

Midland Christian School

2010 - 2011

**PARENTAL RESPONSIBILITIES
ENROLLMENT TUITION FORMS**

General information:

Re-enrolling students have priority for classroom space before April 30; thereafter, enrollment is on a first come basis until the classroom is full. When classroom enrollment reaches 25 students (less for some classrooms), no more students can be accepted for that class; however, names will be placed on a waiting list.

Payments for previous year must be current as scheduled before re-enrollment for the following year can be accepted.

Tuition may be paid monthly, or in advance for the whole year, or for each semester. Monthly payments, starting August 15 (January 15 for 2nd semester) are spread over ten (five) months with the final payment due May 15. To spread payments over 11 or 12 months, payments must start in July for 11 payments, or in June for 12 payments, with final payment due May 15.

Monthly tuition payments are due on the 15th of each month and are considered overdue on the 30th. Should tuition payments become 40 days overdue, student(s) may be dismissed from school until delinquent accounts are paid. Diplomas will not be issued and records will not be forwarded to another school until all amounts due are paid in full.

The MCS Administrator approves Enrollment Applications and Financial Commitments.

The Tuition information and Forms in this document apply to the normal school year.

Curriculum Fee:

A Curriculum Fee must be paid per student with application and re-enrollment, and is not refundable unless the application is rejected by MCS. Enrollment applications are not complete, and cannot be approved, until this Fee is paid.

Tuition as a Percentage of Family Income:

Tuition based on family income is for families with at least one student in K – 12th grade. It is a percentage of total expected family income for the year. The Enrollment Form for Tuition based on income must show total expected family income, (as defined by the IRS as Adjusted Gross Income that includes wages, salaries, investment income, etc., plus housing allowances, etc. for pastors). For families with only Childhood Pre-K students, percent of income tuition is not available.

Minimum Payments Schedule:

No discounts or reductions of tuition may make family payments less than the minimum payments schedule, (except, for some part-time options). For **pastors** eligible for the pastor's discount and for **families of MCS staff** the Minimum Payments may not be less than 50% of the standard Minimum Payment Schedule.

Withdrawal:

Should a student be withdrawn or expelled, the parents will continue to be responsible for the full amount of their financial commitment contract. However, in cases of withdrawal due to moving away from Midland, based on mutual agreement, due to chronic student illness, or due to doctrinal concerns, tuition payments will be due through the current month. In case of an unexpected large loss of family income, the Board may grant a release from their contract with MCS.

Scholarship:

A benevolence Scholarship fund may be available to help families with unusual temporary financial situations, or where the minimum tuition exceeds 10% of family income. Applicants must show why they need help, submit a copy of their IRS tax form, and commit to helping MCS with service of at least 35 hours per year.

ENROLLMENT Form A PARENTS

PARENTAL AGREEMENT with MIDLAND CHRISTIAN SCHOOL

1. I have read the school information including the Student Handbook and agree to abide by the policies of the Midland Christian School.
2. I have read the Parent Code and General Agreement and will abide by them.
3. I have read the Statement of Faith and understand that these are the principles upon which classroom instruction is based.
4. I have read and understand the financial policy of the school and accept personal responsibility for all tuition and related fees; and will pay all amounts due on time.
5. Because the Bible states that disputes among believers shall be settled within the Christian community, I agree that any dispute I may have involving the Midland Christian School will be settled privately, first with the persons involved, then the Administrator, School Board and Association Board, or if a resolution cannot be achieved internally, we will seek the help of a Christian mediation or arbitration organization, and will not resort to the secular courts.
6. I understand that this is a legally binding agreement, and that it cannot be revoked or altered by any party without the consent of the other parties.

Father's Signature _____ Date _____

Mother's Signature _____ Date _____

ENROLLMENT Form A STUDENTS

STUDENT'S AGREEMENT with MIDLAND CHRISTIAN SCHOOL

(Signatures required for 7th grade students and above.)

I will abide by the School's standards and guidelines, which are designed to promote a learning environment and a Christian community, in which an atmosphere of love, responsible freedom, and concern for the needs of others prevails. I desire to live under my parents' authority and to attend the Midland Christian School.

I will do my best to work up to my ability as a student, and will maintain a cheerful, cooperative attitude while a student at Midland Christian School. The faculty will receive my respect and obedience at all times.

I understand that attending Midland Christian School is a privilege afforded me by my parents; that failure to abide by the standards of the School may result in my suspension or expulsion from the School; and that in case of my expulsion, my parents will continue to be responsible for the full amount of our Financial Commitment.

Because the Bible states that disputes among believers shall be settled within the Christian community, I agree that any dispute I may have involving the Midland Christian School will be settled privately, first with the persons involved, then the Administrator, School Board and Association Board; or if resolution cannot be achieved internally, we will seek the help of Christian mediation or arbitration organizations, and will not resort to the secular courts.

I understand that this document is a legally binding agreement between Midland Christian School, my parents or guardian, and me.

Date: _____ Students' signatures _____

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TUITION AND FINANCIAL AID 2010-11 Form B

Parents' Names _____
 Parent Address _____
 Students' Names and Grades _____

Curriculum Fees (per student):

Grades 1-12: \$200 (2nd Semester enrollment only: \$130)
 \$150 if paid by April 30

Pre-K & K: \$75 (2nd Semester enrollment only: \$50) Paid _____ Date _____

The Cost of education is greater than Full Tuition for K-12 students. Thus, all K-12 families are receiving Financial Aid and should participate in fund raising activities to solicit contributions to help pay for that Aid.

Full Tuition (This is less than cost per student for K-12)

Pre-K 5 days AM	\$2,820	_____ Students enrolled	\$ _____
Pre-K 3 days AM	\$1,870	_____ Students enrolled	\$ _____
Enrich 5days PM	\$2,230	_____ Students enrolled	\$ _____
Enrich 3 days PM	\$1,480	_____ Students enrolled	\$ _____
Kindergarten AM	\$2,590	_____ Students enrolled	\$ _____
Elementary 1-6	\$5,380	_____ Students enrolled	\$ _____
Secondary 7-12	\$5,770	_____ Students enrolled	\$ _____
Part-time per course	\$1,000	_____ Students enrolled	\$ _____

1. Total Full Tuition Due \$ _____

Tuition Based on Family Income (for families with at least one student in K-12)

For Family incomes of \$0,000 to \$40,000 = 10.5% of family income
 For Family incomes of \$40,001 to \$60,000 = 11.5% of family income
 For Family incomes of \$60,001 and higher = 12.5% of family income
 Expected total Family Income \$ _____ x _____ % of income =

2. Tuition Based on Family Income Due \$ _____

Discounts, Credits, Scholarships

3. Specify _____ \$ _____

4. Tuition Due (Subtract Line 3 from either Line 1 or Line 2) \$ _____

Minimum Tuition (Applies if Tuition Due is less than Minimum Tuition)

First student	\$1,575	\$ _____
Second student	\$1,050	\$ _____
Additional students	\$780 x _____ (number of students)	\$ _____

5. Total Minimum Tuition Due \$ _____

6. Tuition Payments Due (Line 1 or 2 or 4 or 5, whichever applies) \$ _____

Enrichment is available on a **drop-in basis of \$4.80 per hour** block.

Financial Aid Calculations (All K-12 families must complete the following section. Families enrolling only a Pre-K student may skip to **Payment Schedule**.)

Cost per student

Pre-K 5 days	\$2,820	_____	Students enrolled	\$ _____
Pre-K 3 days	\$1,870	_____	Students enrolled	\$ _____
Enrichment 5days	\$2,230	_____	Students enrolled	\$ _____
Enrichment 3 days	\$1,480	_____	Students enrolled	\$ _____
Kindergarten	\$3,150	_____	Students enrolled	\$ _____
Elementary 1-6	\$6,300	_____	Students enrolled	\$ _____
Secondary 7-12	\$6,750	_____	Students enrolled	\$ _____

7. **Total Costs for students** \$ _____

Financial Aid received by family (Subtract Line 6 from Line 7) \$ _____

Family Commitment to MCS:

In enrolling our child(ren) we commit to pay to MCS the amount on Line 6, and request the above Financial Aid. Since the funds for Financial Aid come from Fund Raising Projects and Contributions, we commit to one of the following two options. (Families enrolling only a Pre-K student may skip A and B.)

- A. We commit to actively participate as a family to raise funds through the three major fund raising events sponsored by MCS during the school year and/or by requesting financial help from extended family, church, etc., trusting God that we will be able to raise at least \$ _____ during the coming school year (suggested minimum of \$500 per family).
- B. We wish to opt out of participating in Fund Raising projects, and will donate \$ _____ to MCSA (at least \$750 for families with one full-time student, or at least \$1,000 for families with two or more full-time students).

Payment Schedule: Total Tuition Due (from line 6) \$ _____

Annual payment	\$ _____
Semester payment Aug/Jan	\$ _____ per semester
Ten payments Aug 15 to May 15	\$ _____ per month
Eleven payments July 15 to May 15	\$ _____ per month
Twelve payments June 15 to May 15	\$ _____ per month

We will actively encourage and urge our friends to enroll their children at MCS, understanding that higher enrollment is the best way to reduce cost per student and tuition.

Parent's signatures: Father _____ Mother _____

Approval: Administrator _____ Date: _____

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Parent Participation Form C

Names of Parents _____

Describe the activities you are able and willing to do during the coming year.

Father Mother

_____ MCS Board (school operation)

_____ MCSA Board (facilities and finances)

_____ Work Days improving facilities (tell any special skills you can contribute)

_____ Classroom Aide (what grade, subject, or type of involvement)

_____ Hot Lunch Program

_____ Playground Supervision

_____ Special Work projects

_____ Committee Responsibilities (1 year term minimum, please indicate areas below)

_____ Publicity

_____ Personnel

_____ Athletic

_____ Spiritual Development

_____ Property

_____ Education

_____ Recruitment/Retention

_____ Long Range Planning

Other things you can do for MCS:

SIGNATURES

We pledge to participate with our time, talent, and gifts to help Midland Christian School provide high quality classical Christian education for its students.

Father's Signature _____ Date _____

Mother's Signature _____ Date _____