



# PYTHAGORAS CHILDREN'S ACADEMY

The Greek Orthodox Church of Saint Demetrios  
893 North Church Road • Elmhurst, IL 60126 • 630.834.0477  
[www.pythagoraschildrensacademy.org](http://www.pythagoraschildrensacademy.org)

Dear Prospective Family,

Thank you for your interest in our school. Attached, you will find the application forms for the 2023-2024 school year. The application can also be found and completed on our website, [www.pythagoraschildrensacademy.org](http://www.pythagoraschildrensacademy.org)

By submitting your completed application prior to March 24, 2023, you will be eligible for the **early bird discount of \$200** on the 2023-2024 school year tuition.

**An application will be considered complete if:** (a) all forms are completed, (b) the application fee is paid, (c) arrangements for your 2023 stewardship commitment are satisfied with the Church office (ACH, paid in full, or Stewardship letter from Orthodox home Parish confirming you are a steward in good standing for the 2023 calendar year).

Once your application is complete, it will be forwarded to the School Board for admissions review, and you will be promptly notified of acceptance status.

Pythagoras Children's Academy gives children a strong academic, spiritual, and emotional foundation. In addition to core education, Greek language and Orthodox religion classes, PCA students come together regularly to receive Sacraments and celebrate Liturgies. We strive on building an atmosphere that allows our students to build social skills and develop confidence in their abilities of leadership and service. Our small class sizes and certified teachers are dedicated to catering to students' different learning styles to ensure that they stay engaged and understand what is being taught.

If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact us at 630-834-0477 or via email at [atagaris@pythagoraschildrensacademy.org](mailto:atagaris@pythagoraschildrensacademy.org). We look forward to hearing from you soon.

Sincerely,

Staci Tagaris-Ward  
Director



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For Office Use Only
Date Rec'd: _____
Rec'd by: _____
Payment Rec'd: \$_____
<input type="checkbox"/> Cash / <input type="checkbox"/> Check #_____
Outstanding Balance ( Y / N )
2023 Stewardship fulfilled ( Y / N )

## 2023-2024 APPLICATION FOR ADMISSION

### Student & Family Information

Student's Legal Name: \_\_\_\_\_  
(Last) (First) (Middle)

Date of Birth: \_\_\_\_\_ Age on Sept. 1<sup>st</sup>: \_\_\_\_\_ Gender:  M  F Grade entering: \_\_\_\_\_

Student's Greek/Baptismal Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Student's Feast Day: \_\_\_\_\_

Has the student been baptized, in water, in the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit? **(Y / N)**  
If yes, please specify parish and location:

\_\_\_\_\_

*If your child has been baptized in a parish other than Saint Demetrios, Elmhurst, please provide a copy of the Baptismal Certificate.*

### Mother/Guardian Information:

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Home Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Cell Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Work Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Occupation: \_\_\_\_\_

EMAIL: \_\_\_\_\_

### Father/Guardian Information:

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Home Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Cell Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Work Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Occupation: \_\_\_\_\_

EMAIL: \_\_\_\_\_

### Parental Information:

Parents married/living together  Divorced  Separated  Father Deceased/ Mother Deceased (please circle)

Student resides with:  Both Parents  Mother  Father  Other: \_\_\_\_\_

If parents are divorced, legal custody belongs to: \_\_\_\_\_

*\*Custodial parent/guardian must provide copy of Divorce Decree or other appropriate documentation.*

Correspondence to be sent to:  Both parents  Mother  Father  Other: \_\_\_\_\_

### Sibling Information:

Name	Age	Current School (if applicable)
_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____



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Student Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Date of Birth: \_\_\_\_\_

CHECK PROGRAM BELOW:	GRADE	DAYS/REQUIREMENT	TIMES	Tuition Price
	Fifth Grade	5 days a week	8:30 am – 3:15 pm	\$5,500
	Fourth Grade	5 days a week	8:30 am – 3:15 pm	\$5,500
	Third Grade	5 days a week	8:30 am -3:15 pm	\$5,500
	Second Grade	5 days a week	8:30 am – 3:15 pm	\$5,500
	First Grade	5 days a week	8:30 am – 3:15 pm	\$5,500
	Kindergarten (Full-Day)	5 days a week <b>*Requirements: 5 years of age by 9/1/2023</b>	9:00 am – 3:10 pm	\$5,500
	Pre-Kindergarten (Full-Day)	5 days a week <b>*Requirements: 4 years of age by 9/1/2023</b>	9:00 am – 3:05 pm	\$5,500
	M/W/F Pre-Kindergarten (Full-Day)	3 days a week, Full-Day <b>*Requirements: 4 years of age by 9/1/2023</b>	9:00 am – 3:05 pm	\$5,060
	Full Time Preschool	5 days a week <b>*Requirements: 3 years of age by 9/1/2023, fully potty-trained</b>	9:00 am – 3:05 pm	\$5,610
	Full Time Preschool (Half-Day)	5 days a week <b>*Requirements: 3 years of age by 9/1/2023, fully potty-trained</b>	9:00 am – 12:00 pm	\$5,060
	M/W/F Preschool (Full-Day)	3 days a week <b>*Requirements: 3 years of age by 9/1/2023, fully potty-trained</b>	9:00 am – 3:05 pm	\$5,170
	M/W/F Preschool (Half-Day)	3 days a week <b>*Requirements: 3 years of age by 9/1/2023, fully potty-trained</b>	9:00 am – 12:00 pm	\$4,510
	Tue/Thur Preschool (Full Day)	2 days a week <b>*Requirements: 3 years of age by 12/1/2023, fully potty-trained</b> (students NOT 3 years old by 9/1/23, must repeat preschool the following school year)	9:00 am – 3:00 pm	\$4,290
	Tue/Thur Preschool (Half-Day)	2 days a week <b>*Requirements: 3 years of age by 12/1/2023, fully potty-trained</b> (students NOT 3 years old by 9/1/23, must repeat preschool the following school year)	9:00 am – 12:00 pm	\$3,740

Second Child Discount (deduction taken off youngest child)	10% off tuition only
Third or more Child Discount (deduction taken off youngest child)	20% off tuition only
<b>DISCOUNT REFERRAL-</b> a \$200 discount will be applied to your tuition payment for referring a NEW family to PCA- both parties must be in good standing with the church (form applies)	\$200 off tuition only
<b>*EARLY BIRD DISCOUNT:</b> You are eligible for early bird discount, \$200 per family, if your completed application, application fee, tuition and fees for 2022-2023 are paid in full, and 2023 stewardship commitment are all submitted on or before March 24,2023 (See prices listed above)	



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## 2023-2024 FEES AND TUITION SCHEDULE

### NON-REFUNDABLE APPLICATION FEE (will be applied toward tuition):

Per student:	
Preschool & Pre-Kindergarten Application Fee.....	\$150
Kindergarten – 2nd Grade Application Fee.....	\$300

### SCHOOL SUPPLY FEES (payable through TADS)

Full-Time Preschool – Third Grade Students .....	\$300
Part-Time Preschool/Pre-K Students.....	\$250

ANNUAL FUNDRAISING EVENT (2 tickets, per family)..... \$250

PPO FEE: Payable in full to **PPO** (per family) at Orientation ..... \$100

HOT LUNCH FEES (optional): For all students except T/TH & MWF half-day Preschool students, payable in full to **PPO** (per student) at Orientation ..... \$125

STEWARDSHIP: A minimum of \$550 to be paid in full, ACH monthly commitment, or Stewardship letter from Orthodox home Parish confirming you are a steward in good standing for the 2023 calendar year

### Tuition Payment Options:

- A. **TADS:** Tuition payments must be made through our online tuition service, TADS. Payment options are as follows:
- Payable in full at time of registration (**receive a \$200 discount off Tuition only**).
  - Payable in 3 equal installments (8/2023, 12/2023, and 2/2024) through TADS (**first installment is due on or before orientation**).
  - Payable in 4 equal installments (8/2023, 10/2023, 12/2023, and 2/2024) through TADS (**first installment is due on or before orientation**).
  - Payable in 6 equal installments (8/2023, 10/2023, 11/2023, 12/2023, 1/2024, and 2/2024) through TADS (**first installment is due on or before orientation**).
- B. **Church Office:** Payments paid in full prior to the beginning of the school year may be made by cash or check in the Church office. Partial payments or payments after the school year commences will not be accepted in the Church office.

*I, the undersigned parent/guardian, am a current steward of The Greek Orthodox Church of St. Demetrios or other Orthodox Parish and do hereby assume responsibility for the tuition, related fees, and balances for the Pythagoras Children's Academy for the 2023-2024 school year.*

*I understand the Application for Admission is considered complete when the application fee, stewardship commitment, and, if applicable, all tuition and fees for 2022-2023 must be paid in full.*

Student Name: \_\_\_\_\_

PARENT/GUARDIAN SIGNATURE: \_\_\_\_\_



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