## **CMS Tuition Policy**

We are committed to providing high quality education at a reasonable rate. We seek scholarships every year for funding so that our school can continue to open its doors to every child.

The current tuition is \$300 a student per month spread out over 10 months to equal \$3,000/yr. Each family has the ability to volunteer 5 hours a month to receive a \$50 discount. There are many ways to earn those 5 hours and as the year progresses you will learn of ways to volunteer that best fit your family. You will be required to log your hours in the sign in notebook. At the end of each month the board will review your hours. If you have not met the required hours you will receive notice to pay the additional amount or complete your hours before months end.

For families that will be enrolling more than one student at a time, we offer a sibling discount. The first student will be full price at \$300/month and the second student will be half price at \$150/month. The family can still earn a \$50 discount by volunteering for 5 hours each month.

We currently receive part time scholarships from the First Things First program. This allows qualifying families to apply for a scholarship. The tuition for families receiving the scholarship is \$175/month with the ability to earn the \$50 discount with 5 volunteer hours. These scholarships are limited and will be awarded on a first come first serve basis.

We know every family has unique situations. If this tuition rate creates a financial hardship on your family, we welcome you to propose an affordable amount to the school board. We take each family as a case by case basis. For more information regarding this you can reach out to Hillary Culp, School Administrator.

**Tuition will be due on the 15<sup>th</sup> of every month, beginning in July.** Each family will make 10 monthly payments from July-April to cover the school year. All checks can be turned into the tuition box located by the sign in table. Cash must be given directly to the School Administrator and a receipt will be issued. Paypal payments are available with an additional \$5 fee. All payments not received by the 15<sup>th</sup> will incur a \$10 late fee. All returned checks will be charged a \$25 fee. If payments are not received by 1<sup>st</sup> of the month, the student will be withdrawn until payments are made.