



# Emmanuel Lutheran School

## 2017-2018 Tuition Schedule

Emmanuel Lutheran School is a private, Christian school and therefore does not receive state and federal tax support like public schools do. ELS has three avenues of income that help us provide an outstanding education for our students: 1) budget support from Emmanuel Lutheran Church, 2) Donations to Scholarship Tuition Organizations (STO's), and 3) tuition/fees paid by school families.

Emmanuel Lutheran School is committed to providing a quality, Christian education. We believe our tuition payments are an investment in your child's education and Christian foundation.

### Tuition: Kindergarten - Grade 8

Children Attending ELS	Annual Cost <u>Per Child</u>	Monthly <u>Family Payment</u> *
1	\$5,582.00	\$528.20
2	\$5,442.45	\$1,028.50
3	\$5,349.42	\$1,514.82

*Families who are members of Emmanuel Lutheran Church receive a discounted tuition. Please contact the Principal or Admissions Coordinator for more information.*

\*Monthly tuition is based on 10 payments beginning August 2017 and assumes a \$300 per child prepayment on or before July 10. Payment after July 10 will result in a \$50 late enrollment fee. Tax credits cannot be applied to the \$50/child late fee. This prepaid tuition enrollment amount must be paid for the student(s) to start school.

**ESA and tax credit programs (like ACSTO) can be used to cover tuition expenses.**

Students may attend Emmanuel only upon completion of either:

- a) A completed ACSTO application for the current school year and attend one workshop. **Many** Emmanuel families use The Arizona Christian School Tuition Organization ("ACTSO"). Visit the [ACSTO website](#) for more information, to apply for scholarships, or to make a donation.
- b) An accepted Empowerment Scholarship Account (ESA) grant.
  - All incoming Kindergarten Students and students transferring from a public school and entering grades 1 and 6 must apply for the newly expanded Empowerment Scholarship Account (ESA) Program.
  - After you apply, they will inform you of the amount of the grant. At this point you will need to make a decision to accept the ESA grant or accept STO scholarships. Both cannot be received at the same time.
  - All tuition payments are handled through FACTS Tuition Management, a nationwide company with a proven record of safe financial management for schools.

### FACTS Grant and Aid Assessment

All tuition payments are handled through FACTS Tuition Management, a nationwide company with a proven record of safe financial management for schools. Families seeking additional assistance from Emmanuel must apply directly through Facts grant and Aid Assessment which analyzes the need and reports to Emmanuel