



CHAMINADE-MADONNA  
College Preparatory

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**2026-2027**

**Tuition Information Guide**

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# Opening Remarks

Dear Families,

It is our joy to welcome you to the first of the planning stages for the CMCP 2026-2027 school year. No doubt, financing your child's education is close to the top of your list in considerations as you finalize your decisions.

Here at CMCP we offer a unified tuition rate, which means that your child will gain unlimited access to all school-based needs such as tuition (7 academic courses), transportation, technology, eBooks, student and sports activities. This "all-in" approach differs from other Catholic high schools in the region and is simplified budgeting made easier for you, the parent, to plan payments, as fewer separate charges exist.

We are offering this extended brochure which should assist you in taking the necessary steps to secure all the tuition assistance vehicles that are available to you. This includes but is not limited to the State of Florida allocations for ALL families, not based on income. The process for application for these funds will be explained in this brochure. Please remember that it is YOUR responsibility to meet the deadlines for application and follow-through. Once deadlines have passed, we are unable to do anything in our office to get applications reinstated, etc.

Legacy family members will continue to receive a discount. Legacy is defined as: PARENT OR SIBLINGS (including those currently enrolled) who are graduates of CMCP. It does not extend to grandparents, aunts, uncles, cousins or other extended family members.

All the members of the Finance Office stand ready to assist you with whatever needs that you might have as you navigate the process. Please feel free to contact Ana Galvez at [agalvez@cmlions.org](mailto:agalvez@cmlions.org) or (954) 989-5150 x 113.

Thank you for the opportunity to partner with you!



Trudiann D. Phillips  
Director of Finance

# 2026-2027 Tuition & Fees

Tuition Rate: \$18,000

\*This rate includes seven (7) credits of coursework, transportation, building fee, digital content fee, technology fee

Legacy discount of \$1,500 for students with parents or siblings (including current students) who have attended (and graduated) or are currently attending

This DOES NOT INCLUDE: grandparents, aunts, uncles, cousins or other distant relatives

Non-Refundable Registration Fee, Returning Students:

- \$500 by March 1, \$600 after March 2

Auxiliary Fee: \$200, All Students

- *Service Learning, Student Activities, Programming*

Graduation Fee: \$250, Seniors Only

Encounter Retreat Fee: \$250, Juniors and/or Seniors (*Billed upon completion of retreat*)

Learning Center Fee: \$3,750 per year (*Only those enrolled in the LC Program*)

## QUESTIONS?

Please call Ana Galvez in the Finance Department at (954) 989-5150 x113 or [agalvez@cmlions.org](mailto:agalvez@cmlions.org)

## 2026-2027 Tuition Payment Plan Options

Annually: Due in full by May 5

Per Semester: First installment due by May 5; second installment due December 5

Twelve (12) Month Plan: First payment due by May 5 or May 20; final payment due April 5 or April 20 (\$55 FACTS enrollment fee applies)

Ten (10) Month Plan: First payment due by July 5 or July 20; final payment due April 5 or April 20 (\$55 FACTS enrollment fee applies)

Bi-Monthly Plan: Available (\$55 FACTS enrollment fee applies)

### *Please Note:*

- Delinquent accounts will result in the withholding of the issuance of semester academic credits
- New students must establish a payment plan with FACTS to complete the enrollment process. Payments must be made by credit card or ACH automatic bank withdrawal
- Payment to: FACTS Tuition Management. For more information, call (866) 412-4637 or visit [Online.FactsMGT.com](http://Online.FactsMGT.com)
- Additional information regarding tuition policies, including withdrawal, may be found in the Parent-Student Handbook

# State of Florida Opportunities

Scholarship programs offered by the State of Florida are available to Chaminade-Madonna students.

## **Step Up For Students:**

- Florida Tax Credit
- Family Empowerment Scholarship-EO (Educational Options)
- HOPE Scholarship

## **Scholarships for Students with Unique Abilities:**

- Family Empowerment Scholarship for Unique Abilities (former McKay Scholarship Program)

## **Step Up Payments:**

Please note- Parents/guardians will be required to approve payments quarterly in EMA. This process is initiated after invoices are submitted by the school.

## **Invoicing and Payments:**

Families must approve their student's quarterly payment in EMA before fund are disbursed to the school.

Once you have approved a student's invoice, the family will receive an automatic notification asking them to log in to their EMA account to approve their student's payment on their dashboard.

Step Up For Students will send reminder emails and texts to families who do not immediately take this action.

Step Up For Students makes quarterly tuition and fee payments for full-time students in eligible private schools within 7 business days after approval from both the school and parent or guardian. Once initiated, funds may take up to 3-5 business days to arrive in the school account.

**Tuition accounts are not credited as paid until the school receives the quarterly distribution from the State of Florida. Failure to follow each step of the process in a timely manner may jeopardize the award.**

## **Contact Information SUFS:**

Chat with a live agent: [www.sufts.org](http://www.sufts.org)

Email: [info@sufts.org](mailto:info@sufts.org) Call: 877-735-7837

# State of Florida Opportunities

Applying For a Scholarship Step Up For Students requires parents and guardians to submit a complete scholarship application each year through their EMA account, which can be accessed at StepUpForStudents.org.

Applications for the Private School, Unique Abilities, and PEP Scholarships for the 2026-27 school year will open for families on February 1!

Below is a timeline table for renewal and new applications deadlines.

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## Timeline

The table below outlines when new and renewal applicants must submit their applications:

Type of Applicant	Application Period
Renewal Applicants	February 1 - April 30, 2026
New Applicants	February 1 - November 15, 2026

**Important:** Renewal applications submitted after the April 30, 2026, deadline will be considered a new application.

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## How to Accept The Scholarship

Upon receiving notification from Step Up For Students that the student is eligible, Florida law requires that parents and guardians accept or decline the scholarship by specific dates.

## Timeline

The table below outlines when new and renewal applicants must accept or deny the scholarship by:

Type of Applicant	Decision Required By
Renewal Applicants	May 31, 2026
New Applicants	December 15, 2026

# State of Florida Opportunities

Once the 2026–27 Award ID has been provided by EMA, please email a PDF copy of a screenshot from EMA student's portal to [SUFS@cmlions.org](mailto:SUFS@cmlions.org)

The document must include the following information:

- Student's Name
- Scholarship
- School Year
- Award ID
- Award Amount

Information must be submitted in PDF format. Image or picture files are not printable and will not be accepted.

## Scholarship Funding:

- To receive scholarship funding, students using the private school option must confirm enrollment at an eligible private school in EMA.
- Scholarship funding is prorated based on the dates when the student accepts a scholarship and approves their first quarterly payment.
  - Students who accept a scholarship and approve their first quarterly payment by September 30, 2026, will receive 100% of the total award amount for that school year.
  - Students who accept a scholarship and approve their first quarterly payment by January 15, 2027, will receive 50% of the total award amount for that school year.
- Students who do not accept a scholarship and approve their first quarterly payment by January 15 will not receive scholarship funding for the 2026-2027 school year.

## Scholarship Funding Schedule:

Scholarship funds are deposited into the student's scholarship account on a quarterly basis. A Scholarship Funding Organization must verify a student's eligibility to participate in the program at least 30 days before receiving funding from the state. Once the FLDOE receives a verified list of eligible students from Step Up For Students, the FLDOE will send scholarship funds quarterly on the following dates:

Enrollment Deadline	Funds Delivered to Step Up For Students
June 15*	August 1*
July 15*	September 1*
September 30	November 1
December 15	February 1
February 15	April 1

\*There are two dates for the first quarter

# CMCP Opportunities

Chaminade-Madonna College Preparatory provides financial aid toward tuition and offers payment plans that allow families to make tuition payments over an extended period. We encourage all families who think Chaminade-Madonna is the right match for their child to apply for financial aid.

Applying for financial aid will not affect admission decisions; the Admissions Committee does not know if a candidate has applied for financial aid.

## HOW TO APPLY FOR FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE

**2026-2027**

You can apply for financial aid **beginning January 1, 2026**, on our website by doing the following:

1. Go to our website: [www.cmlions.org](http://www.cmlions.org)
2. Click **Admissions**
3. Click on **Tuition and Financial Aid**
4. Click on the **FACTS LOGIN** link, bottom right hand-side

**The financial aid application fee is \$45.00 per application.**

Need assistance from FACTS Grant and Aid Assessment?  
Call their Customer Care office at 1-866-441-4637

To be considered for financial assistance a student must be **registered** for the 2026-2027 academic year - including the payment of the registration fee - and the application must be submitted and **verified**.

**Deadline:** March 31, 2026\*

*\*Applications received after the filing deadline which meets all the above-mentioned criteria will be reviewed after the initial awards have been distributed and will receive reduced financial aid awards provided funds are still available.*

# Disclaimer

*All agencies that provide tuition assistance opportunities have their own unique requirements. This includes but is not limited to applications, submission processes, and deadlines.*

*It is incumbent on the applicant and their family to meet the deadlines and criteria established for each agency.*

*CMCP is unable to advocate for families who miss deadlines. Each family is liable for the entire tuition payment for 2026-2027.*

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