Daystar Academy
An IB World School

PREK-8

’27–28 Tuition Rates

1/2 DAY PRE-K	PYP (PRE-K – 5TH)	MIDDLE SCHOOL (6TH – 8TH)
$12,600	$18,500	$20,000

K-8 FINANCIAL AID

HOUSEHOLD INCOME	1 STUDENT	2 STUDENTS (TOTAL COST)	3 STUDENTS (TOTAL COST)
$75K *OR LESS*	$3,900-$9,000	$7,800-$10,500	$11,700-$12,000
$75K - $100K	$9,000-$12,000	$10,500-$14,000	$12,000-$16,000
$100K - $125K	$12,000-$15,000	$14,000-$17,500	$16,000-$20,000
$125K - $150K	$15,000-$18,000	$17,500-$21,000	$20,000-$24,000
$150K - $175K	$18,000-$18,500	$21,000-$24,500	$24,000-$28,000

The amount a family can expect to pay is determined by household income, family size, and the number of wage earners within the home. To ensure that resources reach those with the greatest financial need, Daystar will continue offering financial aid with a clear priority structure. Priority will be given to families in the following income tiers, based on Cook County Living Wage Data:

TIER 1	Less than 50% of the living wage
TIER 2	50–66% of the living wage
TIER 3	66–150% of the living wage

Families outside these tiers may still apply; however, awards will be determined later (June–July) and only if funds remain available. The amounts included here are estimates and are not guaranteed.

TOTAL AVAILABLE FINANCIAL AID:	$1.7 million, distributed on a first-come, first-served basis

**Financial Aid is not available for families with students only attending preschool at Daystar Academy. Families qualify for financial aid once their oldest child is in Kindergarten or above.*