

# High School Mandatory Academic Fees and Potential Expenses 2016-2017

## High School Fees:

The fee information below is provided in an effort to communicate costs beyond standard tuition. Note that the some fees are mandatory for a particular class, but most are potential/optional.

Mandatory fees are collected through FACTS or with the one time payment. If monthly payments are made, then the fees will be collected September through November. When monthly payments begin after September, the total will be spread over the months remaining but must be paid in full with the November payment. When monthly payments begin in November or after, the entire amount is due with the first tuition payment. For families making a one-time payment, class fees will be due with the one-time tuition payment.

## Mandatory Fees: Billed through the Finance Office

<i>Art I, Art II, and Art III - \$25</i>	Required project supplies (i.e. canvas, plastic wrap, plastic tape, sketch books, cost of printing color images)
<i>Chemistry II - \$200</i>	Overnight field trip to the American Museum of Science and Energy in Oak Ridge, TN

## *Latin I - \$12*

- *Latin Grammar Quick Study*  
Personal property of the student to be used regularly for class instruction & independent study
- National Latin Exam

## *Latin II – \$6*

National Latin Exam

## *Spanish I - \$6*

*Spanish Grammar Quick Study*  
Personal property of the student to be used regularly for class instruction & independent study

## All 11<sup>th</sup> Graders: \$65

- *English*  
*A Pocket Style Manual, 7th Edition, Diana Hacker (2014)*  
Personal property of the student to be used regularly for class instruction & independent study
- *Prep 101*  
*Myers-Briggs Personality/Strengths Testing & Analysis*

## Potential Expenses/Fees:

The fees listed below will incur only if your student is enrolled in the class or club and they opt to participate. These fees will be collected at the appropriate time and are not be billed through the Finance Office.

## English:

- *English 9-12 - Students may have the opportunity to attend a play or historical/literary destination applicable to curriculum. Trips will be optional; expenses are dependent upon ticket costs and location.*
- *Literary Club –\$35 Membership Dues (Includes club t-shirt and books)*

**Foreign Languages:**

- *Latin Club* - \$35 Membership Dues
- *Spanish I - III* – Potential fees for field trips
- *Spanish Club* – \$35 Membership Dues

**Math** – Students need a graphing calculator (Ti 83 Plus or Ti 84) if they do not already have one. (Approx. \$125)

**Science:**

- *Anatomy and Physiology and Biology* – Field trips are scheduled to support curriculum with at least two weeks' notice to parents. Trips are optional, and every effort is made to keep costs low. Students may also opt to purchase a lab coat.
- *Physics* – Physics students may opt to travel to Atlanta (overnight) and to various competitions at local universities when available. Advance details will come prior to the trip.
- *Forensics Science* – Potential fees for field trip(s)
- *Physical Science* – Potential fees for field trip(s)
- *Science Bowl Competition Club* – Dues and potential fees for travel.

**Fine Arts:**

- *Art I, II, and III* - Students are learning to develop their own style and body of work; personal student preference of materials may affect overall costs.
- *Choir/Band* – Students are responsible for costs depending on competitions and festivals that the student is involved. Choir students will need the following concert attire – ladies: black formal dress; and men: black pants and a tuxedo shirt. Band student attire costs and instrument requirements will be communicated to students by the band instructor.
- *Theatre* – Students may audition for parts in school productions; various costs associated with play participation vary and are well communicated to families in advance.

**Miscellaneous Optional Fees:**

- *Physical Education* – P.E. uniform is required for P.E. students (See PE Dress Code Policy)
- Personal tablet such as a *Google Chromebook*, a laptop, or an iPad
- Various optional club membership dues
- *Boys/Girls State* – Up to \$250 fee for students selected to attend
- *Dual Enrollment Courses* – Communicated by the Guidance Office
- *Hugh O'Brien Youth Leadership Conference (HOBY)* - \$150 student fee, if selected
- *National Honor Society* – \$25 fee for returning members; \$35 for new inductees
- Miscellaneous field trip opportunities