

Information Regarding Tuition and Financial Assistance

We know that the decision to enroll your student in a tuition-charging school constitutes a significant financial commitment. It represents a serious investment, but one we believe will pay dividends over a lifetime: in higher education, in a fulfilling career, and most of all, in a life of purpose and meaning.

At Browning, tuition covers the following educational expenses:

- Educational technology (e.g. Chromebooks or laptops for students)
- Instructional materials (e.g. textbooks and required reading)
- Lunch
- Required school trips (including overnight grade-level trips)
- Athletic equipment and PE uniforms

One way families manage tuition expenses is through <u>FACTS</u>, which enables parents/guardians to pay in installments.

Financial assistance is also available for Browning-sponsored activities that have additional costs. The cost of those activities to the family is calculated based on the family's tuition responsibility each year. For example, if a family is responsible for 50% of tuition for the school year, then that family can expect to be responsible for 50% of the cost of participation in an extracurricular program. Examples of programs that typically incur additional costs include Encore (an after-school program for younger students), chess, after-school music lessons, participation in squash (a sport that is not covered by tuition), and athletics training retreats.

There are occasional exceptions to this formula as it may depend on the program and the expense to the School in providing it for our boys. In such cases, the cost will be communicated by the Director of Enrollment.

Ultimately, it is our hope that all students are able to participate in the myriad opportunities available to them at Browning, regardless of a family's financial circumstances. Additional questions may be directed to Director of Enrollment <u>Janet Lien</u>.

Thank you for considering Browning for your sons. We hope to welcome you to our wonderful community.