



Tuition and Fees Schedule 2023-2024

Forest Playgroup for Caregiver and Child: Call for multi-age classes, session dates/times and tuition rates (518-587-2224)

EARLY CHILDHOOD PROGRAMS

Preschool Program: Little Acorns (For children who are 21 months to 3 years old)

2-day Option	8:30 AM – 11:30 AM	Tuition:	\$5,125	Supply Fee: \$250
3-day Option	8:30 AM – 11:30 AM	Tuition:	\$7,750	Supply Fee: \$410
5-day Option	8:30 AM – 11:30 AM	Tuition:	\$12,250	Supply Fee: \$580

Mixed-Age Kindergarten Program for 3, 4, 5 and 6 year olds

Morning care* (7:15 AM - 8:15 AM) Full Year: \$1,422

3-day Program (For children who are 3 turning 4)

Full day (8:15 AM – 2:15 PM)	Tuition:	\$11,000	Supply Fee: \$410
Half day (8:15 AM – 12:15 PM)	Tuition:	\$8,625	

5-day Program (For children who are 3-6 years old)

Full day (8:15 AM – 2:15 PM)	Tuition: Sliding scale up to:	\$15,950	Supply Fee: \$580
Half day (8:15 AM – 12:15 PM)	Tuition: Sliding scale up to:	\$12,750	

Aftercare* (2:15 PM - 5:00 PM) Full Year: \$3,555

*A la carte options available for morning care and aftercare. See admissions office for details.

LOWER SCHOOL

Aftercare is available for grades 1 – 5, and grades 6 – 8 on an individual basis.

Grades 1 – 5	8:00 AM – 2:30 PM	Tuition: Sliding scale up to \$18,000	Supply Fee: \$410	Activity Fee: \$575
Grades 6 – 8	8:00 AM – 2:30 PM	Tuition: Sliding scale up to \$19,000	Supply Fee: \$410	Activity Fee \$675

All students pay a fee of \$10 for student accident insurance and emergency contact service.

Activity Fee: This fee covers expenses associated with all required and planned class trips for grades 1-12.

Supply Fee: This fee covers materials used during the school year, such as lesson books, certain writing and drawing implements, handwork materials, music materials, classroom furniture and the cost of gym rental and bus transportation to support our physical education program. In the early childhood programs, the supply fee covers all activities and supplies, including food.

Student Accident Insurance:/Emergency Contact Service: Provides additional insurance covering medical, hospital, and dental services needed if the student is injured on school premises or during a school-sponsored trip. Emergency contact service fee covers school-wide parental notification in the event of an emergency.

Sliding Scale Tuition: Sliding scale tuition is available to students in 5-Day Kindergarten through Grade 12. Please contact the Business Office (518-584-7682) for further information.

Sibling Discount: Available to all families with multiple children. Second sibling discounted 10%, third and fourth siblings discounted 20%.

ADDITIONAL PROGRAM INFORMATION

Waldorf Within Reach: The school is committed to making Waldorf education financially accessible to all families who want to attend. Our online Tuition Estimator gives families the ability to see their tuition

level range based on income and other fiscal variables. During the application process, families in all of our 5-day programs – Grade 12 will have the ability to seek further tuition modifications in the form of scholarships in addition to the published scale. The Within Reach Committee will work hard to accommodate all requests and needs. However, being self-funded from our annual budget, our scholarship funds are finite, so please understand that we cannot guarantee that every family will receive the full amount of its requested or needed assistance. Applications for scholarships are available at the Regent Street buildings, and online at the school's website or from the business office at finance@waldorfsaratoga.org.

Deposits: As in previous years, we will continue to automatically roll over enrollment deposits this year to hold a place for your child for the 2023-2024 school year. Families not returning should submit a withdrawal letter to Alexandra Queenan via email (admissions@waldorfsaratoga.org) or via hard copy. Deadlines for notifying the admissions office will be March 15, 2023 for all programs. If you choose not to continue and notify us by this date, the business office will issue you a check returning your tuition deposit after the end of the school year if your account is in good standing with a zero balance. For all other withdrawals, the deposit is forfeited.

PROGRAM INFORMATION FOR RETURNING FAMILIES

Sibling Discount: 10% discount on the first additional child's tuition; 20% for the third and fourth children in qualifying families.

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The link to the FACTS online sliding scale application is here and open for the next school year:

<https://online.factsmgmt.com/grant-aid/inst/4MK3W/landing-page>

(Remember to choose the 2023-2024 school year in the drop-down menu.)

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