

CAC Tuition and Fee Schedule 2019-20

Cairo American College (CAC) provides students with a rigorous co-curricular education of exceptional quality. Tuition and fees paid by families are essential to fulfilling the CAC Mission and providing a safe and welcoming campus for all students. Our tuition rates and fees are competitive with those of our peer schools in the European Council of International Schools (ECIS), The Near East South Asia Council of Overseas Schools (NESAS), and the National Association of Independent Schools (NAIS). All fees must be paid in USD with the exception of busing fees and fees paid for students enrolled as Egyptian citizens.

Fixed One-Time Fees

| Payment Type | Amount | Description |
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| Application Fee | \$350 | This non-refundable fee is due with the submission of an application. This fee helps to cover administrative costs of application processing. It can be paid via wire transfer or in person at the Cashier's Window in the Welcome Center on campus. |
| Registration Fee | \$12,500 | Payment for students entering grades K-12 is due in full with the first tuition payment. Pre-kindergarten families may pay when a child enters pre-K or at the rate that is in effect when the child enters kindergarten. The registration fee is refundable if a student is withdrawn within the first 10 days of attendance. |
| Admission Fee | \$1,000 | This non-refundable deposit reserves a student's place until the first day of the semester and is credited to tuition upon enrollment. If admitted <u>before August 21st</u> , this deposit is due within 15 calendar days of receiving an offer of admission. |

Tuition Fees

| Grade Level | Amount |
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| Pre-kindergarten | \$11,550 |
| Pre-kindergarten After School Care | \$700* per semester |
| Grades K-5 | \$24,850 |
| Grades 6-8 | \$25,350 |
| Grades 9-12 | \$25,550 |

Tuition payments are due August 21st. For students admitted after August 21st, tuition payment is due the day before a student begins attending classes. The head of school or a designee may approve a written request for other payment options. All tuition payments are refundable within 10 days of a student beginning classes. A late payment fee is applicable after the first 10 working days of each semester. The late fee is \$200 within the first 30 calendar days, \$300 within 31 to 60 calendar days, and \$400 within 61 to 90 calendar days. After 90 calendar days, the student will not be authorized to enter school.

If the annual tuition for a student has been paid and the student withdraws before the second semester, the head of school has the discretion to refund up to 50% of the amount of the annual tuition payment. In the event of *force majeure* that causes a student to withdraw from the school, tuition and fees already paid for the school year will not be refunded. Any unpaid tuition and fees will be due and payable. This policy is necessary to protect the school's financial interests and ensure continued operations after the *force majeure* event has passed.

*Payment for the CAC's optional Pre-kindergarten After School Care is nonrefundable and due in the first 10 days of every semester.

Additional Annual Fees

| Payment Type | Amount | Description |
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| Tuition Deposit (Returning Students) | \$1,000 | This deposit is due by April 7th and no later than May 5th. This deposit is credited to tuition for the next school year. Continued enrollment is not guaranteed for students for whom this deposit is not paid. |
| Annual Capital Fee (Returning Students) | \$290 | This money contributes to the school's fund to support future capital projects. It is refundable within 10 days of a child beginning classes. |
| Plant Fee (All Students) | \$670 | This fee contributes to campus maintenance. It is refundable within 10 days of a child beginning classes. |

Busing Fees

Cairo American College works to ensure that all students have access to safe and convenient transportation from their homes to the campus in Maadi. The annual bus fee is \$900 for students living inside Maadi and \$1,600 for students living outside Maadi. These fees are payable in Egyptian pounds. Busing fees are not prorated and are refundable within the first 10 days of school.

Additional Fees

Additional payments may be required for co-curricular activities such as student clubs, athletic teams, and school trips such as Week Without Walls and Prime Trips. Financial aid is available for certain programs such as International School Sports Tournaments. Other expenses may include fees for IB and AP exams, college applications, graduation caps and gowns, or loss or damages to school property. These fees are billed separately and not included in tuition.