



## 2022-2023 Tuition and Fee Information

### K3 and K4

Technology for grades K3-12 is included in tuition, along with the 1:1 student to Apple computer program in grades K5-12. Quality **lunches and textbooks are also included in tuition**, plus regular season athletic admission for all students.

	GRADE	TOTAL	DEPOSIT FEB.	JUNE
PLAN A - 1 PAYMENT	K3 - 3 FULL DAYS	\$5,418	\$300	\$5,118
	K3 - 5 FULL DAYS	\$7,468	\$300	\$7,168
	K4 - 3 FULL DAYS	\$6,264	\$300	\$5,964
	K4 - 5 FULL DAYS	\$8,761	\$300	\$8,461

PLAN B - 3 PAYMENTS	GRADE	TOTAL	DEPOSIT FEB.	MAY - 20%	JULY - 40%	DEC. - 40%
	K3 - 3 FULL DAYS	\$5,449	\$300	\$1,031	\$2,059	\$2,059
	K3 - 5 FULL DAYS	\$7,499	\$300	\$1,441	\$2,879	\$2,879
	K4 - 3 FULL DAYS	\$6,295	\$300	\$1,201	\$2,397	\$2,397
	K4 - 5 FULL DAYS	\$8,792	\$300	\$1,700	\$3,396	\$3,396

PLAN C - 4 PAYMENTS	GRADE	TOTAL	DEPOSIT FEB.	MAY, AUG, NOV, FEB
	K3 - 3 FULL DAYS	\$5,460	\$300	\$1,290
	K3 - 5 FULL DAYS	\$7,512	\$300	\$1,803
	K4 - 3 FULL DAYS	\$6,308	\$300	\$1,502
	K4 - 5 FULL DAYS	\$8,804	\$300	\$2,126

PLAN D - 8 PAYMENTS	GRADE	TOTAL	DEPOSIT FEB.	MAY - DEC
	K3 - 3 FULL DAYS	\$5,500	\$300	\$650
	K3 - 5 FULL DAYS	\$7,556	\$300	\$907
	K4 - 3 FULL DAYS	\$6,348	\$300	\$756
	K4 - 5 FULL DAYS	\$8,844	\$300	\$1068

PLAN E- 12 PAYMENTS	GRADE	TOTAL	DEPOSIT FEB.	MAY - APRIL
	K3 - 3 FULL DAYS	\$5,544	\$300	\$437
	K3 - 5 FULL DAYS	\$7,596	\$300	\$608
	K4 - 3 FULL DAYS	\$6,384	\$300	\$507
	K4 - 5 FULL DAYS	\$8,880	\$300	\$715

**Important Notes:** The first tuition payment is required to receive class rosters and schedules.

**Military Discount:** In recognition of the service and sacrifice of our military families, Trinity gratefully extends a 10% discount on tuition to active duty full-time military families.

**Tuition Refund Insurance:** A tuition refund insurance plan has been added to protect your yearly financial obligation. The premium is 1.1% of full tuition and is billed in May.

**Application Fee:** An application fee of \$50 for new students is required with the initial application. This application fee is a one-time fee and is non-refundable.

**Tuition Deposit:** A deposit of \$300 will be billed in the February statement for each student enrolled in Grades K3-11. Parents have until February 28 to let the Enrollment Office know in writing if a student is not returning. For non-enrolled students, this deposit is required when an enrolled spot is accepted. This deposit is non-refundable.

**Building Fee:** A fee of \$200 per family is billed each year for five years.

**Activity Fee:** Grades K3 through 5th Grade will have an activity fee in September and/or October. This fee will include school supplies, fieldtrips, class photos, etc. Depending on the grade, this fee is approximately \$150 to \$300.

**Late Fee:** A 3% per month late fee is applied to all late balances. All tuition and fees are due on the 15th day of the month listed in the above schedule and are late if not paid by the last day of that month.

*Our policy states that all billed first semester tuition and fees along with other billed charges must be current by Oct. 15, and all billed second semester tuition and fees along with other billed charges must be current by March 15. For all four plans, statements will be posted to your account during the first week of each month of that plan. Please check it monthly for billed charges. Each tuition payment in Plan B, C, D, and E includes approximately a \$10 handling fee.*

## Affording Trinity

Trinity Presbyterian School is committed to making our Christian education affordable. The published tuition is the first step in a process, and should not prevent a family from even considering the possibility of joining the Trinity family. **Our main goal is to ensure that families whose children meet the admission requirements and want to be a part of our school community aren't deterred because of the cost.**

We offer tuition assistance based on demonstrated financial need to current and new families in K3 through 12th grade. K3 and K4 may apply if they are enrolled in the five-day program. In recognition of the service and sacrifice of our military families, Trinity gratefully extends a 10% discount on tuition to active-duty full-time military families.

Tuition assistance is offered in the form of a grant and does not require repayment; however, families are encouraged to make financial contributions to the school if and when their financial situation improves. Each family is expected to pay a portion of the cost of their student's education or find resources apart from Trinity. It is important that families carefully consider their financial obligation for the amount that is not provided, either through others or Trinity tuition assistance, including the incidental costs. Families must reapply each year, and the amount of assistance may change.

Decisions regarding tuition assistance are made separately from the admission process and those wishing to apply for tuition assistance must first be accepted for admission. To continue to obtain assistance, students must maintain the grade point average required to attend Trinity. New families must contact Mary Elizabeth Collett at 334.213.2157 or [mcollett@trinitywildcats.com](mailto:mcollett@trinitywildcats.com) for additional information.

### The Tuition Assistance Process

Trinity currently utilizes the Financial Aid of School Tuition (FAST) program provided by Independent School Management (ISM) to objectively determine a family's ability to pay for tuition, and Trinity reviews this information with strict confidentiality. Families applying for tuition assistance are required to complete the application. They are also required to submit to FAST a signed copy of their most recent federal and state income tax returns, including a copy of a W-2 and other forms. Awards are made pending FAST's comparison of the application to the submitted tax reports. Should significant discrepancies be discovered in the information provided to the FAST system, the school reserves the right to withdraw tuition assistance at any time during the school year. The link to FAST can be found on MyBackpack after the school application has been processed.

### Alabama Accountability Act of 2013

The Alabama Accountability Act of 2013 permitted the formation of non-profit "scholarship granting organizations" (SGO). These SGO's are funded by individual and corporate contributions and provide scholarships to financially eligible lower income K5-12th grade students in the state of Alabama. SGO scholarships can provide some or all the funding for students to attend independent schools. Trinity is an approved school partnering with Scholarship for Kids and with Alabama Opportunity Scholarship Fund (AOSF). Please contact the Admission Office for more information about this scholarship opportunity. To apply for a scholarship, a student must meet Trinity's admission requirements. For more information on the Alabama Accountability Act please visit [alhousegop.com/accountability](http://alhousegop.com/accountability).