

# Shorecrest | UPPER SCHOOL

## 2023-2024 Tuition Information

Tuition includes daily lunch for all Upper School students. For Tuition rates for international students, please contact the Admissions Office at 727-522-2111 or at [admissions@shorecrest.org](mailto:admissions@shorecrest.org).

**Submitting an enrollment contract obligates you for the full year's tuition unless you notify the school in writing prior to July 1, 2023 that your student will not be attending Shorecrest during the 2023-2024 school year.**

**Deposit:** \$1,000 (*applied towards tuition*)

All payment plans require a non-refundable tuition deposit of \$1,000 per student, due upon enrollment to reserve a space in the class.

	<b>Ninth-Twelfth Grades:</b>
<b>Annual Plan Tuition:</b> <i>1 payment due May 2023</i>	\$31,670
<b>Semi-Annual Plan Tuition:</b> <i>2 payments: 60% due May 2023, 40% due Oct 2023</i>	\$32,300
<b>Monthly Plan Tuition:</b> <i>10 payments due May 2023 - Feb 2024</i>	\$33,100

Shorecrest accepts payments made by EFT (Electronic Funds Transfer) from a checking or savings account or by credit card (subject to a 2.95% convenience fee) directly to FACTS Tuition Management. Shorecrest also accepts payments made via personal check, cashier's check, bank check or money order.

### **Late Payments:**

All charges, including tuition, must be kept current. A late fee will be assessed if payments are not made as scheduled in FACTS.

### **Tuition Refund Insurance:**

Families are automatically enrolled in the Tuition Refund Insurance plan unless they choose to opt-out during the re-enrollment process, if eligible.

Tuition Refund Insurance (2.4% of tuition cost) is **required** if the Semi-Annual Plan or Monthly Tuition Plan is selected AND one of the following is true:

- a new family enrolling a student in Shorecrest for the first time
- a new student enrolling after the school year has begun
- a student returning to the school after an absence of one semester or more

Enrollment contracts obligate families to pay the full year's tuition unless the school is notified in writing prior to **July 1, 2023** that your student will not be attending Shorecrest during the 2023-24 school year. Insurance is especially beneficial for those who may be relocating or may need to withdraw a student for any reason during the school year.

Learn more about TRP on the [Tuition web page](http://www.Shorecrest.org): [www.Shorecrest.org](http://www.Shorecrest.org) > Admissions > Tuition

Ninth - Twelfth Grade

## 2023-2024 Additional Fees/Expenses - **Mandatory**

Daily lunch for all Upper School students is included in tuition.

**Application Fee: \$75; International \$200.** Other international tuition and fees may apply. Please contact the Admissions Office for current information and rates.

**Matriculation Fee: \$400.** Assessed for new students and returning students who have previously withdrawn.

### **Class Fees:**

**Freshman Fee: \$155** (Freshman Orientation / Community Building Event, Physics Day at Busch Gardens)

**Senior Fee: \$370** cap and gown, yearbook, Commencement video, community building activities: Parking Lot Party, Shuffleboard event, school day snacks. Grad Bash fees are assessed separately based on student's attendance.

**Books: estimated \$800+.** Textbooks, workbooks and computer software applications are purchased by the parents through an online bookstore. Ninth Grade students purchase a calculator (approximately \$120) to be used throughout high school. Learn more: [www.shorecrest.org](http://www.shorecrest.org) > [Parents](#) > [Parent Area](#).

**SCA:** All Shorecrest families are automatically members of the Shorecrest Community Association (SCA). There are no additional membership fees.

**School Supplies:** estimated \$100.

**Service Week:** This is an annual, mandatory program for all Upper School students. Most local programs are free; some have fees ranging from \$20-150; national and international trips range between \$300-\$5,000.

### **Technology Expenses:**

**9th - 10th Grade:** Students will be issued a MacPro laptop. An annual technology fee of **\$525** will be billed to the family each August during their child's high school career. The technology fee covers the laptop, an extended warranty, a case, software to manage the device, and a Help Desk to support students and families. Students will keep the laptop upon graduation.

**11th - 12th Grades:** Upper School students in grades 10-12 are required to bring either an iPad and/or a Mac laptop to school, provided by their family. Windows laptops will not be supported. The Technology Team recommends families purchase the following\*:

- iPad - iPad or iPad Pro with at least 64GB. A Help Desk is provided to support students and families. Families are responsible for any apps.
- Laptop - MacBook Air, MacBook or MacBook Pro. The Shorecrest Help Desk will provide limited support for Apple laptops. Families are responsible for any apps or software.

\*Note: Shorecrest does not support other OS devices including Windows laptops, tablets and Chromebooks.

Families that need to purchase a device can visit our online custom store to take advantage of educational pricing and finance options. For more information about the 1:1 program and the online custom store, visit [www.shorecrest.org](http://www.shorecrest.org) > [Academics](#) > [Technology](#).

## Additional Fees/Expenses - **Optional**

**Advanced Placement Exams: (Grades 10-12) Approximately \$96 per exam.** Students who register for AP classes are expected to sit for the national examinations in May. This fee is set annually by the College Board and charged in October-November.

**Athletics:** Athletic activity fees are assessed per team/sport.

**Clubs:** Participation in student clubs and organizations can carry dues of **\$5 - \$35**.

**Coffee & Snack Cafe Account:** Lunch from SAGE Dining is included in tuition. Families may fund a declining balance account with MySchoolBucks to pay for purchases from the retail coffee and snack cafe in Charger Commons. Learn more: [www.shorecrest.org](http://www.shorecrest.org) > [Student Life](#) > [Food Service](#).

**Dances:** Tickets for the Homecoming Dance are approximately \$25. Tickets for the Junior-Senior Prom are approximately \$90.

**Spirit Wear:** Spirit wear can be purchased at the School Store or [via the online Sideline Store](#). Discounted Spirit Wear is often available at SCA's uniform sales.

**Center for Academic Excellence (CAE):** CAE supports the academic development and educational goals of all PK3-12 Shorecrest students and is committed to helping our diverse community of students to excel academically. To discover the many resources offered by The Learning Center, visit [www.shorecrest.org](http://www.shorecrest.org) > [Academics](#) > [Center for Academic Excellence](#). Some are covered by tuition; others require an additional fee.

**Yearbook: \$50.** Shorecrest annually publishes the "Crestviews" yearbook, which covers students in all schools.

**Yearbook Ad for Seniors:** Congratulatory ads in the yearbook for Seniors can be purchased by the families and friends of seniors. Full page ads cost **\$250** and half page ads cost **\$125**.

## Community Giving - **Encouraged**

**Shorecrest Fund Support:** The Shorecrest Fund is our annual fundraising campaign supporting the immediate needs and highest priorities of the School. Your support to the Shorecrest Fund not only enhances student, faculty and community experiences, but also increases Shorecrest's eligibility for grant funding. We invite you to find the giving circle or society that best aligns with your resources and desired level of impact. Every gift, no matter the size, helps us fulfill our mission. For more information about our giving programs, visit [www.shorecrest.org](http://www.shorecrest.org) > [Giving](#) > [Shorecrest Fund](#).

