



# Cambridge Christian School

## 2017-2018 Tuition and Enrollment Fees

Early Childhood to Grade 12

### NEW STUDENT APPLICATION FEE:

A **NON-REFUNDABLE, ONE-TIME** application fee of **\$125** accompanies each new student application.

### ANNUAL TUITION:

| Little Lambs<br>(3 months-2yrs)                   | PK - 3  | PK - 4  | Kindergarten | 1 <sup>st</sup> – 5 <sup>th</sup><br>Grade | 6 <sup>th</sup><br>Grade | 7 <sup>th</sup> – 8 <sup>th</sup><br>Grade | 9 <sup>th</sup> – 12 <sup>th</sup><br>Grade |
|---------------------------------------------------|---------|---------|--------------|--------------------------------------------|--------------------------|--------------------------------------------|---------------------------------------------|
| \$8,591<br>(10 months)<br>\$10,309<br>(12 months) | \$8,359 | \$8,807 | \$10,481     | \$11,814                                   | \$13,434                 | \$14,077                                   | \$15,431                                    |

### PAYMENT OPTIONS:

- **Single Annual Payment** – due on or before May 1, 2017. Discount will apply.
- **Semi-Annual Payment** – two equal payments due on or before May 1, 2017 and November 1, 2017. Discount will apply.
- **10(Ten) Monthly Automatic Bank Payment** - from May 2017 – February 2018. Parents must enroll in the automatic bank payment plan, under which parents may elect the 5<sup>th</sup> or 20<sup>th</sup> of each month to have payments automatically debited from their bank account. If not enrolled in the automatic bank payment plan, payment is due on the 1<sup>st</sup> of each month, May through February, and a monthly administrative fee of \$75 will be assessed.

If annual or semester payments are not received by the due date, tuition is payable in ten monthly payments due May 2017 – February 2018. Under all Payment Options, amounts not paid by the due date will be assessed a \$30 late fee.

### ANNUAL ENROLLMENT FEE:

A **NON-REFUNDABLE** annual enrollment fee is required for every new and returning student. Early reenrollment discounts vary upon the time the student reenrolls to Cambridge. A currently enrolled family's tuition account for all children must be paid up to date in order to receive this discount for the 2017-2018 school year. If a student who has received this discount withdraws or is dismissed before the end of the school year, the amount of this discount will be reversed in determining the tuition and fees due for the portion of the year the student attended Cambridge.

- An enrollment fee of **\$375** will be required for each student enrolled for the 2017-2018 school year at Cambridge Christian School between January 30, 2017 – February 3, 2017.
- An enrollment fee of **\$525** will be required for each student enrolled for the 2017-2018 school year at Cambridge Christian School between February 6, 2017 – February 17, 2017.
- An enrollment fee of **\$625** will be required for each student enrolled for the 2017-2018 school year at Cambridge Christian School after February 17, 2017.
- An enrollment fee of **\$600** will be required for all new students enrolled for the 2017-2018 school year at Cambridge Christian School.

**WITHDRAWAL:** For students withdrawing after May 1, a withdrawal fee of 10% of the annual tuition is due. For students withdrawing after the first day of school, tuition is pro-rated on a monthly basis and a withdrawal fee of 10% of the remaining annual tuition is due. **Report card(s), transcript(s), and diploma(s) are released AFTER financial obligations are paid in full.**



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## 2017-2018 Discounts

**Sibling Discount** – This \$200 discount is available to each family with more than one student enrolled at CCS. The oldest student will pay the full tuition and each additional sibling enrolled from the same family thereafter will be eligible to deduct \$200 from their total tuition. Children must be siblings living in the same household with parents/guardians (except for court-ordered shared custody or guardianship arrangements) who are financially responsible for tuition in order to be eligible. If a student who has received this discount withdraws or is dismissed before the end of the school year, the amount of this discount will be reversed in determining the tuition and fees due for the portion of the year the student attended CCS.

**Kingdom Family Training Discount** – This \$250 discount is a one-time discount offered to all families for attending two of the following four Kingdom Family Training areas:

1. Kingdom Parenting 101 – Will be offered during the spring semester of every school year on campus at Cambridge Christian School. Parents may only attend this offering one time to be counted towards discount.
2. Financial Peace University – Financial Peace University or a financial planning equivalent may be used as one of the four Kingdom Family Training opportunities.
3. CCS Family Orientation – Offered during the fall of 2017. Designed for new families only (where applicable both parents must attend).
4. Parenting/Family Conference – Offered between June 1, 2017-May 31, 2018. This conference should be at least 8 hours in length and support Kingdom Education principles (where applicable both parents must attend).
5. Spiritual Growth Conference – This conference must consist of at least 12 hours in length. The conference must be designed to help parents/families grow in their faith. Small group, weekly discipleship groups, Sunday School, and other weekly related church or personal activities cannot apply to this category (where applicable both parents must attend).

\* All conferences can be attended through local churches and must include foundations of biblical principles.  
\* If a student who has received this discount withdraws or is dismissed before the end of the school year, the amount of this discount will be reversed in determining the tuition and fees due for the portion of the year the student attended CCS.

**Student Referral Discount** – A \$200 discount will be applied to the tuition of any family that has referred a new student to CCS, and the new student is accepted and enrolled. The referred student must complete the application process, admissions interview process, be working on grade level, be behaviorally mission appropriate and supportive of the school's Biblical Worldview. This discount will be applied once a new student has attended classes at CCS. Student Referral Discount can only be claimed by one CCS family and cannot be split among families. If a student who has received this discount withdraws or is dismissed before the end of the school year, the amount of this discount will be reversed in determining the tuition and fees due for the portion of the year the student attended CCS.

**Full Payment Discount** – Tuition accounts which are paid in full by May 1, 2017 will receive a tuition discount of 3%. Annual payments must be received by May 1, 2017 for returning students or at the time of enrollment for new students to qualify for this discount. A 1% discount will be given for semester payments and are due May 1, 2017 and November 1, 2017. If a student who has received this discount withdraws or is dismissed before the end of the school year, the amount of this discount will be reversed in determining the tuition and fees due for the portion of the year the student attended CCS.



## Tuition Assistance Program 2017-2018

Every child should have the opportunity to receive a **Kingdom Education**: a life-long, Bible-based, Christ-centered education that leads him to Christ, disciples him in Christ and equips him to serve Christ. In America today, getting a Kingdom Education for your children is not free, but it is the most precious thing you can give them. Unlike a secular education which only prepares a child for college or life, a Kingdom Education is for eternity. Since your child will live forever, shouldn't his/her education?

The tuition at CCS is among the best values for parents in the Tampa community. Yet for a number of our families, it is still an unreachable challenge without assistance. In order to grant access to a Kingdom Education at CCS for more families, the school began a Tuition Assistance Program. This program provides financial assistance to families who need help managing the tuition. To be considered for tuition assistance, a new student must first apply to the school, pay the application fee, and be accepted for admission. Current students must complete Online Enrollment and pay the annual enrollment fee. All grants are awarded on the basis of the family's financial need as indicated by an independent third party assessment service and availability of funds for making grants. If the tuition assistance offer does not meet the family need, the enrollment fee may be refunded. To receive this refund, application for tuition assistance must be fully completed and verified by May 1<sup>st</sup>. For any returning students applying for tuition assistance after the May 1<sup>st</sup> deadline, the family forfeits their enrollment fee and will be subject to the withdrawal policy in the Continuous Enrollment Agreement.

It is our hope and desire that no family would fail to reenroll based solely on financial need. Therefore, CCS encourages families and businesses that God has blessed to give to the CCS Moses Fund so that other families can attend. All gifts are tax-deductible.

Cambridge Christian School utilizes the online service of Independent School Management Financial Aid for School Tuition (FAST) Program to process applications.

FAST does not decide whether tuition assistance will be given or how much to give; rather, FAST provides a need-based financial aid analysis service which includes a recommendation of what a family should reasonably contribute toward tuition. All information from FAST is kept confidential. Results are reviewed by the Financial Aid Committee who makes final decisions based on next year's budget. Upon approval by the Committee, financial aid offers are then sent to families.

As a reminder, you must reapply each year. To start the process, please do the following:

- Log onto the FAST website using the link.  
<https://www.ismfast.com/FastPage.php?id=65ab673ded9719661d827b53b1f2c150>
- The application process is self-guided. You may navigate in and out of the program allowing you to partially complete an application and go back to it at another time. Online email and a 24/7 helpline is provided.
- The charge for the application is \$43.00 to be paid by credit card at the end of the session. If you do not have a credit card please call the Business Office at 813-872-6744 ext. 266 for assistance.
- After completing the online application, you will be required to mail your 2016 tax returns (2015 tax returns are acceptable before April 17, 2017) for both state and federal taxes with all schedules and W-2's to:
  - FAST Processing  
ISM  
1316 North Union Street  
Wilmington DE 19806-2594
- Online application submissions may begin starting January 3, 2017.
- The 2017-2018 online submission deadline for early consideration is February 15, 2017.

While no financial aid procedure can be entirely equitable – there are simply too many individual factors and extenuating circumstances – this process that has been selected should serve our school community well. Among its many features is the ability to further secure your financial data and maintain the high degree of confidentiality that past recipients most appreciate.



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## Student Fees 2017-2018

### Early Childhood to Grade 6

Over the course of a school year, there are times when it may be necessary for CCS to charge additional fees to cover the costs of events, programs, courses, activities, etc. This occurs most often when costs vary from grade to grade, or the fee covers the cost of a chosen course or activity. Below are the estimated costs of potential fees that may be incurred during the school year.

#### Little Lambs (Babies-2 years)

|                                                         |                       |
|---------------------------------------------------------|-----------------------|
| Activity Fee (1 and 2-year old only)                    | \$50                  |
| Optional Monthly lunch (Chick-Fil-A or Culvers)         | \$6 (2-year old only) |
| Yearbook optional (Little Lambs-12 <sup>th</sup> grade) | \$75.00               |
| School Photos (individual and class)                    | Varies by packages    |

#### Preschool (PK3-PK4)

|                                                         |                                                               |
|---------------------------------------------------------|---------------------------------------------------------------|
| Activity Fee                                            | \$75                                                          |
| Optional Monthly lunch (Chick-Fil-A or Culvers)         | \$6                                                           |
| Extended Day Registration Fee                           | \$50                                                          |
| Extended Day Charge (if registered)                     | \$5 per hour or Annual Plan - Morning \$300, Afternoon \$1900 |
| Yearbook optional (Little Lambs-12 <sup>th</sup> grade) | \$75                                                          |
| School Photos (individual and class)                    | Varies by package                                             |
| Field Trips                                             | Varies from \$5 and up (most trips included in tuition)       |
| Daily Lunch                                             | \$4 (AM snack included)                                       |

#### Lower School Fees (Grades K-6)

|                                                         |                                                               |
|---------------------------------------------------------|---------------------------------------------------------------|
| Field Trips                                             | Varies from \$5 and up (most trips included in tuition)       |
| School Photos (individual and class)                    | Varies by package                                             |
| Yearbook optional (Little Lambs-12 <sup>th</sup> grade) | \$75                                                          |
| Elementary Athletics                                    | \$75 and up                                                   |
| Afterschool Clubs                                       | \$50-\$250                                                    |
| Extended Day Registration Fee                           | \$50                                                          |
| Extended Day Charge (if registered)                     | \$5 per hour or Annual Plan - Morning \$300, Afternoon \$1900 |
| Optional Monthly Lunch (Chick-Fil-A or Culvers)         | \$6 per lunch                                                 |
| Daily Lunch for K-5 <sup>th</sup> Grade                 | \$4.50 (AM snack included through 2 <sup>nd</sup> grade)      |
| Daily Lunch 6 <sup>th</sup> Grade                       | \$6.50, A La Carte Options \$1.50-\$4.00                      |

**Please note: This list is not exhaustive, and it may not represent every possible charge. CCS does whatever possible to keep costs down, making it easier for families and students to participate in and enjoy their Cambridge Christian School experience.**



# Cambridge Christian School Student Fees 2017-2018

## Grades 7-12

Over the course of a school year, there are times when it may be necessary for CCS to charge additional fees to cover the costs of events, programs, courses, activities, etc. This occurs most often when costs vary from grade to grade, or the fee covers the cost of a chosen course or activity. Below are the estimated costs of potential fees that may be incurred during the school year.

### Middle School (7<sup>th</sup> and 8<sup>th</sup>)

|                                                         |                                                                                                                                |
|---------------------------------------------------------|--------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| Yearly Curricular Fee (required for all students)       | \$225                                                                                                                          |
| Band Fee                                                | Clothing \$150 and up, Performances \$12 and up                                                                                |
| Choral Fee                                              | Clothing \$150 and up, Performances \$12 and up                                                                                |
| Fall Play Participation Fee                             | Ranges from \$25 - \$50, plus \$5 for rehearsal dinners                                                                        |
| Events (MS Parties and Quarterly Events)                | Varies from \$5 and up                                                                                                         |
| After School Clubs                                      | Costs vary                                                                                                                     |
| Field Trips                                             | Varies from \$5 and up                                                                                                         |
| J-Term (all students are required to participate)       | Classes and Trips range from \$30 - \$175                                                                                      |
| Yearbook optional (Little Lambs-12 <sup>th</sup> grade) | \$75                                                                                                                           |
| Athletic Fees (additional sports gear fees may apply)   | \$300 for MS Football, \$150 for 1 <sup>st</sup> sport (Middle School),<br>\$100 for 2 <sup>nd</sup> and 3 <sup>rd</sup> sport |
| Daily Lunch                                             | \$6.50, A La Carte Options \$1.50-\$4                                                                                          |

### High School (9<sup>th</sup> – 12<sup>th</sup>)

|                                                         |                                                                                                         |
|---------------------------------------------------------|---------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| Yearly Curricular Fee (required for all students)       | \$225                                                                                                   |
| AP Class E-Textbook Fee                                 | Varies by class \$30 - \$70                                                                             |
| Band Fee                                                | Clothing \$150 and up, Performances \$12 and up                                                         |
| Choral Fee                                              | Clothing \$150 and up, Performances \$12 and up                                                         |
| Choral Trip                                             | \$1800                                                                                                  |
| Musical Participation Fee                               | Ranges \$150 - \$200, plus \$5 rehearsal dinners                                                        |
| Fall Play Participation Fee                             | Ranges \$25 - \$50, plus \$5 rehearsal dinners                                                          |
| Events (Homecoming, Prom and HS Events)                 | Varies from \$40 and up                                                                                 |
| After School Clubs                                      | Costs vary                                                                                              |
| School Clubs & Societies                                | SLi \$100, Honor Societies/Key Club dues \$11 - \$25,<br>Ambassadors/Student Council shirts \$15        |
| Field Trips                                             | Varies from \$12 and up, 9 <sup>th</sup> grade Keys Trip \$600                                          |
| J-Term (all students are required to participate)       | Classes and Trips range from \$30 - \$1800                                                              |
| AP Tests                                                | Varies by subject and quantity of exams                                                                 |
| Yearbook optional (Little Lambs-12 <sup>th</sup> grade) | \$75                                                                                                    |
| Senior Year                                             | Parent will receive detailed information in the spring prior to senior year                             |
| Athletics Fees (additional sports gear fees may apply)  | \$300 for 1st sport (JV or Varsity), \$100 for 2 <sup>nd</sup> or 3 <sup>rd</sup> sport (JV or Varsity) |
| Daily Lunch                                             | \$6.50, A La Carte Options \$1.50-\$4                                                                   |

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# Continuous Enrollment Q & A: 2017-2018

## 2017-2018 Enrollment Dates At-a-Glance:

- **January 3:** Tuition Assistance applications may begin to be submitted
- **January 30 – February 3:** Early re-enrollment deadline for an enrollment fee of \$375
- **February 6 – 17:** Early re-enrollment deadline for an enrollment fee of \$525
- **After February 17:** Enrollment fee is \$625 for returning families
- **February 15:** Tuition Assistance online submission deadline for early consideration
- **May 1:** Annual and Semi-Annual Tuition payments due
- **May 1:** Deadline to give written notification of student withdrawal without penalty

### Q: What is Continuous Enrollment?

A: Continuous enrollment will mean that year after year you will not be required to complete a new enrollment agreement. Students will be continuously enrolled from the time of their initial enrollment until they graduate from Cambridge Christian School. Continuous enrollment will allow us to streamline the enrollment process, maximize our resources and save families time and effort.

### Q: How is Continuous Enrollment different from the annual re-enrollment process?

A: Under the traditional re-enrollment process, a new enrollment agreement would have to be signed every year. With a continuous enrollment agreement, you never have to re-enroll again (unless your family plans a change). In the event your continuous enrollment does need to change, you will have until May 1<sup>st</sup> every year to simply notify the Business Office in writing without any penalty (*see Tuition and Enrollment Fees document for more information*).

### Q: When will this take place?

A: Continuous enrollment will start on January 30, 2017. Please note if your family is re-enrolling for the 2017-2018 school year, you will be signing an online continuous enrollment agreement for each child. You will no longer need to re-enroll your child after signing this agreement.

### Q: Will I still pay an annual Enrollment Fee with Continuous Enrollment?

A: Yes. Beginning with the 2018-2019 school year, the annual Enrollment Fee will be renamed the Continuous Enrollment Fee and continue as an annual enrollment fee on each student in order to hold your student's place for the following school year.

### Q: How will the Continuous Enrollment Fee be collected each year?

A: Starting in 2018, the Continuous Enrollment Fee for each student is billed to the family's RenWeb account in January. **For full pay, semester pay and non-ACH families, payment is due in full by February 1<sup>st</sup>.**

Smart Tuition families: The Continuous Enrollment Fee will be divided into three installments, and applied to each family's Smart Tuition account for withdrawal on February 5<sup>th</sup> (20<sup>th</sup>), March 5<sup>th</sup> (20<sup>th</sup>), and April 5<sup>th</sup> (20<sup>th</sup>). ***Smart Tuition families who do not want their Continuous Enrollment Fee applied to their Smart Tuition account must notify the Business Office at [billing@ccslancers.com](mailto:billing@ccslancers.com) on or before January 31<sup>st</sup>. Payment is then due in full by February 1<sup>st</sup>.***

### Q: What happens if I do not pay my Continuous Enrollment Fee?

- A:
1. A \$30 per month late fee will be charged to the family's RenWeb account if the Continuous Enrollment Fee is not paid by February 1<sup>st</sup>; and
  2. The student will remain in an open status and not placed on the student list. Once the Continuous Enrollment Fee and late fees are paid, the student will be placed on the student list as space is available.