



## Tuition Tiers for the 2018-2019 School Year Tuition FAQ:

Tier One	Tier Two	Tier Three	Tier Four	Tier Five	Tier Six
<b>\$8,760</b>	<b>\$8,050</b>	<b>\$7,420</b>	<b>\$6,370</b>	<b>\$5,983</b>	<b>Needs Based Assistance</b>

### **What should I do if I cannot pay Tier 1 tuition?**

Families requesting a tuition tier below Tier 1 need to submit an application to FACTS Grant & Aid Assessment. The Madeleine Choir School uses the FACTS Grant & Aid Assessment program as a means of creating a baseline of understanding and dialogue regarding which tier fits a family's financial situation.

### **What income levels typically qualify for financial assistance?**

FACTS Grant & Aid Assessment considers several factors including family income, family size, number of students, etc. in recommending tuition assistance. Families with incomes below \$100,000 typically qualify for some level of aid. Families with incomes between \$100,000 - \$150,000 may qualify for aid depending on specific circumstances.

### **Do you have a sibling discount?**

For families with multiple students, FACTS Grant & Aid Assessment calculates tuition for all Choir School students when recommending tuition assistance. Family discretionary income is compared to a family's total tuition obligation in recommending aid.

### **Does Tier 1 tuition cover the full cost of educating my student?**

Tier I tuition covers roughly 90% of the cost of educating your student. We ask our families, to the extent they are able, to help cover the balance of the cost through participation in the Friends Annual Appeal and the school's annual Gala fundraiser.

### **How many students receive financial assistance?**

Every student at the Madeleine Choir School is subsidized at some level by funds coming from income sources other than tuition. Over one third of our students are receiving financial assistance ranging from Tier 2 through Tier 6 levels.

### **Is my tuition rate covering scholarship students?**

No, each of our tuition tiers partially covers the cost of educating your student. Funds for scholarship tuition assistance are raised through grants, our annual Friends campaign and our annual Gala fundraiser.

### **What if our family's financial situation has changed and we just cannot afford Tier 1 tuition anymore?**

Please contact us to discuss your financial situation. The Madeleine Choir School is committed to working with every family who wants to be a part of the Choir School community.