



**Our mission is to
empower students
to learn with passion,
act with integrity
and serve with respect.**

Darlington School

**Day Tuition
2025-26**

Darlington
SCHOOL



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Tuition 2025-26

Two plans are offered by the school for payment of tuition. Parents may select the option that is most convenient. Under both plans, an enrollment deposit is due for new students upon their acceptance by Darlington, and for returning students upon re-enrollment. Additional payments are due in accordance with the schedules in this brochure. Under both plans, all payments must be made by Feb. 1, 2026.

The school has many expenses of a continuing nature, such as faculty salaries and facilities. In order to plan and maintain these services for the entire year, it is essential the annual income from fees be assured. For this reason, it is understood the parents' obligation is to pay the tuition for the full academic year, and no portion of the tuition, paid or unpaid, will be refunded or cancelled because of absence, withdrawal or dismissal from Darlington School. The fact the school fees are paid in installments does not constitute a fractional contract.

Payments

All families are required to enroll with VC Pay for payment of tuition and fees. Tuition payments for Plan I and Plan II will be handled through VC Pay by automatic bank draft from your checking account or by credit card. Additional charges incurred throughout the year will automatically be paid each month through VC Pay as well.

All correspondence concerning finances should be addressed to the Business Office. Checks, money orders or the like should be made payable to Darlington School. Contact Leslie Finley in the Business Office at billing@darlingtonschool.org with questions.

Please note:

1. Online registration for classes is not complete until registration has been completed and additional fees paid for by credit card. **Online registration typically occurs in the summer.**
2. Grade credit will not be given nor permanent records released until the student's account with the Business Office has been settled.
3. No student will be considered as an applicant for graduation until all indebtedness with the school has been settled with the Business Office.

Additional Fees

Additional expenses include such items as uniforms, school supplies, a yearbook and optional trips. Appropriate U.S. health insurance coverage is required.

The school exercises every precaution to protect the health and welfare of its students, but it cannot be financially responsible for injuries received on the playgrounds or athletic fields, the school campus or on trips when the students are representing Darlington.

A technology fee and a curriculum fee will be charged to students in certain grades. The technology fee is \$250.00 for grades 4-5 and \$475.00 for grades 6-12. This fee helps to offset the cost of instructional technology tools and infrastructure, including software and a school-provided iPad for grades 4-5 and a MacBook for grades 6-12. The curriculum fee is \$200.00. This fee allows Darlington to provide books and other required instructional resources.

Pre-Kindergarten - Grade 2

2025-26 Tuition – \$13,650
Fees – \$375

Tuition Payment Plan I

March 1, 2025 or upon enrollment	\$ 1,925.00
July 1, 2025	\$ 12,100.00
	\$ 14,025.00

Tuition Payment Plan II

March 1, 2025 or upon enrollment	\$ 1,925.00
July 1, 2025 – Feb. 1, 2026 (8 payments)	\$ 1,568.00/mo.
	\$ 14,475.00

Grade 3

2025-26 Tuition – \$16,070
Fees – \$375

Tuition Payment Plan I

March 1, 2025 or upon enrollment	\$ 2,315.00
July 1, 2025	\$ 14,130.00
	\$ 16,445.00

Tuition Payment Plan II

March 1, 2025 or upon enrollment	\$ 2,315.00
July 1, 2025 – Feb. 1, 2026 (8 payments)	\$ 1,828.00/mo.
	\$ 16,945.00

Grades 4-5

2025-26 Tuition – \$16,070
Fees – \$625

Tuition Payment Plan I

March 1, 2025 or upon enrollment	\$ 2,315.00
July 1, 2025	\$ 14,380.00
	\$ 16,695.00

Tuition Payment Plan II

March 1, 2025 or upon enrollment	\$ 2,315.00
July 1, 2025 – Feb. 1, 2026 (8 payments)	\$ 1,860.00/mo.
	\$ 17,195.00

Families are not required to purchase books unless additional copies are preferred beyond those provided electronically or in class. Every Darlington family is required to pay a family fee of \$100.00, which provides each family membership to every parent organization and all benefits of membership.

Each year, curricula-based (optional) trips are planned for grades 5-8. The trip fees are approximately \$500.00 for grade 5 and \$1,000.00 for grades 6-8.

Grades 6–8

2025-26 Tuition – \$19,280
Fees – \$850

Tuition Payment Plan I

March 1, 2025 or upon enrollment	\$ 2,780.00
July 1, 2025	\$ 17,350.00
	\$ 20,130.00

Tuition Payment Plan II

March 1, 2025 or upon enrollment	\$ 2,780.00
July 1, 2025 – Feb. 1, 2026 (8 payments)	\$ 2,238.00/mo.
	\$ 20,680.00

Grades 9–12 Day

2025-26 Tuition – \$24,360
Fees – \$850

Tuition Payment Plan I

March 1, 2025 or upon enrollment	\$ 3,480.00
July 1, 2025	\$ 21,730.00
	\$ 25,210.00

Tuition Payment Plan II

March 1, 2025 or upon enrollment	\$ 3,480.00
July 1, 2025 – Feb. 1, 2026 (8 payments)	\$ 2,804.00/mo.
	\$ 25,910.00

Lunch is included in tuition for pre-K to 12.

Breakfast and lunch are included in tuition for grades 9-12.