# 2020-2021 Thomas Metcalf School Registration Fees and Tuition Information

The expectation is that Full payments are made at the beginning of the school year, however a semester or monthly payment plan is available for parents should there be a need. Semester payment plan installments are due prior to August 14<sup>th</sup> (first day of school) and prior to January 5<sup>th</sup> (first day of 2<sup>nd</sup> Semester). The first installment of the monthly payment plan is due prior to August 14<sup>th</sup> with 9 additional monthly installments due on the 5<sup>th</sup> of the month from September through May. All payment plans must remain current through-out the school year.

## 2020-2021 Preschool Tuition - \$3,500

We charge tuition for children enrolled in the preschool program. Children enrolled in this program do not generate state reimbursement funds and, as a result, the cost of the program must be borne entirely by our operating budget. Preschool classes are 5 days per week, 3 hours per day.

## 2020-2021 Registration Fees

Kindergarten through 2<sup>nd</sup> Grade - \$225 3<sup>rd</sup> & 4<sup>th</sup> Grade - \$270 5<sup>th</sup> through 8<sup>th</sup> Grade - \$335

Fees are assessed for children attending Thomas Metcalf School. These fees are used to pay for extracurricular activities, assemblies, and to purchase consumable materials and supplies for the children in each classroom (i.e. workbooks, textbook rental, weekly children's publications, paints, construction paper, assignment notebooks for grades 2-8, etc.) Please note that this fee does not include optional extracurricular fees such as sports, Chess, Allied Arts, etc. Parents also are responsible for a portion of Field Trip costs. These fees will be billed as they arise.

# **Family Cap**

There is a **family cap of \$830** for Metcalf families. (The family cap *only* applies to **Registration Fees** for grades K-8. It does *not* include field trips, outdoor education, preschool or U-High Fees.) This means that no family will pay more than a total of \$830 in *Registration Fees* for all children attending Metcalf in grades K-8.

\*\*Students that meet Federal Guidelines will not be kept from participating in activities because of financial need. Federal guidelines for determining free and reduced lunches will be used as the criteria for waiving or reducing fees for preschool through 8<sup>th</sup> grade, as well as most athletic/activity fees.

### Padlocks (We will hold off on padlock purchases until locker use resumes.)

In order to maintain our school and PE locker finishes, all locks must be purchased from Metcalf School. Metcalf locks include bumpers that protect the lockers. This is a one-time expense as these locks are intended to be used throughout the student's years at Metcalf.

Hallway lockers - New students in 3<sup>rd</sup> through 8<sup>th</sup> grade must purchase a Metcalf lock for their hallway locker for \$8.

PE lockers - New students in 5<sup>th</sup> through 8<sup>th</sup> grade must also purchase a Metcalf lock for their PE locker for \$8.

\*\*Returning students should have brought their locks and bumpers home when school was out in May and are to bring them back to school for use in the coming year.

### Physical Education Uniform (We will hold off on PE Uniform purchases until further notice.)

All students in 5<sup>th</sup> through 8<sup>th</sup> grade must purchase a physical education uniform through Metcalf School to be worn in class. We will be sizing students during Metcalf Move-In, then ordering to be distributed during class the first couple of weeks of school. The cost is \$20 for the two-piece uniform or \$10 each to purchase the shirt or shorts. (Metcalf PE uniforms from last year may be used if not outgrown.)

\*\*Questions may be directed to Jon Haws or Abby Rader.