

Financial

Supplement 2010 – 2011

Tuition and Fees

The following is a list of costs associated with an Academy education for the 2010–2011 school year.

Tuition

Boarding Student's Tuition \$49,875.00
(includes room and board)

Deposit due with contract
20% of total (minimum \$2,500.00)
(upon acceptance, non-refundable)

Tuition balance due July 1, 2010

Day Student's Tuition \$33,385.00
(includes lunch)

Deposit due with contract
20% of total (minimum \$1,500.00)
(upon acceptance, non-refundable)

Tuition balance due July 1, 2010

Deposits and Fees

Incidental Account \$800.00

First Year Senior Fee \$1,500.00

Long Distance Telephone Call Deposit \$200.00
(boarding students only)

Technology and Communications Fee (all students) \$195.00

Room Deposit (refundable, boarding students only) \$250.00

Student Allowance Deposit (boarding students only, \$20.00 per week approx.) \$660.00

English as a Second Language Fee \$4,850.00
(required of all ESL students)

Travel Deposit (refundable, required of all international students) \$1,400.00

Private Music Lessons \$2,625.00
(required of Music majors—
24 one-hour lessons per year)

Private Voice Lessons \$2,200.00
(required of junior and senior musical theatre
majors—20 one-hour lessons per year)

Moving Pictures Fee (\$1000.00 per semester) \$2,000.00
(Equipment fee required of all moving
pictures majors)

Emergency Preparedness Pak \$25.00

Graduation Fee (seniors only) \$210.00

Identification Card \$25.00

Other Fees:

Student Medical Insurance \$1,500.00

Medication Administration \$25.00–\$50.00/week
(see Student-Parent Handbook)

Standardized Testing (PSAT, SAT, ACT, etc.) TBA

Driver Education TBA

Incidental Account

The school administers an incidental account for each student for certain expenses including textbooks and other items from the Bookstore, weekend trips, transportation, etc. Parents must deposit \$800.00 at the beginning of the year and replenish that deposit each month as necessary to maintain a \$400.00 credit balance. Accounts may be suspended if credit balances are not maintained.

Technology and Communications

The school administers a communication account for each boarding student against which phone line service and phone usage fees are charged to the room. Parents are required to deposit \$200.00 at the beginning of the year and replenish that deposit each month as necessary to maintain a \$100.00 credit balance. Each student receives a phone voice line in his/her room for telephone, fax or computer use. The phone service includes voice mail and call forwarding features. Telephones may be provided through the school. Other instruments must be provided by the student. An annual technology and communications fee of \$195.00 is charged to each account regardless of the subsequent activity and charges. Use of phone privileges is regulated by parental and school rules.

Room Deposit

A deposit of \$250.00 is charged to each boarding student's account. Should there be any damage to the room, the cost of repair will be charged against the deposit. Any balance will be refunded at the end of the school year or applied to any other outstanding balance.

Student Allowance Deposit

The school makes a weekly allowance available to boarding students. The weekly amount—determined by the parent and multiplied by the number of semester weeks—is required by the beginning of the fall and/or spring semesters. The school urges parents to make no more than \$20.00 a week available to their children for spending money. The Allowance Deposit must be paid in full before allowances are distributed.

English As A Second Language

All international students requiring instruction in English will be charged a fee of up to \$4,850.00 per school year depending on the number of ESL classes taken.

Travel Deposit

A \$1,400.00 deposit to guarantee return passage is required of all students enrolled in the Academy from outside the United States. These funds are held on deposit and refunded or credited to the student's account if not used. All payments to the school must be in U.S. dollars.

Private Instruction

All Music majors are required to take twenty-four one-hour private music lessons at a cost of \$2,625.00 per school year. Juniors and seniors who declare musical theatre as their concentration are required to take twenty one-hour private voice lessons at a cost of \$2,200.00 per school year.

Emergency Preparedness Student Support Pak

In response to the State of California's Disaster Preparedness Plan, a Support Pak containing food, water, first aid supplies, and blanket is securely stored on the campus for each student's use in case of an emergency. The one-time kit fee is \$25.00 and will be charged to each student's account.

Student Medical Insurance

A student medical insurance policy is mandatory for all boarding and day students. Evidence of medical insurance coverage acceptable by local physicians and hospitals must be provided to the school nurse at registration. The school will purchase medical insurance by October 15, 2010 for students without acceptable coverage and the premium will be charged to the student's account. Parents are encouraged to purchase medical insurance through the plan offered by Idyllwild Arts. To reduce coverage difficulties and problems, parents are encouraged to complete medical questionnaires and should deal directly with the insurance company for claims. Parents who wish to apply directly for coverage may obtain application forms from the school Health Center office (951) 659-2171 ext. 2275.

Medical and Dental Care

A complete report of physical examination is required for each student. Included must be proof of immunization and current tuberculosis test (required by the State of California). All routine medical and dental care should be completed prior to the opening of school in the fall, or attended to during the periods of fall, winter and spring holidays. If immunizations and physicals are not current, they will be administered at the parent's expense.

Transportation

The school provides vehicle transportation to Ontario, Los Angeles, and Palm Springs airports for scheduled breaks and vacations. Schedules are provided to parents at the beginning of the school year. There is a \$95.00–\$150.00 charge each way for transportation provided by the school.

There is an additional charge for any special trips made by the school during scheduled vacations because of early departures or late arrivals, and for any other special transportation required, usually at a rate of \$0.85 per mile per person. Transportation costs for medical and dental appointments via school vehicles **will be charged to the student's account**. It is imperative that parents send sufficient travel funds to the student (including taxi fare) prior to the time such funds are needed. We prefer that parents arrange for travel and send tickets to the Dean of Students to be distributed to the student when needed. Such advanced planning normally provides a considerable savings in terms of fare reductions.

Payment Plans

The Arts Academy provides a variety of options for families who wish to finance their student's education through flexible payment plans. Contact the Admission Office for more information.

General

A \$25.00 service charge will be assessed for each dishonored check. Additionally, an interest charge of 10% will be assessed on all past due accounts. Each year, the school contracts with several outside firms to provide specialized programs which the school cannot provide through its own staff. Programs in driver education and career planning are offered through firms long established in these areas. The fees are determined by the specific firms involved and are passed along to parents directly.

Laundry

Coin laundries are provided near the dormitories for use by the students. Washers and dryers cost \$1.00 and \$0.75 respectively per load.

Personal Property

Idyllwild Arts does **not accept** liability for students' belongings at the school. We suggest that parents include their student's belongings in their homeowners insurance.

Questions?

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