

## **School Fee Regulations School Year 2023/2024**

The school fee regulations are an integral part of the registration at Obersee Bilingual School AG (hereafter OBS).

### **1. Application fee**

The one-off registration fee is compulsory for every child and is non-refundable. If the child re-enters the school, the registration fee will not be charged again.

Baby Care / Pre-Kindergarten	CHF 300
Kindergarten / Primary School / Middle School / Upper School	CHF 500

### **2. Placement test**

CHF 950 will be charged for the placement test to gain entry into the OBS Middle and Upper School (only for new students from grade 5).

### **3. Deposit**

The deposit is compulsory for every child. The deposit is due after signing the contract. The deposit is refunded when a child leaves OBS and has attended the school for at least one school year. If this period is not reached, or if a child does not enter OBS despite having a reserved place, the entitlement to a refund of the deposit expires. The deposit is to be considered separately from the school fees.

Baby Care / Pre-Kindergarten	CHF 1'500
Kindergarten	CHF 2'500
Primary School	CHF 3'000
Middle School	CHF 3'000
Upper School	CHF 5'000

#### **4. Registration fees (for new enrolments from Kindergarten onwards)**

Payment of a one-off registration fee of CHF 2'500 is due upon signing the contract.

#### **5. Attendance days**

Baby Care*:	2 full days
Pre-Kindergarten*:	2 full days
Kindergarten Year 1*:	3½ days (5 mornings, 2 afternoons)
Kindergarten Year 2*:	4 days (5 mornings, 3 afternoons)
Primary School:	4½ days (Half day on Wednesday)
Middle School 5th-6th grade:	4½ days (Half day on Wednesday)
Middle school 7th-9th grade:	5 days (Wednesday afternoons until 14:25 or longer)
Upper School:	5 days (Wednesday afternoons until 14:25 or longer)

\*The days you register your child/children for are binding. If a child comes on a different day of the week, this is considered a separately booked extra half or full day and will be invoiced separately. If attendance at OBS is cancelled due to a public holiday / illness, there will be no refund or compensation on another day.

#### **6. School fees**

Cost breakdown for the respective school levels according to the appendix.

#### **7. Extracurricular activities**

Cost breakdown according to the appendix.

#### **8. Discount**

We grant a 10% discount on the school fees for the second child. From three registered children onwards, a discount of 10% on the respective school fees is granted for each child (including the first child).

## Appendix

### School Year 2023/2024

#### Baby Care

Days per week	
2 full days (minimum)*	CHF 15'820
Additional full day*	CHF 7'630
5 full days*	CHF 35'795
Separately booked extra days*	CHF 195

\* including meals, snacks and nappies (Pampers brand). For Baby Care, parents need to supply the necessary provisions required by the child such as powdered milk, breast milk, special baby food, bottles, etc. until the child is old enough to eat the meals prepared by the school, which are included in the price.

#### Pre-Kindergarten

Days per week	
2 full days (minimum)*	CHF 14'795
Additional full day*	CHF 6'825
5 full days*	CHF 33'615
½ day (Wednesday morning and/or Friday morning)*	CHF 4'025
Separately booked extra half days*	CHF 100
Separately booked extra days*	CHF 195

\*including meals, snacks and nappies (up to max. size 6). Friday morning can be booked as a half day. Wednesday morning can also be booked as a half day if there is a full week booking and/or older siblings have Wednesday afternoon off school.

## Kindergarten

The tuition fee for Kindergarten is for one school year including lunch and snacks:

Tage pro Woche	
3 ½ days (minimum: 5 mornings, 2 afternoons)	CHF 27'305
4 days (5 mornings, 3 afternoons)	CHF 28'545
4 ½ days (5 mornings, 4 afternoons)	CHF 29'795
Separately booked extra half day	CHF 100

(No school on a Wednesday afternoon)

## Primary School (Grade 1–4) and Middle School (Grade 5-6)

Tuition for Primary School and Middle School (Grade 5-6) is CHF 33'500 for a school year with 4 ½ days of instruction per week (Wednesday afternoons are free of school). Meals and snacks are included.

## Middle School (Grade 7-9) and Upper School (Grade 10-13)

The tuition for Middle School (Grade 7-9) and the Upper School (Grade 10-13) is CHF 33'725 for one school year with 5 days of classes per week. The learning community until 17.00 as well as lunch and snacks are included. From grade 8 onwards a discount of CHF 800 is granted if lunch is not taken at school over the entire school year.

## Additional costs

Day excursions (museums, company visits, city visits, etc.) are included in the school fees.

Winter sports days or winter sports activities, additional research weeks / culture weeks at home or abroad, the bus service, after school classes, voluntary student exchanges, external examinations, incl. Matura and IB fees, voluntary language diplomas and computer certificates (ECDL, etc.) as well as supervision and activities after school and on Wednesday afternoons are organised and charged separately.

## School camps, study trips, evening events and specialist lectures

In Grades 5-6, school camps are usually held twice a year. One of them is held in the French-speaking part of Switzerland or in France in connection with our French immersion program. The costs vary between CHF 300-500 per camp and are invoiced separately.

Grades 7-9 usually go on two camps a year one of which is a winter sports camp. Depending on the destinations and the associated transport, food and accommodation costs, the study trips and the ski camp each cost between CHF 600-1'200. Subsequently, the camps are invoiced separately in each case.

Grades 10-13 go on 1-2 camps/trips within Switzerland and abroad. Depending on the duration of the stay and the destinations, the accommodation, transportation and catering expenses, the costs amount to between CHF 900-1'500 per trip. The camps/trips are invoiced separately.

Evening visits to theater performances/concerts/lectures organized by the school, but voluntary, will be charged to the parents of the participating students. If the evening event is compulsory, the costs are included in the school fees.

### Supplementary Offers:

	<b>Early supervision (07.15 – 08.15)</b>	<b>Late supervision incl. snack (16.00 - 18.30)</b>	<b>Wednesday afternoon care for KG &amp; Primar (13.00 – 16.00)</b>
<b>Booked quarterly in advance</b>	CHF 10	CHF 20	CHF 60 (if registered for After School Classes CHF 20 per additional hour of care)
<b>Booked last minute</b>	<b>CHF 16</b>	<b>CHF 32</b>	<b>CHF 75</b>

For Baby Care and Pre-Kindergarten, early and late care are included in the school fees. For quarterly enrolments please contact our school office.

**Note:** For pick-up after 18.30, the first 15 minutes will be charged at CHF 60, each additional quarter of an hour will be charged at an additional CHF 60.

## **Holiday care (chargeable from Pre-Kindergarten)**

### **From Pre-Kindergarten**

Daily rate: CHF 140

Registration information as well as the registration deadline will be announced in advance. Parents can register their children for as many days as they wish. For children in Baby Care, the regular weekdays are included in the school fees. Holiday registration is binding. Registrations after the registration deadline are subject to a surcharge of CHF 30.

Early and/or late care are included in this fee and can be booked when registering for holiday care.

## **Annual fees for the school bus**

The annual fee is CHF 4'800 per child per school year. School holidays are not included. A supplement of CHF 300 is charged for children under 4 years of age.