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Greetings, we pray that you and your family are enjoying the summer days together. Below are some important items that we would like to share with you. We are in the office most days, so if you need anything please stop by or call.

The theme for the 2020--2021 school year is: Proverbs 3:5

Trust in the Lord with all your heart, and do not lean on your own understanding.

- REGISTRATION DAY – Tuesday, August 18.** We offer 2 sessions: 9:00 A.M. to 11:30 A.M. and 5:00 P.M. to 7:30 P.M. Families are required to attend one session. If your family cannot make this date, please call the school office to arrange another time between August 19 and August 25. During this time families schedule home visits with their teachers, sign up for music and athletic activities, complete emergency forms, sign up to volunteer, purchase PE uniforms, t-shirts, yearbooks and lunches and pay other fees and tuition. It is helpful to have your doctor information with you at registration. New students, preschoolers and kindergarteners need to bring copies of immunization records & birth certificates, if not already provided.
- FIRST DAY OF SCHOOL K - 8 – Wednesday, August 26.** Our first day will be a full day of school for everyone except the 1st and 2nd grades. To help them ease back in to school they will have a slightly shorter day the first week. They will dismiss at 1:30 P.M. on Wednesday, Thursday and Friday, August 26, 27 and 28, just the first week. All other grades will dismiss at the normal time of 3:00 P.M. We realize this may be inconvenient for some of you with older siblings. The doors open daily at 8:00 A.M. with classes beginning at 8:15 A.M. Opening Chapel Service will be at 8:30 A.M on August 26. Parents are always welcome and encouraged to attend.
- EARLY CHILDHOOD PROGRAM (ECP) DATES:** ECP Orientation is on August 24, from 6:30 – 7:30 P.M. This orientation is a family event to allow the children to meet their teachers, see their classroom and drop off school supplies. **First day of classes:** 3-day and 5-day programs begin on Monday, August 31 and the 2-day preschool begins on Tuesday, September 1.
- SCHOOL T-SHIRTS –** We will have t-shirts available at registration for purchase for \$10. We are asking that each child have a t-shirt to wear for group activities and field trips. If your child already has a Trinity shirt you will not need to purchase another one; however, you may want to purchase one anyway since they are a different-fun style with the 2020/21 school theme.
- 12th ANNUAL TRINITY TEE-OFF –** Mark your calendars, **Sunday, September 20, 1:00 P.M. at Pryor Creek.** Plan to put a team together. We are always looking for hole sponsors and flag prize donations. If you are interested in supporting this, give Jonathan a call at 670-9668. Give the church or school office a call if you have questions. Flyers will be available soon. It is always a fun day for all.
- VOLUNTEERS –** If you would like to volunteer, please visit our “Volunteer Table” during registration and check out new and returning opportunities. Volunteers are an important part of the school and we have many opportunities to fit your schedule, whether a little or a lot.
- FAMILY PHOTO REMINDER –** Summer is a great time to take that family photo for our class boards. These are put up outside each classroom, helping new and old families put a face with a name. **We want current photos.** A photo taken with your phone works great. The idea is that new families can begin to put names and faces together. Pictures that are several years old do not accomplish that.
- TEACHERS AND STAFF UPDATES –** We welcome Mrs. Jennifer Boll as our 1st grade teacher and Mrs. Rebecca Scanson as our resource teacher.

We still have openings in many of our classes for the fall. If you have friends or family looking for a Christ-centered education for their children, we would love to share why we feel Trinity is the best option. Summer is always a time for change in our enrollment. If you have concerns or have decided that your children will not be attending, please contact the office as soon as possible.



2020-2021 Tuition and Fees

(Effective July 1, 2020)

Tuitions have been posted in your family Sycamore account. If you need help logging in to Sycamore or have any questions, please contact the school office. If you would like to utilize electronic payment options in Sycamore, you can follow the instructions below to set it up within your Sycamore Account.

- Log into Sycamore at <https://app.sycamoreeducation.com/index.php?schoolid=3030> using your username and password (please contact the school office if you need these).
- On the left-hand side of the screen, click on "My Accounting" and then on "Summary." The Summary screen will show you an overview of your Trinity accounts.
- On the Summary screen, click on the "Payment Methods" tab at the top of the screen in blue.
- On the Payment Methods screen, click on the blue "Add Method" button on the upper right-hand corner.
- A pop-up screen will open and allow you to enter information for credit card or eCheck (electronic bank transfer) payments. Please note that the credit card and eCheck options are on different tabs at the top. If you do not see this pop-up screen, please check to ensure that your pop-up blocker is disabled for Sycamore.
- Once you have set up payment methods you will be able to make electronic payments for tuition, daycare, cafeteria and any other fees at Trinity.

Please note that there is a 1% convenience fee for eCheck transactions and a 3% fee for credit card transactions. This is to cover the costs associated with offering this service. Trinity will continue to accept checks and cash if you would prefer to use these methods of payment.

Also, if you would like to use the 12-month payment option for tuition, your first payment will be due by July 15. If you are choosing this option, please drop off your July payment at the school office by the 20th. If we do not receive a tuition payment from you by July 20 then we will assume that you will be using the 10 or 11-month payment plan for the coming school year.

Word of mouth has always been our most effective means of letting people know about Trinity. So, as a special incentive for our returning families, we are offering a \$500 credit to your tuition account for any new family that enrolls in kindergarten through 8th grade and indicates that it was because of your recommendation they chose to enroll their children.



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Actual Cost to Educate a Child at Trinity (K-8) is over \$6,200/year

Monthly Tuition Rates	12 Month Plan (1st payment in July)	11 Month Plan	10 Month Plan	9 Month Plan (Preschool only)	Annually
2-Day Preschool (3+ yrs old) (Tu/Th 8:15-11:15am or 12:00-3:00pm)	NA	NA	NA	\$160	\$1,440
3-Day Preschool (3+ yrs old) (M/W/F from 8:15-11:15am or 12:00-3:00pm)	NA	NA	NA	\$190	\$1,710
Pre-K (4+ yrs old) (M-F from 8:15-11:15am or 12:00-3:00pm)	NA	NA	NA	\$339	\$3,050
Pre-K: Tuition with Trinity Member Scholarship (M-F from 8:15-11:15am or 12:00-3:00pm)	NA	NA	NA	\$211	\$1,900
Kindergarten (5+ yrs old) (M-F from 8:15-11:15am or 12:00-3:00pm)	\$254	\$277	\$305	NA	\$3,050
Kindergarten: Tuition with Trinity Member Scholarship (M-F from 8:15-11:15am or 12:00-3:00pm)	\$158	\$173	\$190	NA	\$1,900
Grade 1-8: Tuition for First Student	\$433	\$473	\$520	NA	\$5,200
Grade 1-8: Tuition with Second Student Scholarship*	\$371	\$405	\$445	NA	\$4,450
Grade 1-8: Tuition with Third+ Student Scholarship*	\$317	\$345	\$380	NA	\$3,800
Grade 1-8: Tuition with Trinity Member Scholarship* (same rate for multiple students)	\$238	\$259	\$285	NA	\$2,850

* Cannot receive both Trinity Member Scholarship and Multiple Student Scholarship for same child

Daycare Rates	
Hourly Rate	\$4.75
Day Rate (7+ hours)	\$32
Monthly Rate	\$550
Before and After Preschool (Per month, in addition to tuition)	\$440
Before & After Kindergarten or Pre-K (Per month, in addition to tuition)	\$365

Enrollment Fees	
PS and Pre-K	\$150 (Max. \$425/family)
K-8	\$225 (Max. \$425/family)
Expansion Fee	\$200/family (K-8 only) This is to help off-set the cost of a \$2M expansion in 2016. Once the project is paid for this fee will no longer be applied.