

# TUITION FEE RATES

## NEW STUDENTS

The following tuition fees are applicable for new students and students returning to AEA after their education at the school has been cancelled. These rates are valid only for student's first academic year at the school. A non-refundable application and capital fees are charged as listed below (*no application fee is charged for siblings of AEA students*). Wait pool registration is charged with an additional fee of 55 EUR.

The AEA tuition fee is all-inclusive and no additional charges are made in relation to the educational process. The capital fee is dedicated to the continuous development of the school facilities. All fees listed below are VAT inclusive.

### Standard Enrollment

Registration of new students for an upcoming school year made after the 1<sup>st</sup> of April is considered as *standard enrollment*. Tuition fee installments are paid in accordance with the *AEA Standard Payment Plan* as described below. Please note that new students are enrolled only after an Agreement for educational services is signed between the school and student's parent/representative.

Grade Level	Annual Tuition Fee
Kindergarten K3-K5	6 400 EUR
Advanced K (K6)	9 730 EUR
Grade 1-8	13 900 EUR
Grade 9-11	14 800 EUR
Grade 12	15 800 EUR

Standard Payment Plan	
Application Fee	250 EUR Due upon student's application
Capital Fee	1 500 EUR Due upon student's enrollment
Tuition Payment 1	20 % Due within a period of a month
Tuition Payment 2	30 % Due by August 31
Tuition Payment 3	50 % Due by January 15

### Early Enrollment

Registration of new students for an upcoming school year made until the 31<sup>st</sup> of March is considered as *early enrollment*. Tuition fee rates in this case are in accordance with the *AEA Standard or Early Enrollment Payment Plans A or B* as per parents' preference. Please note that the *Early Enrollment Payment Plans* are applicable only for student's first school year at AEA. Re-enrollment tuition rates (*returning students*) are charged for all consecutive school years.

#### Option 1: Standard payment plan

Grade Level	Annual Tuition Fee
Kindergarten K3-K5	6 400 EUR
Advanced K (K6)	9 730 EUR
Grade 1-8	13 900 EUR
Grade 9-11	14 800 EUR
Grade 12	15 800 EUR

Standard Payment Plan	
Application Fee	250 EUR Due upon student's application
Capital Fee	1 500 EUR Due upon student's enrollment
Tuition Payment 1	20 % Due within a period of a month
Tuition Payment 2	30 % Due by August 31
Tuition Payment 3	50 % Due by January 15

#### Option 2: Early enrollment payment plan A (reduction of 10 %)

Grade Level	Annual Tuition Fee
Kindergarten K3-K5	6 400 EUR
Advanced K (K6)	9 730 EUR
Grade 1-8	12 510 EUR
Grade 9-11	13 320 EUR
Grade 12	14 220 EUR

Early Enrollment Payment Plan A	
Application Fee	250 EUR Due upon student's application
Capital Fee	1 500 EUR Due upon student's enrollment
Tuition Payment 1	40 % Due within a period of a month
Tuition Payment 2	30 % Due by August 31
Tuition Payment 3	30 % Due by December 31

#### Option 3: Early enrollment payment plan B (reduction of 20 %)

Grade Level	Annual Tuition Fee
Kindergarten K3-K5	6 400 EUR
Advanced K (K6)	9 730 EUR
Grade 1-8	11 120 EUR
Grade 9-11	11 840 EUR
Grade 12	12 640 EUR

Early Enrollment Payment Plan B	
Application Fee	250 EUR Due upon student's application
Capital Fee	1 500 EUR Due upon student's enrollment
Tuition Payment 1	100 % Due by March 31
Tuition Payment 2	- n/a
Tuition Payment 3	- n/a

## RETURNING STUDENTS/ RE-ENROLLMENT

The following tuition rates are applied on annual basis for the education of returning students who continue at AEA for a consecutive academic year.

Grade Level	Annual Tuition Fee
Kindergarten K3-K5	6 400 EUR
Advanced K (K6)	9 730 EUR
Grade 1-8	13 205 EUR
Grade 9-11	14 060 EUR
Grade 12	15 010 EUR

Standard Payment Plan	
Application Fee	- n/a
Capital Fee	- n/a
Tuition Payment 1	20 % Due by May 31
Tuition Payment 2	30 % Due by August 31
Tuition Payment 3	50 % Due by January 15

The AEA tuition fee is all-inclusive and no additional charges are made in relation to the educational process. All fees listed below are VAT inclusive.

## PARTIAL YEAR ENROLLMENT AND EARLY WITHDRAWAL

We recognize that in many cases international families need to relocate at very short notice, sometimes for a period which is not known in advance. Aiming to facilitate this transfer, AEA offers the option for both partial year enrollment and early withdrawal. In such cases, tuition fees are calculated on a prorated basis in accordance with the enrollment period. Partial year enrollment option is offered for students in Grades 1-12, kindergarten excluded. Individual Payment Plan is applied. A non-refundable application fee of 250 EUR is charged additionally for all new students (*siblings of AEA students excluded*). A capital fee of 1 500 EUR is charged upon the enrollment of each new student.

Enrollment Period	Tuition Fee
Students enrolled within 4 <sup>th</sup> quarter	25 % of the annual tuition fee is charged
Students enrolled within 3 <sup>rd</sup> quarter	50 % of the annual tuition fee is charged
Students enrolled within 2 <sup>nd</sup> quarter	75 % of the annual tuition fee is charged
Students enrolled within 1 <sup>st</sup> quarter	Full annual tuition fee is charged

## PREFERENTIAL RATES

American English Academy offers preferential tuition rates for children of NATO employees, and families from the diplomatic corps in Bulgaria. The preferential fees are VAT inclusive and are applied for all academic years during the education of preferential students at AEA. A non-refundable application fee of 250 EUR is charged for all new students (*siblings of AEA students excluded*). Wait pool registration (*optional*) is charged with an additional fee of 55 EUR. A capital fee of 1 500 EUR is charged upon the enrollment of each new student.

Grade Level	Annual Tuition Fee
Kindergarten K3-K5	6 400 EUR
Advanced K (K6)	9 730 EUR
Grade 1-8	9 730 EUR
Grade 9-11	10 360 EUR
Grade 12	11 060 EUR

Standard Payment Plan	
Application Fee	250 EUR Due upon student's application
Capital Fee	1 500 EUR Due upon student's enrollment
Tuition Payment 1	20 % Due within a period of a month
Tuition Payment 2	30 % Due by August 31
Tuition Payment 3	50 % Due by January 15

## ADDITIONAL FEES

Additional school fees cover optional non-pedagogical and pedagogical services, such as: school meals, transportation, and after-school activities. All listed fees are VAT inclusive.

Optional Service	Additional Fee Per Academic Year
School meals (breakfast and lunch)	Approx. 750 EUR (K6-Grade 3), 830 EUR (Grades 4-7), and 920 EUR (Grades 8-12)
Transportation – round trip	Approx. 1 520 EUR per student, fee is updated annually
Transportation – one direction	Approx. 970 EUR per student, fee is updated annually
After-school activities	Fees are set in accordance with the respective average price range for Sofia City