

TUITION and FEES 2014-2015

The following tuition and fees have been set by the SDFAS Board of Trustees for the academic year 2014-2015.
All rates are listed in U.S. dollars.

Application Fee: \$150

Non-refundable application fee applies to all new applicants.

Testing Fee: \$100

Applicable to all students applying for pre-elementary and kindergarten, and to those students in 1st to 8th grade not previously enrolled in a school accredited by the French Ministry of National Education.

Admissions Fee: \$1,000

A one-time, non-refundable admissions fee for new accepted students is due with the enrollment agreement, in addition to a tuition deposit. The admissions fee for siblings of new students or for siblings of current students is **\$250**.

Tuition Deposit: \$1,000

Applies to all students. **The tuition deposit and enrollment agreements are due by February 14, 2014 for returning students and due by March 21, 2013 for new students.** The non-refundable deposit guarantees the student's enrollment, and is applied to the total tuition amount. Financial Aid applicants should contact the Admissions Office for deposit deadlines.

Late Enrollment: \$250

Returning students who register after the **deadline of February 14, 2014** will be assessed a late enrollment fee of **\$250**. Late re-enrollments after February 14, 2014 will forfeit any discounts. Students may be placed on a waiting list for classes that are full. Financial aid applicants: see Financial Aid information below.

Tuition: (Tuition rates on page 2)

The tuition rate is for the entire school year. All payment plans begin in July, 2014 for the school year commencing in September. Refer to the enrollment agreement for payment plan options.

Annual Fee: (Fees on page 2)

The annual fee covers the cost of textbooks, classroom and testing materials, insurance, school T-shirt, agenda, workbooks, notebooks, local field trips and transportation, preschool snacks, and Parents' Association fee.

Financial Aid:

SDFAS offers limited tuition assistance to qualified applicants **in K to 8th**. SDFAS Financial Aid applicants must submit a non-refundable deposit of **\$250**. Contact the Admissions Office for Financial Aid information and an application form.

Bourse Scolaire:

The French government awards student grants to French nationals, three years and older, who demonstrate financial need. The *bourse scolaire* application forms are available in the SDFAS office or online <http://www.consulfrance-losangeles.org/spip.php?article1036>. The admissions fee (first year only) for new students who are applying for the French *bourse* is **\$250** and the tuition deposit is **\$250**.

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Full-Time Students:

	PKo (age 2)	Grades PK1, PK2, K and 1st to 5th	Grades 6, 7, 8 Middle School
Tuition	\$15,200	\$14,500	\$15,500
Fees	750	750	950
TOTAL	\$15,950	\$15,250	\$16,450

Part-Time Students in PKo (age 2) and PK1 (age 3) only:

	PKo (age 2) 5 mornings	PKo (age 2) 3 full days/week M,W, F	PKo (age 2) 2 full days/week T, TH	PK1 (age 3) 5 mornings
Tuition	\$14,000	\$12,500	\$ 10,000	\$13,500
Fees	750	750	750	750
TOTAL	\$14,750	\$13,250	\$10,750	\$14,250

Children in PK1 (3 years) must be toilet trained by the first day of school.

SDFAS reserves the right to cancel a class due to insufficient enrollment.

See Enrollment Agreement for payment plan options. Tuition and fees may be paid by check or credit card directly to SDFAS for Plan A. Plans B, C, and D payments must be processed through FACTS Tuition Management Company. Please contact the Financial Office (x 303) for a detailed listing of the payment options.

Prior to a student attending SDFAS: The Admissions Fee (new students only), Tuition Deposit and signed Enrollment Agreement must be returned to the Financial Office, and the payments must be up-to-date.

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Transportation

Carmel Valley: \$2,250

Encinitas: \$2,500

Extended Care

Extended hours: **7:30 – 8:00 a.m. and 3:00 – 6:00 p.m.**

Minimum day extended daycare: **noon to 6 p.m.**

The annual fee for extended care is **\$1,700**. Sibling fee is **\$1,500**.

Extended care is optional and is provided as a service for parents. This fee must be prepaid. The Extended Care Fee may be purchased for the entire year or hourly and paid for at the Financial Office by check or credit card. Fees vary from \$5.50-\$10, depending on the number of hours purchased.

Hot Lunch

Hot lunch is provided every school day except on minimum days by Girard Gourmet: **\$5.00** per day for K-8th and **\$4.50** per day for Pre-Elementary students. A lunch contract is available in the office, payable by the trimester or in one annual payment. There is a 5% discount if paid in full for the year by the first day of school. See the Enrichment Program Director to purchase the hot lunch program.

Yearbook

The yearbook may be ordered and purchased at the time of enrollment.

ESL/FLE – English or French as a Second Language

These fees apply to new students entering 1st to 8th grade who are required to participate in the ESL/FLE program. This program is compulsory for new students who need to acquire basics of the target language in order to increase their capability of success in a dual-language immersion curriculum. Current students may participate in this program as needed and upon the teacher's recommendation. SDFAS reserves the right to adapt the program to the student's abilities and the school's schedule and availability of faculty.

Language	Class periods/week	Schedule	Fee per year
*ESL (English) or FLE (French)	4	During school hours or study hall	\$900
\$225 per additional period / year			

* Students may also enroll in homework class as part of the After School Activities program. Enrollment agreement may be amended to reflect the actual number of hours dedicated to FLE or ESL.

Tuition Plus

Families who choose to contribute to Tuition Plus have special benefits such as preferred access to the library, reserved seating or parking at student shows, etc.

Funds raised by the Tuition Plus program are restricted in the SDFAS Reserve Fund for improvement of the existing campus or future acquisition of a permanent facility. Tuition Plus is considered a donation and is tax deductible under the school's not-for-profit 501(c)(3) status.

Contribution Levels

_____ \$1,000 Tuition Plus Contributor

_____ \$2,500 Tuition Plus Benefactor

_____ \$5,000 Tuition Plus Patron

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