

## 2026-2027 Tuition Information

### Value for the Tuition

Sayre School appreciates the financial commitment families make when choosing an independent school education. Sayre is dedicated to providing value for the tuition through the quality of its academic programs, faculty, facilities, arts and athletics, College Counseling services, counseling and character education, and inclusive school community.

### Bundled Tuition

Sayre School tuition includes many essential services and program elements. The bundled tuition structure provides two important family-friendly benefits: simplified billing and easier budgeting, especially for families who choose a monthly payment plan. Services included in tuition are listed below.

Lower School: Academic Services, daily lunch, textbooks, technology resources, and field trips

Middle School: 1:1 iPad Program, class trips (including seventh grade to St. Louis and eighth grade to Chicago), daily lunch, textbooks, creative and performing arts, and athletic participation and related transportation

Upper School: Textbooks, student activity fee, College Counseling, PLAN and PSAT testing, online SAT and ACT test prep, daily lunch, creative and performing arts, and athletic participation and related transportation

### Tuition Payment Plans

Plan A: Pay deposit; balance due July 2026

Plan B: Pay deposit; balance to be paid in two monthly installments, due July 2026 and November 2026

Plan C: Pay deposit; balance to be paid in ten installments by automatic bank draft monthly beginning in July 2026 and ending in April 2027)

Note: Blackbaud Tuition Management assesses fees on various payment methods. ACH withdraws incur a 1% service charge of the payment amount, plus \$.30, not to exceed \$2.50. For credit or debit card payments, a platform fee of 3.12% of the payment amount will apply. Payments made directly to the school via paper check, addressed to the Admissions Office, will not incur a fee.

### Tuition Schedule

<u>Level</u>	<u>Tuition</u>	<u>Deposit</u>	<u>Plan A</u> (due July)	<u>Plan B</u> (due July/Nov)	<u>Plan C</u> (July-April)
<u>Preschool</u>					
3 days to noon (PK2 & PK3)	\$9,500	\$500	\$9,000	\$4,500	\$900
3 days to dismissal (PK2 & PK3)	\$12,500	\$500	\$12,000	\$6,000	\$1,200
5 days to noon (PK2-PK4)	\$14,500	\$500	\$14,000	\$7,000	\$1,400
5 days to dismissal (PK2-PK4)	\$18,500	\$500	\$18,000	\$9,000	\$1,800
<u>Kindergarten</u>	\$22,500	\$1,000	\$21,500	\$10,750	\$2,150
<u>Lower School, grades 1-4</u>	\$26,500	\$1,000	\$25,500	\$12,750	\$2,550
<u>Middle School, grades 5-8</u>	\$29,650	\$1,000	\$28,650	\$14,325	\$2,865
<u>Upper School, grades 9-12</u>	\$30,785	\$1,000	\$29,785	\$14,892.50	\$2,978.50

Note: Deposit is due upon re-enrollment or admission and is applied toward tuition. The deposit on tuition is not refundable or transferable.

### Fees and Services Separate From Tuition

- Extended Day for child care after dismissal (see reverse for details)
- Academic Services for Middle and Upper School
- Upper School Laptop: Information about recommended models to purchase is on the school website.
- Upper School Class Trips for Grades 9-11
- Student Parking: \$300 for the year (optional, limited to students in grades 11-12)
- Yearbook: \$65 (optional for all grades)

### Business Office Information

The school offers an optional Tuition Refund Plan that is billed separately at 1.9% of tuition. Given the annual tuition investment parents make, we strongly recommend that all parents take advantage of this protection.

As specified on the Enrollment Contract, enrollment may be canceled without penalty (except forfeiture of the reservation deposit) provided that cancellation notification is sent in writing to the Director of Enrollment Management on or before May 31, 2026. If a student is withdrawn after May 31, the responsible parent or guardian will be obligated to pay the full annual tuition charges.

Blackbaud Tuition Management (formerly Smart Tuition) charges a late fee of \$40 for accounts over 30 days and a ACH failed fee of \$30.

### Food Service

Lunch is included in tuition for all grades. The school's dining facility, The Thomas A. Grunwald Buttery, provides a wide variety of options that follow the school's Allergy Policy and Guidelines (available in the online Handbook). The Buttery uses fresh local meats and produce as much as possible, and the daily menu includes a featured entrée, sandwiches, vegetarian and vegan options, homemade soups, and a salad bar.

The Buttery offers breakfast items, drinks, and other snacks for purchase by Upper School students each morning. The Buttery accepts credit and debit cards including touchless pay options.

### Extended Day Program

Parents may choose from the following options for Preschool-Grade 4. All rates include 6% Kentucky sales tax.

<u>Options</u>		<u>Monthly Payment</u>	<u>Yearly Rate</u>
Option 1	Dismissal - 4:45 p.m. (3 days)	\$225	\$2,250
Option 2	Dismissal - 5:45 p.m. (3 days)	\$300	\$3,000
Option 3	Dismissal - 4:45 p.m. (5 days)	\$275	\$2,750
Option 4	Dismissal - 5:45 p.m. (5 days)	\$400	\$4,000

- Extended Day services are billed monthly from August through May.
- Students may attend Extended Day on an hourly drop-in basis at \$20.00 per hour. Prior notification must be given to the Extended Day Director and the child's classroom teacher. A student information sheet, Extended Day enrollment form, and current immunizations must be submitted prior to attending Extended Day as required by state licensing regulations.
- Any changes in Extended Day enrollment must be discussed with the Extended Day Director. A \$25.00 fee will be charged after the second enrollment change.
- When the Lower School is closed due to conferences, Extended Day will be open from 7:30 a.m. to 5:45 p.m. All students who attend will be charged \$60.00 for this service.
- Charges are assessed for late pick-ups. A late pick-up fee of \$15 per 15-minute interval will be charged for pick-ups occurring after your chosen end time.

Sayre School actively seeks qualified individuals with diverse backgrounds and talents who will make a positive contribution to school life. Sayre School does not discriminate on the basis of age, race, color, national origin, gender, sexual orientation, uniform service member status, religion, handicap or disability, or any other protected status in accordance with all federal, state, or local law. This applies to its educational policies, employment policies, admissions policies, financial-aid policies, athletics, and other after-school programs.