completion of the re-enrollment process by February 19th secures each returning student's place for the coming year.

SENIOR GRADUATION FEE (Due January 1st)	\$175
SENIOR TRIP FEE	\$600
BAND REGISTRATION FEE (Gr. 5-12)	\$75
ATHLETIC FEES Football \$200 All other sports	\$75

TUITION

Grade K4: Varies by Schedule (see below)

K4 Annual Rate	Full Day (8 am-2:40 pm)	Half Day (8 am-11:30 am)
M-T-W-Th-F	\$6,500	\$5,250
M-W-F	\$5,250	\$4,050
T-Th	\$4,050	\$2,900

	K5	Grades 1-5	Grades 6-8	Grades 9-12
Annual	\$9,250	\$10,500	\$11,000	\$11,200
Semester	\$4,625	\$5,250	\$5,500	\$5,600
Quarterly	\$2,312.50	\$2,625	\$2,750	\$2,800
10 Months	\$925	\$1,050	\$1,100	\$1,120
12 Months	\$770.83	\$875	\$916.67	\$933.33

Lakeland Christian School offers a multi-child discount to help enable families to provide Christian schooling for all of their children.

- Full tuition is charged for the oldest child.
- The second child receives a 10% discount.
- The third child receives a 20% discount.
- Each additional child beyond three receives a 50% discount.

PAYMENT SCHEDULE

Annual	Due August 1st
Semester	Due August 1st and January 1st
Quarterly	Due August 1st, October 1st, January 1st, and March 1st
10 Months	August through May (each month on the 5th or 20th)
12 Months	June through May (each month on the 5th or 20th)

All quarterly and monthly tuition payments are made via electronic funds transfer to FACTS Tuition Management. The annual fee for this service is \$45 per family. An annual fee of \$15 is charged to families paying by the semester. There is no fee if paying annually.

If a student is withdrawn during a semester, the full semester's tuition is due.

ACTIVITY FEE

	K4	K5	Grades 1-5	Grade 6
Activity Fee	\$50	\$50	\$75	\$200

The annual activity fee is designed to cover enrichment opportunities for each grade level that have historically been paid for outside of tuition. In an effort to assist families in their financial planning, the activity fee will be divided and billed on their selected tuition schedule. This fee will cover the cost of field trips and class parties for each grade level. It will not cover items such as Fine Arts registration fees, athletic fees or school uniforms. For further details, please refer to the Projected Expense Sheet available for each grade level.

There is no activity fee for students in grades 7-12 or the Discovery Program.

SPECIAL PROGRAMS

The Special Programs Department is available to students with professionally-diagnosed learning disabilities and/or attention difficulties. The student receives an Individual Education Plan (IEP) or 504 Accommodation Plan to address specific needs. Costs of services vary by level of support needed. A separate brochure describing the Special Programs services and leveled billing is available upon request.

DRIVERS EDUCATION

FEE:	\$200
Due September 1st (1st semester)	Due February 1st (2nd Semester)

SUPERVISION

In order to assist working parents, LCS offers after-school supervision until 6:00 PM. Please choose a plan that will meet the needs of your family.

Pick-Up	2 days/wk	3 days/wk	5 days/wk
Until 4:00 PM	\$35/month	\$50/month	\$80/month
Until 4:30 PM	\$50/month	\$75/month	\$120/month
Until 5:00 PM	\$70/month	\$100/month	\$155/month
Until 5:30 PM	\$85/month	\$125/month	\$190/month
Until 6:00 PM	\$100/month	\$150/month	\$225/month

FOOD SERVICE

LCS processes meal service transactions through a point-of-service register system which allows parents to review and monitor student purchases on a daily basis. Parents are asked to place money in their child's account and maintain a positive balance at all times.

MEAL PRICES:	K4-Grade 5: \$3.85	Grades 6-12: \$4.10
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PRIVATE MUSIC STUDY

Grades K5-1:	Group Piano (1/2 hour lesson per week)	\$575 (annual)
Grades 2-12:	Piano (1/2 hour lesson per week)	\$875 (annual)
Grades 7-12:	Voice (1/2 hour lesson per week)	\$875 (annual)

Music study will be billed on the same schedule as a family has set up for tuition (annually, by semester, quarterly, or monthly).



LAKELAND CHRISTIAN SCHOOL

FINANCIAL POLICIES, 2017-2018

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An excellent Christian education is expensive. That's why gifts to LCS - provided in addition to tuition and fees - characterize the partnership families enjoy with the school. Charitable contributions to Lakeland Christian School are an investment in the lives of the children and young people of the next generation.

All Lakeland Christian School families are encouraged to support the Viking Fund annual giving effort each year. Annual contributions to LCS provide enhancements to the overall school program while limiting increases in tuition and fees.

Gifts of any size are encouraged and appreciated. For more information, please contact the LCS Advancement Office. Gifts may be provided online at lcsonline.org/support-lcs

The mission of Lakeland Christian School is to educate students in the light of God's Word to equip them for a lifetime of learning, leadership, service and worship.

PAST DUE & INSUFFICIENT PAYMENTS

- A late fee of 1.5% per month may be assessed on charges older than 30 days.
- Semester and final grades will be withheld until all payments are current.
- Student transcripts/records will be released only after the family account has been paid in full.
- No student may be enrolled in a new semester unless all previous semester payments have been made.
- For payments returned because of insufficient funds, you will be assessed a \$30 service charge.

FINANCIAL AID

Financial aid is typically available to families who otherwise may not be able to attend LCS due to financial constraints. This aid is based on need and does not cover 100% of tuition costs. LCS participates in the Step Up for Students program and the McKay Scholarship program. If you qualify for and/or are awarded financial assistance through one of these two programs, these resources must be assessed prior to applying for financial aid through LCS.

New families must first complete the online application process for school admissions and will then receive a link to FACTS, a third-party service that processes the financial/income information necessary in awarding financial aid.