

ADMISSIONS POLICIES

The following guidelines are used in determining admission and class placement:

- Applications are considered without regard to race, or religion.
- Parents and children are interviewed prior to acceptance.
- All new students are accepted on a three week trial basis.
- Expressions of preference regarding classes and sessions will be honored if possible. Priority is given to maintaining a balance of gender and age within each class.
- If the program applied for is full, the applicant will be placed on a waiting list. Siblings and children currently enrolled in DVMS have priority over new admissions in class placement.

TUITION AND OTHER FEES

TUITION: Tuition is paid in monthly installments and is due on the 1st of each month. The last month's tuition installment is due upon acceptance into the school. The first month's tuition installment is due when the child enters the school. Monthly tuition payments not received by the 15th day of the month are considered delinquent and will be subject to a late fee of \$35.00. In addition, a 1.5% interest fee is assessed on any outstanding balance at the end of each month.

APPLICATION FEE: A non-refundable fee of \$40.00 must accompany each child's application. This fee is not applicable to tuition.

REGISTRATION FEE: A registration fee of \$150.00 is due upon acceptance into the school.

WORK HOUR DEPOSIT: A refundable work hour deposit of \$300.00 is due upon acceptance into the school. It is refunded upon the completion of 15 work hours. (This is reduced for enrollments after January 1st to \$150.00 and 7.5 work hours).

CAPITAL MAINTENANCE FEE: A fee of \$250.00 to support capital maintenance/improvements is due with the first tuition installment. (This is reduced for enrollments after January 1st to \$112.50).

SCRIP: Required to purchase \$3,500.00 of Scrip per year.

SIBLING DISCOUNTS: A 5% tuition discount is given to siblings.

WITHDRAWAL NOTICE: One month's notice is required in writing to withdraw a child from the school. Refunds, if any, will then be calculated.