# White Bear Montessori School Schedule of Tuition and Fees 2024-2025 Academic Year

Program/Level	Hours	Tuition
Toddler Half-Day 5 Days/Week	8:30 am - 11:30 am, M-F	\$10,360
Toddler Full-Day 5 Days/Week	8:30 am - 3:30 pm, M-F	\$17,190
Children's House Half-Day 5 Days/Week	8:30 am - 11:30 am, M-F	\$8,815
Children's House Full-Day 5 Days/Week	8:30 am - 3:30 pm, M-F	\$13,820
Children's House Kindergarten Year (5 yr. old) 5 Days/Week	8:30 am - 3:30 pm, M-F	\$13,820*
Elementary (6-12 years) 5 Days/Week	8:30 am - 3:30 pm, M-F	\$11,000

Please note that our school operates in an academic year format with a separate summer program. Tuition covers the academic year, typically from the beginning of September through the first week of June. We offer two payment plans for the academic year tuition: 9-month, and full-pay. Summer registration materials will be shared with current families by February of the current year. The summer program is billed separately from academic year tuition.

## Before and After School Care: 7:30 am - 8:30 am and 3:30 pm - 4:30 pm

Care is available as a contractual option at a monthly rate based on \$9.50 for Toddler or \$8.50 per hour for Children's House and Elementary. Drop-in care may be requested with prior approval from the school office, subject to space availability, at a rate of \$10.00 per hour for Toddler and \$9.00 per hour for Children's House and Elementary.

## **Program Eligibility:**

All children under the age 5 are expected to attend 5 mornings a week, 8:30 am -11:30 am, without exception. Kindergarten and Elementary students are required to attend full-day 8:30 am – 3:30 pm. Children entering their Kindergarten year must be 5 years old *before* September 1st of the school year.

## **Program Fees and Discounts:**

- Application Fee: \$50 New Applicants Only (one per family)
- This is a one-time Application Fee per family and is non-refundable. This is for new applicants and should be attached to the application form.
- <u>Annual</u> Enrollment Fee: \$200 per student

An Annual Enrollment Fee of \$200 is required with a completed Enrollment Contract. This fee is non-refundable and is not a tuition deposit. This fee secures your child's enrollment for the applicable academic year.

• Community Enrichment Fee: \$100 per family

This fee helps cover the cost of community wide events such as the Ice Cream Social, Trunk or Treat, venue rental for an End of Year program and the complimentary childcare offered during some parent education events. This fee will be divided evenly over the course of your payment plan.

#### • Payment Plan Fee: \$100 per student

This fee is applied to those students using the 9-month payment plan. This fee will be divided evenly over the course of your payment plan.

#### • Snack/Supply Fee: \$200 per student

This fee covers consumable supplies such as paper products, wipes, facial tissues, laundry soap, food costs for both the food activities offered in our classrooms as well as providing nutritious food choices for snack. This fee will be divided evenly over the course of your payment plan.

## • Field Trip Fee: \$65.00 per Kindergarten and Elementary student only

This annual fee covers the cost of field trips that Kindergarten and Elementary children participate in during the year. This fee will be included in your first invoice. Permission slips will be sent out prior to each field trip for parents to sign.

#### • Sibling Discount:

For each family with more than one child attending WBMS, a 5% sibling discount will be applied to the child with the highest tuition. Only one discount per family will be applied.

#### • \*Capstone Year Credit:

Each child will receive a \$500 discount for each year they have completed in the Children's House, up to \$1,000. This discount will be applied to their <u>final</u> Kindergarten year. This benefit is intended to support our families in completing the full Children's House Program, which includes the child's Kindergarten year.