

Tuition Assistance Information

A Waldorf Education is a gift to a child and his or her family. The Tuition Assistance program is a cooperative effort between parents and CSWS, working toward full tuition in increments that are healthy for all. Full scholarships are not available and each family participating in the Tuition Assistance Program pays monthly tuition at some level.

The Tuition Assistance process requires families to be completely open and honest about personal finances and to complete a three step application process (annual re-application is required.)

We recommend you start the Tuition Assistance Process at the time you submit applications for your child/ren to attend Cedar Springs. The school will send you an email with the necessary documents and web-links, when you request it.

Step 1: Complete an on-line application via FACTS

You will need to provide detailed copies of IRS Tax Returns and income verification documents. There is an application fee and processing may take 2 to 4 weeks.

Step 2: Complete a confidential Income and Expense Worksheet

You will need to complete a worksheet detailing your monthly expenses and income. This may require you to review bank records, bills etc. and may be time consuming initially, but will allow you to determine the amount of income that you can contribute to tuition. In addition, you may be able to identify expenses that can be eliminated so that additional funds are then available for tuition.

Step 3: Private conversation with members of the Tuition Assistance CommitteeWhen step one and two are complete, Cedar Springs will contact you for a welcoming, private, confidential, and open discussion with two members of our Tuition Assistance Committee.

Participants in the Tuition Assistance Program and Committee Members are held to a strict code of confidentiality which allows Cedar Springs to offer this program while maintaining a healthy school environment that welcomes families of all economic levels.

Please contact our Business Manager, at (530) 642-9903 for additional questions regarding the program.

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