

# Redlands Adventist Academy

2024-2025 Financial Brochure

"True education ... prepares the student for the joy of service in this world and for the higher joy of wider service in the world to come."

Ellen G. White

# 2024-2025 Financial Policies

#### **Tuition Rates**

Members of the Seventh-day Adventist Church support Adventist education with substantial church and conference subsidies. Therefore, students and/or families who are members of the Seventh-day Adventist Church are charged the *constituent rate*.

Students whose families are not members of the SDA church are charged the **non-constituent rate**.

Students who require an I-20 Form for their visas are charged the **international tuition rate**.

Most educational costs are included in tuition for grades K-12. Please refer to a list of additional charges for all grades at another section in this brochure.

# **Billing Procedures**

The annual tuition amount is the cost of attending RAA for a school year. For your convenience, the annual tuition charge is divided into 11 installments and billed July through May. The monthly installment plan is designed to divide the cost over 11 months and does not signify the cost per month to attend RAA. A monthly statement will be emailed to the financially responsible party. Monthly payments are due and payable in accordance with the payment schedule. No refund will be given for extended absences or vacation periods.

# **Early Withdrawal**

When a student prematurely withdraws from school, a parent or responsible party must fill out a withdrawal form with the office. A student who withdraws during the school year will have the annual tuition prorated. This may result in a credit or a balance on the account, depending on the date of withdrawal.

#### Mid-Year Enrollment

A student who enrolls after August 31 will have the tuition prorated based on the date of enrollment.

#### Constituent Patrons\*

## **Yearly Tuition**

Grades K-3	\$8,217
Grades 4-6**	\$8,602
Grades 7-8	\$9,163
Grades 9-12	\$11,836

# Monthly Tuition: Billed July - May

Grades K-3	\$747
Grades 4-6* <u>*</u>	\$782
Grades 7-8	\$833
Grades 9-12	\$1,076

<sup>\*</sup> Member of a Seventh-day Adventist Church

#### **Non-Constituent Patrons**

# **Yearly Tuition**

Grades K-3	\$10,032
Grades 4-6**	\$10,417
Grades 7-8	\$11,088
Grades 9-12	\$14,388

# Monthly Tuition: Billed July - May

Grades K-3	\$912
Grades 4-6**	\$947
Grades 7-8	\$1,008
Grades 9-12	\$1,308

## **International Patrons**

#### **Yearly Tuition**

Grades K-3	\$12,011
Grades 4-6**	\$12,450
Grades 7-8	\$13,538
Grades 9-12	\$22,092

<sup>\*\*</sup>Grade 6 will be incorporated into Middle School which will include grades 6-8. In this transitional year, tuition rates for 6th grade will not be changed.

#### **Tuition Assistance**

Redlands Adventist Academy does not want finances to be an obstacle that prevents a student from receiving an education at RAA. There are sources of tuition aid available which are outlined in the Financial Aid & Scholarship Program page on the website. The online FACTS Grant and Aid application must be completed to be considered for financial assistance. You maximize your access to financial assistance by applying early.

## Registration

Outstanding accounts at RAA or other SDA schools must be cleared prior to registration at RAA.

All students must apply or re-enroll online through FACTS. Registration is not complete until the first tuition payment due has been paid.

### **Application Fee**

A \$150 non-refundable fee for all new applications is paid upon submitting the application. Applications submitted after July 1 are considered late and will be charged a \$200 non-refundable fee.

#### **Continuous Enrollment Fee**

All re-enrolling students will be charged the continuous enrollment fee in the first week of April as follows: \$150 for the 1st child in a household, and \$100 for each additional sibling. Students who opted out, but who decide to return after July 1st will be charged a \$200 non-refundable fee.

### **Financial Clearance**

Tuition and fees charged to a family account must be paid in full each month to receive financial clearance for overnight trips, semester and final exams, and participation in graduation services for grades K, 8, and 12. Cash or money orders may be required for payment on delinquent accounts. All accounts must be paid in full by Financial Clearance Day on May 17, 2025.

# **Delinquent Accounts**

Accounts must be kept current. Students whose accounts are more than 30 days past due will be placed on an attendance hold until the amount is paid in full or satisfactory financial arrangements are made. Students with unpaid accounts will not be permitted to take semester exams and participate in school-sponsored activities and/or trips. No refunds will be granted for any days missed due to delinquency-related withdrawal.

A family whose account has been delinquent for several months will be required to sign-up for an automatic plan the following year.

# **Payment Methods**

Parents are encouraged to pay online using the FACTS Family Portal. Through the portal, parents may pay with credit cards and ACH. We also accept payments with checks and cash at the business office. Two-party and post-dated checks are not accepted.

#### Miscellaneous Fees

There may be additional charges applied to your account that are not included in tuition. The following are **estimates** and are subject to change:

## **Elementary**

Elementary Elementary Sports	\$125
Middle School	
Bible Conference	\$50
8th Grade Trip	
PE Uniform	
Sports	
High School	
11th Grade Trip (DC Trip)	\$2,200
12th Grade Trip (Senior Trip)	
Music Tour	\$1,000
Music Uniform	
Sports	
eSports	\$100
Publication Workshop	\$200
Bible Conference	\$160
National Honor Society	\$75
SAT	\$60
AP Tests	\$100
PE Uniform	\$20
Other Fees	
Returned Payment Fee	\$25
Transcript Fee	\$10
Continuous Enrollment Fee	
Per Student Fee (before July 1st)	\$150
Per Student Fee (on or after July 1st)	

#### **Textbooks**

Tuition includes required textbooks, workbooks, and online resources K-12.

#### **Discounts**

Redlands Adventist Academy offers the following tuition discounts:

#### **Annual Tuition Discount**

Parents who choose to pay for the school year in advance should contact the business office prior to making a payment no later than July 31, 2024. The business office will apply the \$150/student discount to your account.

#### **Multiple Child Discount**

Families with more than three students in attendance will receive a 25% discount on tuition starting with the 4th child.

# **Before/After School Care**

RAA offers before and after school care for the safety of the students and the convenience of the parents. Students in grades **K-8** are billed for before and after school care. Students in grade **9-12** are billed for before school care only. Students **K-8** are <u>not</u> billed until 30 minutes after dismissal. Please see website for further information about about the fee structure.

# School Lunch Program

Redlands Adventist Academy hot lunch program is brought to us by Najwa Medina, the owner of Najwa's/Angelo's restaurant in Loma Linda.

- Lunches are available M-Th; sack lunches available for minimum days M-Th
- Order lunch on FACTS Family Portal
- Lunches must be ordered the day before lunch is needed, and no later than 9:00am on the day of
- \$6.50 per meal
- A limited supply of "emergency" lunches will be available. The lunch will be charged to your account
- There will be no refunds for cancelled lunches, but you can contact najwa@najwas.com or text (909)264-0340 to request transferring the unused lunch to another day

#### **SCRIP**

The SCRIP program is an easy and effective way to earn money to reduce tuition and incidental costs. Credits earned will be posted to the student account in FACTS on a monthly basis. Please note that SCRIP credit is non-refundable.

SCRIP purchases can be made at the Business Office.

# Part-Time Enrollment (grades 9-12 only)

Part-time enrollment is permitted for students who need a few classes to complement their independent study education. Students in **grades 9-12** may enroll on a part-time status for a maximum of 2 classes. Consideration will be given on an individual basis, and acceptance will be based on availability.

The online application must be completed and the first installment paid before the first day of school. Refer to other guidelines and policies in accordance with the Registrar's office. All other applicable financial policies apply to students on a part-time status.

Students may enroll in a **maximum of 2 academic** classes.

Class per semester: \$1,000Class per year: \$2,000

#### International Students

Students on an I-20 visa are required to pay a \$350 non-refundable application fee. These students are charged the international tuition rate which must be paid in advance, prior to the issuance of the I-20 visa.

#### **QUESTIONS?**

Contact us at finance@redlandsacademy.org