

TUITION RATES

The yearly tuition costs represent the total cost of educating each student in the respective grades for the entire year. The monthly installment plan is designed to help parents spread the cost of tuition over 10 months and does not intend to quantify an "amount" of education each month. Installments are due on the 10th of each month, starting August 2011. When the 10th falls on a holiday or weekend, tuition is due the following regular business day.

Year	Sem	Month	Int'l*	
K	\$4,275	\$2,137.50	\$427.50	\$8,442
1st - 6th	4,418	2,209	441.80	8,694
7th - 8th	5,136	2,568	513.60	9,923
9th	6,335	3,167.50	633.50	11,997
10th - 12th	6,653	3,326.50	665.30	12,548

*International Tuition Rate includes required Student Accident & Health Insurance

NON-MEMBERS OF THE SEVENTH-DAY ADVENTIST CHURCH

Tuition payments do not cover the full cost of operating La Sierra Academy. Members of the local Seventh-day Adventist Churches support Adventist education with substantial subsidies. La Sierra Academy reserves the right to charge higher rates for students who are not members of the Seventh-day Adventist Church.

TUITION REFUND

The first tuition payment of each semester (August and January) will be prorated for withdrawal within the first TEN days of the semester. Tuition will not be prorated for late registrants who enroll within the first ten school days of each semester. All other installment payments (September - December & February - May) will be fully refunded or charges reversed if the student withdraws before the 15th of the month. Tuition and fees charged to international students are non-refundable after the first ten days of school.

COMPREHENSIVE FEE

Due July 1, 2011

K-12	\$400
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Comprehensive Fee is assessed once a year, per student, to partly cover specific services not included with tuition. This fee is non-refundable after the 10th school day.

The following items are covered in the comprehensive fee:

- Elementary Student Supplies
- Parent Volunteer Background Check
- School Pictures
- Accident Insurance
- Yearbook
- Testing and Duplication
- Library Access Fees
- Student Association
- Technology
- Disaster Supplies

For students registering for the *second semester only*, the Comprehensive Fee will be prorated at 75%. *This fee is non-refundable after the 10th day of the second semester:*

K-12	\$300
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APPLICATION FEE

Application Fee Grades K-6/7-12	\$50/100
Application Fee (Int'l)	\$250

Application fee is non-refundable for students who choose not to enroll.

PAYMENT OPTIONS

- Online - www.lsak12.com
- Checks or money orders - make payable to La Sierra Academy
- Credit Card - Visa, Mastercard & Discover
- Paytronic® - sign up for the recurring payment option and receive additional discounts

2011-2012

Financial Information

OFFICE HOURS

Monday - Thursday 7:45 a.m. - 4:30 p.m.

Friday 7:45 a.m. - 1:00 p.m.

CONTACT INFORMATION

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General Financial Information

ON-TIME DISCOUNT (\$10/month)

A discount of \$10 per student will be credited to accounts that are paid in full by the 10th of each month from September to May. No discount will be applied in August. If the 10th falls on a Saturday or Sunday, discounts will be given on accounts paid in full by the following Monday. When the 10th falls on a holiday, discounts will be given on accounts paid in full by the next business day. Payments made by mail must be in the business office by the discount day to be eligible for an on-time discount.

PAYTRONIC DISCOUNT (\$5/month)

LSA will make automatic deductions from a checking, savings account or credit card (Visa, Mastercard or Discover) on the 10th of each month. A \$5.00 monthly discount (in addition to the on-time discount) will be given to each account enrolled in Paytronic. Online registration is required to participate.

FAMILY DISCOUNT (5% & 10%)

The following percentage discounts on tuition will be given:

- 5% for second child in family at LSA
- 10.00% for third, fourth or fifth child in a family at LSA

To qualify for family discounts, two or more students must appear on a combined family statement.

PREPAYMENT DISCOUNT (\$25 & \$30)

Payments made in advance for the entire school year by August 17, 2011, will be discounted \$30 per month for ten months; payments made one semester in advance by August 17, 2011, and January 17, 2012, will be discounted \$25 per month for five months.

ONLINE ACCESS/PAYMENTS

Payments may be made online via the LSA website. View billing and statement information as well as sign-up for Paytronic. All statements are sent out electronically and registration is required.

EDUCATIONAL SUBSIDY for SDA ORGANIZATIONS

Educational allowance applications must be submitted to the employing SDA organization and a signed authorization returned to the Business Office. Accounts will be credited *after* payments are received from the employer. Responsible parties should continue to make full payments on accounts until the Business Office has received payment.

FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE

The Business Office may be contacted for application and/or information on the Pacific Union Endowment Fund, Baybarz Education Scholarship and Conference Low Income Aid.

WORK OPPORTUNITIES

Limited student employment is available on campus for students 14 years of age and older. Wages are minimal and usually insufficient to pay tuition. Student job applications and work permit information are available at the Business Office.

TEXTBOOKS

New /used textbooks are available via the LSA website.

CAFETERIA

Pre-paid menus and rate information are available via the LSA website.

SPECIAL ENROLLMENT

Non-students may audit classes if space permits. The charge is 50% of regular tuition plus all required fees.

INTERNATIONAL STUDENTS

International student tuition is charged per school year and is non-refundable. Discounts for pre-payment, two or more in a family, on-time payment, or worthy student aid are not applicable. A full year's tuition and comprehensive fee payment is required prior to enrolling in classes.

CHECK PAYMENTS

LSA will not accept third party or postdated checks under any circumstances and will not assume responsibility for submitting postdated checks for payment before the post date.

OUTSTANDING BALANCES

All outstanding school accounts, at LSA or other Seventh-day Adventist schools, must be settled prior to registration. If an account becomes two installments past due (60 days), the student WILL be asked to withdraw from school until the amount is paid in full or satisfactory financial arrangements are made. Cash, credit card or money order will be required for payment on delinquent accounts.

SERVICE CHARGE (\$20 fee)

Accounts delinquent over thirty (30) days will be assessed a flat \$20.00 service charge after the 25th of the month.

RETURNED CHECKS (\$35 fee)

If a check or electronic payment is returned for any reason, a fee of \$35.00 will be charged. Checks returned for insufficient funds will be resubmitted electronically without notifying the drawer. After two incidents of returned items, payments must be made in cash, cashier's check, money order, or credit card.

FINANCIAL CLEARANCE

All accounts held by a family, current and past, will be considered for financial clearance:

- To enroll each semester
- To receive a graduation diploma
- To participate in overnight trips
- To sit for final exams

ZERO BALANCE DAY (1st/2nd Semesters)

January 13, 2012 is Zero Balance Day for second semester registration clearance.

May 18, 2012 is Zero Balance Day for end of the year clearance.

All accounts must be at zero balance by these dates.

EXTRACURRICULAR EXPENSES

The following are estimates for yearly class activities per student to help families budget yearly expenses.

Elementary	
Kindergarten/1st Grade	200
Sacramento Trip (4th Grade)	350
Grades 2, 3 & 4	250
Grades 5 & 6	400
Extended Care (A.M. & P.M.)	4.00/hr.
Junior High	
8 th Grade Graduation Fee (2 nd Sem)	70
7 th Grade Catalina Trip	650
8 th Grade Washington D.C. Trip	1500
New Textbooks	~550
P.E. Uniforms (Shirt \$20 Shorts \$15)	35
Jr. High Varsity Sports (<i>Per sport</i>)	125
Academy	
12 th Grade Graduation Fee (2 nd Sem.)	95
Junior/Senior Bible Conference	140
Music Tour	500
Senior Class Trip	400
Leadership Conference	100
New Textbooks	~500
P.E. Uniforms (Shirt \$20 Shorts \$15)	35
Jr. Varsity/Varsity (<i>Per sport</i>)	175
Track/Cross Country	125
Transcripts	3
PSAT/SAT	16/48
Senior Pictures	~160