

DEUTSCHE INTERNATIONALE SCHULE SHARJAH GERMAN INTERNATIONAL SCHOOL SHARJAH المدرسة الألمانية الدولية بالشارقة

School fees

The German International School Sharjah charges fees for attending the kindergarten and the school. These fees are set according to this document. By registering your child you automatically accept this school fees as detailed below.

1. Registration fee

We charge a one-time registration fee of 2.000, - AED which will only be charged if your child gets a spot in kindergarten or at the school. If you enroll more than one child the registration fee for the first child will be 2.000, - AED and for any additional children the registration fee will be 500, - AED each. The registration fee is non refundable.

2. Re-registration

Returning students must re-enroll before the end of April of each school year. No extension for re-enrollments will be given. For re-registration we charge a fee of 1000, - AED which will be deductable from the tuition fees for the following school year. Failure to meet the deadline will result in the student having to re-apply as a new student including the payment of all applicable fees. If the re-registration payment is delayed the managing board will determine if there is a spot left for your child. For this we charge an administration fee of 100, - AED.

Please inform us whether your child needs bus transportation for the following school year at the time of re-registration. Otherwise we cannot guarantee a seat on the school bus.

3. Tuition fees for 2018/2019

School fees include tuition and school books. Transportation fees, uniforms, exam fees, food, notebooks or work material as well as class trips etc. are not included.

a) Kindergarten	20,450,- AED
b) Preschool	21,000,- AED
c) Primary school (class 1-4)	32,500,- AED
d) Orientation stage (class 5)	34,500,- AED
e) Secondary school (class 6-10	36,500,- AED
f) IB (class 11-12)	48,500,- AED

For families who have registered three or more children at the DISS, the third child and all additional children will receive a sibling discount of 10 % on tuition and transportation fees.

3.1 Additional fees DaF (Deutsch als Fremdsprache)

If your child requires German as a foreign language tuition an additional fee of 2000, - AED per year will be charged. If there is a need for intensive DaF-lessons we charge 3500, - AED per year.

3.2 Special educational needs

Children will get individual help if they need special education. In cooperation with the parents we will create an individual plan for special education to advance your children. For this there might be additional fees.

4. Book deposit

There are no fees for school books; however there is a deposit you have to pay when you enroll your child. Upon leaving the school and returning the school books the deposit will be returned. The amount of the deposit is:

Primary school 400, - AED Secondary school & IB 800, - AED

5. Bus transportation

For daily bus transportation for regular school timings we charge following bus fees (annually):

Region 1 7.500, - AED (Sharjah)

Region 2 8.500, - AED (Dubai, Ajman, RAK)

For one-way trips with the school bus in the morning we charge the complete bus fees. For one-way trips with the school bus in the afternoon we charge 70% of the bus fees.

For families with three or more children at the German International School Sharjah (Kindergarten and school) we offer following discounts:

For the first and second child we charge the complete bus fees.

For the third and any additional child we offer a 10% discount of the bus fees.

6. Withdrawing from school

If the student withdraws from school for any reason, the following rules apply:

- Parents must notify the school in writing with a 2 month notice to the end of the month of withdrawal. If students withdraw during an ongoing month the cancellation will become effective two months after the withdrawal.
- Failing to notify the school will result in 3 months' fee being withheld

The amount of one month's tuition fee and transport fee is calculated on the basis of ten months.

7. Methods of payment

All fees need to be paid before the beginning of the academic year. The payments can be made by:

- Cash: payable in UAE Dirham at the office
- Cheques: Current dated UAE Dirhams Cheques drawn at UAE bank written at to "German International School Sharjah". The school's terms and condition shall apply for post-dated cheques and bounced cheques

• Bank Transfer: Direct transfer to the school's bank account

Account Name: German International School Sharjah

Bank Name: National Bank of Abu Dhabi, Buheira, Sharjah

Account Number: 6200526854

IBAN: AE65 0350 0000 0620 0526 854

SWIFT: NBADAEAASHA

A 3% early payment discount will be applied to full payments received prior to 28th June 2018. There will be no further reduction after this date.

There is a possibility for deferred payments subject to the decision of the board. If the managing board has taken a positive decision we charge a surcharge of 2%.

If you register your child during an ongoing year you have to pay the fees before your child starts school. The school and bus fees will be charged proportionately for the remaining month. A school year corresponds to 10/10 (10 months).

If any cheque to the school from a parent is rejected, the issuer of the cheque will be held responsible according to UAE law and the child/ren can be excluded from school. A handling fee of 250 AED will be charged.

8. Default action

In the event of delayed payment the managing board and the school management must be notified immediately.

Default action will start at any delay in payment. You will be sent a reminder by e-mail and mail via your child. We charge a late payment fine of 250,- AED for each child and month.

Your child can be excluded from school until any outstanding amount is paid. Exclusion does not include exams. Exclusion does not reduce fees. The school can withhold certificates and documents till any outstanding amount is paid.

The school reserves the right to take legal actions against parents even after suspension. This also applies to rejected cheques.