



# Child of God Lutheran School

## CLASS OPTIONS AND SCHOOL TUITION 2025-26

<b>2 YEAR OLD EARLY LEARNING CLASSES</b> Students may enroll upon turning 2 Potty trained not required	<b>3 YEAR OLD PRESCHOOL</b> Students must be 3 by Aug. 1 Potty trained required	<b>4 YEAR OLD PREKINDERGARTEN*</b> Students must be 4 by Aug. 1 <small>*Min. 3 days enrollment for Kindergarten readiness</small>
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Church Member Tuition*				Community Tuition			
Full Days		Half Days		Full Days		Half Days	
5 Full Days	\$8,045	5 Half Days	\$6,010	5 Full Days	\$9,127	5 Half Days	\$7,512
4 Full Days	\$6,436	4 Half Days	\$4,808	4 Full Days	\$7,301	4 Half Days	\$6,010
3 Full Days	\$4,827	3 Half Days	\$3,606	3 Full Days	\$5,476	3 Half Days	\$4,507
2 Full Days	\$3,218	2 Half Days	\$2,404	2 Full Days	\$3,651	2 Half Days	\$3,005

### Kindergarten - 8th Grade: (Kindergarten students must be 5 by August 1)

Church Member Tuition*:  <b>\$ 5,928</b>	Community Tuition:  <b>\$ 7,242</b>
<small>*Child of God, Chapel of the Cross, Holy Cross Congregation Members</small>	

## REGISTRATION

<b><u>REGISTRATION FEE:</u></b>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li><b>Early Childhood</b> - \$160 due at registration, remaining \$160 due by April 1, 2025</li> <li><b>K-8th Grade:</b> \$175 due at registration, remaining \$175 due by April 1, 2025</li> </ul>
<small>* Registration fees are <u>non-refundable/non-transferable</u> and do not apply to the total tuition cost. Payment required for the application to be considered complete and the spot to be held.</small>
<b><u>TUITION PAYMENT OPTIONS:</u></b>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Tuition payment made in full by August 1, 2025</li> <li>Two payments due August 1 and January 1</li> <li>11 monthly payments due on 1st or 15th (July-May)</li> </ul>

<b><u>ADDITIONAL REQUIRED FEES:</u></b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>6-8th Chromebook Licensing Fee: \$40 *6th-8th purchase Chromebooks (see handbook)</li> <li>COGLS Athletics/Clubs/Activities: varies per activity</li> <li>8th Graduation (cap, gown, flowers, etc): \$50</li> </ul>	<b><u>OPTIONAL FEES:</u></b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Volunteer background check: \$20 (MO License)</li> <li>Individual/Group Strings lessons (2nd-8th):</li> <li>Extended care: \$7.00 per hour</li> <li>Hot lunch: \$4.50-5.00</li> </ul>
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<b><u>MULTI-STUDENT ASSISTANCE** (K-8 ONLY):</u></b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>20% for Student #2</li> <li>25% for Student(s) #3 or more <small>**Cannot be combined with Church member rate.</small></li> <li>Tuition Assistance is available (<b>see reverse side</b>)</li> </ul>	<b><u>CHURCH MEMBER STEWARDSHIP SUPPORT*</u></b> <small>*As faithful stewards, Child of God Church member offerings help fill the gap between member and community tuition rates as well as expenses beyond tuition needed to operate a school. For information about church membership contact <a href="mailto:Churchoffice@coglcs.com">Churchoffice@coglcs.com</a></small>
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## K-8 TUITION ASSISTANCE OPTIONS

Child of God Lutheran is committed to helping make Christian education financially accessible for families. Accordingly, we partner with multiple agencies to assist families. Please contact us to learn more. Child of God uses an outside agency (FACTS) to objectively and confidentially determine a family's need for tuition assistance.



**LESA's Building Blocks Scholarship Program** offers need-based tuition assistance to students who attend LESA member Lutheran elementary schools (select Child of God Lutheran when applying).

### Who is Eligible?

- Child of God students enrolling in grades K-8
- At least 10% of the family's income, (taxable and non-taxable), as reported for the previous tax year, is used to cover the cost of their student/s school net tuition.
- Families expending less than 10% of their income on the school tuition will be considered on a case-by-case basis with extenuating circumstances.

Please submit your online application by visiting [www.lesastl.org](http://www.lesastl.org). **THERE ARE DEADLINES TO APPLY.**

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The Missouri General Assembly passed HB349 and SB86 which established the Missouri Empowerment Scholarship Accounts Program, **MOScholars**. Contributions to non-profit Educational Assistance Organizations are used to award scholarships to Missouri students.

### Who is Eligible?

- **Students in grades K-8** who are a Missouri residents and meets one of the following criteria:
  - Students having an approved **Individualized Education Plan (IEP)** or Individual Student Plan developed in cooperation with a local educational agency under the IDEA; IEP/ISP must be dated within 36 months of the student's application to the program
  - Student is a member of household whose total annual income does not exceed an amount equal to 100% of the income standard used to qualify for free and reduced lunches, *and* meets at least **ONE** of the following:
    - **Is a child who is eligible to begin Kindergarten or First Grade OR...**
    - Attended a public school as a full-time student for at least 1 semester during the previous 12 months

Visit <https://mo.lcms.org/mo-scholars/> for more information. **Enrollment for 2025-26 begins Feb 1**

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Students in K-8 will be considered for additional tuition assistance after they have applied to LESA and/or MOScholars. Child of God wants to help make Christian education a reality for all families! Please do not hesitate to contact Heather Richter in the Business Office for more information [businessoffice@coglcs.com](mailto:businessoffice@coglcs.com).

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A 529 account is an investment account designed to help families save for education. Most states sponsor their own 529 plan, often with special benefits for state residents. In most cases, 529 savings won't impact your child's eligibility for student aid. Visit [www.missourimost.org](http://www.missourimost.org).