## **TUITION AND FEES FOR 2024-2025**

At Lake Center Christian School, we believe that your child's Christian education is the best investment you can make!



Lake Center exists to assist Christian families and their churches in equipping students for lifelong learning and service to Christ. We offer reasonable enrollment rates and will assist you in applying for available scholarships to help make attending LCCS affordable. The maximum capacity for each grade level is 75 students. Admission Department: 330-877-2049.

## KINDERGARTEN THROUGH 12th GRADE TUITION & FEES

Online Application Fee - \$25/student
New Student Enrollment Fee - \$225/student
Operations Fee - \$1,500 per student (\$3,000 family maximum)

Grade	Tuition	Operations Fee	Monthly (10 installments)
KG – 6 <sup>th</sup> Grade	\$6,855	\$1,500	\$835.50
7 <sup>th</sup> – 8 <sup>th</sup> Grade	\$7,607	\$1,500	\$910.70
9 <sup>th</sup> – 12 <sup>th</sup> Grade	\$9,594	\$1,500	\$1,109.40

NOTE: The Operations Fee will be rolled into the monthly tuition installments.

Multi-Student Discount Applied to Tuition Only: 2 Students (5%); 3 Students (10%); 4 or more students (15%)

## Part-Time Student Tuition & Fees for 2024-25

Independent Study Program (K-6) \$1,720 Tuition Rate + \$300 Operations Fee Homeschool Enrichment Learning Program (7-12) \$ ----\*

Lake Center Christian School (LCCS) is open to students interested in securing a Christian education from kindergarten through twelfth grade. The unique mission of Lake Center (assisting Christian families and their churches), allows us to work with students whose parents understand the importance of supporting the school's standards of conduct. We are looking for serious students who are willing to wholeheartedly apply themselves. I Corinthians 10:31 reminds us that we should do everything for God's glory. Students are expected to sign and abide by a "Student Covenant of Accountability." We welcome students who are ready to avail themselves of the privilege of attending a Christian school like LCCS.

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<sup>\*</sup>Due to enrollment at capacity in grades 7-11, HELP will not be available for the 2024-25 school year.

**CURRENT FAMILIES:** Based on our Continuous Enrollment Agreement, the *Annual Student Commitment Fee* of \$200 per student is billed January 1st to assure continued class placement. If a family withdraws their student after the March 1<sup>st</sup> deadline, they will still be obligated to pay the non-refundable *Annual Student Commitment Fee.* Between March 1<sup>st</sup> and June 1<sup>st</sup> an additional fee per student will be assessed for withdrawing. After June 1<sup>st</sup>, the family is obligated to pay 25% of the tuition per student for the coming year.

**NEW FAMILY REGISTRATION:** All students applying to LCCS will be charged a \$25 online application fee in addition to the \$225 per student commitment fee. Submitting an application usually follows a campus tour in the enrollment process. There are nine steps in the enrollment process: 1) Tour – 2) Submit Application – 3) Required Pastoral & School References Received – 4) Submit 1st Semester Report Card – 5) Entrance Exam Scheduled only if steps 3 and 4 are complete – 6) Admissions Team Reviews Completed Applications – 7) Parent Interview scheduled with Principal - 8) With Principal approval, Student School Records Requested by LCCS activates official withdrawal – 9) LCCS emails official offer to parents. The maximum capacity for each grade is 75 students.

**PAYMENT SCHEDULE:** Payments are made over ten months. The first payment is due August 15<sup>th</sup> and the last payment is due by May 15<sup>th</sup>. Families who would like tuition payments automatically deducted from their bank account each month should contact the Business Office at 330-877-2049. If your monthly tuition payments become 90 days overdue, this could jeopardize your student's enrollment at LCCS. All parents are expected to remain current on their tuition payments. Parents who withdraw their children will be expected to pay the remaining tuition and penalties immediately.

**REFUND POLICY:** Students withdrawing from LCCS after a quarter has started, will owe tuition for the full quarter. This amount will be calculated by dividing the total tuition by four. Any unpaid tuition from previous quarters will also be due upon withdrawal. Parents who withdraw their children and still owe a tuition balance may be turned over to collections.

**ADDITIONAL FEES:** The *Extracurricular Fee Schedule* outlines additional costs billed to students accounts for athletics/clubs/graduation/music/fine arts/special services/before and after school care. View 23-24 Chart.

**SCHOLARSHIPS:** Our desire is to offer a valuable Christian education for your family and we will help you through the application process for the Ohio scholarships available to your family. Some scholarships only cover tuition, while others may apply to tuition and fees.

**EdChoice** - Ohio House Bill 33 made all families in Ohio eligible for an Ohio EdChoice scholarship for tuition. Scholarship amounts will vary based on income levels. (The maximum scholarship for students in grades K-8 is currently \$6,166 and \$8,408 for grades 9-12.) For more information and links to application forms visit www.LCCS.com/edchoice (Lake Center applications are requested by May 15)

**SGO-** The Ohio Christian Education Network Scholarship Granting Organization (OCEN SGO) is a scholarship opportunity for all students attending Lake Center. Award amounts vary and can be applied to tuition, operations fee, music and athletic fees, and club fees. Learn more and apply at <a href="https://www.lccs.com/sgo-scholarship">www.lccs.com/sgo-scholarship</a> (The application deadline is March 30.)

## HOW YOUR INVESTMENT SUPPORTS OUR MISSION:

**Tuition:** Covers the expenses for academics and spiritual training for your child - faculty and staff salaries, professional development, educational programs and classroom materials.

**Operations Fee:** Helps provide for the maintenance of facilities, utilities, technology, and things related to the infrastructure of our school.

Lake Center Christian School admits students of any race, color, and national and ethnic origin to all the rights, privileges, programs, and activities generally accorded or made available to students at the school. It does not discriminate on the basis of race, color, or national and ethnic origin in administration of its educational policies, admissions policies, scholarship and loan programs, and athletic and other school-administered programs.

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