

Riverhill School



Tuition and Fee Schedule

2008-2009

Financial Aid

Riverhill is committed to enrolling academically talented and motivated candidates for admission, regardless of race, religion, nationality, or financial resources. Our goal is to provide access for all students who clearly qualify for our program, who will contribute to the life of the community, and who will benefit from a Riverhill education.

Financial aid in the form of partial grants from the school is available to parents who qualify on the basis of information provided to the Financial Aid for School Tuition (FAST) powered by Independent School Management (ISM) of Wilmington, Delaware. To apply for financial assistance, please request a User Guide from the office and submit the requested materials to FAST by the deadlines indicated. Financial aid is awarded on the basis of established need and is subject to the availability of funds. Applying for financial aid does not affect a student's chances of admission.

Tuition and Fees

Riverhill strives to keep tuition and fees as low as possible to make our program affordable for more students. In independent education, however, tuition does not cover the true cost of a child's education. We depend on income from our Annual Giving through gifts from our parents, alumni, and community. These tax-deductible gifts provide vital subsidies for a high-quality experience.

Supply Fee as Deposit — The supply fee is delivered with the Enrollment Contract and is the reservation payment. The supply fee covers textbook purchases, consumable textbooks and workbooks, paper, writing implements (e.g. pencils, markers, pens), classroom supplies, and consumable paper products (e.g. tissue, paper towels).

Tuition — Tuition is due by July 15, 2008. A monthly payment option is available.

Sibling Discounts — Tuition for younger siblings who are enrolled in First-Ninth Grade at the same time as the older sibling is discounted \$300.

Initial Application Fee — (nonrefundable – for new students only): \$100

Payment Schedule

	Pre-Kindergarten/ Kindergarten	First—Ninth Grades Oldest Child	First—Ninth Grades Younger Sibling(s)
Supply Fee Due March 20, 2008	\$475	\$475	\$475
Tuition*	\$4500	\$4900	\$4600

***Payment Plans:**

One-Payment Option: Tuition is paid July 15.

Ten-Payment Option: Monthly tuition installments can be billed consecutively beginning on June 15, 2008, through and including March 15, 2009.

A school-administered finance charge of 5% per annum will be added.

Additional Expenses:

Athletics: Students participating in extracurricular athletics may need to purchase additional uniforms or personal equipment. Team uniforms are generally paid for through the athletic booster club.

Trips: Students in grades 4-9 have the opportunity to participate in a variety of educational camps and trips. These are optional and range in cost.