

2018-19 STUDENT FEES

There are two types of academic fees district students are assessed: the instructional materials fee and the school fee. The instructional materials fees for the 2017-18 school year are:

Kindergarten	\$16.00 per student
Elementary School (grades 1-5)	\$32.00 per student
Middle School (grades 6-8)	\$25.00 per student
High School (grades 9-12)	\$28.00 per student

The instructional materials fee charged to a high school and middle school student is based on the purchase price and normal life expectancy of texts and items that are expected to last multiple years but still need to be replaced. The instructional materials fee charged to an elementary school student is based on a combination of the purchase price and normal life expectancy of texts (used in intermediate grades), the actual cost of workbooks (used in primary grades) and consumable materials. The instructional materials fee is charged on a per-student basis and goes into the district's general fund for distribution to the curriculum budget for text purchases and schools for additional texts, replacement materials or consumable materials.

Students at all grade levels are also expected to have their own basic school supplies. A list of those supplies is available at each school. (Elementary school supply lists must not exceed \$30.00 per student.)

In addition to the instructional materials fee, the school fees listed below are charged to high school and middle school students based on the actual cost of consumable materials and supplies or the cost to rework materials to accommodate reuse. These fees are charged to students participating in specific classes and activities. These fees are deposited to each school's fee supported fund and are used for the purpose designated in the fee schedule.

Fees will be waived for students qualifying for free or reduced price school meals under the Federal Free or Reduced Price Meal Program. Fees will be prorated for students coming on or going off the meal assistance program during the school year.

Students may also be charged for optional materials that they select for class projects in addition to the Board adopted fees. Also, students may be required to pay for all or part of field trip costs relating to admission or entrance fees, meals and lodging.

In some high schools, fees are assessed by credits and half credits rather than by year or semester. Please check with the high school registration department.

The fee structure as adopted by the Board of Education is subject to annual change.

ELEMENTARY SCHOOL FEES (Mandatory)

Course/Fee Description	Cost
<i>Laurene Edmondson Elementary School Only</i> Tech Rental Fee	\$45.00 per year

MIDDLE SCHOOL FEES
(Mandatory)

Course/Fee Description	Cost
<i>Applied Arts</i>	
Family & Consumer Science	\$5.00 per semester
Tech Engineering & Design	\$11.00 per semester
Art	\$10.00 per semester
Art 2-D	
Art 3-D	
Greenhouse Management	\$10.00 per semester
Music Electives	\$5.00 trip travel fee \$40.00 per year
Band, Choir, Orchestra Instrument Rental	
<i>Conrad Ball Middle School Only</i>	
Tech Rental Fee iPad Cover	\$45.00 per year \$45.00 one-time fee or self-purchased

HIGH SCHOOL FEES
(Mandatory)

These courses may fulfill core requirements for graduation. The fees charged are associated with expendable supplies and are assessed when students register for the course. Fees associated with graduation, International Baccalaureate (IB) and Advanced Placement (AP) exams are assessed during the school year and are included in this list as an approved fee.

Course/Fee Description	Cost
<i>GENERAL</i>	
AP Courses	Student pays for textbook and exam
AP Studio Art Drawing	\$35.00 per semester
AP Studio Art 2-D Design	\$35.00 per semester
AP Studio Art 3-D Design	\$35.00 per semester
Diploma	\$15.00
IB Courses	\$145.00 one-time registration fee – this cost will increase
Leadership Class	\$5.00 per semester
Transcripts	One copy free - \$2.00 per copy thereafter

<i>MOUNTAIN VIEW HIGH SCHOOL ONLY</i>	
Tech Rental Fee	\$45.00
iPad Cover	\$45.00 one-time fee or self-purchased
Theatre	\$100.00 flat fee

ADVANCED PLACEMENT/INTERNATIONAL BACCALAUREATE EXAMS	
AP Exam – Exam fee is set by AP and changes yearly; school may not add administrative fees on top of fee charged by AP.	Fee set by AP (approximately \$90.00 per exam)
IB Diploma candidate testing. This covers the cost of six exam fees, and Theory of Knowledge and Extended Essay evaluation. *Beginning with the Class of 2018, this fee will be covered by the Thompson School District if a student meets the following qualification: Student must be an IB Diploma Candidate in good academic and attendance standing (no current F's or more than 10 unexcused absences)	\$119 per subject exam for a total of \$714 (May 2017) Registration Fee - \$172.00*
IB Course candidates (those wishing to earn college credit for their IB DP courses but not pursuing the IB Diploma) will be required to pay the exam fee for each course	Approx. \$119.00 exam fee for each academic year Approx. \$172.00 Registration Fee

Course/Fee Description	Cost
APPLIED ARTS/ CAREER AND TECHNICAL EDUCATION (CTE)	
Agricultural Science	
AgriScience	\$25.00 per semester
Intro to Agricultural Science and Technology	\$25.00 per semester
Principles Of Animal Science Advanced	\$25.00 per semester
Principles Of Plant And Soil Science Advanced	\$25.00 per semester
Business / Marketing	
Accounting 1 - 3	\$5.00 per semester
Business Law	\$5.00 per semester
Business Work Experience (BWE)	\$5.00 per semester
Career Development	\$5.00 per semester
Computer Applications	\$5.00 per semester
Computer Applications – Advanced	\$15.00 per semester
Computer Graphics Business 1 - 4	\$5.00 per semester
Entrepreneurship 1 -2	\$15.00 per semester
Finance	\$5.00 per semester
Global Information System (GIS) in Business	\$5.00 per semester
Introduction to Business and Marketing	\$5.00 per semester
Management	\$5.00 per semester
Marketing Research	\$5.00 per semester
Marketing Work Experience (MWE)	\$5.00 per semester
Multi-Media Technology	\$5.00 per semester
Programming Concepts	\$5.00 per semester
Social Media and Advertising	\$5.00 per semester
Sports and Entertainment Marketing	\$5.00 per semester

Course/Fee Description	Cost
Web Application Administration 1 & 2	\$25.00 per semester
Web Design	\$5.00 per semester
Family and Consumer Science	
Catering	\$25.00 per semester
Catering – Advanced	\$25.00 per semester
Child and Adolescent Development	\$5.00 per semester
Culinary Careers and Nutrition	\$25.00 per semester
Design Seminar	\$25.00 per semester
Early Childhood Education 101 and 102	\$10.00 per semester
Fashion Design & Merchandising	\$25.00 per semester
Interior Design 1 & 2	\$20.00 per semester
Life Management	\$5.00 per semester
Nutrition and Wellness	\$25.00 per semester
ProStart 1 & 2 Certification	\$75.00 per semester
Relationships	\$5.00 per semester
Teacher Cadet 1 - 2	\$5.00 per semester
Teen Challenges and Choices	\$10.00 per semester
Computer and Information Sciences	
Introduction to Electronics and Programming	\$20.00 per semester
Microcomputer projects	\$20.00 per semester
Programming Concepts	\$5.00 per semester
Robotics	\$20.00 per semester
Robotics Leadership	\$20.00 per semester
Industrial Science and Technology / Project Lead the Way	
Aerospace Engineering	\$30.00 per semester
Algebra 1 - Material Production, Energy & Design (AMPED)	\$30.00 per semester
Architectural Drawing	\$15.00 per semester
Computer Integrated Manufacturing	\$15.00 per semester
Construction 1 - 2	\$25.00 per semester
Engineering Design and Development	\$30.00 per semester
Engineering Your World	\$30.00 per semester
Geometry in Construction	\$30.00 per semester
Intro to Gas Metal Arc Welding	\$15.00 per semester
Introduction to Engineering Design	\$30.00 per semester
Invention and Design	\$15.00 per semester
Manufacturing 1 - 2	\$15.00 per semester
Principles of Engineering	\$15.00 per semester
Principles of Technology 1 & 2	\$5.00 per semester
Project Design Team	\$15.00 per semester
Safety for Welders	\$15.00 per semester
Technical Drawing	\$15.00 per semester
Transportation 1 - 2	\$15.00 per semester
ART	

Course/Fee Description	Cost
Commercial Art	\$20.00 per semester
Computer Graphics Art 1 & 2	\$15.00 per semester
Drawing 1 - 2	\$20.00 per semester
Metalsmithing/Jewelry 1 - 2	\$30.00 per semester
Painting 1 - 2	\$20.00 per semester
Photography 1 - 3	\$40.00 per semester
Sculpture/Ceramics 1 & 2	\$20.00 per semester
TV Broadcasting 1 - 2	\$20.00 per semester
Video Production 1 - 3	\$30.00 per semester
MUSIC	
Concert/Marching Band 1 - 4	\$15.00 per semester \$10.00 uniform cleaning \$5.00 per trip travel fee
Instrument Rental	\$40.00 per year
Jazz Ensemble 1 – 3	\$15.00 per semester \$5.00 per trip travel fee
Marching Band 1 - 3	\$11.00 per semester
Men's Choir	\$15.00 per semester
Mixed Choir	\$15.00 per semester
Music Ensemble	\$15.00 per semester
Musical Theatre	\$15.00 per semester
Musical Theatre Techniques	\$15.00 per semester
Orchestra	\$15.00 per semester
Show/Jazz Choir	\$15.00 per semester
Summer School Musical Instrument Rental	\$40.00
Symphonic Band	\$15.00 per semester \$10.00 uniform cleaning \$5.00 per trip travel fee
Symphonic/Marching Band	\$15.00 per semester \$10.00 uniform cleaning \$5.00 per trip travel fee
Wind Ensemble/Marching Band 1 - 4	\$15.00 per semester \$10.00 uniform cleaning \$5.00 per trip travel fee
Women's Choir	\$15.00 per semester
Women's Choir Advanced	\$15.00 per semester
PHYSICAL EDUCATION	
Athletic Training	Approx. \$25.00 per course
First Aid (fee required)	Fee set by Red Cross (approx. \$35.00)
Junior Reserve Officer Training Corps (JROTC)	\$25.00 per semester
Life Guarding (fee required)	Fee set by Red Cross (approximately \$65.00)
Lifetime Sports	\$15.00 per semester \$5.00 per trip travel fee
Nutrition and Wellness	\$25.00 per semester

KINDERGARTEN TUITION

Elementary schools can offer an all-day or extended-day kindergarten program. Full-day kindergarten tuition is \$2610 per year (scholarships may be available; talk with your school for details.)

State assisted programs: these schools receive state assistance to provide a tuition free core program for students living in that attendance area or for those which have been approved through open enrollment. Tuition may be required for enrichment classes.

ATHLETIC AND ACTIVITY FEES

Students who participate in secondary level athletics and some selected activities are required to pay a fee which is collected at the school. Fees will be waived for students qualifying for free or reduced price school meals under the Federal Free or Reduced Price Meal Policy. Fees are to be paid or waivers obtained prior to a student's participation in a sport or activity.

Participants who are cut or who quit an activity within 10 practice or school days will be reimbursed the full amount of the fee.

MIDDLE SCHOOL ATHLETIC/ACTIVITY FEES

\$20.00 per sport participation fee (intramural sports) – enrolled students

\$30.00 per sport participation fee (intramural sports) – non-enrolled students

\$50.00 per sport participation fee (interscholastic sports), all middle schools – enrolled students

\$70.00 per sport participation fee (interscholastic sports), all middle schools – non-enrolled students. Middle school family maximum of \$125.00 per family per school year for enrolled students; the family maximum for non-enrolled students is \$175.00.

HIGH SCHOOL ATHLETIC/ACTIVITY FEES

\$125.00 per sport participation fee – enrolled students

\$175.00 per sport participation fee – non-enrolled students

\$30.00 per selected activity participation fee (Knowledge Bowl, Forensics) plus \$ 5.00 per trip travel fee

\$150.00 football equipment fee – this fee will be collected from incoming freshman and first time Thompson School District football athletes only. This is a one-time fee and does not apply to the family yearly maximum. This fee will be used to replace football equipment (e.g., football helmets, shoulder pads, etc.) as needed by the team.

High school family maximum of \$325.00 per family per school year for enrolled students; the family maximum for non-enrolled students is \$460.00.

Extracurricular activities (other than athletics) and student organizations may collect fees to cover the cost of specific activities or events.

There is a \$450 maximum participation fee per family per school year. The family maximum participation fee for non-enrolled students is \$635 per family per school year. This includes participants in both middle and high school programs. Parents should keep track of the athletic/activity fees (i.e. receipts) they pay and notify the school(s) when the maximum fee has been reached.

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