

2025 - 2026 Northwood Academy Tuition and Fees

Pre-school Fees

Enrollment	\$ 250
Campus Security	\$ 150
Nursery - Infant, Toddler, Twos (<i>Jun 1 - May 1</i>)	
• 12-Month Tuition (7AM - 3:30PM)	\$1,100/mo
Plus: After-care (until 4:15PM)	\$ 100/mo
- OR -	
After-care (until 6PM)	\$ 300/mo
• School breaks (@ Easter & Christmas)	\$ 275/wk
Pre-school - Early Ed & Pre-K (<i>Aug 1 - May 1</i>)	
• 10-Month Tuition (7AM - 3:30PM)	\$1,000/mo
Plus: After-care (until 4:15PM)	\$ 100/mo
- OR -	
After-care (until 6PM)	\$ 300/mo
• School breaks (@ Easter & Christmas)	\$ 250/wk
• Summer (7AM - 6PM) school summer-break	\$ 250/wk
<small><i>This plan includes activities of Summer on a full-time basis from 7:00AM until 6:00PM Monday - Friday and is for all school summer-break weeks. Weekly payments are auto-drafted each Friday for the following week of Summer. A week's vacation credit is available.</i></small>	
Registration Fee	\$ 100

K - 12 Fees

Enrollment	\$ 250
Campus Security	\$ 150
Technology	\$ 150

Lower School Fees

Tuition – Kindergarten - 5 th Grade	\$8,370
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Payment Plan Options:

- 10 Monthly Payments (Jul 20 - Apr 20) \$ 837/mo
- Tuition Plus After-care - see right panel

Upper School Fees

Tuition – Middle School (6 th - 8 th Grade)	\$9,680
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- 10 Monthly Payments (Jul 20 - Apr 20) \$ 968/mo

Tuition – High School (9 th - 12 th Grade)	\$10,550
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- 10 Monthly Payments (Jul 20 - Apr 20) \$1,055/mo

School Activity Fees

- Athletic Team Participation - Per Season/Sport
- Fine Arts and Clubs - Per Enrolled Activity
- Field Trip - Per Trip
- Orders (Lunch, T-shirts, etc.) - Per Order
- Miscellaneous - As determined

After-School Care & Camp Fees

Lower School After-care - Tuition Plus (Monthly)
Lower School Tuition Plus is offered to students needing a longer day after school on a regular basis. Two monthly plan options are available:

Tuition Plus - After-care (until 4:15PM)	\$ 100/mo
- OR -	
After-care (until 6PM)	\$ 300/mo

Lower School After-care - As-needed (Daily)

As-needed After-care is available after regular school hours until 6PM and is charged on an as-needed, daily basis if a Tuition Plus Plan is not chosen.

- After-care - until 4:15PM \$ 15/day
- until 6:00PM / closing \$ 20/day

Upper School Charger Watch \$ 125/mo

Available until 6:00PM after full school days. Charger Watch is not available on early dismissal days.

Lower School Summer Camp / Camp Day

- Registration Fee \$ 100
- Full-time (Weekly Rate) \$ 250/wk
This plan includes activities of Summer Camp on a full-time basis from 7:00AM until 6:00PM Monday - Friday and is for all Summer Camp weeks. Weekly payments are auto-drafted each Friday for the following week of Summer Camp. A week's vacation credit is available.
- As Needed (Daily Rate) \$ 75/day
This plan includes activities of Summer Camp on an as-needed, daily basis from 7:00AM until 6:00PM Monday - Friday. Bankcard payments are made at the door each day.
- School Year Camp Day \$ 75/day
Offered on an as-needed basis for non-school days and includes all camp-day activities.

K - 12 BUSINESS POLICIES

Northwood Academy serves over 1,000 children and their families. We have, since 1978, developed principles, policies, and business practices that, when administered consistently, permit our fees to remain among the lowest in the private school community, yet permit our service to advance its reputation among the very best in the community.

The School Board has approved the following business policies for Northwood Academy's Lower and Upper School:

Enrollment Fee. This **non-refundable** fee is paid to finalize enrollment.

Technology Fee. This **non-refundable** fee is paid before the 1st day of school.

Campus Security Fee. This **non-refundable** fee is billed in August and may be paid in two installments, due in September and January.

Tuition. Tuition payment plans are offered through FACTS. Tuition is due on the 20th of each month. A grace period, through the last day of the month, may be requested.

Tuition Plus After-School Care. Lower School students, needing regular after-school childcare, may add a monthly payment plan option to the school-day tuition that meets the family's schedule and needs.

Incidental Fees. Incidental fees for as-needed childcare and food service are added to the student account and are paid monthly (on the 15th). Incidental fees are also for extra-curricular activities (e.g., field trips, athletic team participation, clubs, etc.).

Late Fees, etc. Declined FACTS payments and past due balances are subject to a 10% late fee assessment. FACTS also assesses a fee for declined payment processing. Payments will be applied to past due charges first. Student accounts are to be paid current before admission, after the semester/Christmas break, and before participation in year-end events (graduation, etc.). Services may be suspended for students with a past due balance.

An **after-hours fee** will be charged for after-school childcare service provided beyond the scheduled hours at \$1 per minute.

Special Payment Arrangements. Circumstances arise which occasionally require an adjustment from the normal payment policies. For consideration, email the Student Account Manager (accounts@northwoodacademy.com) with a brief description of these circumstances and a proposed solution. The request, the family payment history, and the proposed solution will be forwarded for consideration/approval, and the family will be notified of the decision.

Financial Assistance. Limited financial assistance is available to families of enrolled 1st-12th grade students who meet income guidelines established annually by the School Board. Eligibility is limited to enrolled students who are in good standing academically (eligible for promotion), behaviorally (no disciplinary suspensions), and financially.

Family Discount. For families with 3 or more enrolled (Nursery-12th grade) children, a 25% K-12 tuition discount is available to the 3rd (and any additional) enrolled K-12 student. The discount will be applied beginning with the lowest K-12 grade level.

PRE-SCHOOL BUSINESS POLICIES

Pre-school or Nursery Fee plans are paid in ten or twelve equal, monthly installments, and are auto drafted on the 1st of each month. Discounts for holidays/daily absences are not offered. The Pre-school closes for Christmas week, and for the transition days between Summer and the School Year, per the Pre-school calendar.

Summer Weekly Fees are paid on Friday prior to the week of childcare services. A week's vacation is offered each Summer; discounts for holidays/daily absences are not offered.

Late Fees, etc.

Declined FACTS payments and past due balances are subject to a 10% late fee assessment. FACTS also assesses a fee for declined payment processing. Payments will be applied to past due charges first. Service may be suspended for students with a past due balance.

An **after-hours fee** will be charged for service provided beyond the scheduled hours at a rate of \$1 per minute.

BUSINESS OFFICE / PAYMENT INFORMATION

Hours: 8:00AM - 4:00PM Monday through Friday
CLOSED Fridays during Summer

E-mail: accounts@northwoodacademy.com

Phone: 843 764 2278

Payments: Northwood Academy partners with FACTS Tuition Management Company for online, automatic tuition and incidental fee payment processing.

FACTS accepts bankcard or ACH payments online or by phone 1 866 441 4637.

Cash or check payments may be made in the Business Office. Check payments may be mailed to Northwood Academy Business Office, 104 Charger Drive, Summerville, SC 29486.



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